



Calendar of the Battle Abbey Archives

This calendar provides full extracts, in English, of the substance of each document in the Battle Abbey Archives, and in the case of charters includes all personal and place names found in the originals. The calendaring of this collection was done on-site at the Huntington by East Sussex Record Office senior archivist Christopher Whittick from 1991 to 2017.

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Format of Entries

Entries in the calendar contain the following fields (when applicable):

Item or volume number	<p>Item title. Date.</p> <p>Description: extract and/or summary of the text</p> <p>Witnesses: names of witnesses identified on the item</p> <p>Endorsed: notes on any endorsements on the item.</p> <p>Cartulary (or Sacrist's cartulary): volume/folio reference for items transcribed in either the cartulary (volume 29) or the sacrist's cartulary (volume 30)</p> <p>Seals: notes on any seals on the item</p> <p>Related materials: chiefly notes to related items in the collection, as well as some references to items in other repositories or published materials</p> <p>Publication note: reference to a published transcription of the item</p> <p>Notes: any additional notes regarding physical damage to, or characteristics of, the document</p> <p>Reference numbers: there are a few different reference numbers that may be listed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Phillipps number: for volumes 1-33 and 51-99, a handwritten number written either on the spine or front fly leaf of each extant binding by Sir Thomas Phillipps• Original volume/page: for materials previously bound in volumes 34-60, the original placement of the item in the volume• Ink number: a handwritten black-ink number written on the dorse of the item (often the same as the entry's item number) by the cataloger working for the bookseller Thomas Thorpe, approximately 1830. In the case of the charters in boxes 1-36 these numbers form the item number.• Thorpe page/entry: the page and entry location on the page where the item is described in Descriptive Catalogue of the Original Charters, Royal Grants, and Donations ... and other Documents constituting the Muniments of Battle Abbey ... [offered for sale] By Thomas Thorpe (London: [Thomas Thorpe], 1835)• Pencil number: numbers added in pencil to charters copied into the Sacrist's cartulary (Volume 30) in the margin of which they are repeated• D number: a number of unknown origin and purpose appearing on 43 items, dating post-1800.• Unidentified number: any additional numbers written on the item that cannot be identified with one of the above numbering schemas
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Notes:

- An apostrophe after a word or name (e.g. Sir Warres' de Valon') in the entries indicates a suspension where it is clear that the clerk intended a longer word.
- Some 13th-14th century documents are endorsed with a symbol resembling “÷ =” to indicate that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary (Volume 29), circa 1290; others have a mark resembling a tilting O to indicate that the deed belonged to the almoner's office at the end of the 15th century, perhaps when the almoner's cartulary, now lost, was compiled.

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f. Cartularies (volumes 29-32)

g. Pre-dissolution deeds (Boxes 1-36, Volumes 51-55)

a. Obedientary Accounts	
Abbey accounts (BA 139-142, 144-151, 272)	
BA 139	<p>Account of the abbey of Battle by Brother Stephen de Lond' and Brother Nicholas Wardedeu. 1346-1347.</p> <p>Description: Account of grossed-up income from all the abbey's estates, in the manner of a pipe roll, endorsed with accounts of expenditure by type; list of debts on account to 15 persons.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 461</p>
BA 140	<p>Abbey account. 1364-1365.</p> <p>Description: Account of grossed-up income from all the abbey's estates, in the manner of a pipe roll, endorsed with accounts of expenditure by type; left-hand margin perished; endorsed by John Buckland: note concerning the expenses of a new abbot.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 232</p>
BA 141	<p>Account of the monastery of St Martin of Battle in the time of Sir Lawrence Champion abbot there at the time of his election ending on the vigil of St Michael 1H8'. [8 December 1508]-28 September 1509.</p> <p>Description: List of receipts from 19 manors and estates outside Sussex, balanced on the dorse with expenditure and allowances on the same; includes £2 income from the probate of wills in the spiritual court within the jurisdiction of Battle.</p> <p>Endorsed: Enrolled in the book.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 436</p>
BA 142	<p>Account of the abbey of Battle by Brother William Mundefeld. 1351-1352.</p> <p>Description: Account of grossed-up income from all the abbey's estates, in the manner of a pipe roll, endorsed with accounts of expenditure by type; annotated with the date and with reference to estates in Kent, approximately 1600.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 462</p>
BA 144	<p>Account of the abbey of Battle by Brother Gilbert de Lyndesey. 1357-1358.</p> <p>Description: Account of grossed-up income from all the abbey's estates, in the manner of a pipe roll, endorsed with accounts of expenditure by type; annotated with the date and with reference to estates in Kent, approximately 1600.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 51</p>
BA 145	<p>Account of the abbey of Battle by Brother Robert Bregge. 1382-1383.</p> <p>Description: Account of grossed-up income from all the abbey's estates, in the manner of a pipe roll, endorsed with accounts of expenditure by type; includes expenditure following the death of abbot Hamo of Offington and the election of John Crane; annotated with the date and with reference to estates in Kent, approximately 1600.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 433</p>
BA 146	<p>Account of the abbey of Battle by Brother Robert Bregge. 1381-1382.</p> <p>Description: Account of grossed-up income from all the abbey's estates, in the manner of a pipe roll, endorsed with accounts of expenditure by type; annotated with the date and with</p>

	reference to estates in Kent, approximately 1600. Reference numbers: Ink number: 378
BA 147	[Number not used]
BA 148	[Number not used]
BA 149	[Number not used]
BA 150	[Number not used]
BA 151	[Number not used]
BA 272	Three pages of an abbey account. 1508-1509. Description: Includes the cost of the creation, election, confirmation and consecration of Lawrence Champion as abbot of Battle; endorsed by John Buckland: account of the expenses of Dom Lawrence abbot there, for a year to 29 September 1509; enrolled in the book. Reference numbers: Ink number: 233
Almoners' accounts (BA 152-227)	
BA 152	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Thomas Coumbe. 1364-1365. Reference numbers: Ink number: 532
BA 153	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Stephen de Cranebroke. 1368-1369. Reference numbers: Ink number: 541
BA 154	Account of Brother Stephen de Cranebroke, almoner of Battle. 1372-1373. Reference numbers: Ink number: 424
BA 155	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Thomas Coumbe. 29 September 1380-15 August 1381. Reference numbers: Ink number: 555
BA 156	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Thomas Haye. 1382-1383. Reference numbers: Ink number: 546
BA 157	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother William Brunston. 1385-1386. Reference numbers: Ink number: 535
BA 158	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother William Brunston. 1389-1390. Reference numbers: Ink number: 539
BA 159	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Thomas Haukherst. 1392-1393. Reference numbers: Ink number: 422
BA 160	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Thomas Haukeherst and Brother John Liddebery. 1395-1396. Reference numbers: Ink number: 184

BA 161	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Thomas Hengesell. 1401-1402. Reference numbers: Ink number: 526
BA 162	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Thomas Hengesell. 1402-1403. Related materials: For Thomas Hengesell's account for 1403-04, see East Sussex Record Office SAS/G 44/142; for a copy of an account, 1405-1406, see East Sussex Record Office SAS/G 44/152 Reference numbers: Ink number: 418
BA 163	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother William Chilham. 15 April 1408-29 September 1408. Endorsed: Grange account 'de granis non computat quia seminabantur et vendebantur ante introitum suum'; account of live stock [blank]. Reference numbers: Ink number: 538/1
BA 164	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother John Dalynghtone. 1412-1413. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 190
BA 165	Account of the office of almoner of Battle by Brother John Walden. 1418-1419. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 187
BA 166	Account of Brother John Monketon of the almonry of Battle. 1359-1360. Reference numbers: Ink number: 552
BA 167	Account of the office of almoner of Battle by Brother John Walden. 1417-1418. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 181
BA 168	Draft account of Brother Nicholas Auncel, almoner of Battle. 14 February 1361-29 September 1361. Endorsed: Three litanies to St Margaret. Reference numbers: Ink number: 556
BA 169	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother John Dalynghton. 1413-1414. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 544
BA 170	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Stephen de Cranebroke. 1369-1370. Reference numbers: Ink number: 419
BA 171	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother John Dalynghtone. 21 December 1411-29 September 1412. Endorsed: Grange and stock account.

	<p>Related materials: For a copy of an account, 1410-1411, see East Sussex Record Office SAS/G 44/152.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 177</p>
BA 172	<p>Account of Brother Stephen de Cranebroke, almoner of Battle. 1371-1372.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 426</p>
BA 173	<p>Account of the office of almoner of Battle by Brother William Chilham. 1408-1409.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 427</p>
BA 174	<p>Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Thomas de Coumbe. 1374-1375.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 537</p>
BA 175	<p>Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother John Undurdowne. 29 September 1407-15 April 1408.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 538/2</p>
BA 176	<p>Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Thomas de Combe. 1377-1378.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 550</p>
BA 177	<p>Account of the almonry of Battle by brother John Westgate. 1405-1406.</p> <p>Description: Paper.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 472</p>
BA 178	<p>View of the account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Thomas Haye. 15 August 1381-29 September 1381.</p> <p>Description: Paper.</p> <p>Endorsed: Names of the tenants of the tenants of the almony, with quitrents; inventory of animals.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 430</p>
BA 179	<p>Account of the almonry of Battle by Dom John Westgate. 1398-1399.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 525</p>
BA 180	<p>Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Thomas Haye. 1381-1382.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 533</p>
BA 181	<p>Account of the almonry of Battle by Dom John Liddebery. 1396-1397.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 543</p>
BA 182	<p>Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Thomas Haye. 1383-1384.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 238</p>

BA 183	Account of the almoner of Battle. 1394-1395. Reference numbers: Ink number: 534
BA 184	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Thomas Haye. 1384-1385. Reference numbers: Ink number: 540
BA 185	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Thomas Haukherst. 1393-1394. Reference numbers: Ink number: 531
BA 186	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother Thomas Haukherst. 1391-1392. Reference numbers: Ink number: 529
BA 187	Account of the almonry of Battle by brother William Brunston. 1386-1387. Reference numbers: Ink number: 547
BA 188	Account of the almonry of Battle by Brother William Brunston and Brother Thomas Haukherst. 1390-1391. Reference numbers: Ink number: 420
BA 189	Account of the almoner of Battle by Brother William Brunston. 1388-1389. Reference numbers: Ink number: 196
BA 190	Account of William Sellyng, almoner of Battle. 1420-1421. Endorsed: Grange and stock account, and inventory of dead stock. Reference numbers: Ink number: 186
BA 191	Account of Dom Robert Canterbury, almoner of Battle. 1427-1428. Endorsed: Grange and stock account, and inventory of dead stock. Reference numbers: Ink number: 528
BA 192	Account of brother Robert Canterbury, almoner of Battle. 1431-1432. Reference numbers: Ink number: 199
BA 193	Draft account of Dom Hugh Thamworth, almoner of Battle. 1446-1447. Description: Lacks totals. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 197
BA 194	Draft account of Dom Hugh Thamworth, almoner of Battle. 1 August 1437-29 September 1438. Description: Lacks totals. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 524
BA 195	Draft account of Dom Hugh Thamworth, almoner of Battle. 1442-1443. Description: Lacks totals.

	<p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 174</p>
BA 196	<p>Draft account of Dom John Colsell, almoner of Battle. 1452-1453.</p> <p>Description: Lacks totals.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 56</p>
BA 197	<p>Draft account of Dom John Colsell, almoner of Battle. 1456-1457.</p> <p>Description: Lacks totals.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 542</p>
BA 198	<p>Draft account of Dom Robert Key, almoner of Battle. 1496-1497.</p> <p>Description: Lacks totals</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 530</p>
BA 199	<p>Account of Dom Robert Manwode, almoner of Battle. 8 December 1509-29 September 1510.</p> <p>Related materials: For Robert Manwode's account, 1508-09, see East Sussex Record Office SAS/G 44/147.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 180</p>
BA 200	<p>Account of Dom John Austyn, almoner of Battle. 1527-1528.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 242</p>
BA 201	<p>Account of Dom John Drapere, almoner of Battle. 25 December 1421-29 September 1422.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account, and inventory of dead stock.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 429</p>
BA 202	<p>Account of Dom John Austyn, almoner of Battle. 1530-1531.</p> <p>Related materials: For John Austyn's account, 1530-31, see East Sussex Record Office SAS/G 44/151.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 243</p>
BA 203	<p>Account of Dom John Drapere, almoner of Battle. 1422-1423.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account, and inventory of dead stock.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 113</p>
BA 204	<p>Account of Dom John Austyn, almoner of Battle. 1528-1529.</p> <p>Related materials: For John Austyn's account, 1529-30, see East Sussex Record Office SAS/G 44/150.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 240</p>
BA 205	<p>Account of brother Robert Canterbury, almoner of Battle. 1429-1430.</p>

	<p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 549</p>
BA 206	<p>Account of Dom Thomas Cranebroke, almoner of Battle. 25 March 1524-25 March 1525.</p> <p>Related materials: For a paper draft for this account, see BA 212</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 57</p>
BA 207	<p>Account of brother Robert Canterbury, almoner of Battle. 1430-1431.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 116</p>
BA 208	<p>Account of Dom Thomas Cranebroke, performing the office of almoner of Battle. 24 March 1520-24 March 1521.</p> <p>Related materials: For Thomas Cranbroke's accounts, 1520-1522, see East Sussex Record Office SAS/G 44/148-149.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 535</p>
BA 209	<p>Account of Dom Richard Wilsham, almoner of Battle. 1435-1436.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 527</p>
BA 210	<p>Account of Dom Edward Clement, almoner of Battle. 25 March 1502-25 March 1503.</p> <p>Endorsed: Stock account.</p> <p>Related materials: For Edward Clement's account, 1503-1504, see East Sussex Record Office SAS/G 44/145-146.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 372</p>
BA 211	<p>Account of Dom Richard Wilsham, almoner of Battle. 29 September 1436-1 August 1437.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 239</p>
BA 212	<p>Draft account of Dom Thomas Cranebroke, almoner of Battle. 25 March 1524-25 March 1525.</p> <p>Description: Paper draft for BA 206.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 241</p>
BA 213	<p>Draft account of Dom Hugh Thamworth, almoner of Battle. 1438-1439.</p> <p>Description: Lacks totals; endorsed: grange and stock account</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 548</p>
BA 214	<p>Account of Dom Robert Key, almoner of Battle. 1488-1489.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 421</p>
BA 215	<p>Draft account of Dom William Coventr', almoner of Battle. 1467-1468.</p>

	<p>Description: Lacks totals, which are present in the margin.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 551</p>
BA 216	<p>Draft account of Dom Hugh Thamworth, almoner of Battle. 1441-1442.</p> <p>Description: Lacks totals, which are present in the margin.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 536</p>
BA 217	<p>Account of Dom John Colsell, almoner of Battle. 1455-1456.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 554</p>
BA 218	<p>Draft account of Dom Hugh Thamworth, almoner of Battle. 1443-1444.</p> <p>Description: Lacks totals.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Related materials: For Hugh Tamworth's account, 1444-45, see East Sussex Record Office SAS/G 44/132.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 428</p>
BA 219	<p>Draft account of Dom John Colsell, almoner of Battle. 1453-1454.</p> <p>Description: Lacks totals.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 545</p>
BA 220	<p>Draft account of Dom Hugh Thamworth, almoner of Battle. 1445-1446.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 423</p>
BA 221	<p>Draft account of Dom John Colsell, almoner of Battle. 1451-1452.</p> <p>Description: Lacks totals.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 425</p>
BA 222	<p>Draft account of Dom Hugh Thamworth, almoner of Battle. 1448-1449.</p> <p>Description: Lacks totals; endorsed: grange and stock account</p> <p>Related materials: For John Colsell's, 1449-50, see East Sussex Record Office SAS/G 44/144.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 244</p>
BA 223	[Number not used]
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BA 225	[Number not used]
BA 226	[Number not used]
BA 227	[Number not used]

Cellarers' accounts (BA 286-334)	
BA 286	<p>Account of the cellarer of Battle. 1306-1307.</p> <p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 46-48.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 600</p>
BA 287	<p>Account of John de Exon', cellarer of Battle. 1319-1320.</p> <p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 49-51.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 384</p>
BA 288	<p>Account of Brother Rober Bregg', cellarer of Battle. 1371-1372.</p> <p>Description: Mentions repairs to Bodiam Bridge.</p> <p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 65-68.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 237</p>
BA 289	<p>Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother Robert Bregge. 1378-1379.</p> <p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 73-75.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 392</p>
BA 290	<p>Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother Thomas Elham. 1385-1386.</p> <p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 80-82.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 58</p>
BA 291	<p>Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Dom Thomas Elham. 1388-1389.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 395</p>
BA 292	<p>Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother Thomas Elham. 1393-1394.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 393</p>
BA 293	<p>Account of the cellarer of Battle. 1397-1398.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 260</p>
BA 294	<p>Account of the cellarer of Battle. 1399-1400.</p> <p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 93-96.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 387</p>
BA 295	<p>Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother John Offynton and Brother John Undurdoun. 1402-1403.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 183</p>
BA 296	<p>Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother John Lodelowe. 1411-1412.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 172</p>
BA 297	<p>Account of Dom John Martyn, cellarer of Battle. 29 September 1439-24 June 1440.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p>

	<p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 123-126.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 374</p>
BA 298	<p>Account of Dom Peter Sprot, cellarer of Battle. 1464-1465.</p> <p>Description: Easter – Easter. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 137-141.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 386</p>
BA 299	<p>Account of Dom Henry White, cellarer of Battle. 1512-1513.</p> <p>Endorsed: Stock account. Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 153-161.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 521</p>
BA 300	<p>Account of Brother N[icholas], cellarer of Battle. 3 May-30 September 1275.</p> <p>Description: Mentions four cleys for Bodiam Bridge 4d. Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 40-43.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 188</p>
BA 301	<p>Account of Dom Philip Ritlyng, cellarer of Battle. 16 March 1477- September 1479.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account received from the previous cellarer Robert Pevense and an inventory (in English) of dead stock delivered to Dom Thomas Aleyn, now cellarer; reference to John Buckland as understeward. Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 146-153.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 59</p>
BA 302	<p>Account of Brother Nicholas, cellarer of Battle. 29 September 1278-30 September 1279.</p> <p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 43-46.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 523</p>
BA 303	<p>Account of Dom Peter Sprot, cellarer of Battle. 1465-1466.</p> <p>Description: Easter – Easter. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 141-146.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 519</p>
BA 304	<p>Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother Robert de Lyndeseye. 1359-1360.</p> <p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 58-61.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 520</p>
BA 305	<p>Account of Dom Edward Dauteseye, cellarer of Battle. 6 May 1442-6 May 1443.</p> <p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 132-136.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 236</p>
BA 306	<p>Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother Robert de Tent'. 1369-1370.</p>

	<p>Description: Mentions repairs to Bodiam Bridge (timber). Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 61-64.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 245</p>
BA 307	<p>Account of Dom Edward Dauntesey, cellarer of Battle. 24 June 1440-29 September 1441.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 126-132.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 391</p>
BA 308	<p>Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother Robert Bregge. 1373-1374.</p> <p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 68-70.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 522</p>
BA 309	<p>Account of Dom John Martyn, cellarer of Battle. 1 November 1438-29 September 1439.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 119-123.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 518</p>
BA 310	<p>Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother Robert Bregge. 1375-1376.</p> <p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 71-73.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 517</p>
BA 311	<p>Account of the cellarer of Battle. 1412-1413.</p> <p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 104-108.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 151</p>
BA 312	<p>Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother Thomas Eleham. 1382-1383.</p> <p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 75-78.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 182</p>
BA 313	<p>Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother John Undurdowne. 1409-1410.</p> <p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 100-103.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 369</p>
BA 314	<p>Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother Thomas Elham. 1384-1385.</p> <p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 78-80.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 390</p>
BA 315	<p>Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother Thomas Russel and Brother John Underdowne. 1407-1408.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 96-100.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 178</p>

BA 316	Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother Thomas Elham. 1386-1387. Reference numbers: Ink number: 179
BA 317	Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother William Chilham. 1405-1406. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 173
BA 318	Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Dom Thomas Elham. 1387-1388. Description: Includes a payment of £1 15s 0d to Geoffrey apothecary of London. Reference numbers: Ink number: 396
BA 319	Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother John Underdowne. 1403-1404. Reference numbers: Ink number: 175
BA 320	Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother Thomas Elham. 1389-1390. Reference numbers: Ink number: 394
BA 321	Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Brother John Offynton. 1401-1402. Reference numbers: Ink number: 171
BA 322	Account of the cellarer of Battle. 1392-1393. Reference numbers: Ink number: 385
BA 323	Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Thomas Whitstapull. 1400-1401. Reference numbers: Ink number: 176
BA 324	Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Dom Thomas Elham. 1394-1395. Reference numbers: Ink number: 389
BA 325	Account of the office of cellarer of Battle by Dom Thomas Elham. 1395-1396. Reference numbers: Ink number: 20
BA 326	Account of the cellarer of Battle; discharge only. Approximately 1520. Reference numbers: Ink number: 40
BA 327	Account of the cellarer of Battle; heading missing. Approximately 1528. Description: Last year's arrears £20 1s 7d; this year's £20 1s 5d; old bailiff Edward Feld; new Robert Chalcroft; abbot Laurence. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 328	Account of the cellarer of Battle; discharge only. Approximately 1527. Description: This year's arrears £20 1s 7d. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a

BA 329	<p>Fragment of a draft for BA 301, with an inventory of dead stock. [16 March 1477-8 September 1479].</p> <p>Description: Includes inventory of the store of the cellarer's office delivered by Dan Robert Pevense to Dan Philip Ritlyng, cellarer, 4 January 1479; the document has perished subsequent to the time of the ink endorsement; for a list of estreats in the Exchequer, 1472-1477, formerly enclosed with BA 329, see BA 980.</p> <p>Publication note: Sussex Record Society 65 (1967) 148-152.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 330	<p>Account of the cellarer of Battle; heading missing. Approximately 1515.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Cutlaff bailiff of Battle; John Fayrman farmer of Barnhorn; [SC was coroner, so presumably bailiff, in June 1509: Sussex Record Society 74 (1985) 36].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 331	[Number not used]
BA 332	[Number not used]
BA 333	[Number not used]
BA 334	[Number not used]
Chaplain's accounts (BA 278)	
BA 278	<p>Draft account of Dom John Benygne, chaplain of Lawrence [Champion], abbot of Battle. 25 March 1520-25 March 1521.</p> <p>Description: Two paper sheets, indented; lacks totals, and probably unfinished.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 230</p>
Sacrist's accounts (BA 228-271, 518)	
BA 228	<p>Account of the sacristy of Battle by Dom William Bilham. 1399-1400.</p> <p>Description: This and the next have profits of courts [blank] but no rents of assize.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 414</p>
BA 229	<p>Account of the sacristy of Battle by Dom John Offyngton. 1403-1404.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 200</p>
BA 230	<p>Account of the sacristy of Battle. 1406-1407.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 559</p>
BA 231	<p>Account of the sacristy of Battle by Brother John Waller. 1410-1411.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account, and an account of candles and oil in the church.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 246</p>
BA 232	<p>Account of the sacristy of Battle by Brother John Waller. 1411-1412.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account, and an account of candles and oil in the church.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 415</p>

BA 233	<p>Account of Dom Richard Herst, sacrist of Battle. 25 December 1422-29 September 1423.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account, and an account of candles and oil in the church.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 248</p>
BA 234	<p>Account of John Colcell, sacrist of Battle. 29 September 1460-23 April 1462.</p> <p>Description: Lacks discharge.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account, and an account of candles and oil in the church.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 257</p>
BA 235	<p>Account of Dom Edward Clement, performing the office of sacrist of Battle. 25 December 1509-29 September 1510.</p> <p>Description: Paper draft; rents of assize divided between 'intrinsic' (Battle) and extrinsic (Glassey, Whatlington, Swineham, Agmerhurst, Wye and other places in Kent).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 55</p>
BA 236	<p>Account of the sacristy of Battle by Dom William Bilham. 1400-1401.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 562</p>
BA 237	<p>Account of Dom John Hamond, sacrist of Battle. 1512-1513.</p> <p>Description: Includes mention of a money heriot on the death of Stephen Iglynden in respect of land in Alciston granted to him.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 412</p>
BA 238	<p>Account of the sacristy of Battle by Dom John Offyngton. 1402-1403.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 560</p>
BA 239	<p>Account of Dom John Hamond, sacrist of Battle. 1511-1512.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 167</p>
BA 240	<p>Account of the sacrist of Battle. 1404-1405.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 564</p>
BA 241	<p>Account of Dom Edward Clement, performing the office of sacrist of Battle. 1502-1503.</p> <p>Description: Easter - Easter; paper draft.</p> <p>Endorsed: Enrolled [for which see BA 256].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 253</p>
BA 242	<p>Account of the sacristy of Battle by Dom John Offyngton. 1405-1406.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account, the former referring to the account 'because all was sold in gross'.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 196</p>
BA 243	<p>Account of Dom Thomas Redyng, sacrist of Battle. 8 December 1494-25 December 1495.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange account.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 417</p>
BA 244	<p>Account of John Colcell, sacrist of Battle. 15 August 1459-29 September 1460.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account, and an account of candles and oil in the church.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 558</p>
BA 245	<p>Account of the sacristy of Battle by Dom John Offyngton. 1407-1408.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 561</p>
BA 246	<p>Account of Dom Richard Dertemouthe, sacrist of Battle. 1434-1435.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account, and an account of candles, oil and incense (the rent from Charlston in Westdean) in the church.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 563</p>
BA 247	<p>Account of Brother John Waller, performing the office of sacrist of Battle. 1408-1409.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account; schedule (formerly stiched against 'necessary expenses') with a list of candles and oil remaining, and a memorandum that the next sacrist is to be charged with them; these items are subsequently included at the end of the stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 247</p>
BA 248	<p>View of the account William Chilham, sacrist of Battle. 29 September-25 December 1422.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account, and an account of candles and oil in the church; paper draft; with a schedule of payments amounting to £17 17s 2d paid to named individuals by William Chilham, sacrist, 25 December 1422; endorsed: account of the sacristy there for a quarter of a year.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 411</p>
BA 249	<p>Account of the sacristy of Battle by Brother John Waller. 1414-1415.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account, and an account of candles and oil in the church.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 256</p>
BA 250	<p>Account of Dom John Hamond, sacrist of Battle. 1515-1516.</p> <p>Description: Paper draft.</p> <p>Endorsed: Enrolled.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 250</p>
BA 251	<p>Account of Dom John Hamond, sacrist of Battle. 1518-1519.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 169</p>
BA 252	<p>Account of Dom John Hamond, sacrist of Battle. 1521-1522.</p> <p>Description: Paper draft.</p> <p>Endorsed: Enrolled.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 253</p>

BA 253	Account of Dom John Hamond, sacrist of Battle. 1523-1524. Reference numbers: Ink number: 258
BA 254	Account of Dom John Hamond, sacrist of Battle. 1525-1526. Reference numbers: Ink number: 413
BA 255	Draft or copy undated account of the sacrist of Battle. Approximately 1417. Endorsed: Grange and stock account, and an account of candles and oil in the church. Reference numbers: Ink number: 416
BA 256	Account of Dom Edward Clement, performing the office of sacrist of Battle. 1502-1503. Description: Easter - Easter; lacks heading. Related materials: For the paper draft, see BA 241 Reference numbers: Ink number: 42
BA 257	Account of Dom John Hamond, sacrist of Battle. 1516-1517. Reference numbers: Ink number: 100
BA 258	Account of Dom John Hamond, abbot of Battle, performing the office of sacrist. 1530-1531. Reference numbers: Ink number: 432
BA 259	Account of Dom John Hamond, sacrist of Battle. 1516-1517. Description: Paper draft. Endorsed: Enrolled. Reference numbers: Ink number: 254
BA 260	Account of Dom John Hamond, sacrist of Battle. 1526-1527. Reference numbers: Ink number: 249
BA 261	Account of Dom John Hamond, sacrist of Battle. 1518-1519. Description: Paper draft, endorsed enrolled. Reference numbers: Ink number: 251
BA 262	Account of Dom John Hamond, sacrist of Battle. 1525-1526. Description: Paper draft. Endorsed: Enrolled Reference numbers: Ink number: 252
BA 263	Account of Dom John Hamond, sacrist of Battle. 1519-1520. Reference numbers: Ink number: 565
BA 264	Account of Dom John Hamond, sacrist of Battle. 1524-1525. Description: Paper draft. Endorsed: Enrolled. Reference numbers:

	Ink number: 54
BA 265	Account of Dom John Hamond, sacrist of Battle. 1522-1523. Reference numbers: Ink number: 52
BA 266	Account of Dom John Hamond, sacrist of Battle. 1522-1523. Description: Paper draft, endorsed enrolled Reference numbers: Ink number: 53
BA 267	Account of the sacrist of Battle. [1510-1511]. Description: Paper draft; lacks heading, but datable by the arrears on BA 239. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 268	[Number not used]
BA 269	[Number not used]
BA 270	[Number not used]
BA 271	[Number not used]
BA 518	Sacrist's account (fragment). Approximately 1360. Description: Second membrane only, including the cost of a new chamber and the altar of St Michael; expenses of £162 and a debit of £74 14s 2d. Reference numbers: Ink number: 121
Stewards' (Seneschal's) accounts (BA 143, 273-277, 279-285)	
BA 143	Account of Dom William Westfeld, steward of [the household] of Battle. 1492-1493. Description: List of total expenses under 29 heads amounting to £413 2s 6d, endorsed with a list of 'unde supers' from 23 estates, the kitchen and table; the date and steward's name rely on John Buckland's endorsement, which includes 'enrolled in the book'. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 273	Account of the expenses of Dom William Westfeld, steward [of the household] of Battle. 25 March 1488-25 March 1489. Description: Six paper sheets, complete. Reference numbers: Ink number: 434
BA 274	Account of the expenses of Dom John Benygne, performing the office of steward of the household of Battle. 1529-1530. Reference numbers: Ink number: 231
BA 275	Draft account of the expenses of the steward [of the household] of Battle. [1513-1514]. Description: Seven papers sheets, lacking the head and unfinished; the date established by several dated entries among 'decime domini regis'. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 276	Draft account of the expenses of the steward [of the household] of Battle. 1509-1510.

	<p>Description: Seven papers sheets, lacking the head; the date established by several dated entries among 'stipendia famulorum'.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 41</p>
BA 277	<p>Draft account of the expenses of the steward [of the household] of Battle. Approximately 1522.</p> <p>Description: Two papers sheets, unfinished; the date established by several dated entries among 'stipendia famulorum'; includes cost of cleaning the abbot's armour and equipping 20 men at arms sent to Portsmouth, and to men watching the coasts at Bexhill by order of the king's commissioners for 11 weeks and at Battle for 17 weeks.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 47</p>
BA 279	<p>Account of the expenses of the steward [of the household] of Battle. 1530-1531.</p> <p>Description: The last three papers sheets of an account; the date established by several dated entries among 'stipendia famulorum'.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 2</p>
BA 280	<p>Draft account of the expenses of the steward [of the household] of Battle. Approximately 1511.</p> <p>Description: Five paper sheets, of which three are indented at either end and two at one end; no totals; Swift's date of approximately 1511 depends on the mention of Dom Edward Clement, sacrist in 1510, but the account names him as almoner, as a vendor of three cows, but Thorpe's endorsement '9H8' is equally plausible; references to a librum septimanarum.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 281	[Number not used]
BA 282	[Number not used]
BA 283	[Number not used]
BA 284	[Number not used]
BA 285	[Number not used]
Treasurers' accounts (BA 111-138)	
BA 111	<p>View of the account of the treasurer of Battle. 29 September 1350-3 April 1351.</p> <p>Description: Deals with the vacancy between the death of Alan de Retlyng and the election of Robert of Battle.</p> <p>Publication note: Part transcribed in Sussex Archaeological Collections 78 (1937) 52-3.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 470</p>
BA 112	<p>Account of the office of treasurer of Battle by Brother John Dalyngton. 1411-1412.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 441</p>
BA 113	<p>Account of the office of treasurer of Battle by brother John Exceter. 1438-1439.</p> <p>Description: Paper.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 442</p>

BA 114	Draft account of the office of treasurer of Battle [by Edward Dawnteseye]. [1447-1448]. Description: Draft, on paper, for BA 131. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 115	Account of Dom John Hereford, treasurer of Battle. 1451-1452. Reference numbers: Ink number: 234
BA 116	Account of Edward Morant, collector of the rents of the office of the treasurer of Battle. 1498-1499. Description: Paper. Reference numbers: Ink number: 444
BA 117	Account of Dom Richard Saleherst, treasurer of Battle. 25 March 1525-25 March 1526. Reference numbers: Ink number: 370
BA 118	Account of Dom Richard Saleherst, treasurer of Battle. 25 March 1529-25 March 1530. Reference numbers: Ink number: 373
BA 119	Account of the office of treasurer of Battle by Brother Thomas Russell. 1408-1409. Endorsed: Account of shipboards, door-boards, shingles, tile-laths, thatch-laths (dachelatte), 'seippelattes' and shotboards. Reference numbers: Ink number: 602
BA 120	Account of Dom Richard Saleherst, treasurer of Battle. 25 March 1530-29 September 1531. Reference numbers: Ink number: 443
BA 121	Account of the office of treasurer of Battle by Brother John Dalynghton. 1409-1410. Endorsed: Account of shipboard, door-board, shotboard, shingles, 'tezelatte', thatch-laths (dachelatte) and 'yeplatte'. Reference numbers: Ink number: 437
BA 122	Account of Dom Richard Saleherst, treasurer of Battle. 25 March 1528-25 March 1529. Reference numbers: Ink number: 438
BA 123	Account of the office of treasurer of Battle by brother Thomas Henxcell. 1412-1413. Reference numbers: Ink number: 469
BA 124	Account of Dom Richard Saleherst, treasurer of Battle. 25 March 1527-25 March 1528. Reference numbers: Ink number: 371
BA 125	Account of the office of treasurer of Battle by Brother Richard Herst. 1421-1422. Description: Paper; attached: schedule of decayed rents. Endorsed: Account of shotboard, shipboard, durboard, shingles, tile-laths, thatch-laths, seiplates and talwood. Reference numbers:

	Ink number: 598
BA 126	Account of Dom Richard Saleherst, treasurer of Battle. 25 March 1523-25 March 1524. Reference numbers: Ink number: 471
BA 127	Account of the office of treasurer of Battle by Edward Dawnteseye. 1443-1444. Reference numbers: Ink number: 185
BA 128	Account of Edward Morant, collector of the rents of the office of the treasurer of Battle, being in the hands of the lord abbot. 25 December 1500-25 December 1501. Reference numbers: Ink number: 439
BA 129	Account of the office of treasurer of Battle by Edward Dautesey. 1446-1447. Reference numbers: Ink number: 195
BA 130	Account of Dom Richard Exetre, treasurer of Battle. 25 December 1488-25 December 1489. Description: Second membrane lacking. Reference numbers: Ink number: 440
BA 131	Account of the office of treasurer of Battle by Edward Dautesey. 1447-1448. Related materials: For a paper draft, see BA 9 and BA 114. Reference numbers: Ink number: 235
BA 132	Account of Dom Robert Halden, treasurer of Battle. 1456-1457. Reference numbers: Ink number: 189
BA 133	Account of Dom Hugh Thamworth, treasurer of Battle. 1449-1450. Reference numbers: Ink number: 194
BA 134	[Number not used]
BA 135	[Number not used]
BA 136	[Number not used]
BA 137	[Number not used]
BA 138	[Number not used]
Miscellaneous accounts (BA 516-517)	
BA 516	Fabric roll, [Brecon Castle]. 25 June-1 October 1312. Description: Eight membranes, the first with stitching-holes at the head but the last with none at the foot; numbered 115/1-8 but also 7-14; includes several references to a castle and one to a barbican, repairs to the roof of the earl's chamber; carriage of wheels from Hereford to Brecon; masons named as Master William, John de Maddeley, Stephen de Lunhall, Lawrence de Brecon, Henry de Pewn, John de Bedmenstre, Gilbert de Hungeston, Robert de Dorstone, Richard de Trottleston, Lawrence de Brug', Henry de Webley, William de Brompton. Reference numbers: Ink number: 115
BA 517	Account of the almoner for Maxfield. Approximately 1340.

	<p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Notes: This account lacks a heading and was attributed to Maxfield (which occurs frequently within it) only by John Buckland approximately 1490; it is probably the earliest almoner's account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 557</p>
b. Estate and Manorial accounts	
Beadles' accounts (Battle) (BA 1-110)	
BA 1	<p>Account of the beadlery of Battle. 1326-1327.</p> <p>Notes: Auditor's notes in the left margin.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 264</p>
BA 2	<p>Account of the beadlery of Battle. 1329-1330.</p> <p>Description: Dated 'ad festum Sancti Michaelis anno ... quarto' only; with two loose schedules, one of repairs to cottages and stalls, 'anno quarto' [?1329-30] (referred to in the account), the other of rents to be inquired about, undated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 363</p>
BA 3	<p>Account of William Pessonier of the issues of the beadlery of Battle. 1335-1336.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 505</p>
BA 4	<p>Account of Adam Goldsmyth of the issue of the beadlery of Battle. 1343-1344.</p> <p>Description: Extensively annotated in the hand which wrote the lists of additional charters in the cartulary [Volume 29], including: memorandum it is ordained by the common assent of the lord abbot and of the auditors of the accounts that the beadle shall not in future demand from the sacrist the 15 pence by way of rent which were accustomed to be demanded from him for the tenements of Boveney, Morgon, Musterd and Holme, nor should the same sacrist demand anything from the community by way of rent but 12 pence for the tenement formerly Thomas the Tailour, of which [is] also in the foot of the great account of the monastery for the same year.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 500</p>
BA 5	<p>Account of William Serjaunt of the issues of the beadlery of Battle. 1346-1347.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 361</p>
BA 6	<p>Account of William Pontfold, beadle of Battle. 1352-1353.</p> <p>Description: With auditors' notes.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 153</p>
BA 7	<p>Account of Thomas Clerk, beadle of Battle. 1363-1364.</p> <p>Endorsed: Willelmus Cordeley; omnibus est notum quod multum diligo potum.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 64</p>
BA 8	<p>Account of Thomas Clerk, beadle of Battle. 1370-1371.</p>

	Reference numbers: Ink number: 357
BA 9	Account of William Goldsmyt, beadle of Battle. 1378-1379. Reference numbers: Ink number: 510
BA 10	Account of William Goldsmyth, beadle of Battle. 1381-1382. Reference numbers: Ink number: 507
BA 11	Account of Stephen de Dalynton, beadle of Battle. 1388-1389. Reference numbers: Ink number: 73
BA 12	Account of William Cordelay, beadle of Battle. 1395-1396. Reference numbers: Ink number: 504
BA 13	Account of Stephen Sharssell, beadle of Battle. 1398-1399. Reference numbers: Ink number: 72
BA 14	Account of John Copyn, beadle of Battle. 1403-1404. Reference numbers: Ink number: 268
BA 15	Account of John Copyn, beadle of Battle. 29 September 1406-27 March 1407. Reference numbers: Ink number: 484
BA 16	Account of Richard Curteis, beadle of Battle. 1408-1409. Reference numbers: Ink number: 60
BA 17	Account of the beadlery of Battle by Stephen Pessonier. 1328-1329. Description: Filing-hole and two piercings for an attachment, matching similar holes on BA 19; BA 17 is firmly dated 2-3E3; account includes an unspecified sum of 31s 9¼d on account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 352
BA 18	Account of Richard Curteys, beadle of Battle. 1409-1410. Description: Mentions a building near the oven called Courthouse. Reference numbers: Ink number: 265
BA 19	Account of the beadlery of Battle by Stephen Pessonier. 1328-1329. Description: Dated 'ad festum Sancti Michaelis anno ... tercio' only; filing-hole and two piercings for an attachment, matching similar holes on BA 17. Reference numbers: Ink number: 149
BA 20	Account of Richard Curteis, beadle of Battle. 1407-1408. Reference numbers: Ink number: 494
BA 21	Account of the beadlery of Battle by [Stephen] Pessonier. 1331-1332. Description: Dated 'ad festum Sancti Michaelis anno ... sexto' only; auditors' annotations refer

	to schedules of allowances, not present. Reference numbers: Ink number: 342
BA 22	Account of Richard Curteis, beadle of Battle. 27 March 1407-29 September 1407. Reference numbers: Ink number: 496
BA 23	Account of Stephen Pessonier of the issue of the beadlery of Battle. 1332-1333. Description: Annotations by the auditor include 'a festo Sancti Michaelis proximo precedenti'; the account, like BA 2, BA 19 and BA 21, was originally dated 'ad festum Sancti Michaelis anno ... septimo' only. Reference numbers: Ink number: 158
BA 24	Account of John Copyn, beadle of Battle. 1405-1406. Reference numbers: Ink number: 61
BA 25	Account of Robert Breman of the issue of the beadlery of Battle. 1338-1339. Reference numbers: Ink number: 341
BA 26	Account of John Copyn, beadle of Battle. 1404-1405. Reference numbers: Ink number: 140
BA 27	Account of Robert Breman of the issue of the beadlery of Battle. 1339-1340. Notes: Extensively annotated in the hand which wrote the lists of additional charters in the cartulary [Volume 29]. Reference numbers: Ink number: 153
BA 28	Account of John Copyn, beadle of Battle. 1400-1401. Reference numbers: Ink number: 269
BA 29	Account of William Serjant, beadle of Battle. 1344-1345. Notes: Extensively annotated in the hand which wrote the lists of additional charters in the cartulary [Volume 29]. Reference numbers: Ink number: 147
BA 30	Account of John Copyn, beadle of Battle. 1399-1400. Reference numbers: Ink number: 138
BA 31	Account of William Serjant of the issues of the beadlery of Battle. 1345-1346. Notes: Augmented and totals added in the hand which wrote the lists of additional charters in the cartulary [Volume 29]. Reference numbers: Ink number: 150
BA 32	Account of Stephen Sharssell, beadle of Battle. 1397-1398. Description: Endorsed with pen-trials, forms of the letters A and B and the text of the first chapter of St John's gospel.

	<p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 263</p>
BA 33	<p>Account of Joce Ferour, beadle of Battle. 1348-1349.</p> <p>Notes: Two filing-holes. Related materials: For a schedule of tenements in the lord's hands amounting to £2 11s 10½d formerly attached to this account, see BA 946.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 134</p>
BA 34	<p>Account of Stephen Sharssell, beadle of Battle. 1396-1397.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 493</p>
BA 35	<p>Account of Joce Ferour, beadle of Battle. 1349-1350.</p> <p>Related materials: For a schedule of tenements in the lord's hands amounting to £3 9s 2d formerly attached to this account, see BA 945.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 506</p>
BA 36	<p>Account of Stephen Dalyngton, beadle of Battle. 1392-1393.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 508</p>
BA 37	<p>Account of Thomas Clerk, beadle of Battle. 1358-1359.</p> <p>Description: Includes the cost of construction of a pillory, a ducking-stool, making new weights for weighing the bakers' bread, a sack of white leather for the weights, and a great bag of white leather for the court rolls; refers to a schedule of creditors amounting to £2 18s 7d.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 146</p>
BA 38	<p>Account of Stephen de Dalyngton, beadle of Battle. 1389-1390.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 497</p>
BA 39	<p>Account of Thomas Clerk, beadle of Battle. 1363-1364.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 141</p>
BA 40	<p>Account of Thomas Clerk, beadle of Battle. 1366-1367.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 70</p>
BA 41	<p>Account of William Goldsmyth, beadle of Battle. 1383-1384.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 267</p>
BA 42	<p>Account of Thomas Clerk, beadle of Battle. 1367-1368.</p> <p>Description: Refers to an attached schedule of various respites, 33-42E3, amounting to 109s 1d.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 71</p>
BA 43	<p>Account of William Goldesmyth, beadle of Battle. 1382-1383.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 516</p>
BA 44	<p>Account of Walter Offynton, beadle of Battle. 1372-1373.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Ink number: 65
BA 45	Account of Walter de Offynton, beadle of Battle. 1373-1374. Reference numbers: Ink number: 340
BA 46	Account of William Goldsmyt, beadle of Battle. 1380-1381. Description: Farm of the stalls at the gate nothing because they were totally destroyed on account of the walls of the monastery. Reference numbers: Ink number: 499
BA 47	Account of John Bodhurst, beadle of Battle. 29 September 1375-13 April 1376. Reference numbers: Ink number: 156-2
BA 48	Account of William Goldsmyth, beadle of Battle. 1379-1380. Description: Farm of the stalls at the gate 12 pence and no more because they were totally destroyed on account of the walls of the monastery. Reference numbers: Ink number: 515
BA 49	Account of William Goldsmyth, beadle of Battle. 13 April 1376-29 September 1377. Reference numbers: Ink number: 156
BA 50	Account of Richard Curteys, beadle of Battle. 1410-1411. Description: Schedule of unpaid rents; clerk: Thomas Undurdowne. Related materials: For a fragment of a beadle's account, approximately 1410, see East Sussex Record Office ACC 7032/1/1. Reference numbers: Ink number: 495
BA 51	[Number not used]
BA 52	Account of Richard Curteys, beadle of Battle. 1422-1423. Description: Detached paper schedule of petitions on the end of his account, 29 September 1423. Reference numbers: Ink number: 490
BA 53	Account of Richard Curteys, beadle of Battle. 1427-1428. Related materials: For the schedule of petitions in respect of this account, see BA 66. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 54	Account of Richard Curteis, beadle of Battle. 1436-1437. Reference numbers: Ink number: 360
BA 55	Account of Dom Edward Dautesey, performing the office of beadle of Battle by reason of the death of Richard Curteys. 1440-1441. Endorsed: Deleted account of a horse seized as a heriot and two capons as fines. Reference numbers: Ink number: 362
BA 56	Account of John Draper, beadle of Battle. 1446-1447.

	<p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 133</p>
BA 57	<p>Account of John Lucas, beadle of Battle. 1451-1452.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 135</p>
BA 58	<p>Account of John Lucas, beadle of Battle. 1457-1458.</p> <p>Related materials: For the schedule of petitions in respect of this account, see BA 61</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 50</p>
BA 59	<p>Account of Richard Colman, beadle of Battle. 1459-1460.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 259</p>
BA 60	<p>Account of Richard Curteys, beadle of Battle. 1412-1413.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 69</p>
BA 61	<p>Petition of John Lucas, beadle of Battle, on his accounts ending on 29 September 1458 and 29 September 1459, for which see BA 58 and BA 63. 1457-1459.</p> <p>Description: Attached: receipt of Dom John Nuton, cellarer, for moneys received from John Lucas, 31 December 1458; for a similar receipt between the same parties, 25 December 1457, see BA 954.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 473</p>
BA 62	<p>Account of Richard Curteys, beadle of Battle. 1421-1422.</p> <p>Description: Attached paper schedule of decayed farms, and a detached paper schedule of petitions on the end of his account, 29 September 1422.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 63</p>
BA 63	<p>Account of John Lucas, beadle of Battle. 1458-1459.</p> <p>Related materials: For the schedule of petitions in respect of this account, see BA 61.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 152</p>
BA 64	<p>Account of Richard Curteys, beadle of Battle. 1425-1426.</p> <p>Description: Detached paper schedule of petitions on the end of his account, 29 September 1426.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 501</p>
BA 65	<p>Account of John Lucas, bailiff of Battle. 1454-1455.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 512</p>
BA 66	<p>Account of Richard Curteys, beadle of Battle. 1426-1427.</p> <p>Description: Attached paper schedules of petitions on the end of his accounts, 29 September 1427 and 29 September 1428.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 261</p>
BA 67	<p>Account of John Lucas, beadle of Battle. 1452-1453.</p>

	Reference numbers: Ink number: 142
BA 68	Account of Richard Curteys, beadle of Battle. 1429-1430. Description: Detached paper schedule of petitions on the end of his account, 29 September 1430. Reference numbers: Ink number: 489
BA 69	Account of John Lucas, beadle of Battle. 1450-1451. Reference numbers: Ink number: 132
BA 70	Account of Richard Curteys, beadle of Battle. 1434-1435. Reference numbers: Ink number: 488
BA 71	Account of John Lucas, beadle of Battle. 1449-1450. Reference numbers: Ink number: 358
BA 72	Account of Richard Curteys, beadle of Battle. 1437-1438. Reference numbers: Ink number: 136
BA 73	Account of John Draper, beadle of Battle. 1443-1444. Reference numbers: Ink number: 492
BA 74	Account of Richard Curteys, beadle of Battle. 1438-1439. Reference numbers: Ink number: 67
BA 75	Account of John Draper, beadle of Battle. 1441-1442. Endorsed: Account of a horse seized as a heriot and two capons as fines. Reference numbers: Ink number: 509
BA 76	Account of Richard Colman, beadle of Battle. 1460-1461. Description: Reference to cleaning the court-house in preparation for the assizes being held there, and to a prison in the court-house. Reference numbers: Ink number: 474
BA 77	Account of Richard Colman, beadle of Battle. 1463-1464. Related materials: For the accountant's petitions relating to this account see BA 90. Reference numbers: Ink number: 139
BA 78	Account of Richard Colman, beadle of Battle. 1465-1466. Reference numbers: Ink number: 262
BA 79	Account of Richard Colman, beadle of Battle. 1468-1469. Reference numbers: Ink number: 355
BA 80	Account of William Longe, beadle of Battle. 1471-1472.

	<p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 502</p>
BA 81	<p>Account of William Longe, beadle of Battle. 1474-1475.</p> <p>Description: Includes the cost of attendance at sessions at Lewes (4), Arundel, Horsham, Steyning and Mayfield.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 143</p>
BA 82	<p>Account of William Longe, beadle of Battle. 1479-1480.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 145</p>
BA 83	<p>Account of William Longe, beadle of Battle. 1482-1483.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 170</p>
BA 84	<p>Account of Edward Felde, beadle of Battle. 25 March 1519-25 March 1520.</p> <p>Description: Includes details of the cost of putting Joan Blake, a prisoner, in fetters, conveying her to the marshalsea of the king's bench in Southwark, for receiving her there and attending [?her] trial at a gaol delivery at Southwark on 24 February 1520.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 137</p>
BA 85	<p>Account of Edward Felde, beadle of Battle. 1524-1525.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 491</p>
BA 86	<p>Account of Richard Colman, beadle of Battle. 1461-1462.</p> <p>Description: Includes the cost of attendance at sessions at Lewes (2) and Arundel, and at the assizes at Horsham, with the costs of William Moughton and John Payne, William Huls and Agnes Kynnesman.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 431</p>
BA 87	<p>Account of Edward Felde, beadle of Battle. 1526-1527.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 498</p>
BA 88	<p>Account of Richard Colman, beadle of Battle. 1462-1463.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 68</p>
BA 89	<p>Account of Edward Felde, beadle of Battle. 1525-1526.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 157</p>
BA 90	<p>Petitions of Richard Colman, beadle of Battle. 1463-1465.</p> <p>Related materials: For the accounts to which these petitions relate see BA 77 and BA 92.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 288</p>
BA 91	<p>Account of Edward Felde, beadle of Battle. 1523-1524.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 74</p>
BA 92	<p>Account of Richard Colman, beadle of Battle. 1464-1465.</p> <p>Related materials: For the accountant's petitions relating to this account see BA 90.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 62</p>
BA 93	<p>Account of Edward Felde, beadle of Battle. 25 March 1520-25 March 1521.</p> <p>Description: Includes allowances for cleaning the cage (catesta) and the prison called Little Ease within the monastery and rushes for the court house in the town against the arrival of Lord Dacre in August 1520, fetters for a prisoner Thomas Archer, the clerk of assize for receiving a verdict taken before [Edward Field] the coroner of Battle [relating to the death of Nicholas, a stranger, who fell into a cellar full of water and drowned 2 July 1520, delivered to Lewes gaol delivery on 19 July 1520: see Sussex Record Society 74 (1985) 51].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 511</p>
BA 94	<p>Account of Richard Colman, beadle of Battle. 1466-1467.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 266</p>
BA 95	<p>Account of Edward a Felde, beadle of Battle. 25 March 1518-25 March 1519.</p> <p>Description: Includes costs of conveying William Dowty, a prisoner, to the sessions at Lewes on 17 January 1519, for fetters and two ropes for him at Battle, conveying him to the king's prison in Southwark.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 66</p>
BA 96	<p>Account of Richard Barkshyr, beadle of Battle. 1483-1484.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 435</p>
BA 97	<p>Account of Richard Colman, beadle of Battle. 1467-1468.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 514</p>
BA 98	<p>Account of William Longe, beadle of Battle. 1481-1482.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 356</p>
BA 99	<p>Account of William Longe, beadle of Battle. 1469-1470.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 359</p>
BA 100	<p>Account of William Longe, beadle of Battle. 1480-1481.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 513</p>
BA 101	<p>Account of William Longe, beadle of Battle. 1470-1471.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 131</p>
BA 102	<p>Account of William Longe, beadle of Battle. 1477-1478.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 154</p>
BA 103	<p>Account of William Longe, beadle of Battle. 1472-1472.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 353</p>
BA 104	<p>Account of William Longe, beadle of Battle. 1476-1477.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Ink number: 354
BA 105	Account of William Longe, beadle of Battle. 1473-1474. Reference numbers: Ink number: 144
BA 106	[Number not used]
BA 107	[Number not used]
BA 108	[Number not used]
BA 109	[Number not used]
BA 110	[Number not used]
Accounts of the serjeant of Barnhorn (Sussex) (BA 335-435, 447)	
BA 335A	Account of Thomas Tyting, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1325-1326. Endorsed: Grange and stock account; the accountant's name has been read Gyting by previous editors, but see the grant of a messuage in Sandlake to Thomas Tyting and his wife Agnes in 1318 (Volume 46, Item 876); he is perhaps to be associated with the Thomas de Tytyng' who paid the subsidy in the borough of Sandlake at Battle in 1327 (see Sussex Record Society 10 (1910) 205). Reference numbers: Ink number: 349
BA 335B	Schedule of 8 lines detached from an account [?BA 335A] headed Custus nove marle amounting to 40s 4d. ?1325-1326. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 336	Account of William Mot, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1356-1357. Endorsed: Grange and stock account; includes a long statement about the dryness of the season; lacks third membrane. Reference numbers: Ink number: 216
BA 337	Account of William Mot, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1358-1359. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 477
BA 338	Account of Brother William Lomhirst, custos of Barnhorn. 1370-1371. Endorsed: Grange and stock account; no yield of vetch because drowned by a great flood in June; annotated: unde dominus dixit, ante prandium nolite potare; lacks last membrane. Reference numbers: Ink number: 478
BA 339A	Account of Brother William Bilham, custos of Barnhorn. 1375-1376. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 25
BA 339B	Draft account of the custos of Barnhorn. 1375-1376. Description: Lacking head; paper. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a

BA 340	Account of John Baker, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1381-1382. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 126
BA 341	Account of the manor of Barnhorn by Dom Stephen Cranebrok. 1384-1385. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 226
BA 342	Account of Henry Moland, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1396-1397. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 220
BA 343	Account of John de Sapertone, serjeant of Barnhorn. 22 March-29 September 1332. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 586
BA 344	Account of Nicholas ate Se, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1333-1334. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 316
BA 345	Account of John atte Crowche, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1399-1400. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 130
BA 346	Account of William Tregales and William Mot, serjeants of Barnhorn. 1352-1353. Endorsed: Grange and stock account; the bottom of the second membrane has three sketches, two of crowned heads, one bearded, and the third the head and left hand of a dragon. Reference numbers: Ink number: 475
BA 347	Account of Henry Moland, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1398-1399. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 24
BA 348	Account of William Mot, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1353-1354. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 29
BA 349	Account of the manor of Barnhorn by Dom Stephen Cranebrok. 1387-1388. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 305
BA 350	Account of the serjeant of Barnhorn. 1368-1369. Endorsed: Grange and stock account.

	Reference numbers: Ink number: 587
BA 351	Account of the manor of Barnhorn by Dom Stephen Cranebrok. 1386-1387. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 228
BA 352	Account of Dom William Lomherst, custos of Barnhorn. 1369-1370. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 124
BA 353	Account of the manor of Barnhorn by Dom Stephen Cranebrok. 1383-1384. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 224
BA 354	Account of Brother William Lomherst, custos of Barnhorn. 1372-1373. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 576
BA 355	Account of Richard Wevyll and John Baker, serjeants of Barnhorn. 1382-1383. Description: Each serjeant accounts for half a year; endorsed with grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 159
BA 356	Account of Brother William Lomherst, custos of Barnhorn. 1373-1374. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 2
BA 357A	Account of the serjeant of Barnhorn. 1377-1378. Endorsed: Grange and stock account; paper. Reference numbers: Ink number: 166
BA 357B	Draft account of the serjeant of Barnhorn. 1378-1379. Endorsed: Grange and stock account; paper draft lacking head. Reference numbers: Ink number: 117
BA 357C	Draft account of the serjeant of Barnhorn. 1379-1380. Endorsed: Grange and stock account; paper draft damaged at head. Reference numbers: Ink number: 125
BA 357D	Draft account of the serjeant of Barnhorn. 1380-1381. Endorsed: Grange and stock account; paper draft lacking head. Reference numbers: Ink number: 69
BA 358	Account of the serjeant of Barnhorn. 1376-1377. Endorsed: Grange and stock account.

	<p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 161</p>
BA 359	<p>Account of John Croucher, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1400-1401.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account; year written over an erasure; totals of animals prove that no year is missing, despite the lack of an account for 1-2H4.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 313</p>
BA 360	<p>Account of John Croucher, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1403-1404.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 9</p>
BA 361	<p>Account of John Croucher, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1406-1407.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 27</p>
BA 362	<p>Account of Brother Thomas Henxcell, custos of Barnhorn. 1410-1411.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account; clerk: Thomas Underdowne.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 12</p>
BA 363	<p>Account of Richard Grene, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1412-1413.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 23</p>
BA 364	<p>Account of Richard Grene, reeve of Barnhorn. 1415-1416.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 127</p>
BA 365	<p>Account of Richard Grene, reeve of Barnhorn. 1418-1419.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 229</p>
BA 366	<p>Account of Thomas Grynthe, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1421-1422.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account; the land in the marsh sown with oats was flooded by sea-water immediately after sowing; includes two attached paper schedules of building repairs and ditching, and an inventory of dead stock.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 307</p>
BA 367	<p>Account of Thomas Grynthe, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1425-1426.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 160</p>
BA 368	<p>Account of Thomas Grynthe, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1429-1430.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Ink number: 318
BA 369	Account of Thomas Grynthe, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1434-1435. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 583
BA 370	Account of John Croucher, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1401-1402. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 20
BA 371	Account of Thomas Grynthe, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1432-1433. Endorsed: Grange and stock account; 134 sheep died of murrain. Reference numbers: Ink number: 486
BA 372	Account of John Croucher, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1402-1403. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 487
BA 373	Account of Thomas Grynthe, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1431-1432. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 225
BA 374	Account of John Crowcher, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1404-1405. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 317
BA 375	Account of Thomas Grynthe, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1428-1429. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 578
BA 376	Account of John Croucher, serjeant of Barnhorn. 1405-1406. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 566
BA 377	Account of Thomas Grynthe, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1427-1428. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 311
BA 378	Account of the serjeant of Barnhorn. 1494-1495. Description: Lacks first of two membranes, with the loss of the charge and the grange account. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 379	Account of Thomas Grynthe, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1424-1425. Endorsed: Grange and stock account; inventory of dead stock.

	<p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 574</p>
BA 380	<p>Account of Richard atte Green, reeve of Barnhorn. 1408-1409.</p> <p>Endorsed: grange and stock account; this year the almoner first took money for the tithes in the marsh, before he took the tenth sheaf; high winds and storms cruelly destroyed the crops before they were embarned.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 223</p>
BA 381	<p>Account of Thomas Grynthe, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1423-1424.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 221</p>
BA 382	<p>Account of Brother Thomas Henxcell, custos of Barnhorn. 29 September 1411-2 February 1412.</p> <p>Description: Brother Thomas Henxcell to 2 February 1412 when he was discharged by the abbot; endorsed with grange account only.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 164</p>
BA 383	<p>Account of Thomas Jaan, servant of Dom Thomas Henxhill, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1420-1421.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account; TH 'a monk' [Thomas Henxcell], died in the course of the year and several animals were added to the stock after his death; includes an inventory of dead stock; Richard Grene referred to as bailiff of Appledram.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 28</p>
BA 384	<p>Account of John Ducheman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 2 February-29 September 1412.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 4</p>
BA 385	<p>Account of Richard Grene, reeve of Barnhorn. 1419-1420.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 163</p>
BA 386	<p>Account of Richard Grene, reeve of Barnhorn. [1417-1418].</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account; damaged at head.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 218</p>
BA 387	<p>Account of Richard Grene, reeve of Barnhorn. 1413-1414.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 482</p>
BA 388	<p>Account of Richard Grene, reeve of Barnhorn. 1416-1417.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 16</p>
BA 389	<p>Account of Richard Grene, reeve of Barnhorn. 1414-1415.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 568</p>
BA 390	<p>Account of John Miller, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1435-1436.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 582</p>
BA 391	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1441-1442.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account; inventory of dead stock.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 3</p>
BA 392	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1445-1446.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account; lacks third membrane.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 569</p>
BA 393	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1450-1451.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 584</p>
BA 394	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1453-1454.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 580</p>
BA 395	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1456-1457.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 577</p>
BA 396	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1460-1461.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 165</p>
BA 397	<p>Account of William Curle, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1439-1440.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 8</p>
BA 398	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1458-1459.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 19</p>
BA 399	<p>Account of William Curle, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1440-1441.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account; inventory of dead stock.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 15</p>
BA 400	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1457-1458.</p>

	<p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 306</p>
BA 401	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1442-1443.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 308</p>
BA 402	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1455-1456.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 217</p>
BA 403	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1443-1444.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 10</p>
BA 404	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1454-1455.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 18</p>
BA 405	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1447-1448.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 11</p>
BA 406	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1452-1453.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 310</p>
BA 407	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1448-1449.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 312</p>
BA 408	<p>Account of the serjeant of Barnhorn. [1451-1452].</p> <p>Notes: BA 408 lacks first of three membranes, with the loss of the entire charge and grange account; it has no pencil numbers, indicating that those are not contemporary with the ink numbers hence the omission in this instance; pencil numbers also antedate the repairs as some are written on it.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 409	<p>Account of the serjeant of Barnhorn. 1461-1462.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 579</p>
BA 410	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1463-1464.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 227</p>
BA 411	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1466-1467.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 309</p>
BA 412	<p>Account of John Eston, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1470-1471.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 572</p>
BA 413	<p>Account of John Eston, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1474-1475.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account; includes mention of a heriot on the death of John Alman; stock delivered to the new bailiff Henry Potwell.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 567</p>
BA 414	<p>Account of Lonceford, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1485-1486.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 222</p>
BA 415	<p>Account of William a Crouch, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1488-1489.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 14</p>
BA 416	<p>Account of William a Crouch, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1493-1494.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 581</p>
BA 417	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1462-1463.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Related materials: BA 419 is a duplicate, but differs from it within the heading Farms.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 319</p>
BA 418	<p>Account of William a Crouch, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1492-1493.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 5</p>
BA 419	<p>Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1462-1463.</p> <p>Description: Duplicate of BA 417, but differs from it within the heading Farms; BA 419 seems to be the final account as its balace of £3 6s 3¼d is the one transferred to BA 410.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 7</p>
BA 420	<p>Account of William a Crouch, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1489-1490.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Ink number: 314
BA 421	Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1464-1465. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 1
BA 422	Account of William a Crouch, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1487-1488. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 570
BA 423	Account of John Alman, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1465-1466. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 571
BA 424	Account of William Lunceford, bailiff of Barnhorn. 29 September 1486-25 December 1487. Endorsed: Grange and stock account; note of continuation to 25 December 1487 in the same hand as the totals. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 425	Account of John Eston, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1468-1469. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 13
BA 426	Account of Lonceford, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1484-1485. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 315
BA 427	Account of John Eston, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1469-1470. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 215
BA 428	Account of Lonceford, bailiff of Barnhorn. 25 December 1483-29 September 1484. Endorsed: Grange and stock account, all received from the hands of the late farmer. Reference numbers: Ink number: 573
BA 429	Account of John Eston, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1472-1473. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 162
BA 430	Account of John Eston, bailiff of Barnhorn. 1473-1474. Endorsed: Grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 585
BA 431	[Number not used]

BA 432	[Number not used]
BA 433	[Number not used]
BA 434	[Number not used]
BA 435	[Number not used]
BA 447	<p>Account of the serjeant of Barnhorn. 1409-1410.</p> <p>Description: The head of the first membrane cut away; the first sections to survive are 'cost of carts and ploughs' and 'calves'; endorsed, approximately 1700: imperfect records</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: n/a</p>
Accounts of the serjeant of Icklesham (Sussex) (BA 436-446, 448-474)	
BA 436	<p>Account of John de Bredehurst, serjeant of Icklesham. 1308-1309.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account; includes expenses of monks coming for the burial of John Alard.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 324</p>
BA 437	<p>Account of John de Saperton, serjeant of the manor of Icklesham. 1338-1339.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account; damaged at the head.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 45</p>
BA 438A	<p>Account of John de Saperton, serjeant of Icklesham. 29 September 1350-1 August 1351.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grain and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 326</p>
BA 438B	<p>Draft for BA 438A, lacking head. 1350-1351.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 111/3</p>
BA 439	<p>Account of John Bourdon, serjeant of Icklesham. 29 September 1355-1 August 1356.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 338</p>
BA 440	<p>Account of Robert Loder, serjeant of Icklesham. 1359-1360.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 334</p>
BA 441	<p>Account of Robert Loder, serjeant of Icklesham. 1362-1363.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 322</p>
BA 442	<p>Account of Walter Offynton, serjeant of Icklesham. 1370-1371.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 327</p>

BA 443	<p>Account of Walter de Offynton, serjeant of Icklesham. 1373-1374.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account; part of the surplus transferred to the same accountant's arrears as beadle of Battle.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 331</p>
BA 444	<p>Account of William Scharp, serjeant of Icklesham. 1377-1378.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 347</p>
BA 445	<p>Account of William Scharp, serjeant of Icklesham. 1380-1381.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 480</p>
BA 446	<p>Account of William Scharp, serjeant of Icklesham. 1384-1385.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 481</p>
BA 448	<p>Account of Walter de Wymondham, serjeant of the rectory of Icklesham. 1323-1324.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account; includes oats for the horses of the bishop of Chichester who buried the abbot.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 106</p>
BA 449	<p>Account of John Grovele, serjeant of Icklesham. 1398-1399.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account; paper.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 450	<p>Account of John de Sapertone, serjeant of the manor of Icklesham. 1336-1337.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 333</p>
BA 451	<p>Account of William Scharp, serjeant of Icklesham. 1385-1386.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 328</p>
BA 452	<p>Account of the rectory of Icklesham by John Sapertone. 1343-1344.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 38</p>
BA 453	<p>Account of William Scharp, serjeant of Icklesham. 1383-1384.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 107</p>
BA 454	<p>Draft account of John de Saperton, serjeant of Icklesham. 1349-1350.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 335</p>
BA 455	<p>Account of William Scharp, serjeant of Icklesham. 1381-1382.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 457</p>
BA 456	<p>Account of John Bordon, serjeant of Icklesham. 1352-1353.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account; damaged.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 323</p>
BA 457	<p>Account of William Scharp, serjeant of Icklesham. 1379-1380.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 485</p>
BA 458	<p>Account of John Bourdon, serjeant of Icklesham. 1353-1354.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 339</p>
BA 459	<p>Account of William Scharp, serjeant of Icklesham. 1378-1379.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 456</p>
BA 460	<p>Account of Henry Lacy, serjeant of Icklesham. 1357-1358.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 320</p>
BA 461	<p>Account of William Scharp, serjeant of Icklesham. 1376-1377.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 168</p>
BA 462	<p>Account of Henry Lacy and Robert Loder, serjeants of Icklesham. 1358-1359.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 105</p>
BA 463	<p>Account of Walter Offynton, serjeant of Icklesham. 1375-1376.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 330</p>
BA 464	<p>Account of Robert Loder, serjeant of Icklesham. 1360-1361.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 325</p>
BA 465	<p>Account of Walter Offynton, serjeant of Icklesham. 1372-1373.</p>

	<p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account; part of the surplus transferred to the same accountant's arrears as beadle of Battle.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 329</p>
BA 466	<p>Account of Robert Loder, serjeant of Icklesham. 1361-1362.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 321</p>
BA 467	<p>Account of Walter Offynton, keeper of Icklesham. 1371-1372.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 337</p>
BA 468	<p>Account of Walter Offynton, keeper of Icklesham. 1367-1368.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 332</p>
BA 469	<p>Account of Walter Offynton, serjeant of Icklesham. 1368-1369.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account; stitching along the bottom of the membrane but the account is complete.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 336</p>
BA 470	[Number not used]
BA 471	[Number not used]
BA 472	[Number not used]
BA 473	[Number not used]
BA 474	[Number not used]
Manor of Marshalls accounts (BA 475)	
BA 475	<p>Account of Thomas Tyting, keeper of the manor of Marshall. 1325-1326.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grange account; wall in the saltland between the manor and Robert Wallere, John atte Merssch, Merkdik, between The Trade and Fourteen Acres; paid to a collector of Pevensey by a tally against William Berwere; wheat sown at Marshall; the accountant's name has been read Gyting by previous editors, but see the grant of a messuage in Sandlake to Thomas Tyting and his wife Agnes in 1318 (see Volume 46, Item 876); he is perhaps to be associated with the Thomas de Tytyng' who paid the subsidy in the borough of Sandlake at Battle in 1327 (Sussex Record Society 10 (1910) 205).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 348</p>
Manor of Marley (Sussex) accounts (BA 476-494)	
BA 476	<p>Account of Brother Thomas, keeper of the manor of Marley. 1309-1310.</p> <p>Description: No rents of assize; endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 459</p>

BA 477	Account of William Salman, serjeant of the manor of Marley. 1352-1353. Description: Rents and farms; endorsed with grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 366
BA 478	Account of Thomas atte Parrok, serjeant of the manor of Marley. 1357-1358. Description: With rents of assize; endorsed with grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 458
BA 479	Account of Thomas atte Parrok, serjeant of the manor of Marley. 1358-1359. Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 480	Account of Richard James, farmer of the manor of Marley. 1437-1438. Description: Endorsed with a grange and stock account; endorsed with draft plea of the abbot v Stephen Holbem, Thomas Swon, William Roper and John Roper all of Lullington, husbandmen, for destroying three acres of peas in Lullington with their sheep in August 1438 Reference numbers: Ink number: 114
BA 481	Account of William Brond, reeve of the manor of Marley. 1321-1322. Description: No rents of assize; endorsed with grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 368
BA 482	Draft account of the manor of Marley. 1510-1511. Description: Endorsed by John Buckland: Treasurer of Battle. Reference numbers: Ink number: 193
BA 483	Account of Nicholas ate Se, serjeant of Marshall. 1333-1334. Endorsed: Grange account; crops sold at Barnhorn; Pevensey scots; accounts for debt in account of Barnhorn; formerly attached to BA 475. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 484	Account of John [Wodeman], farmer of the manor of Marley. 1455-1456. Description: Heading damaged; accountant's name recovered from BA 486. Reference numbers: Ink number: 44
BA 485	Account of the manor of Marley. 1384-1385. Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account. Reference numbers: Ink number: 365
BA 486	Account of John Wodeman, farmer of the manor of Marley. 1456-1457. Reference numbers: Ink number: 210
BA 487	Account of the manor of Marley. 1381-1382. Description: Headed 'receipt of the rents of assize and farms of Marley' but includes discharge;

	<p>endorsed by John Buckland: account of the Treasurer.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 128</p>
BA 488	<p>Account of Thomas atte Parrok, serjeant of the manor of Marley. 1355-1356.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 460</p>
BA 489	<p>Account of William Salman, serjeant of the manor of Marley. 1353-1354.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed with grange and stock account</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 206</p>
BA 490	[Number not used]
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BA 492	[Number not used]
BA 493	[Number not used]
BA 494	[Number not used]
Wye (Kent) accounts (BA 495-515)	
BA 495	<p>Wye: account of Robert atte Mell, beadle and collector of rents; endorsed: rents of Plumpton, Hawkhurst, and the vills of Kingsnode and Wathlynden; account of works and customary services. 1361-1362.</p> <p>Endorsed: List of heriots by vills of Plumpton, ...hurst, 'villat', Kingsnode and Bechinden; account of labour-services and mobile rents.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 109</p>
BA 496	<p>Wye: account of Robert Barry, deputy of John Bokelond, keeper of the woods. 1465-1466.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 466</p>
BA 497	<p>Wye: account of Roger Scot, deputy of John Bokelond, keeper of the woods; mentions new tilery at Nacholt. 1472-1473.</p> <p>Description: Closes with a statement that the account was made on 2 April 1474.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 467</p>
BA 498	<p>Wye: account of Henry Alard, rent collector. 1498-1499.</p> <p>Endorsed: Enrolled.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 37</p>
BA 499	<p>Wye: account of Arnulph Barow, rent collector. 1507-1508.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 33</p>
BA 500	<p>Wye: account of John Chylton, rent collector. 1520-1523.</p> <p>Endorsed: Enrolled.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 35</p>

BA 501	<p>Wye: account of John Chylton, beadle. 1524-1525.</p> <p>Endorsed: Account of labour-services and mobile rents; enrolled.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 468</p>
BA 502	<p>Wye: account of Hamo Aleyn, farmer. 1461-1462.</p> <p>Description: Note that the account was closed on 29 February 1464.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 202</p>
BA 503	<p>Wye: account of John Chylton, rent collector. 1524-1525.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 204</p>
BA 504	<p>Wye: account of Robert Barry, deputy of John Bokelond, keeper of the woods. 1464-1465.</p> <p>Description: Includes a final payment on 8 June 1466.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 465</p>
BA 505	<p>Wye: account of Richard Halk, farmer. 1522-1523.</p> <p>Endorsed: Account of wheat, malted barley, cheese and tiles; note in English 'memorandum that Hamond Rolf farmer of the tile-oast of Nackholt hath delivered unto the manor of Wye and to the mill and tile-lodge as much tile above his duty as cometh to 48 shillings and so he is in excess 16d'.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 367</p>
BA 506	<p>Wye: account of Robert Barry, deputy of John Bokelond, keeper of the woods. 1466-1468.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 32</p>
BA 507	<p>Wye: account of John Chylton, beadle. 1522-1523.</p> <p>Endorsed: Account of labour-services and mobile rents; enrolled.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 30</p>
BA 508	<p>Wye: account of John Barry, deputy of John Bokelond, keeper of the woods. 1468-1470.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 464</p>
BA 509	<p>Wye: account of John Chylton, rent collector. 1518-1519.</p> <p>Endorsed: Enrolled.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 34</p>
BA 510	<p>Wye: account of Roger Scot, deputy of John Bokelond, keeper of the woods. 1473-1476.</p> <p>Description: Mentions new tilery at Nackholt, a new barn in the town, works at the mill.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 463</p>
BA 511	<p>Wye: account of Arnulph Barow, beadle. 1507-1508.</p> <p>Endorsed: Enrolled.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 345</p>

BA 512	<p>Wye: account of William Payne, farmer. 1495-1496.</p> <p>Endorsed: Account of wheat, malt, cheese and tiles.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 203</p>
BA 513	<p>Wye: account of Richard Halk, farmer. 1501-1502.</p> <p>Endorsed: Account of wheat, malt, cheese and tiles; enrolled.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 36</p>
BA 514	<p>Wye: account of Henry Alard, beadle. 1501-1502.</p> <p>Description: The debit balance is charged on his account as rent collector [BA 498]; endorsed: enrolled.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 346</p>
BA 515	<p>Wye: account of John Chilton, rent collector. 1525-1526.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 31</p>
c. Court rolls and other court records	
Battle -- Manor of Battle court rolls (BA 546-892)	
BA 546	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 8 October 1404, 30 October 1404, 2 December 1404 (part).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 407-1</p>
BA 547	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 2 December 1404 (continued), 23 December 1404.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 407-2</p>
BA 548	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 13 January 1405, 17 February 1405.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 407-3</p>
BA 549	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 26 June 1405, 21 July 1405.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 445-2</p>
BA 550	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 22 April 1405, 6 October 1405 (part).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 445-1</p>
BA 551	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 6 October 1405 (continued).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 479</p>
BA 552	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hallmoot. 4 January 1432.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 401-1</p>
BA 553	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hallmoot. 20 January 1434, 9 February 1434.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 401-2</p>

BA 554	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hallmoot. 12 February 1439, 25 February 1440. Reference numbers: Ink number: 401-3
BA 555	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hallmoot. 31 October 1440, 21 November 1440, 22 May 1441, 20 August 1442, 18 February 1443, 5 June 1443. Reference numbers: Ink number: 401-4
BA 556	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hallmoot. 31 January 1446, 9 May 1448, 30 May 1448, 9 December 1449, 10 January 1450, 13 February 1451. Reference numbers: Ink number: 401-5
BA 557	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hallmoot. 13 February 1451, 24 January 1452, 27 March 1452, 10 July 1452, 27 November 1452. Reference numbers: Ink number: 401-6
BA 558	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hallmoot. 24 January 1452, 27 March 1452, 10 July 1452, 27 November 1452, 18 December 1452. Reference numbers: Ink number: 401-7
BA 559	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hallmoot. 7 June 1453, 18 February 1455, 19 November 1455, 9 December 1455, 16 March 1456, 20 July 1456, 8 January 1457 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 401-8
BA 560	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hallmoot. 8 January 1457 (continued). Description: 8 January 1457 (cont); acknowledgements of tenure Reference numbers: Ink number: 401-9
BA 561	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hallmoot. 16 October 1459, 6 November 1459, 27 November 1459, 18 December 1459. Reference numbers: Ink number: 401-10
BA 562	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 9 October 1450, 8 May 1451. Reference numbers: Ink number: 287-1
BA 563	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 9 October 1450, 3 November 1450. Reference numbers: Ink number: 287-2
BA 564	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 24 November 1450, 13 February 1451, 6 March 1451, 27 March 1451 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 287-3
BA 565	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 27 March 1451 (cont), 17 April 1451, 8 May 1451, 29 May 1451. Reference numbers: Ink number: 287-4
BA 566	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 19 June 1451, 11 July 1451, 31 July 1451, 9

	<p>September 1451.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 287-5</p>
BA 567	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 1 October 1460.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 291-1</p>
BA 568	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 16 April 1461.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 291-2</p>
BA 569	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 1 October 1460, 29 October 1460 (part).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 291-3</p>
BA 570	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 29 October 1460 (cont), 19 November 1460.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 291-4</p>
BA 571	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 10 December 1460, 16 April 1461 (part).</p> <p>Related materials: For the writ and exemplification detached from this roll, see BA 576</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 291-5</p>
BA 572	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 16 April 1461 (cont), 7 May 1461.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 291-6</p>
BA 573	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 2 June 1461, 30 June 1461 (part).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 291-7</p>
BA 574	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 30 June 1461 (cont), 27 July 1461.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 291-8</p>
BA 575	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 15 September 1461.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 291-9</p>
BA 576	<p>Writ, 12 September 1460, and copy of plea roll of the court of Common Pleas, Michaelmas term 39H6 rot 407 in Richard Colman, John Bokelond and John Boys v John Sole and his wife Parnell. 1460.</p> <p>Related materials: Detached from BA 571.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 577	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 13 October 1461.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 400-1</p>
BA 578	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 29 April 1462.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 400-2</p>
BA 579	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 13 October 1461, 3 November 1461.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 400-3</p>

BA 580	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 24 November 1461, 21 December 1461 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 400-4
BA 581	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 21 December 1461 (continued), 18 January 1462 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 400-5
BA 582	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 18 January 1462 (continued). Reference numbers: Ink number: 400-6
BA 583	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 18 January 1462 (continued), 14 February 1462. Reference numbers: Ink number: 400-7
BA 584	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 8 March 1462, 29 March 1462. Reference numbers: Ink number: 400-8
BA 585	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 29 April 1462, 20 May 1462 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 400-9
BA 586	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 20 May 1462 (continued), 21 June 1462, 12 July 1462 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 400-10
BA 587	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 12 July 1462 (continued), 2 August 1462 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 400-11
BA 588	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 2 August 1462. Reference numbers: Ink number: 400-12
BA 589	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 1 October 1462. Reference numbers: Ink number: 295-1
BA 590	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 15 April 1463. Reference numbers: Ink number: 295-7
BA 591	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 1 October 1462, 22 October 1462 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 295-2
BA 592	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 22 October 1462 (continued), 15 November 1462. Reference numbers: Ink number: 295-3
BA 593	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 6 December 1462, 20 January 1463 (part) Reference numbers: Ink number: 295-4
BA 594	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 20 January 1463 (continued), 10 February 1463.

	Reference numbers: Ink number: 295-5
BA 595	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 3 March 1463. Reference numbers: Ink number: 295-6
BA 596	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 15 April 1463. Reference numbers: Ink number: 295-8
BA 597	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 1 June 1463, [22 or 23 June 1463]. Reference numbers: Ink number: 295-9
BA 598	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 14 July 1463, [August 1463]. Reference numbers: Ink number: 295-10
BA 599	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 7 October 1463. Reference numbers: Ink number: 192-1
BA 600	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 12 April 1464. Reference numbers: Ink number: 192-2
BA 601	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 7 October 1463, 29 October 1463 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 192-3
BA 602	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 29 October 1463 (continued), 21 November 1463 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 192-4
BA 603	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 21 November 1463 (continued), 12 December 1463. Reference numbers: Ink number: 192-5
BA 604	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 16 January 1464, 8 February 1464. Reference numbers: Ink number: 192-6
BA 605	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 29 February 1464, 21 March 1464 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 192-7
BA 606	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 21 March 1464 (cont), 12 April 1464. Reference numbers: Ink number: 192-8
BA 607	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 8 May 1464, 29 May 1464. Reference numbers: Ink number: 192-9
BA 608	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 19 June 1464, 10 July 1464. Reference numbers: Ink number: 192-10

BA 609	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 2 August 1464, 12 September 1464. Reference numbers: Ink number: 192-11
BA 610	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 2 October 1464. Reference numbers: Ink number: 87-1
BA 611	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 19 April 1464. Reference numbers: Ink number: 87-2
BA 612	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 2 October 1464, 23 October 1464 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 87-3
BA 613	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 23 October 1464 (cont), 13 November 1464, 13 December 1464 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 87-4
BA 614	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 13 December 1464 (cont), 10 January 1465, 31 January 1465 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 87-5
BA 615	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 31 January 1465 (cont), 21 February 1465, 14 March 1465. Reference numbers: Ink number: 87-6
BA 616	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 4 April 1465, 7 May 1465. Reference numbers: Ink number: 87-7
BA 617	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 28 May 1465, 18 June 1465 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 87-8
BA 618	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 18 June 1465, 9 July 1465, 30 July 1465. Reference numbers: Ink number: 87-9
BA 619	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 18 September 1465. Reference numbers: Ink number: 87-10
BA 620	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 14 October 1465. Reference numbers: Ink number: 379-1
BA 621	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 10 April 1466. Reference numbers: Ink number: 379-2
BA 622	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 14 October 1465, 5 November 1465. Reference numbers: Ink number: 379-3
BA 623	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 26 November 1465, 17 December 1465.

	Reference numbers: Ink number: 379-4
BA 624	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 8 January 1466, 29 January 1466. Reference numbers: Ink number: 379-5
BA 625	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 25 February 1466, 18 March 1466 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 379-6
BA 626	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 18 March 1466 (continued), 10 April 1466, 1 May 1466 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 379-7
BA 627	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 1 May 1466 (continued), 23 May 1466, 17 June 1466 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 379-8
BA 628	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 17 June 1466 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 379-9
BA 629	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 17 June 1466 (continued), 8 July 1466, 4 August 1466 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 379-10
BA 630	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 4 August 1466 (continued). Related materials: For the schedule formerly attached to this membrane, see BA 978. Reference numbers: Ink number: 379-11
BA 631	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. September 1468 (continued), 17 April 1469 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 381-8
BA 632	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 17 April 1469 (continued). Reference numbers: Ink number: 381-9
BA 633	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 30 September 1468. Description: Fragment only - perhaps two courts lacking. Reference numbers: Ink number: 381-7
BA 634	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 13 November 1468, 5 December 1468 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 381-2
BA 635	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 5 December 1468 (continued), 9 January 1469. Reference numbers: Ink number: 381-3
BA 636	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 30 January 1469, 20 February 1469. Reference numbers: Ink number: 381-4

BA 637	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 14 March 1469, 17 April 1469 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 381-5
BA 638	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 13 April 1469 (continued), 9 May 1469, 30 May 1469, 21 June 1469 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 381-6
BA 639	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 21 June 1469 (continued), 11 July 1469, 1 August 1469 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 381-7
BA 640	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred and court baron. 16 October 1469. Reference numbers: Ink number: 449-1
BA 641	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 26 April 1470. Reference numbers: Ink number: 449-5
BA 642	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 16 October 1469, 6 November 1469, 28 November 1469. Reference numbers: Ink number: 449-2
BA 643	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 19 December 1469, 16 January 1470, 13 February 1470. Reference numbers: Ink number: 449-3
BA 644	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 13 March 1470, 3 April 1470. Reference numbers: Ink number: 449-4
BA 645	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 26 April 1470, 17 May 1470. Reference numbers: Ink number: 449-6
BA 646	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 7 June 1470, 3 July 1470. Reference numbers: Ink number: 449-7
BA 647	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 24 July 1470, 18 September 1470. Reference numbers: Ink number: 449-8
BA 648	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 9 October 1470. Reference numbers: Ink number: 408-1
BA 649	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 29 April 1471. Reference numbers: Ink number: 408-2
BA 650	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 9 October 1470, 30 October 1470. Reference numbers: Ink number: 408-3

BA 651	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 20 November 1470, 18 December 1470. Reference numbers: Ink number: 408-4
BA 652	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 15 January 1471, 12 February 1471. Reference numbers: Ink number: 408-5
BA 653	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 5 March 1471, 26 March 1471, 22 April 1471, 10 May 1471. Reference numbers: Ink number: 408-6
BA 654	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 5 June 1471, 2 July 1471. Reference numbers: Ink number: 408-7
BA 655	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 23 July 1471, 10 September 1471. Reference numbers: Ink number: 408-8
BA 656	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 30 September 1473. Reference numbers: Ink number: 277
BA 657	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 3 May 1474. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 658	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 29 September 1473, 19 October 1473, 10 November 1473 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 277-1
BA 659	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 10 November 1473 (continued), 2 December 1473 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 277-2
BA 660	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 2 December 1473 (continued), 23 December 1473. Reference numbers: Ink number: 277-3
BA 661	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 1 January 1474, 1 February 1474. Reference numbers: Ink number: 277-4
BA 662	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 24 February 1474, 23 March 1474. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 663	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 13 April 1474, 3 May 1474 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 277-5
BA 664	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 3 May 1474 (continued). Reference numbers: Ink number: 277-6

BA 665	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 24 May 1474, 14 June 1474, 5 July 1474. Reference numbers: Ink number: 120
BA 666	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 30 July 1474, 13 September 1474. Reference numbers: Ink number: 118
BA 667	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 28 September 1474. Reference numbers: Ink number: 272-1
BA 668	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 17 April 1475. Reference numbers: Ink number: 272-2
BA 669	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 4 October 1474, 25 October 1474. Reference numbers: Ink number: 272-3
BA 670	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 13 November 1474, 13 December 1474. Reference numbers: Ink number: 272-4
BA 671	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 7 January 1475, 28 January 1475. Reference numbers: Ink number: 272-5
BA 672	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 18 February 1475, 11 March 1475. Reference numbers: Ink number: 272-6
BA 673	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 1 April 1475, 21 April 1475 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 272-7
BA 674	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 21 April 1475 (continued), 12 May 1475, 2 June 1475. Reference numbers: Ink number: 272-8
BA 675	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 23 June 1475, 24 July 1475, 13 September 1475. Reference numbers: Ink number: 272-9
BA 676	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 9 October 1475. Reference numbers: Ink number: 273-1
BA 677	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 29 April 1476. Reference numbers: Ink number: 273-2
BA 678	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 1475 Description: 4 October 1475, 25 October 1475, [blank] November 1475 Reference numbers: Ink number: 273-3
BA 679	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 11 December 1475, [blank] January 1476. Reference numbers:

	Ink number: 273-4
BA 680	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 30 January 1476, 19 February 1476. Reference numbers: Ink number: 273-5
BA 681	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 11 March 1476, 1 April 1476, 22 April 1476 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 273-6
BA 682	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 22 April 1476 (continued), 15 May 1476, 6 June 1476, 27 June 1476. Reference numbers: Ink number: 273-7
BA 683	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 17 July 1476, 30 July 1476, 23 September 1476. Related materials: For three pieces formerly stitched to this roll see BA 684. Reference numbers: Ink number: 273-8
BA 684	Writ, 8 June 1476, copy of plea roll of the court of Common Pleas, Trinity term 16E4 rot330 and final concord in the abbot's court at Battle before Bartholomew Bolney, steward, John Bokelond v John Waterman and his wife Joan, 30 July 1476. 1476. Related materials: Formerly attached to BA 683. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 685	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 10 October 1476, 30 October 1476 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 92-1
BA 686	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 30 October 1476 (continued), 21 November 1476, 12 December 1476 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 92-2
BA 687	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 12 December 1476 (continued), 7 January 1477. Attached: Writ, 12 September 1476, copy of plea roll M16E4 rot336 and final concord in the abbot's court at Battle before Vincent Fynche, bailiff, Thomas Bisshop v John Vynawe and his wife Alice, 12 December 1476. Reference numbers: Ink number: 92-3
BA 688	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 28 January 1477, 17 February 1477. Reference numbers: Ink number: 92-4
BA 689	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 10 March 1477, 1 April 1477, 22 April 1477 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 92-5
BA 690	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 22 April 1477 (continued), 12 May 1477, 10 June 1477. Reference numbers: Ink number: 92-6

BA 691	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 25 June 1477, 6 August 1477. Reference numbers: Ink number: 92-7
BA 692	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 16 September 1477. Reference numbers: Ink number: 92-8
BA 693	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 17 April 1477, 6 October 1477 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 405-1
BA 694	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 6 October 1477 (continued). Reference numbers: Ink number: 405-2
BA 695	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 7 October 1477, 28 October 1477, 18 November 1477 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 405-3
BA 696	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 18 November 1477 (continued), 9 December 1477, 7 January 1478 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 405-4
BA 697	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 29 January 1478 (continued), 19 February 1478, 12 March 1478 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 405-5
BA 698	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 2 April 1478, 22 April 1478, 14 May 1478 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 405-6
BA 699	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 14 May 1478 (continued), 4 June 1478. Reference numbers: Ink number: 405-7
BA 700	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 25 June 1478, 16 July 1478, 6 August 1478 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 405-8
BA 701	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 6 August 1478 (continued), 10 September 1478, 2 October 1478 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 405-9
BA 702	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 2 October 1478 (continued). Reference numbers: Ink number: 405-10
BA 703	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 30 September 1479. Reference numbers: Ink number: 376-1
BA 704	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 6 April 1480 (part). Reference numbers:

	Ink number: 376-2
BA 705	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 6 April 1480 (continued). Reference numbers: Ink number: 376-3
BA 706	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 12 October 1479. Reference numbers: Ink number: 376-4
BA 707	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 2 November 1479, 24 November 1479 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 376-5
BA 708	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 24 November 1479 (continued). Reference numbers: Ink number: 376-6
BA 709	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 15 December 1479, 5 January 1480 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 376-7
BA 710	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 5 January 1480 (continued), 1 February 1480. Reference numbers: Ink number: 376-8
BA 711	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 22 February 1480, 21 March 1480 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 376-9
BA 712	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 21 March 1480 (continued), 11 April 1480 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 376-10
BA 713	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 11 April 1480 (continued), 2 May 1480, 25 May 1480 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 376-11
BA 714	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 25 May 1480 (cont), 16 June 1480, 11 July 1480 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 376-12
BA 715	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 11 July 1480 (continued), 1 August 1480, 18 September 1480 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 376-13
BA 716	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 18 September 1480 (continued). Reference numbers: Ink number: 376-14
BA 717	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 10 October 1480. Reference numbers: Ink number: 276-1
BA 718	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 1 May 1481 (part). Reference numbers:

	Ink number: 276-2
BA 719	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 1 May 1481 (continued), 11 October 1481 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 276-3
BA 720	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 11 October 1481. Reference numbers: Ink number: 276-4
BA 721	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 11 April 1482. Reference numbers: Ink number: 276-5
BA 722	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 9 October 1480, 30 October 1480 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 276-6
BA 723	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 30 October 1480 (continued), 20 November 1480 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 276-7
BA 724	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 20 November 1480 (continued), 11 December 1480. Reference numbers: Ink number: 276-8
BA 725	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 8 January 1481, 29 January 1481 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 276-9
BA 726	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 29 January 1481 (continued), 20 February 1481. Reference numbers: Ink number: 276-10
BA 727	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 13 March 1481, 3 April 1481, 1 May 1481. Reference numbers: Ink number: 276-11
BA 728	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 22 May 1481, 14 June 1481, 5 July 1481, 26 July 1481 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 276-12
BA 729	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 26 July 1481 (continued), 16 August 1481. Reference numbers: Ink number: 276-13
BA 730	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 27 September 1481. Reference numbers: Ink number: 276-14
BA 731	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 18 October 1481. Reference numbers: Ink number: 398-1
BA 732	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 8 November 1481, 29 November 1481 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 398-2

BA 733	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 29 November 1481 (continued), 20 December 1481, 9 January 1482 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 398-3
BA 734	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 9 January 1482, 31 January 1482, 21 February 1482 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 398-4
BA 735	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 21 February 1482 (continued), 14 March 1482. Reference numbers: Ink number: 398-5
BA 736	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 10 April 1482, 2 May 1482, 23 May 1482 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 398-6
BA 737	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 23 May 1482 (continued), 13 June 1482, 11 July 1482 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 398-7
BA 738	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 11 July 1482 (continued), 1 August 1482, 10 September 1482. Reference numbers: Ink number: 398-8
BA 739	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 3 October 1482. Reference numbers: Ink number: 101-1
BA 740	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 8 April 1483. Reference numbers: Ink number: 101-2
BA 741	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 10 October 1482, 4 November 1482. Reference numbers: Ink number: 101-3
BA 742	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 25 November 1482, 16 December 1482, 7 January 1483. Reference numbers: Ink number: 101-4
BA 743	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 28 January 1483, 18 February 1483, 11 March 1483, 3 April 1483 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 101-5
BA 744	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 3 April 1483 (continued), 24 April 1483, 5 June 1483 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 101-6
BA 745	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 5 June 1483 (continued), 26 June 1483. Reference numbers: Ink number: 101-7

BA 746	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 28 August 1483, 18 September 1483. Reference numbers: Ink number: 101-8
BA 747	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 1 October 1493, 22 October 1493, 12 November 1493. Reference numbers: Ink number: 281-1
BA 748	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 3 December 1493, 24 December 1493, 14 January 1494, 4 February 1495, 25 February 1495, 17 March 1495. Reference numbers: Ink number: 281-2
BA 749	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. : 8 April 1495, 29 April 1495, 20 May 1495, 17 June 1495. Reference numbers: Ink number: 281-3
BA 750	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 8 July 1495, 29 July 1495, 2 September 1495, 23 September 1495. Reference numbers: Ink number: 281-4
BA 751	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 1 October 1498, 11 April 1499. Reference numbers: Ink number: 85-1
BA 752	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 9 October 1498, 30 October 1498, 20 November 1498, 10 December 1498 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 85-2
BA 753	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 10 December 1498 (continued), 2 January 1499, 22 January 1499, 12 February 1499, 5 March 1499. Attached: Copy of plea roll of the court of Common Pleas, Hilary term 14H7 rot151 and final concord in the abbot's court at Battle before Vincent Fynche, bailiff, Nicholas Morant v Henry Denge and his wife Mary, 5 March 1499. Reference numbers: Ink number: 85-3
BA 754	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 26 March 1499, 16 April 1499, 7 May 1499, 17 June 1499. Related materials: For the schedule formerly attached to this membrane, see BA 977 Reference numbers: Ink number: 85-4
BA 755	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 8 July 1499, 2 August 1499, 10 September 1499. Reference numbers: Ink number: 85-5
BA 756	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 30 September 1500 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 447-1
BA 757	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 30 September 1500 (continued). Reference numbers:

	Ink number: 447-2
BA 758	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 15 April 1501. Reference numbers: Ink number: 447-3
BA 759	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 6 October 1500, 27 October 1500. Reference numbers: Ink number: 447-4
BA 760	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 17 November 1500, 9 December 1500. Reference numbers: Ink number: 447-5
BA 761	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 30 December 1500, 19 January 1501. Reference numbers: Ink number: 447-6
BA 762	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 9 February 1501, 2 March 1501. Reference numbers: Ink number: 447-6[2]
BA 763	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 23 March 1501, 20 April 1501, 11 May 1501. Reference numbers: Ink number: 447-7
BA 764	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 2 June 1501, 22 June 1501, 13 July 1501. Attached: copy of plea roll of the court of Common Pleas, Easter term 16H7 rot240 and final concord in the abbot's court at Battle before Vincent Fynche, bailiff, Nicholas Morant, John Hay and John Parker v John Brecher and his wife Margaret, Richard Henley and his wife Joan and John Prymer and his wife Margery, 2 June 1501. Reference numbers: Ink number: 447-8
BA 765	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 3 August 1501, 13 September 1501. Reference numbers: Ink number: 447-9
BA 766	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 2 October 1509. Reference numbers: Ink number: 76-1
BA 767	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 8 April 1510. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 768	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 2 October 1509, 13 November 1509, 4 December 1509 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 76-2
BA 769	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 4 December 1509 (continued), 31 December 1509, 29 January 1510, 19 February 1510 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 76-3
BA 770	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 19 February 1510 (continued), 19 March 1510, 9 April 1510, 30 April 1510, 23 May 1510 (part). Reference numbers:

	Ink number: 76-4
BA 771	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 23 May 1510 (continued), 13 June 1510, 9 July 1510, [July 1510], 24 September 1510. Reference numbers: Ink number: 76-5
BA 772	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 30 September 1511. Reference numbers: Ink number: 292-1
BA 773	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 19 April 1512. Reference numbers: Ink number: 292-2
BA 774	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 30 September 1511, 18 November 1511, 9 December 1511, 30 December 1511, 20 January 1512, 17 February 1512. Reference numbers: Ink number: 292-3
BA 775	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 16 March 1512, 6 April 1512, 27 April 1512, 18 May 1512, 8 June 1512, 6 July 1512. Reference numbers: Ink number: 292-3
BA 776	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 27 July 1512, 28 September 1512. Reference numbers: Ink number: 292-5
BA 777	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 30 September 1512. Reference numbers: Ink number: 95-1
BA 778	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 5 April 1512. Reference numbers: Ink number: 95-2
BA 779	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 19 October 1512, 9 November 1512, 7 December 1512, [28 December 1512], 25 January 1513, 15 February 1513. Reference numbers: Ink number: 95-3
BA 780	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 8 March 1513, 5 April 1513, 26 April 1513, 24 May 1513 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 95-4
BA 781	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 5 July 1513 (continued), 2 August 1513, 23 August 1513. Reference numbers: Ink number: 95-5
BA 782	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 10 October 1513. Reference numbers: Ink number: 290-1
BA 783	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 20 April 1514. Reference numbers: Ink number: 290-2

BA 784	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 4 October 1513, 25 October 1513, 15 November 1513, 13 December 1513, 10 January 1514. Reference numbers: Ink number: 290-3
BA 785	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 7 February 1514, 28 February 1514, 21 March 1514, 11 April 1514, 9 May 1514, 30 May 1514, 27 June 1514 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 290-4
BA 786	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 27 June 1514 (continued), 18 July 1514, 8 August 1514, 19 September 1514. Reference numbers: Ink number: 290-4[5]
BA 787	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 5 October 1514. Reference numbers: Ink number: 452-1
BA 788	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 17 April 1515. Reference numbers: Ink number: 452-2
BA 789	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 17 October 1514, 7 November 1514, 28 November 1514, 19 December 1514, 9 January 1515, 30 January 1515, 20 February 1515. Related materials: For the schedule formerly attached to this membrane, numbered 452-6 by Thorpe, see BA 979. Reference numbers: Ink number: 452-3
BA 790	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 20 March 1515, 17 April 1515, 8 May 1515, 5 June 1515, 26 June 1515, 17 July 1515. Reference numbers: Ink number: 452-4
BA 791	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 7 August 1515, 25 September 1515. Reference numbers: Ink number: 452-5
BA 792	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 4 October 1515. Reference numbers: Ink number: 453-1
BA 793	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 1 April 1516. Reference numbers: Ink number: 453-2
BA 794	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 16 October 1515, 6 November 1515, 27 November 1515, 18 December 1515 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 453-3
BA 795	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 18 December 1515 (continued), 8 January 1516, 29 January 1516, 19 February 1516, 18 March 1516, 8 April 1516, 29 April 1516 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 453-4
BA 796	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 29 April 1516 (continued), 27 May 1516, 19 June 1516, 10 July 1516, 31 July 1516, 11 September 1516, 2 October 1516.

	<p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 453-5</p>
BA 797	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 2 October 1516.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 86-1</p>
BA 798	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 16 April 1517.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 86-2</p>
BA 799	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 23 October 1516, 13 November 1516, 4 December 1516, 30 December 1516, 22 January 1517, 12 February 1517, 5 March 1517, 16 April 1517, 14 May 1517.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 86-3</p>
BA 800	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 4 June 1517, 25 June 1517, 16 July 1517, 6 August 1517.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 86-4</p>
BA 801	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 5 October 1517.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 88-1</p>
BA 802	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 12 April 1518.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 88-2</p>
BA 803	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 8 October 1517, 29 October 1517, 19 November 1517, 10 December 1517, 31 December 1517, 21 January 1518, 11 February 1518, 4 March 1518 (part).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 88-3</p>
BA 804	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 4 March 1518, 30 March 1518, 20 April 1518, 11 May 1518, 1 June 1518, 22 June 1518, 13 July 1518, 3 August 1518, 31 August 1518, 28 September 1518.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 88-4</p>
BA 805	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 30 September 1518.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 83-1</p>
BA 806	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 28 April 1519.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 83-2</p>
BA 807	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 26 October 1518, 16 November 1518, 7 December 1518, 4 January 1519, 25 January 1519, 15 February 1519, 8 March 1519 (part).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 83-3</p>
BA 808	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 8 March 1519 (continued), 29 March 1519, 19 April 1519, 10 May 1519, 31 May 1519, 21 June 1519, 12 July 1519, 9 August 1519, 13 September 1519.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Ink number: 83-4
BA 809	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 6 October 1519. Reference numbers: Ink number: 382-1
BA 810	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 17 April 1519. Reference numbers: Ink number: 382-2
BA 811	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 4 October 1519, 25 October 1519, 15 November 1519, 13 December 1519, 3 January 1520 (part). Attached: writ remitting Hayward and Eston v Frensshe in trespass, called into Chancery, to the abbot of Battle's court, 29 November 1519 [for this or a related plea concerning messuages and land in Battle, see The National Archives C 1/409/34]. Reference numbers: Ink number: 382-3
BA 812	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 3 January 1520 (continued), 24 January 1520, 14 February 1520, 6 March 1520, 27 March 1520, 17 April 1520, 8 May 1520. Reference numbers: Ink number: 382-4
BA 813	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 31 May 1520, 21 June 1520, 12 July 1520, 2 August 1520, 13 September 1520 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 382-5
BA 814	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 13 September 1520 (continued). Reference numbers: Ink number: 382-6
BA 815	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 7 October 1521. Reference numbers: Ink number: 82-1
BA 816	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 12 May 1522. Reference numbers: Ink number: 82-2
BA 817	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 17 October 1521, 7 November 1521, 28 November 1521, 19 December 1521, 9 January 1522, 30 January 1522, 20 February 1522, 20 March 1522, 10 April 1522, 8 May 1522 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 82-3
BA 818	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 8 May 1522 (continued), 5 June 1522, 26 June 1522, 17 July 1522, 7 August 1522. Related materials: For the schedules formerly attached to this roll see BA 820. Reference numbers: Ink number: 82-4
BA 819	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 18 September 1522. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 820	Copy of plea roll of the court of Common Pleas, Easter term 14H8 rot137 and final concord in the abbot's court at Battle before Vincent Fynche, bailiff, Roger Shoiswell and John

	<p>Stonestrete v Thomas Fogyll and his wife Margaret, 5 June 1522. 1522.</p> <p>Related materials: Formerly attached to BA 818</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 821	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 3 October 1522.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 79-1</p>
BA 822	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 9 April 1523.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 79-2</p>
BA 823	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 9 October 1522, 30 October 1522, 20 November 1522, 8 January 1523, 29 January 1523 (part).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 79-3</p>
BA 824	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 29 January 1523 (continued), 19 February 1523, 19 March 1523, 9 April 1523, 30 April 1523, 21 May 1523, 11 June 1523.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 79</p>
BA 825	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 2 July 1523, 23 July 1523, 13 August 1523, 24 September 1523.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 79-4</p>
BA 826	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 1 October 1523.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 454-1</p>
BA 827	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 7 April 1524.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 454-2</p>
BA 828	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 15 October 1523.</p> <p>Description: Fragment only - two courts.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 454-3</p>
BA 829	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 4 February 1524, 25 February 1524, 17 March 1524, 7 April 1524.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 454-4</p>
BA 830	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 9 June 1524, 30 June 1524, 28 July 1524, 1 September 1524 (part).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 454-5</p>
BA 831	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 1 September 1524 (continued), 27 September 1524.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 454-6</p>
BA 832	<p>Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 27 September 1524, 6 April 1525.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Ink number: 96-1
BA 833	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 25 October 1524, 15 November 1524, 13 December 1524, 10 January 1525 (part) Reference numbers: Ink number: 96-2
BA 834	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 10 January 1525 (continued), 31 January 1525, 22 February 1525, 10 March 1525, 6 April 1525, 4 May 1525 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 96-3
BA 835	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 4 May 1525 (continued), 1 June 1525, 22 June 1525, 13 July 1525, 3 August 1525, 21 September 1525. Reference numbers: Ink number: 96-4
BA 836	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 2 October 1525, 5 April 1526. Reference numbers: Ink number: 289-1
BA 837	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 12 October 1525, 9 November 1525, 7 December 1525, 4 January 1526 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 289-2
BA 838	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 4 January 1526 (continued), 25 January 1526, 15 February 1526, 8 March 1526, 5 April 1526. Reference numbers: Ink number: 289-3
BA 839	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 26 April 1526, 20 May 1526, 7 June 1526. Related materials: For the schedules formerly attached to this roll see BA 841 Reference numbers: Ink number: 289-4
BA 840	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 28 June 1526, 19 July 1526, 9 August 1526, 20 September 1526. Reference numbers: Ink number: 289-5
BA 841A	Note formerly attached to the court roll [BA 839] of the production of 841E. [7 June 1526]. Related materials: Formerly attached to BA 839. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 841B	Surrender by Richard Henley and his wife Joan to William Boys, and his admission; messuage and garden called Jamys in Middleborough between their former tenement and garden called Offyngton and Park Lane. [7 June 1526]. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 841C	Final concord in the court of the abbot of Battle, before Thomas Nevile, kt, bailiff, and his deputy John Ashburnham, gent, in Boys, Pilchar and Wylgose v Henley, 7 June 1526. 7 June 1526. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a

BA 841D	Note of the fine taken in open court signed by John Ashburnham, deputy bailiff. 7 June 1526. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 841E	Exemplification from the court roll of Common Pleas, Trinity 14H8 rot 129 granting the liberty of Battle in Boys, Pilchar and Wylgose v Henley. 1522. Reference numbers: Ink number: 476
BA 842	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 27 September 1526, 26 April 1527 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 283-1
BA 843	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 26 April 1527 (continued). Reference numbers: Ink number: 283-2
BA 844	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 11 October 1526, 8 November 1526, 29 November 1526, 20 December 1526 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 283-3
BA 845	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 20 December 1526 (continued), 10 January 1527, 31 January 1528. Reference numbers: Ink number: 283-4
BA 846	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 21 February 1527, 14 March 1527, 4 April 1527, 25 April 1527. Reference numbers: Ink number: 283-5
BA 847	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 23 May 1527, 13 June 1527, 11 July 1527, 1 August 1527 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 283-6
BA 848	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 1 August 1527 (continued), 22 August 1527, 26 September 1527. Reference numbers: Ink number: 283-7
BA 849	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 8 October 1527, 16 April 1528. Reference numbers: Ink number: 78-1
BA 850	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 17 October 1527, 7 November 1527, 28 November 1527. Reference numbers: Ink number: 78-2
BA 851	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 19 December 1527, 9 January 1528, 30 January 1528, 20 February 1528 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 78-3
BA 852	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 20 February 1528 (continued), 12 March 1528, 2 April 1528.

	Reference numbers: Ink number: 78-4
BA 853	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 30 April 1528, 28 May 1528, 18 June 1528, 9 July 1528 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 78-5
BA 854	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 9 July 1528 (continued), 30 July 1528, 10 September 1528 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 78-6
BA 855	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 10 September 1528 (continued). Reference numbers: Ink number: 78-7
BA 856	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 28 September 1530, 13 April 1531. Reference numbers: Ink number: 448
BA 857	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 31 August 1531, 28 September 1531. Reference numbers: Ink number: 280
BA 858	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 27 September 1531, 4 April 1532 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 97-1
BA 859	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 4 April 1532 (continued). Reference numbers: Ink number: 97-2
BA 860	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 19 October 1531, 9 November 1531. Reference numbers: Ink number: 97-3
BA 861	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 7 March 1532, 28 March 1532, 18 April 1532, 16 May 1532 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 97-4
BA 862	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 16 May 1532 (continued), 6 June 1532, 27 June 1532, 18 July 1532 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 97-5
BA 863	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 18 July 1532 (continued), 8 August 1532, 5 September 1532. Reference numbers: Ink number: 97-6
BA 864	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 26 September 1532. Reference numbers: Ink number: 97-7
BA 865	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 1 October 1532, 17 April 1533. Reference numbers: Ink number: 274-1

BA 866	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 17 October 1532, 7 November 1532, 28 November 1532, 19 December 1532 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 274-2
BA 867	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 19 December 1532 (continued), 9 January 1533, 30 January 1533. Reference numbers: Ink number: 274-3
BA 868	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 20 February 1533, 13 March 1533, 3 April 1533 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 274-4
BA 869	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 3 April 1533 (continued), 24 April 1533, 15 May 1533, 5 June 1533. Reference numbers: Ink number: 274-5
BA 870	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 26 June 1533, 17 July 1533, 7 August 1533, 18 September 1533. Reference numbers: Ink number: 274-6
BA 871	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 2 October 1533, 9 April 1534. Reference numbers: Ink number: 77-1
BA 872	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 9 October 1533, 30 October 1533, 20 November 1533, 11 December 1533 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 77-2
BA 873	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 11 December 1533 (continued), 8 January 1534, 29 January 1534, 19 February 1534, 12 March 1534. Reference numbers: Ink number: 77-3
BA 874	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 9 April 1534, 7 May 1534, 28 May 1534, 18 June 1534. Reference numbers: Ink number: 77-4
BA 875	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 9 July 1534. 30 July 1534, 27 August 1534, 17 September 1534. Reference numbers: Ink number: 77-5
BA 876	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 1 October 1534, 8 April 1535. Reference numbers: Ink number: 278-1
BA 877	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 8 October 1534, 29 October 1534, 19 November 1534, 10 December 1534, 30 December 1534 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 278-2

BA 878	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 30 December 1534 (continued), 21 January 1535, 11 February 1535, 4 March 1535, 8 April 1535. Reference numbers: Ink number: 278-3
BA 879	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 29 April 1535, 20 May 1535, 10 June 1535, 1 July 1535, 22 July 1535. Reference numbers: Ink number: 278-4
BA 880	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 12 August 1535, 16 September 1535. Reference numbers: Ink number: 278-5
BA 881	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 29 September 1535, 20 April 1536. Reference numbers: Ink number: 301-1
BA 882	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 7 October 1535, 28 October 1535, 18 November 1535, 9 December 1535. Reference numbers: Ink number: 301-2
BA 883	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 30 December 1535, 20 January 1536, 10 February 1536, 2 March 1536, 23 March 1536. Reference numbers: Ink number: 301-3
BA 884	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 13 April 1536, 4 May 1536, 1 June 1536, 22 June 1536 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 301-4
BA 885	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 22 June 1536 (continued), 13 July 1536, 3 August 1536. Reference numbers: Ink number: 301-5
BA 886	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 30 August 1536, 21 September 1536. Reference numbers: Ink number: 301-6
BA 887	Court roll of the manor of Battle; hundred. 29 September 1536, 5 April 1537. Reference numbers: Ink number: 303-1
BA 888	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 12 October 1536, 2 November 1536, 23 November 1536. Reference numbers: Ink number: 303-2
BA 889	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 14 December 1536, 4 January 1537, 25 January 1537, 15 February 1537. Reference numbers: Ink number: 303-3
BA 890	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 15 February 1537, 8 March 1537, 29 March 1537, 19 April 1537.

	Reference numbers: Ink number: 303-4
BA 891	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 17 May 1537, 7 June 1537, 28 June 1537, 19 July 1537. Reference numbers: Ink number: 303-5
BA 892	Court roll of the manor of Battle; court baron. 9 August 1537, 13 September 1537. Reference numbers: Ink number: 303-6
Battle -- Gaol delivery rolls (BA 893-899)	
BA 893	Roll of the delivery of Battle gaol before Giles de Bryaunson and John Fillol, justices. 30 October 1327. Description: Recites writ appointing Giles de Bryaunson, John Fillol and William of Robertsbridge justices to deliver Battle gaol, 26 March 1327; justices' mandate to [Nicholas] Gentil, sheriff of Sussex, to summon a jury, Wartling, 15 October 1327, with sheriff's gaol calendar, listing five prisoners all indicted for murders before Thomas de Pelham, coroner; all acquitted. Reference numbers: Ink number: 119-3
BA 894	Roll of the delivery of Battle gaol before Giles de Bryaunson and John Fillol, justices. 30 October 1327. Description: Duplicate of BA 893 lacking the mandate and calendar. Reference numbers: Ink number: 119-4
BA 895	Roll of the delivery of Battle gaol before John de Ifeld, Thomas de Faversham and William de Northhoo, justices. 7 March 1331. Description: Recites writ appointing the justices, 26 January 1331. Related materials: For a bond in £10 to produce Roger of Nottingham, lockier, at the next gaol delivery, 9 August 1330, see Volume 47, Item 1486. Reference numbers: Ink number: 119-1
BA 896	Roll of the delivery of Battle gaol before [Richard de Keleshull deleted], William Scot, Robert de Scharndenn and Thomas de Betenham, justices. 6 April 1344. Description: Includes Peter the Hermit of Limpsfield, indicted before Gilbert atte Quarere, the abbot of Battle's coroner of Limpsfield, remitted to prison for lack of an indictment because the coroner is dead. Reference numbers: Ink number: 119-2
BA 897	Roll of the delivery of Battle gaol before William Scot, Robert de Scharndenn and Thomas de Betenham, justices. 7 April 1344. Description: Includes writ appointing the justices, 12 March 1344, and the mandate to the sheriff; same cases as BA 896 omitting Peter the Hermit; endorsed: belongs to the office of coroner. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 898	Roll of the delivery of Battle gaol before Roger de Suthcote and John de Aubernoun, justices. 16 January 1303.

	<p>Description: Includes writs appointing Suthcote and d'Abernon, 28 October 1302 and Suthcote and William de Etchingeham, 3 January 1303; includes seven prisoners from Limpsfield.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 119-6</p>
BA 899	<p>Inquest on the death of ... Crogham found dead in the borough of Mountjoy in the vill of Battle before John de Lox[beche], coroner. Approximately 1340.</p> <p>Description: The fatal assault took place on Saturday 28 September; possible years are 1331, 1336, 1342 and 1353.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
Battle -- Extracts from Battle court rolls (volume 5)	
Volume 5	<p>Extracts from Battle court rolls, 1247-1580. 1538-1591.</p> <p>Description: This volume was compiled by five hands; entries 1-2965 (to 8 August 1538); entries 2966-3739 (to 11 April 1570); entries 3740-3941 (to 16 October 1576); entries 3942-4038 (to 28 April 1579) and entries 4039-4068 (to 12 April 1580).</p> <p>At front: 15 entries numbered 9-14, 28-29E3; it is clear from the cross-reference later in the book at entry 574 that there were originally two pages, of which this is the second.</p> <p>At rear: notes, mostly in hand 4 (see above) of precedents from the preceding entries; text of the abjuration of Thomas Smalwode of Peasmarsh before John Bokeland, coroner, 4 January 1486; inquest before John Wyldgose, coroner, on the body of Nicholas Baker, an alien, 4 July 1507; expansion of the text of entry 1013, the challenge by the bailiff of Battle of unsealed cloth seized by the sub-ulnager of the Rape of Hastings, 1403; proofs that alehouse licences, fines and common recoveries take place in the Battle court, citing precedents 1576-1591.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Originally numbered 82</p>
Barnhorn (Sussex) (BA 523-545)	
BA 523	<p>Indented records of four grants by the steward of Battle at the Barnhorn Hallmoot. 9 February 1307, 15 March 1307.</p> <p>Endorsed: Barnhorn: rotulus cyrographatus de terris et tenementis traditis ad redditum annum per dominum Radulphum de Thruleghe senescallum de Bello.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 575</p>
BA 524	<p>Court roll of Barnhorn Hallmoot. 8 January 1400, 16 July 1400.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 377/9</p>
BA 525	<p>Court roll of Barnhorn Hallmoot. 5 October 1400, 7 April 1401.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 377</p>
BA 526	<p>Court roll of Barnhorn Hallmoot. 10 November 1401, 3 August 1402.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 377/1</p>

BA 527	Court roll of Barnhorn Hallmoot. 29 May 1403, 27 February 1404. Reference numbers: Ink number: 377/2
BA 528	Court roll of Barnhorn Hallmoot. 20 March 1405. Description: First court there in the time of William Merssh, abbot of Battle; Robert Oxenbregge steward. Reference numbers: Ink number: 377/3
BA 529	Court roll of Barnhorn Hallmoot. 7 June 1406, 19 March 1407, 26 September 1407 Reference numbers: Ink number: 377/4
BA 530	Court roll of Barnhorn Hallmoot. 6 December 1408. Reference numbers: Ink number: 377/5
BA 531	Court roll of Barnhorn Hallmoot. 15 January 1410. Reference numbers: Ink number: 377/6
BA 532	Court roll of Barnhorn Hallmoot. 24 September 1411. Reference numbers: Ink number: 377/7
BA 533	Court roll of Barnhorn Hallmoot. 13 December 1412, 18 January 1413. Reference numbers: Ink number: 377/8
BA 534	Court roll of Barnhorn Hallmoot. 25 November 1461. Description: Includes an enrolled stock-deed of Ralph, abbot of Battle, to Simon son of Ellis of Barnhorn of all the land of Suthounton which Warner de Suthounton gave; witnesses include Raymond the sacrist, Walter de Sutton steward, John de Lamburn' cellarer, Michael and Alan chaplains; 25 Apr 1258.
BA 535	Court roll of Barnhorn Hallmoot. 15 January 1470, 10 October 1470, 15 January 1472, 13 January 1473, 31 May 1473.
BA 536	Court roll of Barnhorn Hallmoot. 7 June 1477, 24 October 1474 [recte 1478], 28 March 1478, 19 June 1478.
BA 537	Court roll of Barnhorn Hallmoot. 1479-1481. Description: 14 April 1479, 13 October 1479, 17 April 1480, 12 October 1480, 12 May 1481; profits of the courts charged in the accounts of John Buckland, understeward of Battle Abbey.
BA 538	Court roll of Barnhorn Hallmoot. 5 October 1481, 18 May 1482, 16 October 1482, 9 April 1483.
BA 539	Court roll of Barnhorn Hallmoot. 14 October 1483, 21 December 1484, 16 June 1485.
BA 540	Draft court roll of the manor of Barnhorn. 24 October 1604. Reference numbers: Ink number: 6=6
BA 541	Draft court roll of the manor of Barnhorn. 21 April 1607. Reference numbers: Ink number: 6=5

BA 542	Draft court roll of the manor of Barnhorn. 18 May 1608. Reference numbers: Ink number: 6=4
BA 543	Draft court roll of the manor of Barnhorn. 15 January 1610, 19 March 1610. Reference numbers: Ink number: 6=3
BA 544	Draft court roll of the manor of Barnhorn. 10 May 1610, 31 May 1610, 20 September 1610 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 6=2
BA 545	Draft court roll of the manor of Barnhorn. 20 September 1610 (continued), 28 September 1610, 29 March 1611. Reference numbers: Ink number: 6=1
Bodiam (Sussex) (BA 900-903)	
BA 900	Court roll of the manor of Bodiam. 28 August 1645 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 81
BA 901	Court roll of the manor of Bodiam. 1645. Description: 28 August 1645 (cont), 18 September 1645, 25 September 1646 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 82
BA 902	Court roll of the manor of Bodiam. 25 Septempber 1646 (cont), 10 Jully 1648 (part). Reference numbers: Ink number: 83
BA 903	Court roll of the manor of Bodiam. 10 July 1648 (cont), 3 July 1650. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
Marley (Sussex) (BA 904-925)	
BA 904	Court roll of the manor of Marley. 1421-1423. Description: 29 July 1421, 26 March 1422, 3 November 1422, 5 October 1423; first court of Dom Thomas Hamond, treasurer of Battle. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 905	Court roll of the manor of Marley. 1425-1427. Description: 17 July 1425, 2 November 1425, 2 December 1426, 8 October 1427. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 906	Court roll of the manor of Marley. 1429-1441. Description: 31 March 1429, 12 May 1434, 27 February 1441; first court of Richard Dertemuthe, treasurer of Battle; first court of John Exceter, treasurer of Battle. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a

BA 907	Court roll of the manor of Marley. 5 June 1443. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 908	Court roll of the manor of Marley. 12 November 1444. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 909	Court roll of the manor of Marley. 17 February 1455. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 910	Court roll of the manor of Marley. 31 January 1457. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 911	Court roll of the manor of Marley. 20 June 1459. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 912	Court roll of the manor of Marley. 27 November 1460. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 913	Court roll of the manor of Marley. 1462-1471. Description: 20 October 1462, 16 May 1463, 9 October 1467, 28 October 1467, 20 November 1467, 3 May 1468, 30 December 1468, 30 December 1468, 30 December 1470, 21 January 1471. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 914	Court roll of the manor of Marley. 1465. Description: 17 April 1465, 14 November 1465. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 915	Court roll of the manor of Marley. 1471-1473. Description: 7 March 1471, 22 December 1471, 1 May 1472, 7 July 1472, 18 November 1473, 31 December 1473. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 916	Court roll of the manor of Marley. 1474-1475. Description: 2 June 1474, 16 January 1475. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 917	Court roll of the manor of Marley. 1486-1488. Description: 21 May 1486, 4 November 1486, 27 January 1487, 9 August 1487, 1 February 1488, 13 June 1488, 12 December 1488. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a
BA 918	Court roll of the manor of Marley. 1481. Description: 13 January 1481, 27 October 1481. Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a

BA 919	<p>Court roll of the manor of Marley. 1490-1497.</p> <p>Description: 1 May 1490, 24 February 1490, 24 March 1492, 17 November 1492, 10 May 1494, 25 April 1495, 14 October 1497.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 920	<p>Court roll of the manor of Marley. 1499-1501.</p> <p>Description: 1 June 1499, 19 September 1500, 20 February 1501.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 921	<p>Court roll of the manor of Marley. 1502-1510.</p> <p>Description: 5 March 1502, 27 October 1502, 20 September 1504, 6 February 1507, 14 April 1509, 13 October 1509, 24 April 1509 [recte 1510].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 922	<p>Court roll of the manor of Marley. 1510-1521.</p> <p>Description: 13 September 1510, 30 April 1511, 18 October 1511, 25 September 1512, 30 April 1513, 25 February 1514, 4 November 1514, 3 November 1515, 19 April 1516, 2 May 1519, 2 November 1519, 30 June 1520, 16 February 1521, 6 April 1521 (part).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 923	<p>Court roll of the manor of Marley. 1521-1527.</p> <p>Description: 6 April 1521 (cont), 17 October 1521, 3 February 1522, 26 April 1522, 12 July 1522, 9 May 1523, 7 November 1523, 28 May 1524, 20 May 1525, 17 June 1525, 27 October 1525, 24 April 1526, 20 October 1526, 19 October 1527.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 924	<p>Court roll of the manor of Marley. 1528-1534.</p> <p>Description: 13 June 1528, 21 April 1529, 19 March 1530, 12 October 1530, 18 November 1531, 6 April 1532, 5 October 1532, 19 April 1533, 10 October 1533, 9 December 1533, 8 May 1534.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 925	<p>Court roll of the manor of Marley. 1534-1537.</p> <p>Description: 28 August 1534, 3 April 1536 [recte 1535], 2 October 1535, 12 February 1536, 13 May 1536, 17 March 1537.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
Wode [Atte Wode, Le Wode] (Sussex) (BA 926-932)	
BA 926	<p>Court roll of the manor of Wode. 16 April 1369.</p> <p>Description: Paper; court styled 'atte Wode'.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 593-2</p>
BA 927	<p>Court roll of the manor of Wode. 18 June 1377, 9 April 1380.</p> <p>Description: Court held by the Sacrist; the entry for 18 June 1377 is a single transaction, the grant to William ate Beche of a licence to demise land held of the Sacrist of Battle and of William</p>

	<p>Frere; it is probably a copy of court roll or a memorandum onto which the court of 9 April 1380 was subsequently endorsed.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 593-5</p>
BA 928	<p>Court roll of the manor of Wode. 17 December 1377.</p> <p>Description: Court held 'at The Wode'; a single transaction, the grant to William ate Beche of a licence to demise land by The Goldhord in Whatlington held of the Sacrist of Battle and of William Frere, and probably a memorandum or copy of court roll.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 593-4</p>
BA 929	<p>Court roll of the manor of Wode. 23 July 1383.</p> <p>Description: Includes entries relating to the death of John Fynhagh, who held of the Sacrist of Battle and William Frere; includes recital of a stock-deed.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 593-3</p>
BA 930	<p>Court roll of the manor of Wode. 1394-1400.</p> <p>Description: 7 January 1394, 27 February 1394, 10 December 1398, 3 June 1400.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 593-6</p>
BA 931	<p>Court roll of the manor of Wode. 8 July 1400, 17 December 1403.</p> <p>Description: Second is court of the Sacrist of Battle and Thomas a Beche.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 593-1</p>
BA 932	<p>Court roll of the manor of Wode. 17 December 1403.</p> <p>Description: Court of the Sacrist of Battle and Thomas de Beche.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 112</p>
d. Rentals and surveys, with related documents	
Battle -- Battle rentals (BA 943-946)	
BA 943	<p>Rental of the villein tenants of the leuga of Battle and their labour services. 1251-1252.</p> <p>Description: Dated to the 36th year of Henry 3; endorsed: list of mobile rents, written on at least three occasions; rotulus de halimoto rusticorum de leuga de Bello.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 616</p>
BA 944	<p>Rental of the manor of Battle. July 1367.</p> <p>Description: Includes tenements (but not their rents) held of the sacrist, cellarer, almoner, infirmarer, parish church, John Cook, Peter Cuner, manor of Marley.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 608</p>
BA 945	<p>Schedule of tenements and cottages in the lord's hands, 1350-51, 'whereof the rents are respited upon this account'. 1350-1351.</p> <p>Related materials: Detached from beadle's account, BA 35; filing hole.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Ink number: n/a
BA 946	<p>Schedule of tenements in the lord's hands, annotated 23 Ed 3 in an 18th-century hand. [1348-1349].</p> <p>Related materials: Detached from BA 33; filing hole.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: n/a</p>
Battle -- Cellarers' rentals (BA 947-954)	
BA 947	<p>Rental of the manor of Battle; almost all the tenants of Bregsell, Sandlake, Middleborough and Mountjoy expressed as heirs of those on BA 944. Approximately 1400.</p> <p>Description: After the sale by Stephen Dallington to John Grofle of a cottage formerly James Goring in Middleborough, presented 4 April 1399, and the death of Walter Offington, presented 8 April 1401F</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 607</p>
BA 948	<p>Rental of the manor of Battle, by terms. 1406-1408.</p> <p>Description: Wickham and Iltonsbath annotated to approximately 1450.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 609</p>
BA 949	<p>Fragment of a rental of the manor of Battle, midsummer rents only, as BA 948. 1406-1408.</p> <p>Description: Bregsell, Sandlake, Middleborough, Mountjoy, Whatlington, Bothurst, Telham, Iltonsbath and Glassey only.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 599</p>
BA 950	<p>Rental of the manor of Battle, by terms, Easter (part), Midsummer and Michelmas rents only. Approximately 1425.</p> <p>Description: Consists of membranes numbered 1-6 and one un-numbered membrane, which precedes 614-1 and consists of the end of the Easter rents; after the admission of Alan Sprot on 10 August 1424.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 614</p>
BA 951	<p>Rental of the office of Cellarer, headed [William] Merssh; at foot: quod Medewey; total £24 0s 5d. 1433.</p> <p>Description: Begins with the rents of seven yardlands [at Glassey in Beckley]; although called the rents of the office of cellarer, comparison with The National Archives E* makes clear that these are the rents of the whole lordship.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 610</p>
BA 952	<p>Fragments of a rental including Whatlington, Bucksteep and unidentified boroughs. Approximately 1492.</p> <p>Description: Sheets E, G and another unidentified sheet only; after the division of a tenement at Bucksteep into moieties, 28 June 1490, and the death of William at Wode, presented 22 October 1493.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 48</p>

BA 953	<p>Rental of 29 September rents only for Middleborough, Mountjoy and Uckham. [1494].</p> <p>Description: Between the death of Henry Finch esq for Sharpsham, presented 25 February 1494, and the death of John a Myll for Little Domesday, presented 8 April 1494.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 198</p>
BA 954	<p>Indented receipt for sums received by John Nuton, cellarer, from the beadle John Lucas for rents and profits of court. 25 December 1457.</p> <p>Description: Several payments amounting to £22, annotated allowed; formerly stitched along bottom margin; detached from BA 61.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: Vol 87-44</p>
Battle -- Sacrists' rentals (BA 968-973)	
BA 968	<p>Rental of quitrents, pensions, farms, tithes, candles in lieu of tithes and rents resolute by brother John Waller, sacrist, 11 April 1414. 1414.</p> <p>Description: Includes rents from Middleborough, Mountjoy, Sandlake, Breadsell and Helmingfold, Romney, Wye, Agmerhurst, Beech by Sedlescombe in the parish of Whatlington, Vorde by Whatlington, Poppinghole, Freckley, Swineham, foreign rents of Hawkhurst, Glassey; pensions, farms, foreign rents; endorsed: rental of the new tenants of the tenement of Wode within the fee of Whatlington, including the capital messuage of Wode, approximately 1415; text of 13 undated deeds granting land and rents in Frechesle in Cranbrook, Kent, to the abbot and convent of Battle, approximately 1490.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 605</p>
BA 969	<p>Rental of the Sacrist of Battle; rents from all sources, arranged by term of payment; includes separate section for Swineham. Approximately 1350.</p> <p>Description: Apparently after the grant of a rent of 12 pence paid by John Bothurstgate, 1344 (Volume 47, Item 839) and before the grant by the sacrist of the tenement in Sandlake late Henry Boys, 19 May 1351.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 601</p>
BA 970	<p>Rental of the Sacrist of Battle of tenements in Battle. Approximately 1470.</p> <p>Description: Rents from [Middleborough], Mountjoy, Sandlake and Hemingfold only; annotated approximately 1490.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 591</p>
BA 971	<p>Rental of the Sacrist of Battle, arranged by location. Approximately 1490.</p> <p>Description: Includes rents from Middleborough, Mountjoy, Sandlake, Helmingfold, Breadsell, Glassey, Charlton [in Westdean] and Clapham [in Litlington], Pett; farms; Romney Marsh, Wye, Biddenden, farms; pensions; tithes; candles, with reference to payments in the time of John Waller [BA 968] and the pleas of 1H5; endorsed: note of the total of the rent paid by the tenants in Hawkhurst and Cranbrook; BA 971 is contemporary with the annotations to BA 970; annotated approximately 1510.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 484</p>
BA 972	<p>Rental of the office of Sacrist, by location. Approximately 1535.</p> <p>Description: Includes rents from [Middleborough], Mountjoy, Sandlake ('Sangwyne Lake'),</p>

	<p>Hemmingfold, Breadsell, Whatlington, Swineham, Glassey, Willington, Westdean, Hollington and Agnerhurst (total only).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 604</p>
BA 973	<p>First membrane of a list of owners of lands paying tithes to the sacrist and the parson. [Approximately 1230].</p> <p>Description: Copy, approximately 1390, of an original of approximately 1230.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 596</p>
Miscellaneous rentals (BA 955-967)	
BA 955	<p>Rental of quitrents and labour-services of [?the manor of Morehouse in Lamberhurst, part of the manor of Wye]. Approximately 1300.</p> <p>Description: Refers to a tenement 'on the Sussex side'; tenants include the abbot of Bayham for a garth within the abbey; rents resolute to the archbishop, the prior of Leeds, the court of Aylesford, the abbess of Malling, the vicar of Lamberhurst, Richard de Headenne, the heirs of Aaron de Petereg'; labour services including work on the mill pond.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 956	<p>Rental of the manor of Barnhorn made before John de Bryghtwalton and Robert de Sharnden. 22 January 1342.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 122</p>
BA 957	<p>Inventory of dead stock on the manor of Barnhorn. 2 October 1420.</p> <p>Description: Delivered to Richard Goneldenow bailiff there by his servant John.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 958	<p>Fragment of a rental [of the manor of Limpsfield in Surrey] including Weald and Prinkham. Approximately 1440.</p> <p>Description: Including the castle of Sterborough [SE corner of Surrey], held by Reynold Cobham kt [died 1446].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 207</p>
BA 959	<p>Final two pages of a list of the acreages and locations of land in open fields near Newmarket. [1500].</p> <p>Related materials: See also BA 987-988.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 213</p>
BA 960	<p>Scot of Hooe Marsh. Approximately 1510.</p> <p>Description: List of acreages held by tenants in the Levels of Ashburnham, between Boreham Bridge and Wartling Wall, between Moorhall [in Ninfield] and Blackwall, between Blackwall and Morespichwall and between Morespichwall and Millwall, with annotations; 1077 acres 2 roods 20 perches; some entries annotated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 597</p>

BA 961	<p>Scot of Hooe Marsh, Thomas Parker collector. 26 April 1512.</p> <p>Description: List of acreages held by tenants in the Levels of Ashburnham, between Boreham Bridge and Wartling Wall, between Moorhall [in Ninfield] and Blackwall, between Blackwall and Morespichwall and between Morespichwall and Millwall; tenants as annotations on BA 960.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 617</p>
BA 962	<p>Scot of Hooe Marsh granted for banking the waterlode, on the collection of William a Neston of Catsfield. 14 June 1515.</p> <p>Description: List of acreages held by tenants between Boreham Bridge and Wartling Wall, between Moorhall [in Ninfield] and Blackwall, between Blackwall and Morespichwall and between Mrespichwall and Millwall, with annotations; 1077 acres 2 roods 20 perches.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 595</p>
BA 963	<p>Scot of Hooe Marsh granted to scour the waterlode; William Weneham collector. 24 September 1523.</p> <p>Description: List of acreages held by tenants between Boreham Bridge and Wartling Wall, between Moorhall [in Ninfield] and Blackwall, between Blackwall and Morespichwall and between Mrespichwall and the sea; 493 acres.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 964	<p>Rental [of the office of steward] in Marley, Beche, Foxhunts, new rent and rent in the town of Battle. Approximately 1520.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed on part of a roll [?of swanmarks]; annotated to approximately 1530 [see BA 965].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 589</p>
BA 965	<p>Rental of the office of steward, renewed in the time of John Benyng, 21H8. 1529-30.</p> <p>Description: Tenants are the annotations to BA 964.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 590</p>
BA 966	<p>Indented inventory of live and dead stock delivered to John a Lye, William Boys and Richard a Lye with the manor of Marley. [22 October 1526].</p> <p>Description: Detached from Volume 55, Item 1603, to which it was still attached in 1835 (Thorpe 138/6).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 967	<p>List of 20 fields with their acreages, with a slit indicating former attachment to a sealed deed. Approximately 1500.</p> <p>Description: The Park 18, Barnfield 4, Garner Croft 2, Motecroft 2, Crypstoun 4, Barnet 4, Bushcrofts 7, Curtrede 30, by Curtrede 9, Little Shithoke 7, Middle Shithoke 7, Great Shithoke 16, by last 4, by last 16, by Fourteen Acres 8, Fourteen Acres 14, Marling 4, Bakers Hammys 17, Bregge Croft 4</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>

e. Cartularies (volumes 29-32)	
Volume 29	<p>Cartulary. [Approximately 1070]-approximately 1560.</p> <p>Description: The cartulary is undated, but the date of its initial compilation can be narrowed down. The latest charter to be registered in the volume as first compiled dates from 1288 [f236v]; the first annotation to the text was of a charter dated 1293 [f146]. That five-year span in which we can place the creation of the cartulary neatly straddles the emergence of John of Whatlington as the abbey's steward.</p> <p>As well as containing the texts of royal and papal charters of grant and privilege, written out in full, the cartulary includes, in summary form, details of the many hundred grants of land which went to form the abbey's estates in eleven counties.</p> <p>Each charter was numbered in red, with a highly abbreviated code showing its type: C for concessio, or grant Con which stands both for conventio, or covenant, or confirmatio, confirmation; and Qi for quietumclamatio, or release</p> <p>There are three foliations. The contemporary foliation, in both roman and arabic numerals, begins with modern folio 13; a 16th-century foliation begins with 47 [allowing for 1-46, now Volume 33] on modern folio 1, lacks 50 and 51, and proceeds to 305 at modern folio 246; the Huntington's foliation runs from 1-247.</p> <p>Modern f1-12 unfoliated contemporary; 1 at modern f13 to 35 at f47; 36 missing; 37 at modern f48 to 98 at f109; modern 110-113 inserted approximately 1320; 99 at modern f114 to 103 at f118; modern 119 an erroneous duplicate 103; 104 at modern f120 to 127 at f143; modern 121 modern 144 a contemporary unruled replacement 128; 129 at modern f145 to 175 at f191; 176 cut out after the 16C foliation; 177 at modern f192 to 210 at f225; modern 226-228 unruled with text of 1352, but probably original; modern 229 original end folio with signs of pastedown; 212 at modern f230 to 219 at f237; modern 237-247 an integral addition, 1350.</p> <p>Related materials: For a transcript of 1727, see Volume 31.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9928</p>
Volume 29 Folio 1	<p>Various entries. 1298-approximately 1325.</p> <p>Description: Receipt of Guy Fere, kt, chamberlain of Edward the king's son, to John [of Thanet], abbot of Battle, for five marks by the hand of William of Alciston, clerk, given of free will and not as a fee by reason of his creation; St Albans, 23 April 1298 [escheator's] inquisition finding that a messuage and carucate in Brightwalton was given to Battle by Ellis de Limpsfield before the statute of mortmain, 16 June 1300 Definitions of a virgate and wist and their relations to knight's fees and hides, approximately 1325.</p>
Volume 29 Folio 2	<p>Entries concerning Battle's entitlement to fines and amercements of the market. 1285-1324.</p> <p>Description: Writ to Ralph de Mytlington, clerk of the market, ordering restitution of a fine imposed on the men of Wye for breaches of measures and the assize of bread and ale in contravention of Battle's liberty, 6 August 1285.</p> <p>List of the members of the king's council, [1285] Memorandum of a grant to Battle of the fines, redemptions and amercements of the men of Wye before Sir Richard, clerk of the market, 1294-95.</p> <p>Memorandum of a grant to Battle of the fines, redemptions and amercements of the men of</p>

	<p>Battle before Richard de Brummesgrave, chief clerk of the market, 1294-95.</p> <p>Memorandum that the abbot now enjoys such liberties as appears by an allowance in the presence of the king at Battle before Simon Croiser, then clerk of the market, 25 August 1324, exemplified in a 'tenui' black book, bound like this one, and look for it there towards the end.</p>
Volume 29 Folio 2v	<p>Documents relating to a corrody granted to Alan de Meltone. 1300-1301.</p> <p>Description: Receipt of John [of Thanet], abbot of Battle to G[ilbert of St Leofard], bishop of Chichester, for 100 marks for a corrody assigned to his chamberlain Alan de Meltone; 13 January 1301 Grant of a corrody to Alan de Meltone, chamberlain of Gilbert [of St Leofard], bishop of Chichester, 29 October 1300.</p>
Volume 29 Folio 3	<p>Three letters of Ralph [of Coventry], abbot of Battle, concerning the endowment made by Sybil lady of Icklesham and secured by fine in Hilary 1237 [recte 1247] and the masses to be celebrated in the informary chapel. February 1247.</p> <p>Description: For the fine, levied in Hilary term 31H3, see The National Archives CP 25(1)/233/15/24, Sussex Record Society 2.433.</p>
Volume 29 Folio 4	<p>Pen-trials: Iste liber attinet Anthonio Browne vicecomiti Mountague; alphabet; Elizabeth dei gracia Anglie Francie. Approximately 1560.</p>
Volume 29 Folio 5-6	[Blank]
Volume 29 Folio 6v-7	<p>Various financial entries. Approximately 1315-1494.</p> <p>Description: Allowances of tallies made at the exchequer for payments made by Battle and recorded on the Pipe Rolls, 1312-1314 receipt for heriots and reliefs in respect of land called Dunton at Dunton in Essex, held of the manor of Hutton (Hooton) on the deaths of John Nedeham and John Wakeryng, late masters of the hospital of St Bartholomew Smithfield; John Nuton, abbot of Battle, to William Knyght, master, 4 January 1471 receipt for heriots and reliefs in respect of land called Dunton at Dunton in Essex, held of the manor of Hutton (Hooton) on the deaths of William Knyth and John Barton, Richard Tovy, abbot of Battle, to Thomas Crewker, master, 2 May 1494.</p>
Volume 29 Folio 7-10	Table of contents of royal grants, arranged by manor (unfoliated).
Volume 29 Folio 10-10v	Table of contents of papal bulls, in chronological order (unfoliated).
Volume 29 Folio 10v-11	Table of contents of confirmations by archbishops of Canterbury and other bishops of impropriated churches, portions and presentations (unfoliated).
Volume 29 Folio 12	[Blank]
Volume 29 Folio 13-41	Texts of royal grants, in chronological order. Approximately 1075-1270.
Volume 29 Folio 41v-43	Texts of four charters relating to Battle abbey's rights at Promhull and Dengemarsh. Approximately 1150-approximately 1300.
Volume 29 Folio 43v	<p>List of 12 charters of Edward 2 and five (the fifth a further addition) of Edward 3.</p> <p>Description: Annotated [by Christopher Wigsell] with a note of a charter of king Henry against provisors [1400-1, the Statute 2 Henry IV, c. 3, c. 4].</p>
Volume 29 Folio 44	Exemplification by patent of a writ ordering restitution of a fine imposed on the men of Wye for breaches of measures and the assize of bread and ale in contravention of Battle's liberty, 6 August 1285, enrolled in the LTR Memoranda Roll of 40 E3, Hilary term recorda. 1366.

Volume 29 Folio 44v-45	Letters of John [Langton] bishop of Chichester to the abbot of Battle remitting a penalty of 500 marks imposed under the arbitration award between their predecessors [in 1235]. 23 April 1331.
Volume 29 Folio 45v-47	Texts of bulls of Innocent 6 and Urban 5, in response to petitions from abbots Robert of Battle and Hamo of Offington, confirming Battle's rights over Brecon Priory; 9 June 1355 and 30 October 1367. 1355, 1367.
Volume 29 Folio 47v	Text of bull of Gregory [11] permitting the abbot and his successors to wear the mitre, ring and other pontifical insignia. 27 January [1374].
Volume 29 Folio 48-58	Texts of papal bulls, all defaced; annotated (f58) with a note of a bull of John [22] relating to the church of Samford. 1173-approximately 1320.
Volume 29 Folio 58v-98	<p>Texts of charters of archbishops of Canterbury and bishops, and subsidiary documents; inserted entries appear as Descriptions. Approximately 1155-1251.</p> <p>Description: f 63v Institution by R[obert Winchelsea] archbishop of Canterbury of G de Holyntegh to the church of Hawkhurst at the presentation of the abbot and convent of Battle, [19 January 1296 – see f 65v]; letters of Walter [Reynolds] archbishop of Canterbury attesting the production at his visitation by the abbot of Battle of muniments proving their right to the church of Wye and pensions from Kingsnorth and Hawkhurst, 18 May 1314 ff 65v Institution by Robert [Winchelsea] archbishop of Canterbury of G de Holyntegh to the church of Hawkhurst at the presentation of the abbot and convent of Battle, 19 January 1296 f 74 List of four charters relating to Westfield, with details of the endorsed signs f 74v Letters of R[obert Winchelsea] archbishop of Canterbury attesting the production at his visitation by the abbot of Battle of muniments proving their right to tithes in Battle, Guestling, Ore, Bexhill, Beckley, Warbleton, Wartling, Whatlington, Brede, Mountfield, Salehurst and Sedlescombe within the Deaneries of Dallington and Hastings, 15 June 1300 f 77 Charter of William son of Wibert granting to Battle the church of Westfield, with a wist of land belonging to it, which his man Wening previously gave, with his agreement; with additional grant of the tithes of Bucksteep [in Warbleton]; approximately 1100 f 94 Letters of R bishop of Norwich [Roger Scarning 1266-1268 or Ralph Walpole 1289-1299] settling the endowment of the vicarage of Great Thurlow (Trillawe) to which John de Hamptone has been presented by Battle [incomplete] f 96v list of four additional charters relating to Samford.</p>
Volume 29 Folio 99	Blank; followed by the stubs of two excised folios.
Volume 29 Folio 100	Alphabetical table of contents of 'charters relating to our manors'.
Volume 29 Folio 101	[Blank]
Volume 29 Folio 102-108	<p>Vill of Battle and leuga: 88 charters.</p> <p>Description: Continued at folio 110.</p>
Volume 29 Folio 108v-109	Quitclaim of the fee of Whatlington by William son and heir of Sir William de Echyngham, approximately 1295; quitclaim of lands and tenements in Battle by H son of Hugh de Flyntham, Villa charter 89; narrative of the descent of the Etchingham lords of Whatlington and their grants, 3 September 1367. Approximately 1295-1367.
Volume 29 Folio 109v	[Blank]

Volume 29 Folio 110-111	Battle and leuga: list of 59 charters, numbered 90-148. Description: Continued from folio 108 folios 110-111 were added to the volume after its original foliation.
Volume 29 Folio 111v	List of 31 charters, Bromham in Parco, Catsfield.
Volume 29 Folio 112-113	Complaints of certain evil-wishers of the Rape of Hastings concerning Battle's supposed claim to Whatlington and within the hundred of Staple and borough of Sedlescombe, 'which we have caused to be written here in order that they might be more judiciously resisted if they are again renewed quia jacula prevista minus ledunt'. Approximately 1340. Description: Mentions John Gardener parson of Whatlington folios 112-113 were added to the volume after its original foliation.
Volume 29 Folio 113v	[Blank]
Volume 29 Folio 114-115	Whatlington: 17 charters, with a list of a further six.
Volume 29 Folio 116-117	Basoc land in Sedlescombe: 15 charters, with list of a further one. Description: Annotated, approximately 1325: in the Sedlescombe and Whatlington box.
Volume 29 Folio 117v-118	Sedlescombe: seven charters, with details of a further three and list of a further three.
Volume 29 Folio 118v-119	Iltons bath in Sedlescombe: 11 charters. Description: Annotated, approximately 1325: in the Leuga box.
Volume 29 Folio 119v-120	Bodherst (de terra bovis and de campis) in Battle: 11 charters, numbered 1-11. Description: Annotated, approximately 1325: in the Leuga box.
Volume 29 Folio 120v	Wickham in Battle: 11 charters, numbered 12-16; Glassey in Beckley: two charters, numbered 17-18. Description: Annotated, approximately 1325: in the Leuga box.
Volume 29 Folio 121	Newenham in Westfield: six charters, numbered 19-24. Description: Annotated, approximately 1325: in the Leuga box skipped by the 16C foliator.
Volume 29 Folio 121-121v	Echenham: three charters, numbered 25-27.
Volume 29 Folio 122-123	Icklesham: 18 charters, with a list of a further four.
Volume 29 Folio 124	Rat (Rette) in Battle: seven charters. Description: Annotated, approximately 1325: in the Leuga box.
Volume 29 Folio 124v-125	Bodiam: four charters. Description: Annotated, approximately 1325: in the Leuga box.
Volume 29 Folio 125-126	Bearhurst in Burwash and Ticehurst: 13 charters, with a listed of a further two.
Volume 29 Folio 127-128	Count of Eu, Sussex: five charters of the counts and countesses of Eu, with a list of a further two. Description: Annotated, approximately 1325: look in the Sedlescombe box.
Volume 29 Folio 128v	[Blank]
Volume 29	Snape in Wadhurst: eight charters.

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Volume 29 Folio 130-136	Barnhorn in Bexhill: 46 charters, with the texts of two further charters and a list of a further 12 added.
Volume 29 Folio 136v-141	Alciston: 44 charters, with the texts of two additional charters and a list of eight further charters [two in the hand of John Buckland, approximately 1490].
Volume 29 Folio 141v	Letters of Alan [of Retling] abbot of Battle to John [Langton] bishop of Chichester concerning the abbey's subjection to the see. 23-24 April 1331.
Volume 29 Folio 142	Shoreham: nine charters.
Volume 29 Folio 143-144	Appledram near Chichester, West Sussex: nine charters; annotated with the texts of two documents concerning Herbert de Burghersh's gift of Dengemarsch, numbered 19-20 [from the sequence on folio 146].
Volume 29 Folio 144v-146	Dengemarsch in Lydd, Kent: 17 charters numbered 1-17, with the text of one additional charter numbered 18 and a list of three further charters numbered 21-23. Description: For charters 19-20 see folio 144.
Volume 29 Folio 146v	[Blank]
Volume 29 Folio 147-157	Wye in Kent: 112 charters, with a list of 18 further charters, numbered 113-130; alias cartas de Wy quere post Bocholt ad tale signum + [f 178]. Description: Continued on folio 178.
Volume 29 Folio 157v-16-0v	Tone in Wye, Kent: 31 charters, with memoranda concerning Battle's shares in the mills of Wye and Olyntegh in Wye before and after the statute [of mortmain].
Volume 29 Folio 161	Fannescumbe in Wye, Kent: eight charters by Luke or Thomas de Fannescumbe.
Volume 29 Folio 162	Cumbe in Wye, Kent: eight charters; annotated with a list of eight charters relating to Plumpton in the coffin of Wye.
Volume 29 Folio 163	[Blank]
Volume 29 Folio 163v-177	Bocholt in Wye, Kent: 133 charters.
Volume 29 Folio 177v	[Blank]
Volume 29 Folio 178	Wye in Kent: list of 19 charters, numbered 131-149. Description: Continued from folio 157.
Volume 29 Folio 178v	[Blank]
Volume 29 Folio 179-188	East Kingsnorth in Kent: 85 charters, with a list of 22 further charters.
Volume 29 Folio 188v	[Blank]
Volume 29 Folio 189-191v	West Kingsnorth in Kent: 27 charters, with a list of an additional charter. Description: Followed by the stub of one excised folio, 176 in the original and 246 in the 16C foliation.

Volume 29 Folio 192-199	Wachindenn in Biddenden, Kent: 71 charters, with a list of a further ten charters.
Volume 29 Folio 199v	[Blank]
Volume 29 Folio 200-209v	Limpsfield in Surrey: 90 charters, with a list of a further 11 charters.
Volume 29 Folio 210-213	Oxted in Surrey: 33 charters, with a list of a further charter, and Item in eodem cophino compoto de Wille.
Volume 29 Folio 213v	[Blank]
Volume 29 Folio 214-215	Hutton (Hoton) in Essex: 18 charters, with a list of a further four charters.
Volume 29 Folio 216	[Blank]
Volume 29 Folio 216v-218	Brightwalton in Berkshire: 13 charters, with the text of an additional charter numbered 14 and a list of a further 13 charters; un-numbered text of a grant by abbot John of Dover to Fulk of Brightwalton of land previously granted to him by abbot Odo [approximately 1205]. Approximately 1205-approximately 1325.
Volume 29 Folio 218v-219	Wick in Rowde near Bromham, Wiltshire: eight charters; annotated with a list of four charters relating to Crowmarsh in Oxfordshire.
Volume 29 Folio 219v-220v	Bromham in Wiltshire: eight charters, with a list of a further charter.
Volume 29 Folio 221	[Blank]
Volume 29 Folio 221v-222v	Ansty in Alton, Hampshire: eight charters, with a list of a further five charters, the last numbered 13 in Arabic.
Volume 29 Folio 223	[Blank]
Volume 29 Folio 223v-224v	Ixning in Suffolk: eight charters, with a list of a further one charter; annotated with the bounds of the manor of Curmereshale in Haverhill, Suffolk. Approximately 1400.
Volume 29 Folio 224v-225	List of 36 deeds relating to West Greenwich, Deptford, Camberwell, Brockley and Lewisham in Kent. Description: Numbers 1-26 are written on folio 225 and 27-36 on folio 224v.
Volume 29 Folio 225v	List of six deeds of Bestenover in Pevensey, approximately 1325; list of the lands belonging to a messuage called Monhalle which belongs to the manor of Hoton in Essex, approximately 1400.
Volume 29 Folio 226v-228	Two letters of the dean of Hastings to the official of Canterbury relating to a cause concerning the cell of St Nicholas at Exeter and brother Thomas Oving. September-October 1352.
Volume 29 Folio 228v	Two faded texts in silverpoint, the second concerning the claim of Master Simon to a payment of two marks. Approximately 1300.
Volume 29	Release of a pension of 16 marks in return for a corrody; given at Wye, 3 September 1294;

Folio 229	statement that the temporalities of Battle are worth 330 marks 7s 0d which at four pence a mark is £5 0s 2½d. 1294
Volume 29 Folio 230-236	Southwark: 55 charters, with a list of a further six charters. Approximately 1200-1288.
Volume 29 Folio 237	[Blank]
Volume 29 Folio 238-246	Rubric for governing the monastery during a vacancy, with precedents dating from the vacancy following the death of Alan of Retling on 25 January 1351, including a list of the obedientiaries present at the election of Robert of Battle. 1351
Volume 29 Folio 247	[Blank]
Volume 30	<p>Sacrist's cartulary, compiled by Sir John Waller, sacrist of Battle, 10 and 11 H4 [1408-1410]. 1408-1512.</p> <p>Description: The cartulary contains transcripts of charters, as opposed to the main cartulary (Volume 29) which consists merely of summaries; folios 133-138, dating from the middle decades of the 14th century, have been added from other volumes the entries on folios 1-8 and 128v-131 were added to blank folios, that on folio item 8r in the same hand as the cartulary; folios 132-138 are unconnected leaves from several sources, written in the first half of the 14th century.</p> <p>Related materials: For a transcript of 1726, see Volume 32.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9929</p>
Volume 30 Folio 1v-2v	Composition between the abbot of Battle and Nicholas Balle, chaplain of the Blessed Mary near and outside the walls of Battle Abbey and perpetual vicar or chaplain and dean of the leuga of Battle, concerning tithes. 25 July 1415.
Volume 30 Folio 3	Memorandum from the court roll of Alciston of a grant to Stephen Igolenden of ten acres of bondhold land in the common fields of Alciston, with common rights [details] belonging to the sacristy, to hold by a quitrent of 10s 0d. 30 April 1495.
Volume 30 Folio 4-5	Lease of the manor of Angley (Anglyngle) in Cranbrook, with £10-worth of new stock; Richard [Tovy] abbot of Battle to Ralph Lynche and John Dowle for 20 years at £6 13s 4d and a dozen of linencloth called Hawkhurst Cloth worth 7 shillings to the office of the sacrist. 28 September 1493.
Volume 30 Folio 5-5v	Lease of the manor of Angley (Anglyngle) in Cranbrook, with £10-worth of new stock; Lawrence [Champion] abbot of Battle to Stephen Bysshopp for 50 years from 29 September 1511 at £8 and six rabbits at Christmas, to the office of the sacrist. 26 December 1511.
Volume 30 Folio 5v-6	Bond of Stephen Bysshopp of Cranbrook, clothmaker, and his sureties Thomas Henley of Cranbrook, clothmaker, and John Wever of Hawkhurst, tanner, to Lawrence [Champion] abbot of Battle in £40 to perform the covenants in the lease. 26 December 1511.
Volume 30 Folio 6-6v	Lease of a piece of land called Snapyswyshe otherwise called Snapysmede (5 acres) in Bodiam (E, S: meadow called Lye, part of Battle Meadow; W: land of the abbot of Robertsbridge; N: the stream called The Myll Ryver); Lawrence [Champion] abbot of Battle to John Mores of Bodiam for 12 years from 25 March 1511 at 5 shillings to the office of the sacrist. 12 April 1511.

Volume 30 Folio 6v-7	Lease of the sacristy of Battle with all the buildings, lands, meadows and pastures belonging to it outside the walls of the abbey in Battle and Whatlington, with all the live and dead stock listed in a schedule [f 7v], with all the tithes and customs [specified], reserving a piece of land by the garden of John Whyte in Sandlake and a piece of land called Tanerswysshe by Petley Wood, and all the rents; Lawrence [Champion] abbot of Battle to John Iglynden and Richard Reygate for 10 years from 24 June 1512 at £7 13s 4d to the office of the sacrist, with the carriage of 24 cartloads of firewood to the sacrist's chamber in the cemetery of the monastery and straw for the church; detailed covenants relating to the sacristy buildings. 16 August 1512.
Volume 30 Folio 7v	Valued inventory of the live and dead stock of the office of sacrist delivered to John Iglynden and Richard Reygate. [16 August 1512].
Volume 30 Folio 7v-8v	Bond of John Iglynden of Battle, yeoman and Richard Reygate of Battle, yeoman, and their sureties John Kyngeswell of Battle, yeoman, and Richard Porter of Battle, yeoman, to Lawrence [Champion] abbot of Battle in £20 to perform the covenants in the lease of the sacristy. 16 August 1512.
Volume 30 Folio 8	Three deeds of The Parkhawe next to the windmill in Mountjoy in the hand of the cartulary on a folio rubricated Caldebec. 1368-1413. Description: Margery daughter and heir of Adam ate Holte, widow, to Richard Swon of Battle and his wife Joan, 9 April 1368 Robert Swon, son and heir of Richard Swon of Battle, to John Burton son of Thomas Burton of Salehurst, [?1413] William Swon, son and heir of Richard Swon of Battle, to John Burton son of Thomas Burton of Salehurst, 17 February 1413.
Volume 30 Folio 8v	Three extracts from the hallmoot of villeins of Battle. 1307-1310. Description: Hallmoot held by John de Watlyngton, steward; livery to John son of Robert atte Doune, villein, of his late father's tenement; he did fealty as it is witnessed that he has come of age; 15 October 1307 extract of a hallmoot including declaration of customs, and the seizure of part of the tenement of John atte Doune which he alienated to William son of John le Bordere without licence; Sunday in St Lucy, king Edward [the possible years after 1307 are 1310, 1321, 1327 and 1338].
Volume 30 Folio 9	Title of the cartulary. 1408-1410. Description: In the following work are written transcripts of all the charters belonging to the office of the sacrist of Battle, the originals of which are to be found in the coffins of the Town of Battle, Whatlington, Manxey, Willingdon, the altar of St Mary, Hawkhurst, Wye, Schaftysdenn, Angley, Cranbrook, and in other coffins of the muniments among spiritualia and temporalia; which charters were transcribed by the hand of Sir John Waller, sacrist of Battle, in the tenth and eleventh years of king Henry the fourth.
Volume 30 Folio 9-14	Charters of Battle. Approximately 1220-1348.
Volume 30 Folio 14v-15v	Grants by Olive of Wickham. Approximately 1220-approximately 1250.
Volume 30 Folio 15v-17v	Charters of Whatlington. Approximately 1280-1333. Description: Continued onto an un-numbered membrane inserted between folios 17 and 18.
Volume 30 Folio 17v-18	Charters of Hemingfold in Battle. Approximately 1280.
Volume 30 Folio 18v-19	Charters of Agmerhurst in Ashburnham. 1272-1279.
Volume 30 Folio 19v-20	Grant by Luke ate Gate of Beckley of 4 dayworks in Wulveneland in Beckley to build a barn for the sacristy. Approximately 1290.

Volume 30 Folio 20	Charters of Buckholt in Bexhill, Filsham in St Leonards and obligations by Robert de Septvans, kt and Robert de Burghers, kt to William Haringod, kt, 1291, and by Matthew de Hastings, kt for William de Northye to Battle, approximately 1269. Approximately 1269-1291.
Volume 30 Folio 21-37	Charters of Battle. Approximately 1220 -1348.
Volume 30 Folio 38-39	Charters of Breadsell in Battle. Approximately 1270-approximately 1290.
Volume 30 Folio 39v-46	Charters of Battle, Whatlington, Hooe and Swineham in Ninfield belonging to the chapel of the blessed Mary. Approximately 1220-1291.
Volume 30 Folio 46-48	Charters relating to Wye. Approximately 1150-1304.
Volume 30 Folio 48-57	Charters relating to Hawkhurst. Approximately 1220-1325. Description: With a charter of Grange in Gillingham.
Volume 30 Folio 57v-78	Charters relating to Angley (Anglyngly) and Cranbrook. Approximately 1220-1362.
Volume 30 Folio 78	Grant by Thomas son of Reynold Pistor of Wye of a rent of hens, a cock and eggs from the tenement of Petindenn beyond Wachinden [?in Wye] in exchange for an acre where the barn called Useberne anciently stood, in Wye. Approximately 1270.
Volume 30 Folio 78v	Grant by Henry a Mell, Nicholas Morante and John Kyngeswell to John Aylard of Battle of a messuage and garden in Middleborough, subject to rents of a shillings to the infirmarer and a shilling to the sacrist. 13 December 1516.
Volume 30 Folio 79-80	Releases of candles owed to several tenants of Enham in Udimore. 1335-1345.
Volume 30 Folio 80	Grant by abbot Odo to Roger son of Reinfry of land in the furlong of Ho in the vill of Clapham [in Litlington]. Between 1175 and 1200.
Volume 30 Folio 80-80v	Settlement of a dispute over the tithes of The Melelond by Ertesbregg in Mountfield between the sacrist and William rector of Mountfield. 14 September 1288.
Volume 30 Folio 80v	Grant of tenements in Beckley by Battle to Simon de Echingham. 28 January 1274.
Volume 30 Folio 80v-81	Undertaking by the parties to an assize of novel disseisin of unspecified land [?in Beckley] before the justices in eyre that the sheriff Gilbert de la Dene, pledge for both, might distrain on the lands if they fail to abide by the judgement. [1219].
Volume 30 Folio 81-82	Charters relating to Willingdon. Approximately 1190-approximately 1220.
Volume 30 Folio 83-84	Charters relating to the tithes of Westfield and Boresell in Ticehurst. Approximately 1200-approximately 1220.
Volume 30 Folio 83A	Original charter of John Pelham, kt, lord of the rape of Hastings, quitclaiming to Battle all the lands which they hold of him within the rape; illuminated with arms of a pelican in piety. 24 July 1430. Description: Inserted between folios 83 and 84.
Volume 30 Folio 84	Confirmation by Eleanor [Marshall] countess of Pembroke of the houses and land at Sutton [at Hone in Kent] which Durand son of Waldelin gave, except the lands which he had of his inheritance and the houses which he has in her borough (burgagium) of Sutton. Between 1231

	and 1238.
Volume 30 Folio 84-88	Charters relating to the disputed tithes of Bucksteep in Warbleton. Approximately 1120-1350.
Volume 30 Folio 88v-89	Settlement by Hugh de Mortuo Mari, archdeacon of Canterbury, of a dispute over the tithes of Wachindenn in Biddenden between Battle and Robert de Bradegar, rector of Biddenden. 9 April 1272.
Volume 30 Folio 89-89v	Grant by William de Sneylham to Gilbert Hurtaud of land in the brook of Crowham [in Westfield]. Approximately 1250.
Volume 30 Folio 89v-90	Settlement of a dispute over burial rights in Battle between abbot Ralph and Ralph [Nevill] bishop of Chichester, reciting a settlement between bishop Stigand [approximately 1075-1087] and abbot Gausbert [1076-1095] by king William 1; between 1235 and 1244. Approximately 1240.
Volume 30 Folio 90	Charters concerning Icklesham. Approximately 1190-approximately 1240.
Volume 30 Folio 91-92	Charters (mostly of tithes) in Westfield, Bucksteep in Warbleton, Wickham in Battle, Bathurst in Warbleton, Hidney in Pevensey, Ivinden in Mayfield, Pevensey, Cooden and Buckholt in Bexhill. Approximately 1150-approximately 1200.
Volume 30 Folio 93-97	Charters concerning Manxey [in Pevensey]. Approximately 1220-1304.
Volume 30 Folio 98	Charters concerning the disputed tithes of Glassey in Beckley. 1246-1267.
Volume 30 Folio 98-102	Confirmations by bishops of grants of tithes. Approximately 1180-1340.
Volume 30 Folio 102	Lease of Snapemede in Bodiam by brother John de Wy, sacrist, to John Bourder of Bodiam. 1342
Volume 30 Folio 103-104	Charters concerning Manxey [in Pevensey]. Approximately 1210-approximately 1240.
Volume 30 Folio 104-113	Charters concerning tithes, many duplicates of those folios 91-100, including confirmations by bishops of Chichester. Approximately 1130-1340.
Volume 30 Folio 113-116	Papal confirmations of the privileges of Battle. 1173-approximately 1220.
Volume 30 Folio 116-122	Inspeximus of Battle charters. 13 November 1400.
Volume 30 Folio 122	Confirmation by Alice countess of Eu of grants by her men in the rape of Hastings. Approximately 1230.
Volume 30 Folio 122-124	Grants by members of the Etchingam family; includes a plea in the common bench, 1330, and genealogy of the Etchingam family made 3 September 1367. Approximately 1230-1367.
Volume 30 Folio 124	Confirmations by archbishops of Canterbury of Battle's rights in Wye and Dengemarsch, and a renunciation by Roger vicar of Lydd of the small tithes, with exceptions, 1267. Approximately 1120-1314.
Volume 30 Folio 125	Declaration by Robert de Hastings that the rector of Brightling has no right in his demesne of Netherfield which he had in the first year of king John [1199], nor any of the neighbouring

	churches save the church of St Mary of Battle, approximately 1220; confirmation by Edward [2] of gifts by William de Etchingam, 16 March 1321. Approximately 1220, 1321.
Volume 30 Folio 125v	Settlement of a dispute between the abbeys of Robertsbridge and Battle over the tithes of newly-cultivated land at Hocstepe in Mountfield, 1335, and a release by John de Hocstepe to Battle of his claim to two candles formerly received from the sacrist, 1343. 1335-1343.
Volume 30 Folio 126	Definitions of English words. Approximately 1410.
Volume 30 Folio 126v-128	Plea in the common bench against Robert Neel treasurer of Chichester, for arrears of a pension from Manxey in Pevensey, 1411, with a receipt for the arrears, 1413. 1411-1413.
Volume 30 Folio 127A	Memorandum that the master of the Maison Dieu of Dover has purchased the moiety of 18 acres in Romney Marsh subject to a quitrent of 4s 9d and suit of court to Battle. Approximately 1480. Related materials: For a survey of the tenement approximately 1410, see folio 128 inserted between folios 127 and 128.
Volume 30 Folio 128	Survey of the tenement of John Cocus in St Mary in the Marsh, Romney Marsh, held of Battle by a quitrent of 9s 6d. Approximately 1410.
Volume 30 Folio 128v	Grant by Simon de Etchingam to Thomas son of William de Harmere of land in Whatlington, saving the advowson of the chapel of Whatlington, approximately 1220; memorandum that Richard Dartmouth, sacrist, was seised by the tenant William atte Downe of a quitrent of 2 shillings from land called The Erle at Breadsell, 1 May 1434. Approximately 1220, 1434.
Volume 30 Folio 129	Plea in the common bench by the abbot of Battle against the parson of Babraham in Suffolk of an annual rent of £1 6s 8d. 1463
Volume 30 Folio 129v	Plea in the common bench by the abbot of Battle against John Mardeley rector of Warbleton of an annual rent of £4. 1478
Volume 30 Folio 130v-131	[Blank]
Volume 30 Folio 131v	Releases of candles owed to several tenants of Enham in Udimore. 1396
Volume 30 Folio 132	List of the land in Salehurst from which the sacrist of Battle has the tithes. 1 March 1427. Description: Shown to the sacrist Richard Herst, the granator Richard Dartmouth, Thomas Bround and Richard Curteys by Roger Hope of Salehurst and his son John Hope.
Volume 30 Folio 132v	List of the tithes from the tenement formerly Twystride and Schortes in Ore (of which the sacrist takes all) and from Lidham in Guestling (of which the sacrist takes the third sheaf). Approximately 1420.
Volume 30 Folio 133	Grants by abbots of Battle for the endowment of the office of sacrist. Approximately 1180-1304.
Volume 30 Folio 133v	Agreement concerning the disputed tithes of Bucksteep and Bathurst in Warbleton. 1315
Volume 30 Folio 134-137	Agreement between Battle and their tenants of Hawkhurst, 1285; grant by Luke ate Gate to the sacrist of land in Beckley, approximately 1290; grant of rents by Eustace son of Eustace de Burnes, approximately 1220; grant of rents at Helmingfold and Breadsell by John Mowyn lord

	<p>of Wilting, approximately 1270; grant by abbot W[alter?] of all the tithes in the leuga and elsewhere to the secretary [sacrist] of Battle, approximately 1150; grant by Anselm de Fraevilla of Dudiland, approximately 1110; confirmation by Ralph [Luffa] bishop of Chichester of Brunkinus de Hastings's grant of tithes, approximately 1120; confirmation by Ralph [Luffa] bishop of Chichester of Anselm de Fraevilla's grant of the tithes of Glassey and Breadsell, approximately 1120; grant by Ralph de Icklesham to Benedict the sacrist of 10 shillings' worth of land, approximately 1190, with a confirmation by Seffrid bishop of Chichester, approximately 1125; grant by Anselm de Fraevilla of the tithes of Glassey, Dudiland and Breadsell, approximately 1110; memorandum that the abbot of Battle exhibited their muniments entitling them to tithes at the metropolitan visitation of the diocese of Chichester by the archbishop of Canterbury, 15 June 1300; confirmation by Ralph [Luffa] bishop of Chichester of several grants of tithes, approximately 1120; award of Richard of Droitwich bishop of Chichester of the tithes of Glassey in Bexhill (in dispute with Michael rector of Beckey) to Battle, 1246; letters of Simon Mepham archbishop of Canterbury of Battle proof at his visitation of their right to the church of Wye and pensions from Kingsnorth and Hawkhurst, 4 May 1329; three letters concerning the pension due to Battle from Hawkhurst church, 1335; quitclaim by Henry Wardedieu to Battle and the sacrist of the services owed to the fee of Bodiam from Frickley Wood and Agmerhurst [in Ashburnham], 20 April 1279; grant by Simon de Etchingham of a rent of 6 shillings owed by Reynold de Holtre from the more beneath SE's park of Udimore, approximately 1220; grant by Hugh de Ores, son of Richard de Wilendun' to the use of the sacrist of 2½a in the field called Ores in Willingdon, approximately 1220; grant by the abbot to the sacrist of the lands within the gate of the new park by the chapel of the blessed Mary in the town of Battle, and the lands by the garden of the sacristy, 1337; receipt for £2 by brother William de Horwode, professed monk and sacrist, to William rector of Warbleton, for the pension due to Battle, 1339; quitclaim by John de Hokestepe for two candles formerly due to him from the sacrist, 1343; receipt for 16 shillings by brother John de Wye, sacrist, to John de Perchyng for the pension of Manxey, 1342; another similar receipt, approximately 1350; memorandum by John Waller, sacrist, of the coronations and burials of Edward 1, Edward 2 and Edward 3, approximately 1415. Approximately 1110-approximately 1415.</p> <p>Description: Folios 134-135 have been bound in reverse order and are calendared here in the order in which they should appear.</p>
Volume 30 Folio 138	<p>List of grants to the office of sacrist; grants of tenancies for life, 1335; survey of the lands of the sacrist at Bucksteep in Warbleton, Enham in Udimore, Glassey in Beckley, Idyntone in Whatlington and Buckholt in Bexhill. Approximately 1345.</p>
Volume 31	<p>Transcript of volume of transcripts of judicial and exchequer enrolments concerning the liberties of Battle, 1189-1323 [Volume 33] and cartulary [Volume 29] by David Casley, keeper of the king's and Cottonian library, from manuscripts in the hands of Thomas Webster, bt. 1727</p> <p>Description: Pages 1-615 and unfoliated blanks at front: notes on individual entries [?by Thomas Webster].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9930/1</p>
Volume 31 Folios 1-114	<p>Transcript of volume of transcripts of judicial and exchequer enrolments concerning the liberties of Battle, 1189-1323 [Volume 33]. 1727</p>
Volume 31 Folios 115-615	<p>Transcript of cartulary [Volume 29]. 1727</p>

Volume 32	<p>Transcript of sacrist's cartulary [Volume 30] and Cottonian manuscripts relating to Battle Abbey above by David Casley, keeper of the king's and Cottonian library, from manuscripts in the hands of Thomas Webster, bt. 1726-1727.</p> <p>Description: Paginated 1-227 followed by 38 blank leaves; pagination recommences 1-299 for all the Cottonian manuscripts at front: I [Thomas Phillipps] lent the 1st volume of this cartulary [Volume 31] to the Revd Edward Turner of 17 St Giles Oxford 1850 I desired him to leave it with the Vice Chancellor Dr Plumtree of University College Oxford.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9930/2</p>
Volume 32 Part 1	Transcript of sacrist's cartulary [Volume 30]. 1727
Volume 32 Part 2	Transcript of the Battle Abbey chronicle [BL] Ms Cotton Domitian A II 2. 1727
Volume 32 Part 3	Transcript of a list of 12 churches and their endowments made by abbot Walter de Lucy, 1155; from Ms Cotton Tiberius B V 27 f88. 1726
Volume 32 Part 4	Transcript of extracts from the Battle Abbey chronicle by John Joscelin (1509-1603) from [BL] Ms Cotton Vitellius D VII f168. 1727
Volume 32 Part 5	Transcript of a list of 12 churches and their endowments made by abbot Walter de Lucy, 1155; from Ms Cotton Tiberius B V 27 f88. Approximately 1700.
f. Miscellaneous records	
Almoners' rolls of charters of Maxfield (BA 519-520)	
BA 519	<p>Almoner: roll of transcripts of 12 charters of Maxfield. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Endorsed: These two rolls are transcribed elsewhere in the great register of the almonry, through sealed charters and copies.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 615-1</p>
BA 519/1	<p>Confirmation. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Ralph le Hai to Robert Frostre 60 acres of land of the demesne of Maxfield, 6 acres of meadow and all the lands, rents and woods which Ralph's brother Adam formerly sold to Robert To hold by the services specified in the charters which he has from Adam.</p> <p>Witnesses: Godfrey de Pette, Hugh de Nithertun, William Betel, Vincent de Mixefeld, Alan de Ichetun, John de Ichentun, Roger de Hoselonde, William de Stoke</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 519/2	<p>Transcript of conveyance from Ralph Hay to Robert Foster [Box 13, Item 707].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 519/3	<p>Transcript of conveyance from Ingram de Stoke to Robert Foster [Box 5, Item 766].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 519/4	<p>Transcript of conveyance from William de Bec to Robert Foster [Box 2, Item 842].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>

<p>BA 519/5</p>	<p>Undertaking to pay a rentcharge. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: William de Bec to Alice daughter of Edmund de Hasting That he will discharge her from the payment of £1 0s 6d which she owes from the land of Snailham</p> <p>Concerning which a chirograph was made between William and her father Edmund before the king's justices of the bench [in 1203 - see SUSSEX RECORD SOCIETY 2.58 and Curia Regis Rolls 2.66-7].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
<p>BA 519/6</p>	<p>Grant for £2. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Adam le Hai to Robert Fostre 1 fifteen acres of his land in Maxfield (Mexefeld) [in Guestling] nearest to his land which is called the land of Hugelot (E: AH's demesne of Maxfield) 2 two acres of meadow lying at the old mill, between RF's meadow which AH's mother formerly held as dower, and between his meadow which AH's meadow held as dower [recte the meadow which belonged to his mother Levota and the meadow of the church of Guestling - see Box 4, Item 700, BA 519/11, and 520/1], one acre Vincent de Mexefeld held and the other Ralph de Mexefeld</p> <p>To hold of AH by a rent of 3 pence for all services.</p> <p>Related materials: For transcript, see BA 520/1.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
<p>BA 519/7</p>	<p>Agreement (chirograph) for a lease for 12 years from 25 December 1235 at 8 shillings. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Adam le Hay to Robert Fostre All his land of Maxfield (Mexefeld) with all its appurtenances, except the site of the capital messuage and the forestall, in lands, meadows, pastures, woods, rents and men RF will receive all the escheats and profits both from AH's mother's dower and from the other tenants, and pay the moiety to AH; should AH's mother die during the lease, RF shall take all the rent which she held by dower, and then pay a rent of £1 2s 3d; RF may not cut any of AH's wood unless for reasonable fencing, or for fuel (vel ad focum ibidem faciendum); warranty excludes suit of the county and the court of the Countess of Eu; if RF incurs damage by failure of AH's warranty, RF may hold the land until he has recovered all his costs.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
<p>BA 519/8</p>	<p>Quitclaim for 13s 4d. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Adam le Hay to the abbot and convent of Battle and the almonry The third part of the lordship of Maxfield (Mexefeld) [in Guestling] being the third part that his mother Levota held in dower, in men, lands, rents, services, woods, plainland, meadows and brooklands</p> <p>To hold in free alms, saving the service which his brother Ralph le Hay owes, and the service of the king and Count [of Eu].</p> <p>The consideration paid by abbot Ralph [of Coventry, 1235-1261].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
<p>BA 519/9</p>	<p>Transcript of conveyance from Ralph le Hay to the abbot and convent of Battle [Box 4, Item 1175].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>

BA 519/10	<p>Grant of rents in free alms. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Ralph le Hay, with the agreement of his first-born brother Adam, to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the almonry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 a rent of 4 pence from the third part of Maxfield (Mexefeld) 2 a rent of a penny from the land of Popinton. <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 519/11	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Adam le Hay to the abbot and convent of Battle and the almonry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 fifteen acres of his land in Maxfield (Mexefeld) [in Guestling] nearest to his land which is called the land of Huelot (E: AH's demesne of Maxfield) 2 two acres of meadow lying at the old mill, between AH's meadow which his mother formerly held as dower, and the meadow of the parson of Guestling 3 two acres of meadow with the appurtenances and foreland, between the brook which belonged to Robert Fostre, and his meadow which AH's meadow held as dower, one acre Vincent de Mexefeld held and the other Ralph de Mexefeld <p>To hold by a rent of 3 pence for all services.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 519/12	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Adam le Hay to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the almonry</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 the house with a curtilage and enclosure (purprisium) which Ralph de Mexefeld held 2 a croft which lies between the house of AH's mother Levota and the enclosure in 1 3 an acre of land which lies on the west side of the land <p>A way to the well which is called Stokwelle paying a rent of 1s 1d to his first-born brother Adam le Hay for all services except the service of the king and count [of Eu], namely [scutage] of 3 pence in 13s 4d, and a penny for castleguard; Adam le Hay to warrant.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520	<p>Almoner: roll of transcripts of 17 charters of Maxfield. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 615-2</p>
BA 520/1	<p>Transcript of grant from Adam le Hai to Robert Fostre [BA 519/6].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520/2	<p>Quitclaim as BA 520/1.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520/3	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Adam le Hay to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the almonry</p> <p>The whole field called Cunifunte with all the upland wood (suseynus), saving to AH a piece of land which stretches beteen the upland wood and his own land, as the boundaries and ditches between them show</p> <p>Saving a reasonable way to carry and drive to his wood, in a place which will be most convenient and least harmful to the keepers of the almonry, according to the course of their husbandry (secundum saisonas wainerie sue); AH to be responsible for enclosing with his own material the moiety of the boundary when necessary against the keeper of the almonry.</p> <p>To hold of AH by a rent of 4½ pence for all services and suits of court.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520/4	<p>Transcript of conveyance from Ingram de Stoke to Robert Fostr' [Box 5, Item 766].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520/5	<p>Transcript of confirmation by Adam le Hay of the grant and gift made by Robert Fostre [Box 2, Item 1110].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520/6	<p>Quitclaim for £1 10s 0d.</p> <p>Description: Ingram son of Roger de Hoselond to the almonry of Battle All the land in Guestling which his father Roger held of Adam le Hay The consideration paid by William the monk, then almoner and keeper of the almonry house.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520/7	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Walter de Langherst and his wife Emma to the almonry of Battle and its keeper Seven perches of land in Maxfield (Mexefeld) [in Guestling] which lies surrounded by the land of the almoner except at the western end, where they abut on Walter and Emma's meadow called the meadow of Tikeherst.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520/8	<p>Transcript of confirmation by chief lord [Box 14, Item 1144].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520/9	<p>Grant in free alms as BA 520/6 by John de Langherst; Tikehurst called 'the meadow' rather than 'our meadow'. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520/10	<p>Grant. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Adam son and heir of Robert Hay to his brother Ralph, for his homage and service All the land of the demesne of Maxfield (Mexefeld) which his mother Levota held in dower after the death of his father Robert, in woods and plain lands and meadows and pastures and in all things both dry and damp (tam seccis quam madidis), with the homage and service of John de Popinton, namely 6s 8d, with all the escheats which might occur from him To hold of AH by the rent of a pair of spurs worth six pence for all services except those of the king and count [of Eu], namely scutage of 10¼d in 13s 4d and 2¼d for castleguar.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520/11	<p>Grant for 5 shillings. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Adam Hay to his brother Ralph Hay 1 his house with a curtilage which Ralph de Mexefeld held 2 a croft which lies between the house of AH's mother Levota and the house in 1 3 an acre of land which lies on the west side of the croft in 2 4 a way to the well which is called Stocvelle Paying AH a rent of 1s 1d for all services except the service of the king and count [of Eu], namely [scutage] of 3 pence in 13s 4d, and a penny for castleguard.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520/12	<p>Transcript of a conveyance for £4 [Box 4, Item 1173].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520/13	<p>Transcript of confirmation from Adam le Hay to Robert Fostre [Box 13, Item 1153].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520/14	<p>Transcript of quitclaim from Robert Fostre to the almonry of Battle [Box 6, Item 1167].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520/15	<p>Transcript of conveyance from Ralph le Hay to the abbot and convent of Battle [Box 4, Item 1175].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520/16	<p>Transcript of quitclaim from Adam le Hay to abbot Ralph [de Coventry] and the convent of Battle and the almonry of the same church [Box 13, Item 1264].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 520/17	<p>Transcript of confirmation by chief lord [Box 13, Item 1189].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
<p>Roll of charters of Webblings and Catermansland in Wartling (BA 521)</p>	
BA 521	<p>Roll of charters of Webblings and Catermansland in Wartling, including the will of Adam Iwood, 1418-1450. Approximately 1450.</p> <p>Endorsed: This is the copy that belongeth [unto Cobbes], Webbynges and Catermanys.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 588</p>
BA 521/1	<p>Grant to feoffees. 29 September 1430.</p> <p>Description: Adam Ywode of Warbleton to William Bayle of Mayfield, Thomas atte Welle of Buxted, John Merifeld and William Stonacre All his lands and tenements, rents and services in Sussex, both within the liberty of the Five Ports and outside it.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon Cheyne, John Penherst, Thomas atte Wode, William Alman, Thomas atte Bergh; at Warbleton</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 521/2	<p>Quitclaim among feoffees. 5 March 1446.</p> <p>Description: William Baylle and Thomas atte Welle to William Stonaker The property in which they, with John Merifeld now deceased, were enfeoffed by Adam Ywode.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>

<p>BA 521/3</p>	<p>Grant to new feoffees. 30 March 1446.</p> <p>Description: William Stonaker to John Assheburnhame, Bartholomew Bolne, William Baylle, Thomas atte Welle, Walter Dolman, Robert atte Wode and Richard Burton the younger The property in which WS, with WB and TW, was enfeoffed by Adam Ywode, William Petejohn, Lettice Wykyng, John Averay and his wife Helen.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Cheyne, Ralph Shoeswell, Thomas Thetcher, Thomas atte Stokke, Stephen Walssh, Thomas atte Lever, John Alard; at Warbleton</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
<p>BA 521/4</p>	<p>Quitclaim by Adam Ywode to the new feoffees of 30 March 1446. 5 October 1448.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
<p>BA 521/5</p>	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 13 June 1418.</p> <p>Description: Thomas atte Beche of Wartling to Adam Ywode, Simon Cheyne, William Fynche, Robert Redyng, Thomas atte Wode, Thomas Pepleshame, John Fakhame, Thomas Wannemere, William Alman and William Gilderegge</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 all the lands and tenements at Cowbeech in Herstmonceux which formerly belonged to Thomas Thetcher or Richard Cralle 2 all the lands and tenements called Katermannyslond in Wartling which formerly belonged to Thomas atte Berge 3 all the lands and tenements called Webbynges in Wartling and the moiety of the lands and tenements called Cobbes, with all the rents and services, in Herstmonceux 4 all the lands and tenements, rents and services in Hailsham in which he was lately enfeoffed by Thomas atte Wode, as his charter makes clear 5 two messuages and 11 acres in Hailsham which he lately bought from Thomas Smyth and Simon Synderford by a fine levied at Westminster [in 1402 - see SUSSEX RECORD SOCIETY 23.2714, which however records a sale to Thomas and Simon] 6 two acres in Hailsham lately bought from William Willard in exchange 7 an annual rent of £1 6s 8d paid by Thomas Stonlyng of Guestling for various pieces of land in Guestling, lately purchased from him for 17 years. <p>Witnesses: John Colbrond, Thomas Pull, Thomas Gilderegge, Richard Ponte, John Page, Richard Page, Thomas Clerk, Ralph Smyth, Richard Stodenne; at Wartling.</p> <p>Related materials: For the original of this charter, see East Sussex Record Office TTT 3/1/12.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
<p>BA 521/6</p>	<p>Letter of attorney. 13 June 1418.</p> <p>Description: Thomas atte Beche of Wartling to Thomas atte Bergh of Herstmonceux to deliver seisin in accordance with BA 521/5.</p> <p>Related materials: For the original of this charter, see East Sussex Record Office TTT 3/1/13</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
<p>BA 521/7</p>	<p>Quitclaim. 1 October 1419.</p> <p>Description: Thomas atte Beche of Wartling to the feoffees of 13 June 1418 The land conveyed to them by BA 521/5.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Prestwyk parson of Warbleton, Henry [Foston] vicar of Wartling, Richard Cralle, Thomas Playstede, Thomas Pull, Thomas Gelderegge, Richard Ponte, Thomas Petyjon; at Wartling</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>

BA 521/8	<p>Last will of Thomas atte Beche, made at his dwelling (hospicium) at The Beche [Cowbeech in Wartling]. 26 September 1419.</p> <p>Description: After his death, his feoffees to enfeoff his wife Alice for life and a year, with the following remainders: To John Hedenye and his heirs in tail, successive remainders to John's sisters Joan, Agnes, Amice and Maud and to their heirs in tail, remainder to Thomas's right heirs:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 His capital messuage with all its adjoining land, wood and pasture, on the east side of the road from Cowbeech to Blakeforthcrowche 2 A piece of land called Ryefeld at Blakeforthcrowche 3 Lands and tenements called Ketefode 4 A piece of land called Erundels in Manxey 5 Six acres called Dorteyes in Hailsham <p>To Robert Thetcher and Thomas's sister Alice, and to her heirs in tail, remainder to John Hedenye and his sisters in tail as above, remainder to John Merssher and his heirs in tail, remainder to Thomas's right heirs:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 6 Land and tenements between Blakeforthismelle and Synderforth 7 Lands and tenements called Iwottis and Ryders and a field called Northwode 8 Lands and tenements called Whitedigge in Hailsham 9 Lands and tenements called The Helde and Somkenelond <p>For as long as the income of the land set aside by TB for the upkeep of a chaplain [is inadequate], TB's feoffees to allow the chaplain to have a piece of land called Heyelond next to Genesyng for his dwelling (mansio), which is afterwards to remain to JH in tail as above; before they deliver any estate in the land, his feoffees are to take £6 13s 4d from the wood growing on the share of his sister Alice, and £13 6s 8d from that of John Hedenye.</p> <p>Related materials: For the original of this charter, with additional entails and with witnesses, see East Sussex Record Office TTT 3/1/14.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 521/9	<p>Last will (in English) of Adam Ywode. 4 May 1450.</p> <p>Description: Immediately after his death, his feoffees are to grant an annuity of £4, charged on all his lands and tenements except those within the mile of Pevensey which are sold to John Morle, Grovelond, Claregge and Hailsham, to Parnel Fynche as long as she is single, which is not to be paid while she and her sister AY's wife, live together</p> <p>Feoffees to grant all his lands and tenements, rents and services, except those within the mile of Pevensey sold to John Morle, to his wife Joan for life, with the following remainders: to William Alman in tail male, with successive remainders to his brothers Richard, Stephen and John Alman in tail male, remainder to his feoffees in trust for sale to the best bidder for the benefit of priests, poor men, foul ways, maidens to marry and other alms deeds for all Christian souls:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 all his lands and tenements, rents and services in Warbleton, Heathfield, Dallington and Ashburnham, Fordwich, the lands called Jerveys, Trusselegh and Grovelond <p>To Harry Sleghand in tail, subject to his finding sufficient surety (in the opinion of AY's feoffees) not to hinder nor obstruct AY's will; if he refuse, the lands to be sold by his feoffees for his soul and all Christian souls</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2 all his lands and tenements called Webbynges, Catermannes, Nottes, Berdes, Giffardes, Hopes and Willardes, as John Kenne has it to farm <p>To be sold for his soul and all Christian souls:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3 lands and tenements in Waldron called Claregge 4 lands in Hailsham, to be sold immediately <p>His feoffees to make and estate to John Morle of the lands and tenements in the mile of Pevensey as soon as he has paid for them. Power for his feoffees to make further feoffments as</p>

	<p>they think fit. Robert atte Wode to release his title in AY's lands and tenements to his co- feoffees.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
Treasurer's roll of charters of Snailham in Guestling (BA 522)	
BA 522	<p>Almoner: roll of six charters of Snailham in Guestling, approximately 1230. Approximately 1450.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 522/1	<p>Transcript of conveyance from William de Bec to Robert Foster [Box 2, Item 842].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 522/2	<p>Transcript of grant of rent from Robert Fostre to the abbot and convent of Battle [Box 6, Item 1258].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 522/3	<p>Transcript of confirmation of a grant of rent from William de Bec to the abbot and convent of Battle [Box 12, Item 1259].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 522/4	<p>Settlement of a dispute (chirograph). Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: The abbot and convent of Battle and William de Snelham A rent of £1 0s 6d for the land of Snailham [in Guestling] which Battle demands from William William acknowledges that he is bound to pay the rent, to the use of the Almonry, at Maxfield twice a year, to perform fealty, relief and suit of the abbot's court at Maxfield when there is a royal writ there for the judgment of thieves; that he should be punished there for any trespasses done to the abbot or his men, and others when there are plaints; so that he should do no other service to the court, namely three-weekly service. Witnesses: William Pessun [kt], Joel de Sancto Germano [kt], Michael de Beche, Luke de Swynham, John de Codecumbe, Matthew de Wadehyst, Nicholas Marescallus Notes: Some readings in the confirmation by William de Bec, BA 522/6, have been preferred. Related materials: For confirmation, see BA 522/6.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 522/5	<p>Transcript of conveyance from Alan de Lideham to Richard, almoner of Battle [Box 7, Item 788].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 522/6	<p>Confirmation of settlement of a dispute [BA 522/4] by WB [?William Bec], now tenant of the lands formerly William Snailham. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Acknowledging a power of distraint for non-payment. Recites disputes between Battle and William Sneyham, then tenant of the lands of Snailham, which were corrected by the intervention of friends.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>

External affairs miscellaneous (BA 933-942)	
BA 933	<p>Fragment of an account of the income and expenditure of the Priory of St Mary Overy, Southwark, for six years six months, [June 1397-December 1405]. Approximately 1405.</p> <p>Description: Includes the costs of harvest at Ketebroke, Wexham, Stoke and Mitcham for 1398 'besides the costs of harvests in the following years'; the account refers to 'the aforesaid time', which by calculation from the annual amounts and totals can be determined as six years and six months; [in June 1397, the bishop of Winchester ordered a visitation, whih found the newly appointed prior John Kingston to be suffering from so serious an infirmity as to be incapable of ruling his house; its custody was committed to the sub-prior and canon John Stacy, who were enjoined to have an account of rents received during the last four years made up for audit].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 934	<p>Texts of the clause forbidding the carrying of baselards, daggers and swords from the statute of Cambridge 12 R2 (labourers) 11 H4 c4 (unlawful games). Approximately 1450.</p> <p>Description: Both provisions empowered bailiffs and constables to arrest offenders, which doubtless explains the presence of this document in the archive.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 1058</p>
BA 935	<p>Fragments of two parliamentary bills of impeachment against [William de la Pole], duke of Suffolk, [7 February 1450, 9 March 1450]. [1450].</p> <p>Description: 211-2 lists articles 2-5 of the nine articles presented on 7 February, 211-1 lists articles 11-18 of the 18 articles presented on 9 March [for a complete text of which see BA 936]; see Given-Wilson and others (eds) <i>The parliament rolls of medieval England</i> (Woodbridge, 2005) 15, 20-23.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 211:1-2</p>
BA 936	<p>Text of the parliamentary bill of impeachment against [William de la Pole], duke of Suffolk, [9 March 1450]. [1450].</p> <p>Description: 18 articles, as printed in Given-Wilson and others (eds) <i>The parliament rolls of medieval England</i> (Woodbridge, 2005) 12, 29-47.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 49</p>
BA 937	<p>Transcripts of letters from [William Bonville], Lord Bonville, Thomas [Courtenay] earl of Devon, Richard duke of York and Cecily, duchess of York. 1453-1455.</p> <p>Description: For a discussion of this document, including transcripts of 937/3-4, see Carole Rawcliffe, 'Richard, Duke of York, the King's "Obeisant Liegeman"...', <i>Historical Research</i> 60 (1987), pp. 232-9; the document is now repaired, but the transcripts suggest that elements of the right margin, now lost, were visible in 1987.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 211=3</p>
BA 937/1	<p>[William Bonville], Lord Bonville, Bishops Clyst, to Thomas [Courtenay] earl of Devon. 22 November [1455].</p> <p>Description: Accusation of treason and cowardice, and of lying in wait 'to mischief and murder me and my servants'; sets an hour to meet in the field.</p> <p>Related materials: For reply, see BA 937/2.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Ink number: n/a
BA 937/2	<p>Thomas [Courtenay] earl of Devon, to [William Bonville], Lord Bonville. 23 November [1455].</p> <p>Description: Reply to BA 937/1; denies the accusations, and suggests that their quarrel be settled by single combat in order that 'the king's highness be not displeased and avoiding the shedding of blood of all other the king's liege people'.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 937/3	<p>Richard duke of York and defender of England, Waltham Abbey, to 'high and mighty prince' [his son Edward, Earl of March]. 8 May [1454].</p> <p>Description: Fatherly advice and chastisement on account of his insolent behaviour; rumours that he is assembling an armed force; desires a reply by the bearer, clarifying his intentions.</p> <p>Publication note: For a transcript of this letter, see Carole Rawcliffe, 'Richard, Duke of York, the King's "Obeisant Liegeman"...', <i>Historical Research</i> 60 (1987), pp. 238-9.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 937/4	<p>Cecily, duchess of York, to [Margaret of Anjou, queen of England]. [?May 1453].</p> <p>Description: Margaret's reception, returning from Walsingham, of Cecily's visit on behalf of her husband Richard, duke of York; prayers for Margaret's safe delivery [of Prince Edward, born 13 October 1453]; her suit delayed not by sloth or discontinuance but by illness; hopes Margaret might be a means of approach to the king to show his favour and benevolence to her husband.</p> <p>Publication note: For a transcript of this letter, see Carole Rawcliffe, 'Richard, Duke of York, the King's "Obeisant Liegeman"...', <i>Historical Research</i> 60 (1987), pp. 237-8.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: n/a</p>
BA 938	<p>Fragment of the text of the act of attainder against Henry [Stafford] duke of Buckingham and others. [February 1484].</p> <p>Description: Nine papers, lacking the first and an unspecified number at the end; the duke's rebellion was said to have begun at Brecon on 18 August 1483, which may explain Battle's interest in the attainder.</p> <p>Publication note: As printed in Given-Wilson and others (eds) <i>The parliament rolls of medieval England</i> (Woodbridge, 2005) 15, 3.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 50</p>
BA 939	<p>Text of the statutes 1 Ric 3 ch 1 and 2, against privy and unknown feoffments, and against benevolences. [February 1484].</p> <p>Publication note: As printed in Given-Wilson and others (eds) <i>The parliament rolls of medieval England</i> (Woodbridge, 2005) 15, 18, 20.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 1630</p>
BA 940	<p>Copy of a circular letter [?from John Ashdown, prior of Lewes to Thomas Fiennes] incorporating the certificate of themselves and others as commissioners of array. [August 1513].</p> <p>Description: The reference to letters 'in the queen's name' enables this letter to be dated to 1513, when Katherine was governor of the realm and captain-general, with authority to raise troops, during Henry's absence on campaign in France between 30 June and 21 October.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 1548</p>

<p>BA 940/1</p>	<p>Letter from [John Ashdown, prior of Lewes to Thomas Fiennes]. [August 1513].</p> <p>Description: Edward Lewknor was informed by [Robert Sherborn] bishop of Chichester that he had sent up the returns for the Rapes of Chichester and Arundel the day before; Lewknor came to the writer, and they immediately made the return for the Rapes of Bramber, Lewes, Pevensey and Hastings and sent them to [William Warham] archbishop of Canterbury, by Thomas Hilles of the Cliffe; the writer and Edward Lewknor 'have subscribed your names all in the same letter and ours therewith as ye bid us do at Cade Street'; asks the recipient to send the letter to the abbot of Battle, Goddard Oxenbridge, Richard Sackville, William Ashburnham and Thomas Thatcher.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
<p>BA 940/2</p>	<p>Letter from the commissioners of array to [William Warham] archbishop of Canterbury, president of the council. 19 August [1513].</p> <p>Description: According to the queen's letter; beseech the council to 'take no displeasure with us considering the distance of the said Rapes, the busy time of the year and disease of certain of us commissioners', as the bearer can more fully explain; Laurence [Champion] abbot of Battle, John [Ashdown] prior of Lewes, Thomas Fenys, Goddard Oxenbregge, Richard Sakvyle, William Asschbourneham, John Goryng, Edward Lewkenoure, John Thetcher and Thomas Thetcher; at Lewes.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
<p>BA 940/3</p>	<p>Certificate of the commissioners of array in the Rapes of Hastings, Pevensey, Lewes and Bramber, excluding the towns of the Five Ports. [August 1513].</p> <p>Description: Rape of Hastings: 203 able men, 162 harness; Pevensey: 310 able men, 253 harness; Lewes: 315 able men, 170 harness; Bramber: 203 able men, 125 harness; 'my lord of Canterbury and the council were well content with our certificate and gave our messenger good words, saying that we of Sussex should have all the favour that reasonably might be'.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: n/a</p>
<p>BA 941</p>	<p>Copy of the Inquisition post Mortem of John [de Vere], earl of Oxford, for Essex, 11 June 1513. Approximately 1640.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed 'where it is found that Essex and Waltham are one and the same forest'; [Sir Thomas Webster (1676-1751), of Copped Hall, Essex, and Battle Abbey, became verderer of Waltham Forest in 1718, a position he held until his death].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 1509</p>
<p>BA 942</p>	<p>Letters of Lawrence [Champion] abbot of Battle, Goddard Oxenbregge, kt, William Fynche, kt and Richard Devenyssh, esq, commissioners in the Rape of Hastings, to the bailiff of George Hastings, kt, Lord Hastings. 2 October 1526.</p> <p>Description: To summon Thomas Wydres, John Tokye, John Taillour and William Danyell of the hundred of Guestling, Thomas Andrew of Robertsbridge, the abbot of Robertsbridge, Robert Sneppe and [blank] Holden of the hundred of Henhurst, Roger Lewkenore kt or his farmer and Thomas Oxenbregge, gent, of the hundred of Staple, to be before them Robertsbridge on 9 October 1526 at 9am to hear what shall be objected against them, and to the constables of the hundred to Goldspur to bring the bills of presentment</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 1538; formerly Volume 55 p15</p>

Documents concerning the liberties of Battle, fines in the royal courts, and other legal proceedings (BA 974-989)	
BA 974	<p>Copy of the enrolment of an action in [?common pleas], the abbot of Battle v William de Etchingham, concerning the acquittance of the castleguard payable from the fee of Whatlington; Hilary 1368 rot 294, with continuance to Easter 1391. Approximately 1395.</p> <p>Description: Etchingham was the mesne lord between the abbot and John of Gaunt duke of Lancaster, who demanded a castleguard rent of 12 shillings in respect of 24 messuages, 300 acres of land, 20 acres of meadow, 100 acres of pasture and 40 acres of wood in Whatlington, held in free alms; the abbot pleads that John [of Thanet], abbot of Battle, held the tenement from William's ancestor William son of William de Echyngham, who was the brother of Richard, father of James, the father of the present William; William son of William, by a charter given at Whatlington, granted the whole fee to the abbey, to hold in free alms, with a clause of warranty, which charter the abbot produces [Box 3, Item 1051 is a transcript of approximately 1400]; William pleads non est factum and puts himself on the country and on the witnesses to the charter, namely Simon de Lonesford, John de Codyng, master Geoffrey de Holentegh, master Geoffrey de Horwod, John de [recte le] Fountener, William de Creye and William de Alsiston; the sheriff to summon a jury and the charter to remain in the custody of the king's clerk William de Sandford; William challenged the panel, which was arrayed by Richard de Pelham, bailiff of the rape of Hastings, at the abbot's selection, which is confirmed by triers and the panel quahed; on the quindene of St John 1370 the writing was delivered to Robert Belknap to take a jury in the country and Sandford discharged; after subsequent exchanges the text of the writing was enrolled on the octave of Michaelmas 1372 on which day William accepted that by virtue of the charter he was bound to warrant the abbot, who was awarded damages; on 4 February 1390 Thomas Oxenbrigge on behalf of the abbot informed the court that William de Echyngham is dead and that the abbot is distrained for the service and relief of his son William de Echyngham by Ann queen of England; process continued until it was found on the quindene of Easter 1391 that William son of William should acquit the abbot of the service and relief.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 205</p>
BA 975	<p>Two copies of the enrolment of an assize of novel disseisin, Thomas [de Ludlow], abbot of Battle, v Gervase Alard, John Levette, John Baker of Bulverhithe, Peter Dyst clerk, John Ponteyes and John Sodyngton, concerning an annual rent of 20s 6d in Guestling; pleadings to an issue to be tried at East Grinstead on monday after St Faith; nd, [?13 October 1427]. 1427</p> <p>Related materials: ?For the commission, 17 October 1427, see Box 25, Item 1034.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 1086, 1626</p>
BA 976	<p>Copy of the enrolment of process and pleading in an action of trespass quare clausum fregit in the court of common pleas, the abbot of Battle v Vincent Fynche of Netherfield in Battle gent; Easter 1428, Michaelmas 1428 rot 328, with continuance to the postea at East Grinstead assizes, 18 July 1429, with acknowledgement of judgement, 12 January 1430. Approximately 1430.</p> <p>Description: On 3 June 1427 20 cows and 20 bullocks belonging to VF were taken in the vill of Ittington by Valentine Mory and impounded at Battle; the abbot pleads that he is lord of the manor of Whatlington and that Valentine took the animals damage feasant in his close called Woodgrave in Whatlington; the jury found for the abbot and awarded £11 at East Grinstead assizes on 18 July 1429; on 12 January 1430 the abbot. acknowledged payment and VF was quit.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 428-1</p>

BA 977	<p>Copy of the enrolment of a plea of covenant in the court of common pleas, John Goteley, Edward Morant and Nicholas Morant v John Toby and his wife Joan concerning three messuages and gardens in Battle, Easter term 1499 rot 143; remitted, after a plea of the liberty of Battle, to the court of Battle on 3 June 1499. [May 1499].</p> <p>Description: Easter 1499 rot 143, with continuance, after a plea of the liberty of Battle, to the court of Battle; endorsed: record for the abbot of Battle; formerly sealed; [look at BA 656-755 for signs of attachment].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 1001</p>
BA 978	<p>Bottom part of a membrane recording the enrolment of a plea [of debt of £20, John Newton abbot of Battle v Richard Bak of Wye in Kent, husbandman, son and heir of Stephen Bak, Trinity term 1466 rot 358]; remitted, after a plea of the liberty of Battle, to the court of Battle on 4 August [1466]. [1466].</p> <p>Related materials: Formerly attached to the court of 4 August 1466, BA 630.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 111-1</p>
BA 979	<p>Copy of the enrolment of a plea of covenant in common pleas, William Frenche v William Love and his wife Alice, concerning a messuage and garden in Battle; Michaelmas term 1514 rot 537; remitted, after a plea of the liberty of Battle, to the court of Battle on 19 December 1514. [November] 1514.</p> <p>Related materials: Formerly attached to the court of 19 December 1514, BA 787.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 452-6</p>
BA 980	<p>Fragment of a membrane recording amercements in king's bench and issues in the exchequer, 1472-1477, levied from tenants of the abbot of Battle by William Weston, sheriff of Surrey and Sussex. 1478</p> <p>Related materials: Formerly enclosed with BA 329.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 747</p>
BA 981	<p>Amercements in king's bench and issues in the exchequer, 1469-1477, levied from tenants of the abbot of Battle by Thomas Combes, sheriff of Surrey and Sussex. 1479</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 1346</p>
BA 982	<p>Amercements in king's bench and issues in the exchequer, 1476-1479, levied from tenants of the abbot of Battle by Thomas Fenys, sheriff of Surrey and Sussex. 1481</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 1489</p>
BA 983	<p>Fragment of amercements in king's bench and issues in the exchequer, 1498-1499 levied from tenants of the abbot of Battle, Surrey only. ?1500.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 343</p>
BA 984	<p>Estreats from the pipe roll of debts, amercements, issues and fines for Kent, 1498-1507. Approximately 1510.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 110</p>
BA 985	<p>Issues in the exchequer, 1476-1477, and before the justices of gaol delivery at Southwark, 14 February 1477. 1477</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 670</p>
BA 986	<p>Copy of an enrolment in the LTR memoranda roll of 17H6, Hilary recorda rot 5, of process on the inquisition post mortem William Waller, abbot of Battle, before the escheator, 17 November 1437. Approximately 1439.</p> <p>Description: Resulting in the restitution to the incoming abbot Richard Dartmouth of 60 acres called Bechelond and 60 acres in Catsfield, with the issues, taken into the king's hands as a result of the inquisition; formerly used to wrap BA 935, 936 and 938, approximately 1720.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 594</p>
BA 987	<p>Proofs that the church of Newmarket is a chapel of Exning, Suffolk. 1500</p> <p>Description: And the abbot [of Battle's] quiet possession of the tithe corn of the fields of Newmarket, with references to causes before the official of Sudbury, the consistory of Norwich and the court or Arches; see also BA 959.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 214</p>
BA 988	<p>Answer of Robert Hollyngworth, John Folkes, Robert Ray and Robert Ballard [?inhabitants of Newmarket], to the bill of complaint for riot and affray brought by the abbot of Battle. Approximately 1500.</p> <p>Description: Whose suit against them in common pleas was respited at the last assizes at Bury [St Edmunds]; recites the abbot's bill against them to which they appeared before the dean of the chapel royal at Westminster on the morrow of All Souls last; see also BA 959, BA 987.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 212</p>
BA 989	<p>Letter from Nicholas Statham, John Eltonhede and William Stenys [of the council of William Hastings, Lord Hastings], to Bartholomew Bolne and William Cheyne and their deputies, officers of lord Hastings in the rape of Hastings. Approximately 1470.</p> <p>Description: Certifying that during their last visit to the rape of Hastings, the abbot of Battle had shown them evidence of his right to issues, fines and amercements of himself and his tenants within the rape, on the basis of which he has commanded them to allow the abbot to take his dues without their interruption; London, 4 July, approximately 1470 [BB died 1477].</p> <p>Publication note: For Eltonhead (died 1479-80) and Statham (died July or August 1472), both of Lincoln's Inn, see JH Baker <i>The Men of Court 1440-1550</i> (Selden Society, 2012), 634, 1457.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 1541</p>
Subsidy returns (BA 990-995)	
BA 990	<p>Indented detailed assessment, listings stock, for the subsidy of a fifteenth, hundred of Rotherbridge [in the rape of Arundel]. 1332</p> <p>Description: Villis of Petworth, Treve, Tolitone, Ebernoe, Stopham, Sutton, Woolavington, Barlavington, Duncton; by William le Gundevyl, John le Parkir, Richard de Iburnehou and Nicholas de Dudelesfold.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 75</p>
BA 991	<p>Indented detailed assessment, listings stock, for the subsidy of a fifteenth, hundred of Holmestrow [in the rape of Lewes]. 1332</p> <p>Description: Villis of Rodmell, Southease and Meeching [Newhaven]; by William de Radmelde, John Lacy the elder and John Lacy the younger.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 613</p>
BA 992	<p>Indented assessment, totals only, for the subsidy of a fifteenth, hundred of Guestling [in the rape of Hastings]. 29 September 1332.</p> <p>Description: Villis of Guestling, Icklesham, Pett, Fairlight; list of the names and assessments of those having goods in the hundred of Guestling and in the foreign, who live personally in the villis of Winchelsea and Hastings, who claim that they ought not to pay the fifteenth; by the oaths of John de Grafhurst, John Londe and Adam Coleman.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 208</p>
BA 993	<p>Indented assessment, totals only, for the subsidy of a fifteenth, half-hundred of Bexhill [in the rape of Hastings]. 1332.</p> <p>Description: Vill of Bexhill; by Robert Herchinton and John Glynde.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 201</p>
BA 994	<p>Indented assessment, totals only, for the subsidy of a fifteenth, hundred of Staple [in the rape of Hastings]. 1332</p> <p>Description: Villis of Ewhurst, Sedlescombe, Chitcombe and Northiam; with two seals.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 603</p>
BA 995	<p>Indented detailed assessment, listings stock, for the subsidy of a fifteenth, hundred of Henhurst [in the rape of Hastings]. 1332.</p> <p>Description: Villis of [Fontridge], Glottenham, Salehurst and Iridge; by William de Berewyke, John de Bokeselle and Adam le Blake.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 104</p>
<p>Records removed from volume of transcripts of judicial and exchequer enrolments concerning the liberties of Battle, 1189-1323 (volume 33)</p>	
Volume 33	<p>Volume of transcripts of judicial and exchequer enrolments concerning the liberties of Battle, 1189-1323. Approximately 1323.</p> <p>Description: Volume in illuminated bookhand, foliated a-z and a.-q. Foliated 1-13, 16-42, 44-46 in same 16th-century hand as Volume 29; modern foliation 1-43.</p> <p>Related materials: For a transcript of 1727, see Volume 31.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9931</p>
Volume 33 Item 1-17	<p>Liberties of the abbey of Battle allowed in the eyre of Kent in the time of Henry of Rye, steward of Battle. 1313.</p>
Volume 33 Item 18-20	<p>Plea between Roger Reinald of Brabourne and Robert Aghemund of Wye and his wife Cecily, with a plea to the liberty of Battle by the abbot's attorney John de la More, enrolled on rotulet 87 of the same eyre. 1313.</p>
Volume 33 Item 20-24	<p>Allowances of the abbot of Battle's liberty in pleas concerning Wye and Hawkhurst before William de Bereford and his fellows justices of the bench. 1310-1311.</p>

Volume 33 Item 25-27	Allowance of the abbot of Battle's liberty in a plea concerning Wye before Ralph de Hengham and his fellows justices of the king's bench. 1280.
Volume 33 Item 27-28	Allowance of the abbot of Battle's liberty in R v William de Wodeteghe for the death of Robert Fakelot killed in the hundred of Wye before Henry Spigurnel and Thomas de Insula, justices to deliver Canterbury gaol. 1303-1304.
Volume 33 Item 28-31	Allowances of the liberty of Battle at the Exchequer, the last for amercements in the eyre of Ralph de Hengham in the abbot's liberty at both Battle and Limpsfield in Surrey, 1272. 1189-1272.
Volume 33 Item 31	Allowance of the liberty of Battle at the Wiltshire forest eyre, January 1270 and the Hampshire forest eyre, 1277. 1270-1277.
Volume 33 Item 31-32	Finding before the justices in eyre at Chichester that the archbishop of Canterbury and abbot of Battle have custody of their own prisoners. 1288.
Volume 33 Item 32	Memorandum of the enrolment by the chief clerk John fitz Nigel of the abbot of Battle's charter of the forest before the justices of the forest at Salisbury; delivery from prison at Appledram to the abbot's bailiff of a prisoner accused of theft of money from the serjeant of Icklesham, before the Sussex eyre, 1279. 1279-1280.
Volume 33 Item 32-33	Enrolment of a wager of battle in a plea between William de Northeye and the abbot of Battle concerning land at Bexhill before the Huntingdonshire eyre. 1247. Related materials: The National Archives JUST 1/342 m 2.
Volume 33 Item 33	Allowance of the liberty of Battle coram rege in a plea of trespass brought by Rotheric of Portugal against the abbot's men for plundering his goods from a wreck at Dengemarsh; to be found in the Tower of London in a box marked Quo Warranto. 1262-1263.
Volume 33 Item 33-34	Verdict for the abbot of Battle in a plea against Thomas de Crandene for the advowson of Thurlow (Trillaw) in Suffolk which he had recovered against the abbot in the eyre of Suffolk in 1268. 1277.
Volume 33 Item 34	Allowance of the liberty of Battle [?coram rege] in a plea brought by the abbot of Robertsbridge for usurping the king's suit of his men of Grikes and Promhulle. Approximately 1275.
Volume 33 Item 34-35	Mandate of the sheriff of Essex to the bailiff of the abbot of Battle to perform the instructions in the king's writ to the late justices in eyre in Essex concerning the abbot of Battle's liberty. 1287.
Volume 33 Item 35-36	Fines and amercements in the exchequer, 1292-1294, at the eyres of Sussex 1279 and Surrey 1263, in the bench 1262 and at the eyre of Sussex 1288. 1263-1294.
Volume 33 Item 37-38	Plea of quo warranto against the abbot of Battle at the eyre of Kent. 1293.
Volume 33 Item 38-39	Pleas of the crown at the eyre of Kent. 1293.
Volume 33 Item 39	Writ enrolled coram rege to the archbishop of Canterbury to admit a parson to the church of Hawkhurst who has recovered the advowson against him. 30 November 1312. Related materials: The National Archives CP 40/195A m 337.

Volume 33 Item 39-40	Writ to John le Bousser and his fellows, justices of assize in Kent, concerning juries in assizes within the liberty of Battle, 6 July 1318, enrolled on the Close Roll in the midsummer term of 1318. 6 July 1318.
Volume 33 Item 40	Allowance of the liberty of Battle in an assize at Maidstone before John le Bousser, Edmund de Passele and Geoffrey de Hertepol concerning a tenement at Boughton Aluph within the liberty of Wye. 29 July 1322.
Volume 33 Item 41-43	[Blank]
g. Pre-dissolution deeds (Boxes 1-36, Volumes 51-55)	
Box 1	Records removed from volume 34
Box 1 Item 622	<p>Quitclaim by widow for 3 shillings. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: Isabel, widow of Robert le Pet, to her lords, the abbot and convent of Battle Her right by way of dower in a tenement which once belonged to Robert, which the abbot and convent hold by the demise of Thomas Hurtaud. Sealed by Sir Richard, dean of Battle, at Isabel's request. Witnesses: John Funtener, William de Dene, Robert Berewic, Simon Olaf, John Purs, Martin de Haddele Seals: Seal fragment: a tonsured head: ..ILL' DEC.. Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 27</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/24 Ink number: 622 Pencil number: 74 Thorpe page/entry: 30/5</p>
Box 1 Item 629	<p>Grant of a rentcharge. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Richard de Beche to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle. An annual rent of 6 shillings from the tenement in Beche, within the leuga of Battle, which he holds of them, together with the [annual rent of] 10 shillings from the same tenement in which he is already bound to them They may distrain for the payment on his whole tenement of Beche. Witnesses: William de Watlintune, Thomas Skyreth, John le Mone, John Forestar', Laurence Pikot, Robert de Berewych, William Aurifaber, Hugh de Bech', Ralph Yvegod the younger, Walter Torold Endorsed: leuga; lxxxv. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 ; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]. Cartulary: Vol 29 f 108</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/11 Ink number: 629 Thorpe page/entry: 7/3</p>
Box 1 Item 638	<p>Quitclaim by heir. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: Thomas, son of Gilbert Hurtaut, to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy The messuages and land in the vill of Battle which belonged to his father, and whatever</p>

	<p>came or might come to him from his uncle Gilbert.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Dene, John Funtener, Ralph Yevegod, Robert Longus, John Purs, Martin de Haddele, Robert Piscator, William Cornur</p> <p>Seals: Seal fragment: virgin an child : *AVEMARI...</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 27</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/24 Ink number: 638 Pencil number: 73 Thorpe page/entry: 23/2</p>
Box 1 Item 661	<p>Conveyance for 10 shillings. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: Parnell, daughter of Laurence Pykot, of Battle, to her brother, Simon Pykot An acre of her land at Donyforde [in a field] called Husfeld (between a croft called Nywelondcroft and the rest of The Husfeld; in length between the road from Donyforde [to Uckham], and The Husfeld), in the parish of Battle To hold of Parnell by an annual rent of 2d for all services.</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Funtener, William de Dene, Ralph Yevegod the younger, William Aurifaber, Adam le Mone, Joce le Hunte, Robert de Parco, John Forester, John le Cuner, John Funtener clerk the notary of this charter</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 23</p> <p>Notes: The document is damaged and some text in the description has been supplied from the cartulary.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 661 Pencil number: 59 Thorpe page/entry: 31/6</p>
Box 1 Item 671	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Robert le Cupere and his wife Eleanor to their lords, the abbot and convent of Battle A messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the messuage of Clement Textor, and the messuage which once belonged to Gilbert le Cordewaner)</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Dene, Richard le Porter, Fulk Cocus, John le Mone, Clement Textor, James Aurifaber, Simon Oloph, Robert Pistor, Stephen Busard</p> <p>Seals: Second seal only: a fleur de lys with stars: ..ELIANOR..VCSORISEI..</p> <p>Endorsed: town; xlv. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 105v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/30 Ink number: 671 Thorpe page/entry: 14/2</p>
Box 1 Item 682	<p>Conveyance for 40 shillings. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Adam, son and heir of Reynold de Camera and of Alice de Loxebeche, to Adam Pikot 1 A messuage in the vill of Battle, in breadth between their messuages, in length between [the street] from the abbey gate towards Doniford and the abbot of Battle's park. 2 The moiety of a house in the vill of Battle, which lies between the messuage of the grantor and the messuage which belonged to Richard ..., [between] the above street</p>

	<p>and a share of land which the abbot holds of the grantor and AP. 3 1½ acres in the vill of Battle, (in breadth between AP's land and ..., and in length from the curtilage of Geoffrey le Tanner To the grantor's land to hold of the grantor by an annual rent of ... in the house of AP for all services. Witnesses: Walter de Beche, John de Smalefeud, Lambin Sprever, Robert Longus, Laurence Pikot, John de Giseburne, Geoffrey Tannere, his brother Walter, Robert Arnold, John Hacwode, Robert Berewic, John Forester Seals: A cross with nails: ..S'ADE FIL'REGINALD.. Notes: About three inches of text has been lost along the left margin from all but the last three lines of this deed; the text has been supplied from the cartulary. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/30 Ink number: 682 Thorpe page/entry: 10/8</p>
Box 1 Item 693	<p>Grant in exchange. Approximately 1260. Description: Humphrey Beaufiz to Ralph [de Coventry], abbot of Battle, and the convent The messuage which he holds east of the parish church (juxta ecclesiam parochialem versus le west) in the vill of Battle, with all the right he has in it for which the abbot and convent have granted in exchange: The meadow in Sandlake (E: the messuage of Simon Faber; W: the messuage which belonged to Dering in Sandlake), which Ralph Piscator gave them in free alms to hold to Humphrey, his heirs and assigns (except religious) of the abbot and convent, by an annual rent of 8 pence The abbot and convent have released Humphrey from the service of finding a horse with a rider at the abbot's summons, which he was accustomed to perform for a field called Strellewell', and for 2 acres lying against the hospital of Battle and for 2 acres in Menilond; the abbot and convent will warrant the land by the annual rents which it paid -8 pence on 21 December for the field and 4 pence on 29 September for the 4 acres. Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Ralph de Gerston', Hugh de Flintham, Luke de Swinham, Robert Cementarius, Renger de Watlington', John Godmefetch', Fulk Cocus Seals: A fleur de lys with stars: +S'HVNFRIDIBEVFIZ Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 27v Notes: Datable from the abbacy of Ralph of Coventry, 1235-1261. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/27 Ink number: 693 Pencil number: 78 Thorpe page/entry: 46/8</p>
Box 1 Item 711	<p>Grant to fee farm. Approximately 1300. Description: William de Bromham to Geoffrey Goldyng and his wife Isabel. A messuage sited on an acre of land called Estlond, which stretches between the road coming from St Richard's well and William's croft called Estlond, in Catsfield (Cattesfeld) to hold by an annual fee farm of 2 shillings, and a farthing every castleguard, for all services, gifts, aids, heriots, reliefs and suits of court; freedom of alienation including in <i>ultimis diebus suis</i>. Witnesses: Simon de Bromham, John ate Brok', John Faber, Simon ate Brok', Geoffrey de Bromham, William Franseys Seals: A star: ..MIND'BRO.. Endorsed: Bromham by Battle; <Bromham in the park j^a> Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/8 Ink number: 711 Thorpe page/entry: 10/1</p>
Box 1 Item 716	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1310.</p> <p>Description: Michael, son of Walter de Beche, to the abbot and convent of Battle His right in a forland (S: land of Ralph Curteys; N: the Battle-Ashburnham road; heading E: the land of the abbot and convent; W: land which belonged to Ralph Cocus)</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Penehurst, William de Hodesdale, [erasure] de la Stone, William de Ore, Reynold de Beche, Stephen Pessonier, Daniel le Tailour</p> <p>Seals: Seal now gone</p> <p>Endorsed: Bromham in the park [xxv.]</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v</p> <p>Notes: The left margin of this deed has been eaten by mice and the repair has covered much of the dorse.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 716 Thorpe page/entry: 7/6</p>
Box 1 Item 728	<p>Conveyance for 26s 8d. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Eloise, daughter and heir of Hugh Mercator of Battle, and widow of Walter Tegulator, in her free power, to Laurence Pikot Six acres of her land at Doniford (S: road; N: Ralph de Forda's land; in breadth E: Eloise's own land; W: land which formerly belonged to John Barat), enclosed by hedges and ditches to hold of Eloise by the annual rent of ½d to be paid at Laurence's principal house, for all services, customs, gifts, and suits of court belonging to Eloise, except an annual rent of 3¼d to the chief lord.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Len bailiff of the abbot of Battle, Richard de Beche, Peter de Ho, William Cornur, John Purs, Richard Braciator, Robert Longus, John de Giseburne, John Mone, Thomas de Herst, Adam Pikot [layman and] Adam Pikot clerk, notary of this charter</p> <p>Seals: Seal now detached: a fleur de lys: +S'HEWYSEI FIL' .VGO.IS MERCAT'</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 22</p> <p>Notes: There are several holes in the left-hand half of the deed; some text in the witness list has been supplied from the entry in the sacrist's cartulary.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/16 Ink number: 728 Pencil number: 56 Thorpe page/entry: 26/6</p>
Box 1 Item 739	<p>Quitclaim for 20 shillings. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Adam Pikot to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle The moiety of the whole field which lies towards the windmill (N: the field of Walter de Loxebech'; S: the land which belonged to John de la Pende; E: Richard de Hukham's land; W: the little wood called Sirwod')</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Joce de Haremer', Renger de Watlingt', Thomas Skiret, Luke de Swinham, Hugh de Flintham, John Godmefetch', John Mone</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys with a shooting star: +SIGILL':ADE:PICOT</p> <p>Endorsed: leuga; .xxxix. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p>

	<p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 22</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/16 Ink number: 739 Pencil number: 55 Thorpe page/entry: 31/2</p>
Box 1 Item 741	<p>Quitclaim for 64s 8d. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: John de Grafherst and his wife Margaret to the abbot and convent of Battle 1 The whole tenement which they hold of the abbot and convent in Grafherst in Icklesham (Ykelesham), in lands and waters, woodland and plainland, ways and paths, meadows and pastures, with rents, reliefs and escheats 2 Any right they may have in the whole tenement which Thomas and Poteman de Grafherst once held there.</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam le Hay, Roger de Bromham, Vincent de Stocke, Thomas de Ychinton', Robert de Rughton</p> <p>Seals: Second seal only: a fleur de lys with stars: +S'MARGARETEDEGROFHERST</p> <p>Endorsed: Ik; Icklesham (Iklesham); .iiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 122</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/18 Ink number: 741 Thorpe page/entry: 19/3</p>
Box 1 Item 751	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Olive de Wicham, widow, to the sacristy of Battle Two acres of meadow in Wickham (Wicham), next to Gilbert Hod's meadow, (E: Olive's meadow; W: the meadow of the almoner of Battle), with the wood which is between the two acres and the watercourse, with an adequate way to it for carts, horses and animals.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Brunnesford, Geoffrey Alred, Lambin King, William Panetar', Richard Marescallus, Thomas Lucett', Robert de Awelton', Nicholas Marescallus, Wilard de Merilegh', John Blundus, Albin Carpenter', Gilbert Hod, John Godmefetch', Brunning</p> <p>Seals: A stylised tree: +SIGLL':OLIVE:DE:VICHAM</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 14v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/8 Ink number: 751 Pencil number: 24</p>
Box 1 Item 754	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Michael de Bech' to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle A messuage in the vill of Battle, south of the path which leads from Battle to Westeton', which he bought from Geoffrey de Croherst and his wife Ida.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Huser, Luke de Suuinham, John de London', John Godmefetch', Nicholas Marscallus, Gilbert Hod, Richard Bachel', Henry Melkere, John Clericus</p> <p>Seals: St Michael spearing a dragon: [+SIGILLV]M:MICKAHE[LIS:DE:BECHE - see Box 2, Item 1205]</p> <p>Endorsed: town; .xlix. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 105v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/18</p>

	<p>Ink number: 754 Thorpe page/entry: 6/8</p>
<p>Box 1 Item 764</p>	<p>Conveyance for 14 shillings. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Robert Petit of Battle to Robert de Hentun', nephew of Sir Richard, rector of the church of St Mary Battle, for his service A croft in the vill of Battle (E: the messuage of Simon Olof; W: the messuage of Henry le Asdrivere; heading N: the way from the wood of Bodhurst' to the church of St Mary; S: Adam de la Feld's croft) To hold of Robert by an annual rent of 4 pence, to be paid at Robert's house in Battle, for all services, customs and gifts. Witnesses: Sir Richard parson of Battle, Michael de Beche, Richard de Beche, John le Mone, Gilbert Hurtout, Simon Faber, Humphrey Beaufiz, John son of John Clement, Henry master of the schools Seals: Seal now in fragments: ..TI PETI.. Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 26</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/23 Ink number: 764 Pencil number: 69 Thorpe page/entry: 30/4</p>
<p>Box 1 Item 771</p>	<p>Quitclaim for £13 6s 8d. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: John Sperver to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle His whole land and tenement which he holds of the lordship of Battle Witnesses: William de Dene, Adam le Mone, John le Forester, William Aurifaber, John le Funtener, Ralph Yvegod the elder, Ralph Yvegod the younger, William Cocus, John Paviot, Clement Textor, Robert Piscator, Joce Venator Seals: Fragment of a vesica [?]a hawk on a glove; ..HISSPERVE.. Endorsed: .x. ; town ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 . Cartulary: Vol 29 f 103</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/6 Ink number: 771 Pencil number: 20</p>
<p>Box 1 Item 775</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: Richard, son of Michael de Beche, to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle 1 All the land and meadow, on the south side of the brook of Doniford, along the length of the road, and north of the land which once belonged to Lambin Kyng, which he gained in the king's court from John Clement, by his default 2 All the land and meadow which lies on the other side of the brook of Doniford, by the road, which Robert Longus released to Richard, as his right, in the king's court 3 A croft which lies by the entry of The Kedeke, which Richard holds of the sacrist of Battle by an annual rent of 4d 4 The tenement with a messuage and other appurtenances at the edge of the leuga of Battle, between the messuage of John Curteys and the land which belonged to Richard's brother Walter de Beche, which he gained in the king's court from Michael son of Hilda, by his default. Witnesses: William de Dene, Laurence Picot, Adam le Mone, Joce le Venur, Adam Picot clerk, John Pavyot, William de la Dune, William Aurifaber, Robert de la Dune, John Forester, John Cuner</p>

	<p>Seals: An eight-petalled flower: +S'R..DID'BECH</p> <p>Endorsed: In the town of Battle; lxxxvj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 108</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/10 Ink number: 775 Pencil number: 24 Thorpe page/entry: 7/4</p>
Box 1 Item 776	<p>Conveyance for £6 13s 4d. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Michael de Beche to Richard Marscallus A messuage in Battle (between the land of John le Pessonier and the land of Reynold le Bracur), which he bought from Simon, son of Guy le Parmenter To hold of Michael, performing the services due to the court of Battle, and paying him an annual forgable of 4 pence in the messuage.</p> <p>Witnesses: Philip de Esscetesf', Geoffrey Eilred, Lambin King, William Cordewaner, Luke Salvage, Anchitel de Hucham, Nicholas Tannur, Stephen Stronge, Martin Pistor, John le Pessonier, John Godmefetch', Eustace Cocus</p> <p>Endorsed: town; .iij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 102</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/11 Ink number: 776 Pencil number: 25 Thorpe page/entry: 6/9</p>
Box 1 Item 793	<p>Release and quitclaim of annual rents for 40 shillings. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Michael de Beche to the abbot and convent of Battle 1 An annual rent of 3s 8d which they pay him from land of the fields (pro terra de Campis) outside Bodeherst 2 An annual rent of 4 pence which they pay him from a messuage which once belonged to Guy Parmentarius, next to the messuage of John Piscator.</p> <p>Witnesses: Ralph de Greston', William de Sneyllham, Hugh de Coding', Luke de Swynham, Robert de Bromham, Richard de Beche, Joce de Harmere, Renger de Watlington'</p> <p>Endorsed: .vj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 119v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 793 Pencil number: 42 Thorpe page/entry: 6/10</p>
Box 1 Item 796	<p>Conveyance for 40 shillings. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Margery de Beche to her son Robert, clerk, for his homage and service All the land she has in the vill of Hooe (Ho), by Michael de Beche or by Maud de la Done, daughter of Alice de Esthale, in houses, lands, woods, plainlands, feedings and pastures To hold of Margery, performing the service due to the chief lords, and paying her an annual rent of 4d on the land for all service and custom.</p> <p>Witnesses: Herbert de Burghers', Bartholomew de Esseburnham, Nicholas Malemeins, Thomas</p>

	<p>le Waleis, Roger le Waleis, John de Hindedale, John le Hore, William Galfrid', John de Pepelesham, Reynold de Pepelesham, William de Sneilham, Richard de Beche, Benjamin de Burghers', John son of Ralph de Maydenestan', Hugh de Beche</p> <p>Seals: A crescent surmounting three stars: ..IG..MAR..IEDEBECH..</p> <p>Notes: Dating from the death of Herbert de Burghersh in 1256 (<i>Victoria History of the Counties of England Sussex</i> 9, p. 196).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/12 Ink number: 796 Pencil number: 45 Thorpe page/entry: 7/5</p>
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Box 2 Item 802	<p>Conveyance. Approximately 1310.</p> <p>Description: William, son of Joce de Watlyntone, to his brother Thomas de Watlynton' A field of his land called Revelonde in Whatlington, enclosed with hedges and ditches, which William had in exchange for Spliterigge from his uncle Thomas de Harmere. Paying an annual rent of 3 pence to William for all services.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Hodesdale, Thomas Squiret, Geoffrey de Hucstepe, Roger le Wylde, John le Wilde, Joce de la Forde, Joce de Fynhagh', Thomas de Watlynton', John Clericus</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 17</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 802 Pencil number: 51 Unidentified numbers: 33 Thorpe page/entry: 38/6</p>
Box 2 Item 821	<p>Grant of an annual rent in free alms. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: William de la Doune, for the souls of his father and mother, to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy An annual rent of 4 pence paid in the court of Battle from a messuage at the windmill in the vill of Battle (N: the road from Whatlington to Battle; in length W: the capital messuage which belonged to William Treypot; E: the messuage of Richard le Chapman), with all the right [over] its tenant To hold in William's place.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Dene, John Fontener, Ralph Yvegod the younger, Adam le Mone, Laurence Pykot, Robert Piscator, Walter Torald, John Carpenter</p> <p>Seals: Vesica a fleur de lys: +S'WILELMIDELADVNE</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30, f 41v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/5 Ink number: 821 Thorpe page/entry: 15/3</p>
Box 2 Item 831	<p>Grant of an annual rent in free alms. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: John de Pisinge to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy An annual rent of 15 shillings paid by Adam, son of John le Mone, from land outside the leuga of Battle demised to him by John (E: the boundary of the leuga; W: William Palmer's land; heading S: Walter de Beche's land; N: the road), with the escheats. Paying for John an annual rent of ½d to Walter de Beche at the house in the vill of Battle which once belonged to John, for all services and suits.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Henry de Peneherst, William Giffard, Roger de Benindenn', William de Dene, Simon de Bodiham, John Funtener, Thomas Skyret</p> <p>Seals: Armorial seal showing three lions rampant: *SIGILLVM IOHANNIS</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 25</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/22 Ink number: 831 Pencil number: 66 Thorpe page/entry: 31/7</p>
Box 2 Item 842	<p>Conveyance of an annual rent for £10 13s 4d. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: William de Bec to Robert Fostr' An annual rent of 20s 6d from the land of Snailham (Sneilham) [in Guestling] To hold of William by an annual rent of 6 pence for all service, to be paid at Winchelsea (Wincheles').</p> <p>Witnesses: Bertin de Gesteling', Godfrey de Pette, Hamo de Esse, Hugh de Nithertun', Henry son of Reynold, William Eilard, William Betel, William de Farleg', Nicholas de Karret'</p> <p>Seals: A spread eagle: +SIGILL' W..L...BEC</p> <p>Endorsed: [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]; hi est</p> <p>Related materials: For transcript, see BA 519/4 and BA 522/1.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/13 Ink number: 842 Thorpe page/entry: 7/8</p>
Box 2 Item 863	<p>Grant of an annual rent in free alms for the maintenance of a lamp. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: William de Duna, mason, to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle, for the maintenance of a lamp on the altar of the blessed Mary An annual rent of 6 pence from the tenement in the parish of Battle which William bought from Alice, daughter of William de Treysport, held by William, called Meleward (stretching towards The Plesset, and heading onto the road from the mill towards Robertsbridge), with the reliefs and escheats, to be taken by the keeper of the altar for the time being To hold of William.</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Funtener, William de Dene, William Aurifaber, Robert de Parco, Ralph Yvegod, Adam le Mone, Joce le Hunte, John le Forster, John Cunarius</p> <p>Seals: Vesica a fleur de lys: + S'WILLELMIDELADVNE [same seal as 821]</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 41v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 863 Pencil number: 112 Unidentified numbers: 144 Thorpe page/entry: 15/2</p>
Box 2 Item 877	<p>Conveyance for 40 shillings. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: William, son of Laurence Pycot of Battle, to his brother Simon Pycot A croft called Nithernyelandcroft, with an annual rent of 2 pence from a croft called Opperneuelandcroft, enclosed by hedges and ditches, in the parish of Battle (heading S: Simon's land; N: Ralph ate Forde's land; E: land of the heirs of Robert Pistor; W: land of Simon's sister Parnell) To hold of William by an annual rent of ½d for all services, customs, gifts, aids and suits of court,</p>

	<p>except for an annual rent of 3¼d to the chief lord.</p> <p>Witnesses: Reynold de Beche, John le Funtener, William de Dene, Ralph Yvegod the younger, Robert de Parco, John Forestar', William Aurifaber, Joce Venator, John Pancot, Thomas Fuke, Adam le Mone</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 22v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 877 Pencil number: 57 Thorpe page/entry: 31/4</p>
Box 2 Item 936	<p>Conveyance for 13s 4d. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: Eloise, daughter of Hugh Mercator of Battle, widow of Walter Tegulator, to John de Pysynge, his wife Aveline and their son Ralph Part of his curtilage in the vill of Battle, enclosed by hedges and ditches To hold of Eloise by the annual rent of a red rose on 24 June.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Lenne bailiff of the abbot of Battle, Michael de Beche, Hugh de Beche beadle, John Mone, Robert Cunarius, Reynold de Sartyno, Adam Pykot clerk, Richard Brac', Robert Longus, Laurence Pykot, John Gysebourne</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys surmounting a crescent: ..S'HELEWISEFIL'HVGONIS ME..</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 24</p> <p>Notes: Same hand as Box 2, Item 940.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/28 Ink number: 936 Pencil number: 62 Thorpe page/entry: 27/1</p>
Box 2 Item 940	<p>Conveyance for £8. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: Geoffrey Kyng', son of Lambin Kyng', to John de Pysynge, his wife Aveline and their son Ralph All his right in houses and rents, woods, lands, meadows, ways and pastures within the liberty of Battle, inside and outside the vill To hold of Geoffrey by the annual rent of a red rose on 24 June; freedom of alienation clause introduced by <i>sciendum est</i>.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, John de London', Gregory Nuncius, John Mone, John Funtyner the elder, John Funtyner the younger, Richard Brac', Adam Pykot, Adam Clericus</p> <p>Seals: Vesica a fleur de lys: +S'GALFRIDI:KING</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 24v</p> <p>Notes: Same hand as Box 2, Item 936.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/19 Ink number: 940 Pencil number: 63 Thorpe page/entry: 23/8</p>
Box 2 Item 942	<p>Grant of rents in free alms. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: John de Pysinges to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacrist All the rents which he has in Agmerhurst in Ashburnham (Agmeresherst in Esburneham), and in the parish of Burwash (Burgherse), with all the right he has in the tenants, free or bond with their sequel, and in the tenements, with all services, reliefs, escheats, suits, gifts and aids Paying for John an annual rent of 1d to Edmund de Crioll on the tenement of Agmerhurst for all</p>

	<p>secular demands, except the service of the king and of the other lords of the fee; warranty against Christians and Jews.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir William de Northye kt, Sir John Mowyn kt, Simon de Somery lord of Catsfield (Cattesfelde), Walter de Beche, William de Dene, Robert de Bromham, John le Fontener, John le Mone, Thomas Skyret</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 19</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 942 Pencil number: 41 Thorpe page/entry: 31/8</p>
Box 2 Item 951	<p>Conveyance for £5. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: James, son of Alan Cementarius, to John de Pisinge, his wife Aveline and their son Ralph</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">A messuage in the vill of Battle (heading S: the road; N: the curtilage of Geoffrey le Kyng; E: Gilbert Picot's messuage; W: the road to the windmill), which descended to him on his father's death</p> <p>To hold of James by the annual rent of half a pound of cummin, to be paid in the messuage on 29 September, for all services and customs belonging to James.</p> <p>Witnesses: Hugh de Flintham, Ralph de Greston', Michael de Beche, his son Walter, Richard le Baceler, Reynold le Forester, Richard le Brasur, Gilbert Picot</p> <p>Seals: Vesica a hand in benediction: *S'.. [illegible].</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 24v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/21 Ink number: 951 Pencil number: 64 Thorpe page/entry: 11/5</p>
Box 2 Item 1081	<p>Indented inventory of live and dead stock delivered to Thomas Glanthan, Thomas Chersoule and John Joys otherwise Joce, and [formerly] attached to a lease to them. Approximately 1460.</p> <p>Description: 50 cows (9s 6d each), 10 cows (7s 6d each), 17 bullocks (6s 0d each), 6 bullocks (4s 0d each), a bull (8s 0d), 5 horses (13s 4d each), 11 quarters 4 bushels of wheat with the straw and litter, 78 quarters of oats with the straw and litter, rooms filled with hay up to the beam, a lead trough in the dairy; in the hall a table with 2 trestles, two tables dormant and a form; an old quern, a dressingboard, a pair of tongs, 2 scales, a poplar trough, a stone weight for cheese, a brass pot of 4 gallons; 30 acres sown with wheat, and all the straw and litter from the seed; a small iron andiron (<i>andena</i>).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 1081</p>
Box 2 Item 1105	<p>Quitclaim for £3 8s 0d in exchange. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Adam Picot and his wife Margery to their lords Ralph [de Coventry], abbot of Battle, and the convent</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Nine acres of their land and wood in Maufosse. in exchange for: 12 acres in Birchett, west of the windmill, which the abbot and convent have given to them in fee</p> <p>Because Adam and Margery's wood is worth more than the wood which they have received in exchange, the abbot and convent have given them 68s.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert le Huser, Hugh de Flintham, Luke de Swinham, Robert de Sumeri, William de Colintun', Lambin King, John Clericus, Martin Pistor, William Cordewaner, John Godmevetche</p>

	<p>Seals: A fleur de lys: ..SIGILL' ADE:PICOT</p> <p>Endorsed: leuga xxxvij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 21v</p> <p>Notes: Dates between 1235 and 1261.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/3 Ink number: 1105 Pencil number: 52 Thorpe page/entry: 31/3</p>
Box 2 Item 1106	<p>Conveyance for 26s 8d. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Heutun', nephew of Sir Richard, rector of the church of St Mary, Battle, to Gilbert Hurtout</p> <p>A croft in the vill of Battle (E: Simon Olof's messuage; W: Henry le Asdrivere's messuage; heading N: the road between the wood of Bodhurst' and the church of St Mary; S: the croft of Alan de la Feld')</p> <p>To hold of Robert by an annual rent of a rose on 24 June for all services, customs and gifts belonging to him, and paying an annual rent of 4 pence to Robert Petit and his heirs at their house.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, his son Walter, Thomas le Waleys, John le Mone, Laurence Picot, Fulk Cocus, John le Vannur, Simon Faber, Peter de Ho, Humphrey Beaufiz, Richard Coc, William Petit, Henry Clericus who composed this charter</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 26</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 1106 Pencil number: 70 Thorpe page/entry: 22/6</p>
Box 2 Item 1110	<p>Confirmation for 40 shillings. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Adam le Hay confirms the grant and gift made by Robert Fostre to the almonry of Battle of</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 All the land which Robert bought from Ingram de Stok' (between the Maxfield (Mixefeld) to Lideham road, Conifonte, the fee of the abbot of Fécamp and the demesne of Maxfield) 2 An annual rent of 6 shillings in Popinton' 3 All the other grants, gifts and sales made by Robert of lands, rents and other things which can be judged to relate to Adam. <p>Witnesses: Simon de Brunesford, Geoffrey de Roing', Michael de Bech', Geoffrey Elred, Luke de Swinham, Hugh de Flintham, Richard Marescall', William Paneter, Robert de Aolton', John de Lond', Thomas Lucetter, Nicholas Maresc'</p> <p>Seals: Seal fragment: a four-petalled flower: ..HAI..</p> <p>Endorsed: Wavy plus sign with two dots above [see drawing in T].</p> <p>Notes: On turnup: 3 marks; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]; hi est.</p> <p>Related materials: For transcript, see BA 520/5.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/19 Ink number: 1110 Thorpe page/entry: 22/1</p>
Box 2 Item 1139	<p>Grant of rent. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: John Piscator of Battle to the abbot and convent of Battle.</p>

	<p>An annual rent of 1 penny paid by Ralph Neveg[od] from the plot of his messuage in Winchelsea (Winchelese), with the reliefs and escheats.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, Gilbert Hurtaud, Ralph Nevegod, Richard Braciator, Fulk Cocus, Thomas Bedellus</p> <p>Seals: Vesica lamb and flag: +S'IOHANNI...:WILELMI</p> <p>Endorsed: Winchelsea [deleted and reinstated]; Broomhill (Prumhell)</p> <p>Notes: The top margin is badly rubbed and the grantor's name has been recovered from the endorsement.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/5 Ink number: 1139 Thorpe page/entry: 17/2</p>
Box 2 Item 1143	<p>Grant. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Robert Basoc of Sedlescombe (Sedlescumbe) to the abbot and convent of Battle All his land which lies between the road of Iltonsbath (Iltunesbethe) and the five acres of Scoteland, and between the paths which leads to Enham and the land called Wodeland, which land Syger once held of him To hold of Robert by the annual rent of half a pound of cummin or 1 penny for all service and suit of court, except the king's service (3 pence in 13s 4d scutage) and the count's (three farthings every castleguard).</p> <p>Witnesses: Master Richard de Bello, Simon de Bruneford, Geoffrey de Roinges, Richard Janitor of Battle, William Panetier, Lambin King, William Cordewanier, Eustace Cocus, Fulk Cocus, Thomas Lucet, John Godmevesche, John de Lapende</p> <p>Seals: Fleur de lys: +S'+IGILL'ROBERTI:BASOC</p> <p>Endorsed: Basoch; duplicate ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 [but with circles on both ends, and in dark ink; precedes] .j. duplicate; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 116</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/29 Ink number: 1143 Thorpe page/entry: 44/6</p>
Box 2 Item 1171	<p>Sale and quitclaim of the homage of a bondman for 13s 4d. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Basokes to the abbot and convent of Battle All the homage and bondhold status (<i>servilem nativitatem</i>) of Alan son of Sigar, with all those that issue and will issue from him.</p> <p>Witnesses: Philip de Esscetesford, Geoffrey Ailred, Lambin King, William Peneter, Robert Cementarius, Adam Portarius, Wilard de Merele, William Cordewaner, Thomas de Merele</p> <p>Endorsed: xij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 116v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 1171 Thorpe page/entry: 45/1</p>
Box 2 Item 1178	<p>Grant of a right of way for 3 shillings. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Olaf to Osmund de Rotomago A right of way (<i>iter</i>) from Thomas's land to Osmund's land, in length between the road and Osmund's land, a perch in breadth between the land of John le Wanur and</p>

	<p>Thomas's land</p> <p>To hold of Thomas by an annual rent of 1d for all service.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard de Beche, Robert le Masun, Alan le Masun, Martin Mercator, Walter de Loxebeche, John Piscator, Master Henry, Gilbert le Grim, Nicholas Marescallus, Gilbert le Hod, William le Corduwaner, Godwin de la Feud' [recte Felde]</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 30</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 1178 Pencil number: 88 Thorpe page/entry: 28/8</p>
Box 2 Item 1180	<p>Covenant to abide by the judgement of a jury in novel disseisin; Approximately 1218.</p> <p>Description: Hugh de Lun'[dresford] and Alice, the widow of his son Richard, <i>fide nostra interposita firmiter ex utraque parte tenenda</i></p> <p>Hugh agrees to abide by the <i>judicium et considerationem</i> of four jurors (John de Pessesl', John de Brede, Robert de Dikester, Robert de Gatel') [named] in a writ of novel disseisin between them before the itinerant justices at Lewes, and four other lawful men (William Gulafr' and Edmund de Hast' from Hugh's side, William de Eching' and Simon de Sumeri from Alice's side), upon the tenement, on 11 August, and to reinstate her both in the land and rent and the damages awarded (whereof the assise ought to be brought to the king's court), to make restitution according to the jurors' judgement, and to grant her a charter of her share, to be held peaceably from that day onwards</p> <p>If either party wishes to break this covenant, they agree that Gilbert de la Dene the sheriff of Sussex, who is a pledge on both sides, may distrain them both and compel them to keep it; the abbot of Robertsbridge and William de Eching' are pledges with the sheriff.</p> <p>Seals: Both seals originally sur simple queue.</p> <p>Notes: Richard, son of Hugh de Lunsford, married Alice, daughter of Mabel de Cantelewrthe and niece of Alured de St Martin, and was dead by 1206. Hugh de Lunsford was dead by 1220; his heir was his daughter Maud, wife of William Gulafre. In Trinity 1214, there was litigation between Agatha Lunsford and Alice for dower; the case was compromised by Michaelmas 1219. The land involved was all the land of Brooksmarle with a mill, 6 shillings' rent in Horden and a mill at Dudwell, all in Burwash. Maud conveyed Brooksmarle to William de St Leger and his wife Sybil 'early in the reign of Henry 3' (see <i>Victoria History of the Counties of England Sussex</i> 9, p. 197, 214); the assignment of the death of Hugh to 1214 and the assertion that Agatha was his widow cannot be substantiated from the sources quoted. Gilbert Barrier was undersheriff of Sussex from Michaelmas 1217, and the eyre sat at Lewes between 21 April and 22 May 1219.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/6 Ink number: 1180 Thorpe page/entry: 15/1</p>
Box 2 Item 1187	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Richard de Bege to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>A messuage in the vill of Battle (between the messuage which once belonged to Gilbert Munbrey, and the messuage of the keeper of the almonry, in Sandlake), which once belonged to a certain Hordin.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bege, Luke de Swynam, John de Iham, John Godmeveche, Robert le Mazun, Lambin le King, Ralph Piscator, Fulk Cocus, Adam Picot</p> <p>Endorsed: town; lxxxiiij. : ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 ; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p>

	<p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 108</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 1187 Thorpe page/entry: 7/2</p>
<p>Box 2 Item 1193</p>	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Helen, widow of Reyner de Bredherst, for herself and her daughter Maud, to her lords, Ralph [de Coventry] abbot, and the convent of Battle Their right in the land of Bredherst, saving for their lives the messuage of Bredherst and the adjoining croft.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Robert Huser, Luke de Swinham, Lambin King, Robert Cementarius, John Godmevetche, Nicholas Tannur, Robert son of Peter, John Piscator, Stephen Becche</p> <p>Seals: A four-petalled flower with stars between: *S'E..D'BREDHERST</p> <p>Endorsed: leuga; lxxvii. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 107v</p> <p>Notes: The ink number is duplicated; dates between 1235 and 1261.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/14 Ink number: 1193 Thorpe page/entry: 9/4</p>
<p>Box 2 Item 1195</p>	<p>Quitclaim by widow. Approximately 1290.</p> <p>Description: Ida, widow of Geoffrey de Croherst, to the abbot and convent of Battle Her right in the messuage which adjoins the path from Broomham [in Catsfield] to the vill of Battle on the south, by the messuage which the heir of Reynold de Camera holds [or by the messuage ... on the south]</p> <p>Witnesses: John Funtener, William de Dene, Ralph Yvegod, Thomas de Lideham, John Mone, Thomas Squiret, Adam Pikot, Robert le Longe, Laurence Pikot</p> <p>Seals: Seal now gone.</p> <p>Endorsed: town; .l. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 105v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 1195 Thorpe page/entry: 13/5</p>
<p>Box 2 Item 1198</p>	<p>Quitclaim for 8 shillings. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Bekke to Adam, son of William Dereby His right in a messuage in the vill of Battle (N: the messuage of Thomas Burgens'; S: the messuage of Walter de Loxebeche)</p> <p>Witnesses: Lambin le King, Luke de Swynham, William Corduwaner, John Godmevetch', Robert Cementarius, John Piscator, Ralph Piscator, Alan le Massun, John le Blund'; given and sealed in the full court of Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: town; Derby</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 1198 Thorpe page/entry: 8/1</p>

Box 2 Item 1205	<p>Quitclaim of a bondman for 10 shillings. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Michael de Bech' to the abbot and convent of Battle His claim in Gerald de Sutheton' and all his sequel, and all his land with all its appurtenances.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Etchingham, William de Sokeness', Simon de Sumery, Luke de Shwinham, William de Colinton', Richard Marescallus, John son of Laurence, Richard de Stakinden', Ralph le Frankelein, John Hervy of Lond', Nicholas Marescallus, William Panetarius</p> <p>Seals: St Michael spearing a dragon: +SIGILLVM:MIEKAHELIS:DE:BECHE</p> <p>Endorsed: Barnhorn (Bernehore); .xxv. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 132</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/28 Ink number: 1205 Thorpe page/entry: 6/7</p>
Box 2 Item 1255	<p>Conveyance for a measure of rye and a measure of oats. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Edith, widow of Henry Crul, in her free widowhood and power, to the abbot and convent of Battle A messuage in the street of Sandlake in the vill of Battle (W: the messuage of Morgan; E: the messuage of William Petit) Edith quitclaims to the abbot and convent: Her dower rights in the messuage which lies on the other side of the messuage of Morgan.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, Richard de Bech', Hugh de Coding', Thomas le Walays, John le Mone, Richard Braciator, Geoffrey le King, Nicholas Tannator</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys with stars: +S'EDITHE RELICTE HENRICI CRVL</p> <p>Endorsed: town; Cxxij.</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 26v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/25 Ink number: 1255 Pencil number: 61 Unidentified numbers: 72 Thorpe page/entry: 13/6</p>
Box 2 Item 1276	<p>Transcript of deeds relating to the almonry. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Grant in free alms, approximately 1250. Agnes, widow of Walter Boverius, in her free widowhood and power, to the almoner of Battle Three-quarters of an acre of meadow in Trandele, in Wickham (Vicham), which Walter once demised to the almonry Confirmation by Olive de Wicham, in her free power and widowhood, of the grant made to the almonry by her son-in-law Walter Bubulcus and daughter Agnes, paying an annual rent of ½d to Walter and Agnes at the almonry on 29 November, as is witnessed by their charter.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Geffrey and others</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Notes: Both texts annotated, approximately 1460 <transcribed elsewhere>.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/9 Ink number: 1276 Thorpe page/entry: 46/1 and 46/2</p>

<p>Box 2 Item 1285</p>	<p>Quitclaim by widow of an annual rent for 20s. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: Mabel, widow of Sir John Mowin, to the abbot and convent of Battle. Her dower rights in an annual rent of 14 shillings in Helmingfold (Helmiggefold) and Breadsell (Breggeseld), which John demised to them.</p> <p>Witnesses: Her son Sir John de Mowin, Sir William de Hasting', his brother Robert, Nicholas Vacelin, Walter de Beche, John Fontener</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 18</p> <p>Notes: Date from the death of Sir Matthew de Hastings, father of Sir William, in 1277.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 1285 Pencil number: 91 Unidentified numbers: 39 Thorpe page/entry: 27/4</p>
<p>Box 2 Item 1289</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: William, son and heir of Sir Matthew de Hastings, for his father's soul, to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the sacristy</p> <p>Two crofts (W: the Battle-Robertsbridge road; heading S: [the leuga] of Battle; N: a watercourse; E: the fee of Whatlington (Watlington'), which Robert d[e Molendino] once held of William's ancestors, saving to William a piece of land by the water, which he ought to have.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir William de Echingeham [kt], Sir Jo[h]n Moyn kt], Simon de Someri, John de Pepelesham, Thomas de Regge, Richard de Esburnham, Robert de Bromham, John de C[ot]ecumbe, Geoffrey] de Hocstepe, John Funtener, Thomas Skyret</p> <p>Seals: Armorial a fesse between three lozenges; +SIGILL' WILLELMI : DE : HASTINGE</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 folio inserted between folios 17 and 18</p> <p>Notes: Date from the death of Sir Matthew de Hastings, father of Sir William, in 1277. About an inch has been trimmed from the right margin of this deed; the text has been supplied from the sacrist's cartulary.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/2 Ink number: 1289 Pencil number: 95 Unidentified numbers: 37 Thorpe page/entry: 20/8 and 20/9</p>
<p>Box 2 Item 1368</p>	<p>Grant of a rent in free alms for the maintenance of a lamp. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Duna, mason, to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle, for the maintenance of a lamp on the altar of the blessed Mary</p> <p>An annual rent of 6 pence paid by William, called le Meleward, from a piece of land in the parish of Battle (stretching towards The Plesset, and heading onto the road from the mill towards Robertsbridge), to be taken by the keeper of the altar for the time being</p> <p>To hold of Robert.</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Funtener, William de Dene, William Aurifaber, Robert de Parco, Ralph Yvegod, Adam le Mone, Joce le Hunte, John le Forster, John Cunarius</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 41</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 1368 Thorpe page/entry: 11/4</p>

<p>Box 2 Item 1374</p>	<p>Quitclaim by heir for 10s 6d. Approximately 1300.</p> <p>Description: Matthew Ingeloth to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">A messuage in the vill of Battle (E: the messuage which once belonged to Simon Olof; W: the messuage which belonged to Gilbert Hurtot), which descended to him on the death of Henry le Assedrivere</p> <p>The consideration paid by the sacrist.</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Fontener, William de Dene, Adam le Mone, Robert Portarius, Ralph Yvegod the younger, Richard de Lymenessned, Walter de la Curie, Thomas de Yvecherch', John Mose</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 26v</p> <p>Notes: The reading <i>Ingeloth</i> is not supported by the cartulary, and relies on the extension of the split I to the right over the g.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 1374 Pencil number: 71 Thorpe page/entry: 23/4</p>
<p>Box 2 Item 1379</p>	<p>Conveyance for 12d. Approximately 1290.</p> <p>Description: Luke ate Gate of Beckley (Beckele) to the sacristy of Battle</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Four dayworks of land divided by a ditch at the north end of the field called Wulveneland in Beckley, west of the road from Ludley (Lodelegh') to Luke's house, to build a barn upon for the use of the sacristy</p> <p>Warranty against the lords of the fee.</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Fontener, Ralph Yvegod, Adam le Mone, Laurence Pykot, Adam le Taylur, William Aurifaber, Robert Piscator, Clement Textor, Walter ate Curie</p> <p>Endorsed: charter of one acre at Beckley given to the sacrist</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 20v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 1379 Pencil number: 45 Thorpe page/entry: 18/4</p>
<p>Box 2 Item 1381</p>	<p>Quitclaim by widow. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Isabel, widow of Gilbert Dispensator, in her free widowhood and power, to her lords, the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">The whole tenement which she holds in Rikelherst, both within the park and without, with all the right she has in it.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Hugh de Flintham, Robert Cementarius, Luke de Swinham, John de Lond', Renger de Watlingt', John Godmefetch', John Clericus, Fulk Cocus, Gilbert Hod</p> <p>Seals: A stylised tree of seven branches: [S'ISABE]LLE VIDVE DISSPENSATOR[IS]</p> <p>Endorsed: leuga; xxxij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 104v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/7 Ink number: 1381 Thorpe page/entry: 14/8</p>
<p>Box 2 Item 1440</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Ralph Piscator to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">A meadow (E: the messuage of Simon Faber; W: the messuage which belonged to</p>

	<p>Dering in Sandlake) in Sandlake, Battle</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de [Bech', Luke de] Swinham, Ralph de Gerston', Hugh de Flintham, John Godmefetch', Robert Cementarius, John Clericus, Reynold Bedellus, Fulk Cocus</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 27v</p> <p>Notes: The deed is damaged by a hole and some elements of the witness list have been supplied from the text in the sacrist's cartulary.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 1440 Pencil number: 77 Thorpe page/entry: 17/3</p>
Box 2 Item 2000	<p>Fragment of indented inventory of live and dead stock formerly attached to a lease. Approximately 1480.</p> <p>Description: ... a boar, 2 sows, 7 pigs, 8 piglets (price ...), ... chickens (1½d each), 16 acres sown with wheat, ... meadow, 8 acres fallow reploughed and ploughed again, ..., .. cart with iron-bound wheels, ...; ends with a clause concerning forfeiture.</p> <p>Endorsed: A clause concerning livery to the lessee of a groom's gown (de secta valectorum), and the [annual] accommodation of the surveyor or his attorney for ... days and two nights.</p> <p>Notes: Ink number on dorse of 2000 is not an original number.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/ Ink number: 2000 (Note: numbers 2000-2005 were added in 1993 to six deeds which lacked ink numbers)</p>
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Box 3 Item 678	<p>Conveyance for 12 shillings. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Gregory le Messenger to Henry le Messenger and his wife Alice A messuage in the vill of Battle (between the land which belonged to Henry le Melkere, and the messuage of Griffin le Forester; in length between the street from Donintone to the abbey, and the land which belonged to Henry Melkere) To hold of Gregory by an annual rent of 1 penny for all service belonging to him, and performing the services due to the chief lords.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Dene, John Mone, Robert Cupere, Robert Arnold, Reynold de Sartrino, Reynold Page, Robert Milus baker, Adam de Camera, John Forester, Laurence Pikot, Walter Torold, John de Gyseburne</p> <p>Seals: Ten-leaved flower: +S'G...ORII MESSAGR</p> <p>Endorsed: town Cijj</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/17 Ink number: 678 Thorpe page/entry: 48/10</p>
Box 3 Item 719	<p>Deed of exchange. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: John, son of Reynold Sperver, to the abbot and convent of Battle All the land which Reynold held of them in Battle, which is near Westefeld and around the pond of Stonpett in exchange for 1 All the land which Anchitel de Ukeham once held of them at Uckham (Ukeham) 2 A piece of land and wood, part of the land called Guy's Land (terre Guidonis), next adjoining, as the ditch divides them</p>

	<p>to hold of the abbot and convent by an annual rent of 2s 6d and suit of court, for all services. Witnesses: Sir John Mowin kt, Michael de Beche, Richard de Beche, Robert de Bromham, Ralph de Swinham, William de Dene, John le Funtener, Thomas Skirett Endorsed: leuga; viij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 Cartulary: Vol 29 f 102v Notes: Date from the counterpart (Box 3, Item 994), sealed by abbot Reynold, in office 1261-1281. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/4 Ink number: 719 Thorpe page/entry: 34/2</p>
Box 3 Item 742	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1240. Description: Gilbert Picot to the abbot and convent of Battle All that share of land which accrued to him in the field which lies east of the windmill, between the land of Fulk Picot, the land of John son of John de Penda and the great street which leads to Whatlington (Watlington') Witnesses: William de Sokenerse kt, Michael de Beche, Robert le Huser, Richard de Beche, Luke de Swinham, Lambin le King, Adam Picot, Martin Pistor, John Godmevetch', William le Cordewaner, Nicholas Marscall', Robert Cementarius Seals: Vesica a cross moline: +S'GILEBERTI PICOTTI Endorsed: leuga; .xxxvj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 . Cartulary: Vol 29 f 104v Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/8 Ink number: 742 Thorpe page/entry: 30/7</p>
Box 3 Item 773	<p>Conveyance in exchange. Approximately 1310. Description: David Curteys to the abbot and convent of Battle A piece of his land called Clerekesdoune in Catsfield, estimated at 24 acres, lying enclosed on all sides by the land of the abbot and convent To hold of the chief lords. For which they have granted him a field called Anseles Northrode in Battle, as their charter witnesses. Witnesses: John de Lonesford, William de Penehurst, Reynold de Beche, William de Hodesdale, William de Ore, Daniel le Taillour, Robert Gardyner, Robert de Suthynne, John de Loxebeche, Adam le Mone, Stephen Pessonier, Richard Purs Seals: A four-petalled flower: ..ID CURTEYS Endorsed: Broomham by Battle; xxvj. Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/18 Ink number: 773 Pencil number: 22 Thorpe page/entry: 14/3</p>
Box 3 Item 823	<p>Conveyance in exchange. Approximately 1310. Description: Parnell, daughter of Ralph Hyvegod of Battle, to Gilbert Walat of Battle and his wife Margery Two acres of land called Droleslond, and 5 acres of wood (in length E: land which</p>

	<p>belonged to Robert de Bech'; W: the wood of Reynold de Bech' which is called The Kedek'; stretching from a street leading from The Kedek', between Droleslonde and the land of John atte Boure, to the watercourse which divides the land and wood of Droleslond from the land of Reynold de Bech', and runs to Donyford), with a reasonable way for riding, driving and carrying to the land and wood</p> <p>Gilbert and Margery have given Parnell a messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, in exchange, as their charter witnesses.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Forester, Joce Hunte, John Hunte, Robert Bordere, Adam le Mone, Robert ate Park', William de Bromham, Thomas de Haddelegh', Walter Miles, Richard le Vanner', William le Tornor, Stephen Pessonier</p> <p>Seals: A cross with flowers in the interstices: +S' PETRON'YEVE..D</p> <p>Endorsed: Droleslond by Kethegh Cxxxviiij</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/10 Ink number: 823 Thorpe page/entry: 57/8</p>
Box 3 Item 834	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Mank' to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy An acre of land (W: against the house which belonged to Simon de Munceaus; stretching from the road) To hold of Robert.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir Henry prior of Combwell (Cumwell'), Sir Peter prior of Michelham, James son of William, Thomas de Bavingeleham, Gerard Bret, William Palerne, Beringer Tyrel, Adam Clericus, Stephen de Norhya, Richard Bret, Ralph Frankelain, Benedict de Berga</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 94</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/ Ink number: 834 Pencil number: 83 Unidentified numbers: 374 Thorpe page/entry: 24/8</p>
Box 3 Item 848	<p>Conveyance for 7 shillings. Approximately 1310.</p> <p>Description: Thomas, son of Henry le Messenger, and his wife Maud, to Robert, called Bone All that part of the whole tenement in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, which formerly belonged to Robert Berewyk, which came to Maud on the death of her brother Alan, son and heir of Robert Berewyk.</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam le Mone, John Forester, Joce le Hunte, Daniel le Tayllur, William de Teletone, Simon Pykot, Robert le Bordere, William Aurifaber, Joce le Seler, Ralph Yevogod, Richard le Vannur, William le Rus</p> <p>Endorsed: town Cv.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110; [approximately 1850: 1276, 5 Edw 1]</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/ Ink number: 848 Pencil number: 97 Thorpe page/entry: 48/11</p>
Box 3 Item 853	<p>Settlement of rent and a reversion. Approximately 1340.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Pessonier of Battle to his daughter Joan in tail male, remainder to his own right heirs</p>

	<p>1 An annual rent of 4 shillings paid by Adam Corur and his wife Parnell from a messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the messuage of Thomas de Haddele and the messuage which formerly belonged to Joce le Seler), which they hold of Stephen for their lives</p> <p>2 The reversion of the messuage on the deaths of Adam and Parnell.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Mortemer, Richard de Bech', William Gerveys, Joce Baker, Thomas de Haddele, Adam Pessonier</p> <p>Seals: Seal fragment</p> <p>Related materials: The messuage was granted and the rent reserved by a deed of 10 December 1329 (Box 19, Item 703); for another text of the settlement, see Box 3, Item 985.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/14 Ink number: 853 Pencil number: 102 Thorpe page/entry: 30/1</p>
Box 3 Item 865	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: William Capellanus of Manxey (Manekes') to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the sacristy</p> <p>Two acres of marsh in the marsh of Pevensey (Pevenes'), adjoining the land of the sacristy on the north</p> <p>Performing the services due to the lords of the fee.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Hydeny, William de Bestenoure, Ralph de Gerston' clerk, Hugh de Flintham, Alfred de Chillye, William Blesse, John de Godecumbe, Michael de Beche, Robert Cementarius, Ralph le Frankelein, Geoffrey le King</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 93v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/20 Ink number: 865 Pencil number: 114 Thorpe page/entry: 25/1</p>
Box 3 Item 871	<p>Conveyance in exchange. Approximately 1310.</p> <p>Description: John, son of Bartholomew le Plomer, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>A piece of land called Clapermere in Catsfield, estimated at 10 acres (S: the road; E, W, N: the land of the abbot and convent)</p> <p>For which they have granted him a messuage in the vill of Battle, as is more fully contained in their charter.</p> <p>Witnesses: Joce de Whatlyntone, John de Lonesforde, William de Hodesdale, Reynold de Beche, Michael de Beche, William de Ore, Stephen Pessonier, John le Forster, Adam le Mone, Joce le Celer</p> <p>Seals: A stylised flower: +S'IOH'IS : PLVMER</p> <p>Endorsed: Bromham by Battle; viij.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/12 Ink number: 871 Pencil number: 5 Thorpe page/entry: 31/9A</p>
Box 3 Item 898	<p>Conveyance. Approximately 1310.</p> <p>Description: John, son of Bartholomew le Plomer, to Joce, son of William de Whatlynton'</p> <p>A piece of land called Clapermere in Catsfield, estimated at 10 acres (S: the road; E, W,</p>

	<p>N: the land of the abbot and convent of Battle, and Joce's land)</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Lonesford, William de Penehurst, William de Hodesdale, Reynold de Beche, Michael de Beche, William de Ore, Stephen Pessonier, John le Forester, Joce le Celer</p> <p>Seals: A stylised flower: +S'IOH'IS : PLVMER</p> <p>Endorsed: Bromham by Battle; .ix.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/19 Ink number: 898 Thorpe page/entry: 31/9B</p>
Box 3 Item 937	<p>Settlement. Approximately 1300.</p> <p>Description: William Aurifaber of Battle to Ralph, son of Thomas de Hurst of Sedlescombe, in free marriage with William's daughter Isabel, and to their heirs in tail, reversion to William and his heirs</p> <p>1 All the lands and tenements which WA has in Catsfield, both by the gift of Alan de Nedderfeud, called de Kenes, and by the gift of William de Bromham, in gardens, lands, woods, waters, ways and pastures</p> <p>2 A measure of wheat to be taken on 29 September at Wyke in Willingdon, part of an annual rent of two measures of wheat which Robert Harding of Willingdon owes from tenements in Willingdon which he purchased from WA.</p> <p>Witnesses: Reynold le Hore, his brothers Robert and John, William de Sneylham, John de Lunesford, William de Bromham, Joce Faber, John ate Broke, Ralph Yevegod, Joce le Seler, John Forester, Adam le Mone</p> <p>Seals: A crucifixion: ..MI : AVRIFAB..</p> <p>Endorsed: Bromham by Battle; iij.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/15 Ink number: 937 Thorpe page/entry: 19/2</p>
Box 3 Item 941	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1330.</p> <p>Description: John de Cattesfeld, parson of Whatlington, to the abbot and convent of Battle The whole tenement in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the tenement of John Yevegod and the tenement which formerly belonged to Thomas le Taylour), which he bought from William Golioun.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Pessonier, Daniel le Taylour, Adam atte Holte, William Teyntener, Adam Aurifaber, Gilbert Walet</p> <p>Seals: Seal now gone.</p> <p>Endorsed: town Cxxxvj</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110v</p> <p>Related materials: The same property was conveyed by William to John in an undated deed (Box 11, Item 895) and quitclaimed by William to John on 14 November 1330 (Box 20, Item 1037).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/ Ink number: 941 Thorpe page/entry: 69/5</p>
Box 3 Item 957	<p>Conveyance for 13s 4d. Approximately 1310.</p> <p>Description: Ralph atte Curie of Battle to John Bone of Battle Two parts of the east moiety of a whole tenement in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the tenement which formerly belonged to William Hekewode and the</p>

	<p>tenement formerly William atte Bachuse), which belonged to Robert de Berewike.</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam le Mone, Robert ate Park, Robert le Bordere, John le Forester, Daniel le Taylour, Stephen Pessonier, William Aurifaber, Ralph Gyvegod, William le Turnour</p> <p>Endorsed: town Cvij</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/ Ink number: 957 Thorpe page/entry: 13/9</p>
Box 3 Item 973	<p>Conveyance for 13s 4d. Approximately 1290.</p> <p>Description: John Pycard, called Somery, of Bexhill (Bexle), to Robert atte Helestrete A piece of land of 2¼ acres in a field called Heldewelle, in Bexhill (E: John's own land; W: the common pasture of Bexhill called The Doune; in breadth N: the land which the bishop of Chichester has in demesne, the land which John Phillippus holds of the bishop in bondage, and the land which Robert de Tedelyngherche holds of the bishop in bondage; S: the land of Sir Nicholas, vicar of Bexhill) To hold of the chief lord by the services due, and an annual rent of 15d to John for all secular demands.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Codyng', Philip de Wode, Walter and Geoffrey le Parkers, Simon de Byrchyngton, John de Ertham, John de Sydelegh'</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/20 Ink number: 973 Thorpe page/entry: 35/1</p>
Box 3 Item 985	<p>Settlement of rent and a reversion. Approximately 1340.</p> <p>Description: Another text of Volume 35, Item 853 in a different hand, and lacking a seal; endorsed, approximately 1460, in the squiggly Pessonier hand.</p> <p>Notes: This deed remained with the Pessoniers, the other came into the archive with the property.</p> <p>Related materials: For the other text, see Box 3, Item 853; the message was granted and the rent reserved by a deed of 10 December 1329 (Box 19, Item 703).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/20 Ink number: 985 Thorpe page/entry: 30/1B</p>
Box 3 Item 994	<p>Counterpart deed of exchange. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Seals: View of Battle Abbey from the west: ...SANCTI:MARTINI[:DE:]BE[LLO]. Counterthe figure of an abbot standing on a bracket holding a book and a staff, the field lozengy: ...REGINALDI.DEI.GRAC...</p> <p>Endorsed: [Battle <i>deleted</i>] <leuga>; .viij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 102v, where it is marked duplicate; [Phillipps] 27615 [<i>deleted</i>]</p> <p>Notes: Datable from abbot Reynold, in office 1261-1281.</p> <p>Related materials: For deed of exchange, see Box 3, Item 719.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/3 Ink number: 994 Thorpe page/entry: 47/6</p>
Box 3	Inspeximus, confirmation and exchange in free alms. Approximately 1205.

<p>Item 1004</p>	<p>Description: Nicholas Haringod, lord of Icklesham (Yclesham), inspects the charter of his predecessor Ralph, formerly lord of Icklesham, which he has touched with his own hands (recites Box 14, Item 1172), and confirms it, at the petition of his wife Sybil, the heir of Icklesham. But because the lands in Ralph's charter lie dispersed, Nicholas has given the sacristy in exchange:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">All the land above Hotherecnocke which lies between the land of the canons of The Holy Trinity, Hastings (Hasting'), the land of William de Ores, and the public street which leads from Guestling (Gestling') to Hastings Castle</p> <p>To hold in free alms, free from all service.</p> <p>Witnesses: Reynold parson of Icklesham, Vincent Capellanus, Gervase Capellanus of Malling (Mallinges), Gerard de Hakinton', John de Gillinges, William de Gillinges, Alfred de Knelle, Vincent de Bello</p> <p>Seals: Seal, on green silk threads: an eagle in flight: ..E HA..</p> <p>Endorsed: Icklesham; Nicholas Heringod'; duplicate; circle with a line.</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 90</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/7 Ink number: 1004 Pencil number: 355 Thorpe page/entry: 41/4</p>
<p>Box 3 Item 1051</p>	<p>Transcript, approximately 1400, of a quitclaim in free alms. Approximately 1295.</p> <p>Description: William, son and heir of Sir William de Echyngeham knight, for the soul of his father, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 His claim in the fee of Whatlington, with homages, services, rents, reliefs, escheats, suits of court, wardships, aids, marriages, fees and castleguards 2 His right in the homage of Simon, son of Reynold de Brok' deceased, and of his heirs, with the rents, reliefs and escheats in Udimore <p>Warranty against the king, the barony and all men for castleguard and all other services and demands.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Lonesford, John de Coting, master Geoffrey de Holentegh, master Geoffrey de Horwod, John le Fontener, William de Greye [recte Creye], William de Alsiston</p> <p>Endorsed: The copy of the fee of Whatlington; [the text is enrolled in the cartulary, f 108v].</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 hand, but the reference does not work.</p> <p>Notes: Stitching-holes along left margin.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/ Ink number: 1051 Pencil number: 60 Unidentified numbers: 388 Thorpe page/entry: 15/6</p>
<p>Box 3 Item 1138</p>	<p>Conveyance for 50 shillings. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: John de Popinton' to the almonry of Battle</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Six acres and 7 rods (<i>virgata</i>) of his brookland in Popinton', and 2 acres of upland (<i>terra suseinia</i>) next to the brookland, stretching from the place called the old mill on the north, along the length of the brookland; (N: the land of William de Perlinton'; S: land called Levota's meadow; W: JP's land; E: the fee of Maxfield (Mexefeld) [in Guestling])</p> <p>To hold of John, paying 2 pence on 21 December and 2 pence on 2 February for all services and suits of court; John to provide a right of way across his land to the brookland.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Brunnesford, Geoffrey de Royng', Adam le Hay, Luke de Swinham, Renger Luc', Godfrey de Petta, John Pret, Stephen Pret, Walter de Halton', William Betel, William le Riche, Vincent le Riche</p> <p>Endorsed: Horizontal lines with curved ends; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's</p>

	<p>cartulary].</p> <p>Related materials: The text of Box 13, Item 1141, is almost identical, but refers to 3 acres of upland, and includes an additional part of the boundary clause.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/ Ink number: 1138 Thorpe page/entry: 32/2</p>
Box 3 Item 1142	<p>Confirmation by chief lord in free alms. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Alice, countess of Eu, in her widowhood and full power, for the souls of her father and mother and late husband Ralph de Issold', to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>The gifts in free alms and sales which her men have made to the monks:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The land of Glesham which Gerald de Normanvill' sold for £13 6s 8d, except for one villein, who[se land] lies at another land called Flekelai [Flackley in Peasmarsh] 2 The land of Dudilande and of Breadsell (Breggesell'), which Anselm de Frealvill' sold for £7 6s 8d 3 The land and marsh beyond Winchelsea (Wincheles'), which William de Sancto Leodegario and Clarembald granted, to hold of them by an annual rent of 20 shillings for all service 4 The land of Bucksteep (Bocstep') [in Warbleton], which William son of Wibert granted in free alms 5 The annual rent of 46s 8d to be paid by Thomas de Harmere and his heirs from half a knight's fee in Whatlington (Watlinget'), by distraint of the lord of the fee if necessary, given by Simon de Etchingeham 6 The annual rent of 6s 8d to be paid by Seffrid son of Richard Cocus and his heirs, given by William de Munceaus 7 The land in Broomhill (Prumhell), given by Robert de Hasting' 8 The land called Chelilande in Hooe (Hou) with the land called Denne, with two saltings in the marsh which belongs to the land, given by Reynold de Esburnham [for the charter, see East Sussex Record Office ASH 4500/1] 9 The land of Bodherst' and the land of The Grave and the land of The Beche, with the men and their sequel, given by Walter le Boef 10 A way to the meadow of Bodiam (Bodiham), and the land of Rette, given by William de Bodiham 11 Land in Echene, and a way to the meadow of Bodiam, given by Stephen le Born' 12 The land at the site of the mill of Iltons bath (Iltunesbathe) [in Sedlescombe], with its pond, given by William de Ora 13 The land which lies between Enham and the road of Iltons bath, the land called Scottesland', a share of the meadow of Gorwisse with a ditch six feet wide, and the flow of water to Iltons bath millpond, given by Robert Basoc 14 The land in the field of Eure, the small wood between Smalewisse and the stream of Whatlington (Watlingetun'), a part of Smalewisse, and the brook which Ralph de Huckelstepe held, given by Thomas de Watlingetun' 15 The land in Bulande which Richard de Watlinget' gave 16 The land of Cornore and Bulande, and an annual rent of 12 pence, which they have by the confirmation of Thomas de Haremere in exchange for 20 shillings from the annual rent of 46s 8d given by Simon de Etchingeham, which he owes them 17 The land between the land of Rette and the way between Battle and Mountfield (Mundifeld'), which they have by the gift of Richard de Croherst 18 The flow of the water of Peppering Eye (Piperingee) over the fee of Catsfield (Cattesfeld'), granted by Simon de Sumery 19 The land of Bereherst which they hold of Manser de Scotegn' <p>She confirms the grants, and that they shall be free of all custom and service.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Thomas her chaplain, Simon de Echingeham, William de Munceaus, Robert de Hasting', John de Auvernia, Roger de Sancto Aniano, Robert de Gossovill', Andrew de Elham, then her bailiff in the rape of Hastings</p> <p>Endorsed: .v. ; [Battle deleted]; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 duplicate.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 127v</p> <p>Notes: Two triangular holes for sealing cords. Datable from Alice's widowhood, 1219-1246; Andrew de Elesham was attorney for the countess in the curia regis in Michaelmas 1228: CRR 1227-30, 889.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/2 Ink number: 1142 Thorpe page/entry: 42/5</p>
Box 3 Item 1145	<p>Confirmation by heir and grant in free alms. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Henry, son of Henry de Palerne, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The land which his father, with his assent, gave them with his brother John, which consisted of his part of the land which he and Ellis Molendinarius enclosed together, and whatever might in future be enclosed from the adjoining sea, and whatever right he had in the land which William Tirel held of him 2 All the old wall which lies in length to the south of the same land, with a ditch 8 feet wide on its outer side, for the defence of their land, with a right of way across Henry's land, where it is convenient to both parties, to their land, to carry out their business. <p>Witnesses: Ellis Molendinarius, Christian le Passur, William Tirel, Stephen Marescallus, Luke Salvag', Robert Buckebaerd</p> <p>Seals: [?] a human figure: S'ILL'...DE PALER..</p> <p>Endorsed: .xliv. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 134v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/3 Ink number: 1145 Thorpe page/entry: 29/3</p>
Box 3 Item 1239	<p>Grant of an annual rent in free alms. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: John, son of Hugh de Tobbefelde, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>An annual rent of 5d, with the escheats, paid by the heirs of Stephen Becke from a messuage which they hold in the vill of Battle (N: the small messuage which belonged to Reynold de Camera; S: the messuage of Thomas de Rode)</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam de Cumbe bailiff of Wye (Wy), Roger de Benendenn', John Mone, William de Dene, Robert Longus, John de Gyseburne, Jordan Sutor, Thomas del Parlur, his son Thomas</p> <p>Seals: An eight-petalled flower: S': IOH'IS : FIL : HUGON'</p> <p>Endorsed: [Stephen Becke deleted]; John son of Hugh de Tobefeld.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/1 Ink number: 1239 Pencil number: 45 Thorpe page/entry: 35/7</p>
Box 3 Item 1262	<p>Conveyance for £2 13s 8d. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: John le Purs to Richard le Breuman</p> <p>The whole messuage (in length W: the land which belonged to Parnell Textrix; E: the land of Reynold de Camera and Adam Piscator, the land of Vital Curtais, the land which</p>

	<p>belonged to Thomas Pelliparius; S: the road to the church of Battle St Mary; N: the land of Henry le Milkere, the land of Vital Curtais), [in Battle]</p> <p>Performing the services due to the chief lords, and an annual forgable of ½d to John for all customs, services and gifts belonging to him.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', his son Walter, John de Pising', Thomas le Waleis, John le Mone, Reynold Forester, Richard de Bech', Adam Piscator, Nicholas le Tannur, his sons Geoffrey and Walter, Geoffrey le King', Henry the clerk who composed this charter</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/13 Ink number: 1262 Pencil number: 68 Thorpe page/entry: 32/6</p>
Box 3 Item 1286	<p>Grant of an annual rent in free alms. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Anger de Dodelond' to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy An annual rent of 6 pence, with the reliefs and escheats, paid by Richard le Cupere from a messuage which he holds at Breadsell (Breggeselle).</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Skiret, William de Dene, Ralph Yevogod, John le Mone, Fulk Cocus, Robert Longus, James Aurifaber, Richard Bracur</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: ..NGERI : DE DVDILONDE</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 39</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/8 Ink number: 1286 Pencil number: 92 Unidentified numbers: 132 Thorpe page/entry: 8/3</p>
Box 3 Item 1288	<p>Confirmation by chief lord. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: William de Sancto Leodegario to the abbot and convent of Battle An acre of land, which they have by the gift of Robert de Manek'saving to himself the foreign service.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir W[illiam] de Echingham, Sir J[oe]l de Sancto Germano, Sir W[illiam] de Sokeners, Ralph Frankelein, Nicholas de Fonte, Philip de Wertling', J Pechard, Adam de Cudenne, Stephen de Northya, Ralph Prinling, Ellis de Dalinton', Stephen Hering</p> <p>Seals: Radiating leaves: +SIGILL....E</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 94</p> <p>Notes: Ink number on dorse called in pencil 275.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/9 Ink number: 1288 Pencil number: 375 Thorpe page/entry: 24/3</p>
Box 3 Item 1300	<p>Grant of an annual rent in free alms. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: William, son of Anselm de Bregeselle, to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy An annual rent of 12 pence, with the reliefs and escheats, paid by Richard le Cupere from 4 acres which he holds at Breadsell (Bregeselle) (S: the road; N: William's land; heading W: William's land; E: land of Sir Matthew de Hastings)</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Skiret, William de Dene, Anger de Dudilond', Wibert, Robert and Eylmer de Bregeselle, Adam Piscator, Robert Longus, Richard le Brascur</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 38</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/5 Ink number: 1300 Pencil number: 106 Unidentified numbers: 128 Thorpe page/entry: 9/5</p>
<p>Box 3 Item 1386</p>	<p>Settlement. 8 July 1316-7 July 1317.</p> <p>Description: Master William de Horwod to Adam, called Curur, and his wife Parnell, and to their heirs in tail, remainder to her brother Sir Thomas Capellanus, and to his next of blood The moiety of a messuage and curtilage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, which he lately bought from William de Bernehorn' Consideration of a certain sum of money. Witnesses: Thomas de Haddelege, Gilbert Walat, Walter Milys, Ralph Cocus, Robert Seler, Stephen Pessonier Notes: Dated to the tenth year of Edward 2.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/ Ink number: 1386 Thorpe page/entry: 50/9</p>
<p>Box 3 Item 1410</p>	<p>Conveyance for £1 13s 0d. Approximately 1285.</p> <p>Description: Alice Cond', daughter of master Henry de Bello, to Thomas de Ivychereche All the land in the vill of Battle which she had from Gilbert Rudefin, and all the land in the vill of Battle which she had from Stephen Sprot of Hastings (Hastinges) and his wife Sarah, which small pieces of land lie in a croft in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, south of the road from Sandlake to Hastings, of which Thomas has a part, as appears from the deeds which she has from them To hold of Alice by annual rents of a red rose on 23 June to Alice, 22½d to Gilbert and a clove of spice to Stephen and Sarah, for all services, customs and suits of court. Witnesses: William Aurifaber, Robert le Wysser', Martin de Haddelehe, William de Dene, William de la Dune, William le Tawerner, John le Webbe, John Forester, Walter Petit, John Cordewaner, William Molendinarius, Thomas Petit Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/ Ink number: 1410 Thorpe page/entry: 12/5</p>
<p>Box 3 Item 1438</p>	<p>Grant for homage and service. Approximately 1305.</p> <p>Description: William de Bromhamme to his brothers Robert de Bromhamme and Simon de Bromhamme, and to Simon's heirs The whole tenement of Broomham in Catsfield, with the houses built upon it, with the curtilages and gardens, which once belonged to his father Robert de Bromhamme. Witnesses: Sir William de Echinghamme knight, his brother Simon de Echynghamme, Simon de Lundresford, John de Suntingg', John de Peplesham, John de Smalefeld, William de Oore, William Attebrooke, John Faber, Simon Clericus Seals: An eight-pointed star: S'...I D'BROMHA.. Endorsed: Bromham in the park vj Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/10 Ink number: 1438</p>

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Box 3 Item 1471	<p>Final concord levied in the abbot of Battle's court of Battle, before Sir John Breman steward, Robert de Scharndenne bailiff and other. [22 June 1332] 1.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Pessoner of Battle v John, parson of Whatlington Three messuages, 60 acres land, 3 acres meadow, 5 acres wood, 4 acres heath and 15 shillings rent in the vill of Battle Stephen acknowledges the above to be the right of John, which he had by Stephen's gift; for which John grants to Stephen for life, remainder to his son William in tail, remainder to William's brother Laurence in tail, remainder to Stephen's right heirs: Two messuages, 46 acres land, 3 acres meadow, 5 acres wood, 4 acres heath and 6 shillings rent in the vill of Battle John grants to Stephen and his wife Isabel for their lives, remainder to Stephen's son Laurence in tail, remainder to Laurence's brother William in tail, remainder to Stephen's right heirs: A messuage, 14 acres land and 9 shillings rent, in the vill of Battle. Notes: The fine was originally drawn as a tripartite chirograph with double letters of the alphabet (AA, BB, etc) along the indentures; this is one of the two tails. Related materials: The fine is recorded in the calendar of court-rolls (Volume 5, entry 342). Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/9 Ink number: 1471 Thorpe page/entry: 30/2</p>
Box 3 Item 1482	<p>Transcript of covenant for an exchange. Approximately 1400.</p> <p>Related materials: For original covenant of an exchange, see Box 8, Item 1109. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/6 Ink number: 1482 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Box 3 Item 1540	<p>Letter from Nicholas Durrant at London to Sir Richard Ambrose [priest] at Battle. 10 August [1541].</p> <p>Description: Durrant's master [Sir Anthony Browne] wishes Ambrose to certify all his servants about Battle and his tenants to be ready with the best gelding they can get when he shall send for them; a similar message to be sent to the keeper of Danny Park [in Hurstpierpoint]; anyone taking a view or muster within the liberties to be gently warned to be in like readiness. An address panel 'To Sir Richard parson of Cranley', perhaps detached from another letter to the same recipient, has been attached to this by sealing wax. Notes: The reference to Danny, the property of Lord Dacre, suggests that the letter was written after his execution on 29 June 1541; and see Box 3, Item 1547. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/32 Ink number: 1540 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Box 3 Item 1542	<p>Letter from Thomas Assheburnham to 'master Parson of Cranwaye' [Richard Ambrose], chaplain to Sir Anthony Browne. Approximately 1540.</p> <p>Description: Thanks him for the palers; they have now made all the stuff, and it would be convenient if they could come to Thomas on Tuesday night to set it; he is sure they will be finished in two more days. On Tuesday, he will send to [Ambrose] to know his mind, and to confirm the message, via Ashburnham's boy, that Browne has given him a piece of a buck out of Battle. Related materials: For related letter from Assheburnham to Ambrose (Box 3, Item 1551).</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/ Ink number: 1542 Thorpe page/entry: 141/2</p>
Box 3 Item 1544	<p>Memorandum of acreage from a map. Approximately 1600.</p> <p>Description: The total sum of all the coppices in the manor of Battle within this plot, and with two coppices in Eastland in the manor, is 799 acres 3 roods 7 perches.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/33 Ink number: 1544 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Box 3 Item 1547	<p>Letter from Thomas Hungatt at Hampton Court to Sir Richard Ambrose, priest, at Battle. 25 June [1541].</p> <p>Description: Thanks for his good cheer when last at Battle. The master of the horse [Sir Anthony Browne] wishes Ambrose to send all Lord Dacre's apparel to Byfleet [in Surrey] by the next person that comes. 'As for the bay, Curtall recommend to you, and he shall see you at Battle at Michaelmas'</p> <p>Notes: Thomas Fiennes, Lord Dacre, was executed on 29 June 1541.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/ Ink number: 1547 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Box 3 Item 1549	<p>Memorandum of the value of manors and farms belonging to Sir Anthony Browne [died 6 May 1548], arranged in groups 'appointed for the performance of the will', 'appointed to the king's majesty' and unannotated; endorsed with a memorandum [?by the executors] to the heir [Anthony Browne], listing names [?beneficiaries], debts, repairs necessary at Battle 'this summer' and concerning woodsales at Wickhambreux, Brede and Battle. ?May 1550.</p> <p>Notes: Anthony Browne was licensed to enter his inheritance on 4 May 1550.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/30 Ink number: 1549 Thorpe page/entry: 144/3</p>
Box 3 Item 1551	<p>Letter from T[homas] Assheburneham to Mr Parson [Richard Ambrose]. ?1541.</p> <p>Description: Felde [Edward Field, bailiff of Battle] has informed him that the master of the horse [Sir Anthony Browne] will now have only 12 men 'from all these hundreds that I have meddled in'; he would willingly go himself if wanted; Ambrose knows all, and Ashburnham wants advice; he intends to set out on Sunday, to arrive at Byfleet on Monday night, but he will abide by Ambrose's instructions. If they may have Bachelor's gelding, Ambrose shall have five good geldings out of Guestling hundred.</p> <p>Related materials: For related letter from Assheburneham to Ambrose, see Box 3, Item 1542.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/26 Ink number: 1551 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Box 3 Item 1553	<p>Letter to Mr Browne's steward at Battle, signed 'yours as unknown'. 11 July [Approximately 1550].</p> <p>Description: Has heard that the roughlayers sent by Mr Bartewe have gone home, and intreats that those he has sent be well treated with regard to their wages; 'if men feel no gain by their labour and travail, it were as good that they were gone, for they will work thereafter'. He</p>

	<p>understands that the work is taken 'in great' by one man who gives small wages to increase his own profit, but the correspondent was promised by Mr Browne that any men sent by him would be paid over and above the task-work; asks him to negotiate, and to prevent the departure of the roughlayers, 'by the means whereof you should lose their works and the king both'. As soon as their pay is done, he will send a substantial man as a mortarmaker according to the steward's request.</p> <p><i>Added in the hand of the dating and subscription:</i> 'D[avid] Marten Comptoller of the king's works [word illegible] shall be upon Saturday next'.</p> <p>Endorsed: 'a scaffoldmaker [and] 4 hard hewers to hew and set after 1¼d the foot or else 3s 8d the week so that there be not above one holiday.'</p> <p>Notes: The identity of the receipient is obscure, as Sir Anthony Browne's son Anthony had been knighted on 20 February 1547 before his father's death the following year.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/24 Ink number: 1553 Thorpe page/entry: 141/1</p>
Box 3 Item 1554	<p>Letter from Joan Browne, Byfleet, to her servant Sir Richard Ambrose [priest]. Approximately 1540.</p> <p>Description: She has informed her father of the number of horsemen and footmen she requires - 50 or 60 horsemen and 40 footmen, who should be well-appointed; Ambrose should go to Sir Anthony [Browne] to discover how many he should provide, and come to Byfleet when everything is prepared; she will remain there until Wednesday.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/25 Ink number: 1554 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Box 3 Item 1600	<p>Transcript, approximately 1460, of an undated confirmation by William [FitzOdo], prior, and the convent of Norwich, of letters of Thomas [Blundville], bishop of Norwich, allowing the appropriation of the church of Ixning [in Suffolk] by the abbot and convent of Battle; given at London. 9 October 1227.</p> <p>Description: That the abbot and convent of Battle may appropriate the church of Ixning after the deaths of the rector George Vercellens and the vicar Guy, saving to the vicar a pension of £16 13s 4d; the abbot and convent to present a sufficient parson, whom the bishop may institute without difficulty or objection; if the abbot and convent fail to present, the bishop may institute a vicar. The vicar will pay all the canonical charges of the church, that is archdiaconal and diaconal procurations, and the abbot and convent will pay two-thirds of the costs of the books and ecclesiastical ornaments of the church, and the vicar one-third.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 81</p> <p>Notes: The ink number is duplicated. Diamond filing hole.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/28 Ink number: 1600 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Box 3 Item 1600	<p>Counterpart inventory of stock at the manor of Marley taken with the farm by Vincent atte Hoke. Approximately 1470.</p> <p>Description: Four quarters of threshed wheat, 80 quarters of oats in a rick, 2 romes of hay bound in the barn, 14 oxen (14 shillings each), a bull and 32 cows (8s 6d each), 16 bullocks (3s 8d each), 7 calves (2s 6d each), 4 stotts (6s 8d each), a boar, a sow (3s 6d each), 2 ploughs with wheels, shares and coulter without equipment, 3 harrows, a wheeled cart for corn, a bushel bound with iron, an iron shovel, a hoe, 2 dungforks, a pitchfork; in the bakehouse 2 querns, a</p>

	<p>kneading-trough; in the dairy a cheese-ladle, a vat, a cask (tyna), 4 bowls for milk, 4 milkpails, 2 worn-out cheese-moats, 2 boards for drying cheese.</p> <p>Robert Fayrman written in the bottom-left corner; diamond filing hole.</p> <p>John Fayrman was named as the late occupier of Marley in a lease to William Penny in 1497 (Volume 54, Item 1635).</p> <p>Notes: The ink number is duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/29 Ink number: 1600 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Box 3 Item 1612	<p>Inventory of live and dead stock at the manor of Bromham [in Wiltshire] delivered to Thomas Frere the farmer. Approximately 1470.</p> <p>Description: 16 quarters of wheat with straw at 3s 8d the quarter, 10 quarters of barley with straw at 3s 0d the quarter, 2 quarters of peas at 3d a bushel, 8 quarters of oats with straw at 2s 0d a quarter In The Cley 37 acres of fallow All the hay from the meadows called Formede and Thachemede, well and seasonably embarned. Four oxen (13s 4d each), 1 ox (10s 0d), 3 oxen of the first yoking (7s 6d each), 6 cows (7s 0d each), 2 heiffers (5s 0d each), a bullcok and a heiffer (4s 0d each), a stott and a mare (13s 4d), a boar (1s 0d), a sow (1s 8d), a goose and 2 unmated geese, a cock and 4 hens A cart with a pair of wheels, 2 iron <i>axpronges</i> weighing 8 pounds, an iron harrow, 2 iron <i>lyncez</i>, an iron wheel, a cart-ladder, 2 pairs of traces for carts, a leather horse-collar, a cart-saddle, 3 pairs of <i>hanys</i>, 2 halters A cart-rope (12d) A dungpot A plough, 2 coulter and a share weighing 24 pounds, 4 yokes with 4 pairs of iron hinges, 4 iron staples, 4 iron traces weighing 32 pounds A drag with 30 iron teeth, a harrow with 25 iron teeth An iron <i>taylewith</i>, a wooden basket, a cornleap of willow-rods (1s 8d) A sieve for wheat, a sieve for oats, a <i>royngseve</i>, a bushel bound with iron, a dung-fork, an axe, a bill A great brass pot of 6 gallons, a brass pot of 2 gallons, a brass pot of 1½ gallons, a posnet of half a gallon. A brass bown of 4 gallons, an iron <i>cokke</i> weighing 6½ pounds, a wooden vessel of 10 bushels, a mashing-vat of 3 bushels, a bowl of 2 bushels, a <i>renningtub</i> A <i>wayngynfate</i>, a cheesevat In the hall a table, 2 trestles and a form Another form, a moulding-board A bed made of board Two chests, a handcart.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V35/35 Ink number: 1612 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
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Box 4 Item 653	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1330.</p> <p>Description: Thomas le Cuner of Battle to Stephen Peshoner of Battle All his right in a messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the tenement of Robert Mortimer and [his wife] Alice*, and the tenement which once belonged to Geoffrey Goulyon; in length between the street and the [park of the abbot</p>

	<p>of] Battle called The New Park)</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Luxebeche, Gilbert Walet, Daniel le Taillour, John Cuner, Adam atte Holte, Thomas de Haddelegh', Robert Mortimer, Walter Milys, Adam Aurifaber, Clement le Tornour</p> <p>Endorsed: town .Cxxx.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110v</p> <p>Notes: *There is a hole in the document at this point; information from Box 20, Item 1011 and Box 19, Item 896.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/14 Ink number: 653 Thorpe page/entry: 58/6</p>
Box 4 Item 668	<p>Quitclaim for an exchange. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: William, son of Manser de Herst, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>The right which he or his wife Alice had in the land which Olive de Wikam held, or any part of it, so that they may not demand anything by virtue of the land, or of any covenant made concerning it</p> <p>In exchange for which, the abbot and convent have granted William:</p> <p>A messuage by the water of Iltonsbath, between the road and the mill of Iltonsbath</p> <p>To hold of the abbot and convent by an annual rent of 12d; the abbot and convent may do what they will with the messuage should William or Alice go against the terms of this deed, notwithstanding the deed which they have from the abbot and convent.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Hugh de Flintham, Luke de Swinham, Robert Cementarius, Richard de Bech', John Clericus</p> <p>Endorsed: Wycham; .xvj. <xv>; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 120v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/7 Ink number: 668 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Box 4 Item 672	<p>Quitclaim for a corrody. [1257].</p> <p>Description: Simon le Hunte and his wife Christine de Grafherst to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>The whole tenement of Grafherst in Icklesham (Ykelesham), in lands and waters, wood and plainland, meadows and pastures, ways and paths, brookland and upland (suseynus), with houses and gardens, rents, reliefs and escheats</p> <p>The abbot and convent will provide them with their reasonable needs in food and clothing for the rest of their lives, provided that Simon continues to serve them well and faithfully for as long as he lives.</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam le Hay, William de Sneilham, Ellis de Grafherst, Alan de Lideham, Roger de Bromham, Vincent de la Stocke, Michael de Beche, Hugh de Flintham, Ralph de Grestone, Luke de Swinham</p> <p>Seals: [1] a stag leaping a fleur de lys: +S'SIMONIS VENATORIS; [2] a fleur de lys: +S'CRISTIANE D'GRAFHERST (the legend enters the central area)</p> <p>Endorsed: Ik; Icklesham (Iklesham); .j. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 122</p> <p>Notes: The grant was confirmed by a fine in 1257 (see SUSSEX RECORD SOCIETY 7.621).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/8</p>

	<p>Ink number: 672 Thorpe page/entry: 23/1</p>
<p>Box 4 Item 700</p>	<p>Grant and confirmation for an exchange. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Adam le Hay to the abbot and convent of Battle He confirms his own gifts and grants and the gifts of Robert Foustre:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The third part of the lordship of Maxfield (Mexefeld) [in Guestling], in men, lands, rents, services, woods, plainlands, meadows, brooklands, drylands and wetlands 2 The homage and service of the heirs of Pupintun', and whatever right he has in them. 3 two acres of meadow at the old mill (between the meadow which belonged to his mother Levota and the meadow of the church of Guestling (Gestling')) 4 A way, three perches wide from the dam (walla) of the old mill to the land of Tikeherst 5 fifteen acres nearest the land called Hugelot's land 6 one acre of meadow held by Vincent de Mexefeld and one acre of meadow held by Ralph de Mexefeld 7 The land which belonged to Ingram de Stocke 8 The land which belonged to William de Nol, with all his sequel 9 A messuage with a curtilage, which Ralph de Mexefeld once held 10 A croft between the house which once belonged to his mother Levota, and the messuage which Ralph de Mexefeld once held 11 An acre west of the last croft, with a reasonable way to the well called Stokwell' 12 An annual rent of 13 pence which the abbot and convent have paid Adam for the messuage, curtilage, croft and acre 13 All the land called Bilese, with the wood which is between it and the wood which before belonged to the abbot and convent 14 The whole field called Cunifunte with all the upland wood (suseynus), as the boundaries and ditches show <p>Saving to Adam everything which is more fully contained in the deeds which the abbot and convent have.</p> <p>The abbot and convent grant to Adam:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">The whole field called Craule, and the whole farm of the land of Maxfield which they have by the gift of Robert Foustre.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Echingham, William de Sokenerse, Ellis de Udimere, Michael de Beche, William de Ikelesham, John Prat, Guy de Stonlinke, Luke de Swynham, Godfrey de Pette, Hamo de Esse, Vincent de Stocke, Hilary Prat, William de Pertlint'</p> <p>Endorsed: circle with a T; enrolled on the fourth folio; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/13 Ink number: 700 Thorpe page/entry: 21/7</p>
<p>Box 4 Item 720</p>	<p>Grant of an easement of drainage. Approximately 1310.</p> <p>Description: William de Hastinge kt, lord of Northye, to the abbot and convent of Battle That they may sew their brookland and coastal lands through the middle of the demesne lands of his manor of Northye, from the bridge of The Trade, between The Trade and their demesne lands as far as Swaneffet, from Swaneffet between the lands of the abbot [recte prior] and convent of Hastings and Ewelese by the old sewer of Cooden (Codynge), and thus in length by the land called The Neppes as far as the new gutter which lies at the head of The Neppes, and thus to the sea</p> <p>The abbot and convent to maintain the gutter at their own expense; they may clean and repair the ditches of the sewer, and throw the mud on William's land at will; all the dicthes of the</p>

	<p>sewer are to be 16 feet wide if it seems necessary to the abbot and convent.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert de Pepplesham, William de Sneylham, John de Codynge, John de Ertham, William de Godekumbe, Walter le Parker, William de Walderne</p> <p>Endorsed: Barnhorn .Lj. duplicate</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 135v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/9 Ink number: 720 Thorpe page/entry: 20/6</p>
Box 4 Item 755	<p>Quitclaim by widow for an annuity of 10 shillings for life. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Gillian, widow of John de Caldekote, to her lords, the abbot and convent of Battle Her right by way of dower in the tenement in Barnhorn (Bernehorn'), which John once held of them</p> <p>The annuity to be paid on 29 September by the serjeant of Barnhorn.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Godecumbe, Reyner de Bernehorn', Simon de Svuinton', William de Dene, Lambin Sprever, Thomas de Watlington'</p> <p>Endorsed: B' ; Barnhorn (Bernehore); .xxxvj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 133v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/3 Ink number: 755 Thorpe page/entry: 10/5</p>
Box 4 Item 784	<p>Conveyance for 13s 4d. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Henry Champeneis of Battle to Lambin, son of Reynold Esperver A piece of his land at Uckham (Hukeham), enclosed by hedges and ditches, west of Lambin's land there</p> <p>To hold of Henry by an annual rent of a red rose on 24 June at his house of Uckham (Ukeham) for services, customs and suits.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, Richard de Beche, Hugh de Coding', William de Dene, John de London', John le Mone, John de Giseburne, Robert le Cuner, Laurence Pikot, Adam Pikot, John Funtener, Rogon' de la Bure</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys with stars: +S'HENRICI : CH..IS</p> <p>Endorsed: .vj. ; Battle <leuga> ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 102v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/2 Ink number: 784 Thorpe page/entry: 11/6</p>
Box 4 Item 803	<p>Grant and confirmation in free alms. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Alice, countess of Eu, in her widowhood and full power, for the souls of her father, mother, and late husband Ralph de Issold' [Exoudun], count of Eu, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>1 The lands of Kayuuorth' and of The Feld with their men and appurtenances, into which they had entry by Samfred de Sumeri</p> <p>2 The land in Sedlescombe (Setellescumbe) which Sigar once gave them, into which they had entry by Robert Basoc</p> <p>Free of any service belonging to her.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas her chaplain, William de Etchingeha', William de Munceaus, Robert de</p>

	<p>Hasting', Roger de Sancto Amano, Robert de Gossovill', Peter de Bellomonte, Hugh de Haut, her bailiff in the rape of Hastings (Hasting')</p> <p>Endorsed: .iiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 127v</p> <p>Notes: During Alice's widowhood, 1219-1246; for Alice's regular confirmation see University of London Fuller charter 2; this is perhaps for lands improperly given; the witness-list is largely the same but the bailiff is different</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/20 Ink number: 803 Pencil number: 52 Thorpe page/entry: 43/1</p>
Box 4 Item 852	<p>Conveyance for 40 shillings. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Robert Cuparius and his wife Eleanor to John, son of Alexander Cordubanar' The whole messuage with a curtillage (E: the messuage which belonged to Geoffrey Aldred; W: the messuage of Henry Champeneis; heading onto the ditch of the abbot and convent's garden, and onto the street which leads to the church of St Mary of Battle), which once belonged to Ralph Floske To hold of Robert and Eleanor by an annual rent of 3 cloves of spice for all services, customs and gifts, and performing the services due to the court of Battle</p> <p>Witnesses: Ralph de Gerstun' steward of Battle, Hugh de Flintham', his brother John, John Godmevache, John Piscator, Geoffrey le Kinge, Thomas Walens', Laurence Picot, John Clericus the younger, John le Mone, Henry Clericus, who composed this charter</p> <p>Seals: [1] lamb and flag: +...RTICV:VEER; [2] fleur de lys: ..ANORE VC...</p> <p>Endorsed: Cordewaner</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/5 Ink number: 852 Pencil number: 101 Thorpe page/entry: 14/1</p>
Box 4 Item 866	<p>Grant in free marriage. Approximately 1180.</p> <p>Description: Clement Strincling to his daughter Alice Five virgates of land and 15 acres of marshland, in Cooden (Codingia), of which Keiuerthe and The Grene are one virgate, Scorthelte and Dravegelande and The Felde are two virgates, and Codele is two virgates, in meadows, plainlands, pastures, waters, paths and ways To hold of Clement as freely as he is able to give from his inheritance, saving the king's service; Clement seised Alice of the land at the door of the monastery of St Bridget in London when Warner de Sumeri espoused her.</p> <p>Witnesses: [Added in a different hand]: Renger de NorYie, Samson de Geslinge, Hugh de Lundresforde, Gilbert de Pette, Osbert Blund, Stephen de Kenelle, William de Ore</p> <p>Endorsed: B' [just visible: the bottom margin has been trimmed]; Barnhorn (Bernehore); .a. ; xvj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 131v</p> <p>Notes: There's a problem with this: the witnesses after the word Samson are added in the same hand, but with a different pen, resembling the entire text of Box 4, Item 1131, which should be at least 21 years later; is this written to enable 1131?.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	<p>Original volume/page: V36/20 Ink number: 866 Thorpe page/entry: 33/6</p>
<p>Box 4 Item 873</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1310.</p> <p>Description: William de Hastynges kt, lord of Northye (Northie), to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>1 A piece of his land called Forlond (W: alongside the wall of the marsh called Senewaldesmerssch'; E: Meneflet; heading S: land of John atte Totte; N: land of the prior and convent of Hastings (Hastinges)</p> <p>2 The right to place their sluice in the wall by the land of John atte Totte to sew their lands, and place their sewer from the wall, through the middle of Forland by the wall, to the sea</p> <p>To hold of William, who reserves the fishery in Meneflet.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert de Pepplesham, William de Sneylham, John de Lonesforde, John de Erthhame, William de Godekumbe, John de Codynge, Walter le Parker</p> <p>Endorsed: .L.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 135v; charter of the land called Holybredelond [approximately 1440].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/9 Ink number: 873 Pencil number: 7 Thorpe page/entry: 20/7</p>
<p>Box 4 Item 921</p>	<p>Conveyance for 12 shillings. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Bartholomew Crul, son and heir of Henry Crul, to John Kokelot and his wife Edith</p> <p>A messuage in the vill of Battle (between the land of John de Gyseburne and the messuage of Peter de Beche; stretching from the street between Doniforde and Battle Abbey to the land which belonged to Henry Melkere)</p> <p>To hold of Bartholomew by the annual rent of ½d at the messuage for all services, and performing all the services due to the chief lords.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard de Beche, John Mone, Geoffrey Tannere, Walter Paterik, Peter de Beche, Stephen Busard, Walter Torold, Adam de Camera, Laurence Pikot, John Forester, John de Gyseburne, Adam Pikot</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/6 Ink number: 921 Thorpe page/entry: 13/7</p>
<p>Box 4 Item 946</p>	<p>Contemporary transcript of 766, but adding a clause saving the service of the king and count; annotated, approximately 1440: elsewhere under seal. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/19 Ink number: 946</p>
<p>Box 4 Item 969</p>	<p>Grant of rent in free alms. Approximately 1310.</p> <p>Description: John, son and heir of Thomas de Camera, to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the sacrist</p> <p>An annual rent of 2s 2d paid by Roger le Wylde for a field called The Leghe in Whatlington, with the reliefs, fees, heriots and suits of court</p> <p>Warranty of the rent and the land from which it arises.</p> <p>Witnesses: Joce de Ferne, William de Hodesdale, Joce de Fynhagh', John le Wylde, Roger le Wylde, Robert de la Heghe, Luke de Derhamforde, Robert le Bordere</p>

	<p>Endorsed: for The Legh'</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 16</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/3 Ink number: 969 Thorpe page/entry: 10/6</p>
Box 4 Item 1107	<p>Conveyance for 13s 4d. Approximately 1300.</p> <p>Description: Thomas de Haremere to John Wylard and his wife Agnes Shereve and to the longer liver, and to their heirs 4¼ acres of his land in a field called The Knelle in Whatlington (Watlycton') (in length between the Winchelsea (Wynchels') to Robertsbridge road and Thomas's own marling to the south; E: a stream running from Fynhagewelle; N: a field called Gravecurt) Paying an annual rent of 8 pence to Thomas (6 pence within 12 days of 25 December and 2 pence in the octave of 24 June) for all services, customs, gifts, aids, heriots, suits of court, wardships and marriages, but reserving relief, and the king's service which belongs to such a quantity of land Thomas will find John and Agnes sufficient marl for their convenience (ad eorum heisiamenta) from his marling to marl 3 acres of the land in the appropriate place. Witnesses: Sir William chaplain, Thomas and William de Watlycton', William de Hodesdale, Geoffrey de Hokestepe, his son Thomas, Benedict de Tunstalle, his brother Stephen, Peter Shereve, John ate Forde, Joce de Fynhage Seals: Seal fragment: ..ME DE.. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/10 Ink number: 1107 Thorpe page/entry: 20/3</p>
Box 4 Item 1131	<p>Settlement. Approximately 1200.</p> <p>Description: Alice de Sumeri to her son William de Sumeri in tail, for his service, remainder to his brother Samfred by the same service Two virgates - Scorhelte and Dravekelande (1 virgate), and land called The Felde (1 virgate) To hold of Alice by an annual rent of half a pound of cummin for all service belonging to her; warranty excludes the king's service. Slits for sealing by cords. Witnesses: Robert de Hasting', William de Hore, William de Goding', Hugh de Cuintun', Matthew Janitor of Battle, Roger de BaldesloYe, Simon de Forde, William de Colint', Robert Buckebert, Ralph Beisac, Jordan de Wode, Luke de Suinh' Endorsed: B' ; Barnhorn (Bernehore); .xviij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 duplicate. Cartulary: Vol 29 f 131v Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/19 Ink number: 1131 Thorpe page/entry: 34/4</p>
Box 4 Item 1136	<p>Conveyance of rents for 7 shillings. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Martha, daughter of Hildegard, to Fulk son of Pikot, of Battle 1 An annual rent of 1 penny paid by Robert Cementarius from his messuage 2 An annual rent of 1 penny paid by Lambin King from land near the mill 3 An annual rent of ½d paid by William Pikot from the messuage of Robert Cementarius 4 An annual rent of 1 penny paid by William Pikot from land near the mill 5 An annual rent of ½d paid by Martha's sister Alice from a messuage between the</p>

	<p>message of Robert Cementarius and the message of Thomas Newemann'</p> <p>6 An annual rent of 4½d and the third part of a halfpenny paid by Constantine le Tailleur, Gilbert Grim, Lambin King, Richard son of Godwin de la Bore and Thomas Neweman.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Maresc', Hugh de Flintham, William Paneter, John de Lond', Nicholas Maresc', Eustace Cocus, Micholas Cocus, William Cordewaner, John Clericus, John Godmefetch', John son of Clement</p> <p>Seals: A stylised flower: +S'M.RTE FIL' HELDIARD</p> <p>Endorsed: Fulk son of Pikot [approximately 1380].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/12 Ink number: 1136 Thorpe page/entry: 22/3</p>
Box 4 Item 1170	<p>Undertaking to warrant. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: William de Codinges to Samfred de Sumery That he and his heirs will warrant all the land which Samfred holds of Warner de Sumery in Barnhorn (Bernhorne), by performing the service to William which Samfred used to perform to Warner Except the service of the king and the bishop of Chichester, as the deed which Samfred had of Warner makes clear.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir Laurence de Mundifeld, Simon de Brunesford, Michael de Beche, Roger de Benflete clerk, Richard Marescallus, Luke Salvage, Robert de Aultun', William de Northia, Colin Marescallus, William Panetarius, Thomas Lucet, John de Hiam clerk</p> <p>Endorsed: B' ; Barnhorn (Bernehore); .K. ; .xiiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 131</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/4 Ink number: 1170 Thorpe page/entry: 12/2</p>
Box 4 Item 1173	<p>Contemporary transcript of a conveyance for £4. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Ralph le Hai to Robert Fostre The third part of the lordship of Maxfield (Mexefeld) [in Guestling], in lands, meadows, brooklands and woods, being all the land which Ralph's mother Levota held in dower To hold by an annual rent of 9d on the tenement at Maxfield, for all service and suit of court, except the service of the king and the count. At foot, approximately 1400: verte post.</p> <p>Witnesses: Godfrey de Pette, Stephen Preth, Hugh de Flintham, William de Odimere, Hamo de Esse, William son of Geoffrey, John de Itontun', Stephen de Itontun', John de Popintun', Eilard Salva</p> <p>Endorsed: Endorsed, approximately 1400: Transcribed elsewhere; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Notes: Stitching holes; do not match holes on BA 519-522.</p> <p>Related materials: For transcript, see BA 520/12.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/11 Ink number: 1173 Thorpe page/entry: 21/2 somewhere</p>
Box 4 Item 1175	<p>Conveyance for 20 shillings. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Ralph le Hay to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the almonry</p>

	<p>The third part of the lordship of Maxfield (Mexefeld) [in Guestling], in men, lands, rents, services, woods, plainland, meadows and brooklands, being all the land which Ralph's mother Levota held in dower</p> <p>To hold by an annual rent of 4d on 1 January on the tenement for all service and suit of court, except the service of the king and the count.</p> <p>The consideration paid by abbot Ralph [de Coventry, abbot 1235-1261]; the price has been written under the turnup.</p> <p>Witnesses: [?Laurence de Mund]ifeld, Godfrey de Pette, Thomas de Boitun', Michael de Beche, John Pret, Stephen Pret, William Betel, Walter de Haltun', John de Popintun', William Paneter, Hugh de Flintham, Colin Marescallus</p> <p>Endorsed: G. ; <third> charter of Ralph le Hay; cross with circles at ends of crossbar; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]; hi est</p> <p>Notes: Dated from the abbacy of Ralph of Coventry.</p> <p>Related materials: For transcript, see BA 519/9 and BA 520/15.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/11 Ink number: 1175 Thorpe page/entry: 21/2</p>
Box 4 Item 1179	<p>Conveyance for 6s 8d. Approximately 1210.</p> <p>Description: William de Bodiham to his brother Gilbert, for his faithful service All the land in Rette [in Battle] which Aedward Cuparius held of him, in wood and plainland, and in all other things which he held on the day on which he was alive and dead</p> <p>To hold of William by an annual rent of a pound of cummin for all service, saving the king's service (scutage of 4½d in 13s 4d) and the count's (3 pence every castleguard)</p> <p>Witnesses: Luke de Sandherste, Reynold Gulafre, William Capellanus of Bodiam (Bodiham), Richard de Tyrdesherse, Bartholomew de Bodiham, Richer Gulafre</p> <p>Endorsed: Rette; [.j. deleted]; .iiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 124</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/18 Ink number: 1179</p>
Box 4 Item 1185	<p>Grant for service and fealty. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Michael de Bech' to Gerald de Sudheton', for his service and fealty All the land which Michael bought from Robert de Sumery, which Gerald once held To hold of Michael by an annual rent of 3 shillings for all services belonging to Michael.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Gilling', John de Gilling', William de Colinton', Ralph Frankel', Samfred de Sumery, Reyner de Bernehorn', Thomas de Bocholt', John son of Laurence, Luke de Swinham, John de Papplesham, John de Glinde, William de Wud'</p> <p>Seals: Seal now in fragments.</p> <p>Endorsed: B' ; Barnhorn (Bernehore); xx[iij.]*</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 132</p> <p>Notes: *A piece has been torn from the top margin of this deed.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/17 Ink number: 1185 Thorpe page/entry: 6/6</p>
Box 4 Item 1191	<p>Grant and quitclaim of a bondman and his land for 20 shillings. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Ralph le Hay to Robert Fostre</p>

	<p>William de la Esse, all his sequel, and all the land which he holds of Ralph.</p> <p>Witnesses: Reynold, parson of Icklesham (Yclesham), William de Hudimere, William de Lindherste, Vincent de Mexefeld, John de Popint', Ingram de Stoke</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/10 Ink number: 1191 Thorpe page/entry: 21/5</p>
Box 4 Item 1206	<p>Quitclaim in exchange. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Reynold de Camera and his wife Alice to their lords, Ralph [de Coventry], abbot of Battle, and the convent 6 acres of their land and wood in Maufosse, which the abbot and convent have enclosed with their new ditch, with a path across Reynold and Alice's land by the great ditch</p> <p>In exchange for: 7 acres in Bredeherst, which they have given to Reynold and Alice and to their heirs in fee, and 20 shillings</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Robert le Huser, Luke de Swinham, Lambin King, Robert Cementarius, John Godmefech', Nicholas Tannur, Robert son of Peter, Stephen Becke</p> <p>Seals: [1] a gemstone, showing a figure standing by a rock and holding a cross, impressed within the central area of a vesica-shaped +S'REGINOLDI FIL' EADWARDI; [2] a fleur de lys: +S'ALICIE FILIE HE...E [?Heldiarde: cf 1380]</p> <p>Endorsed: leuga; .lxix. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 107</p> <p>Notes: Dated from the abbacy of Ralph of Coventry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/1 Ink number: 1206 Thorpe page/entry: 10/7</p>
Box 4 Item 1212	<p>Deed of exchange. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: John Sharp, son of Philip de Hamme to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle All the land of Hamme, with the wood, which he inherited from his father. in exchange for: A messuage in the vill of Battle (N: Adam Picot's messuage; S: Reynold de Camera's messuage), which John Prud once held, and 13s 4d to balance the exchange (in emendam excambii)</p> <p>To hold of the abbot and convent by an annual rent of 7 pence, and doing as the other men of the vill do from their messuages.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, Luke de Swinham, Robert Cementarius, Joce Cementarius, Richard Bachelor, John Godmefech', John Mone, John Clericus</p> <p>Seals: A strutting bird: SIGILL' IOHIS:D'LA HAM..</p> <p>Endorsed: leuga ; xliij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 105</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/12 Ink number: 1212 Pencil number: 18 Thorpe page/entry: 33/8</p>
Box 4	<p>Quitclaim by widow for 20 shillings. Approximately 1250.</p>

<p>Item 1213</p>	<p>Description: Mabel, widow of William le Cordewaner, in her free widowhood and power, to her lords, the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>4 acres lying below the hospital of Battle on the west, between the duna which belonged to Albin Carpentarius and the croft called St Mary Croft, which master Richard, chaplain of the chapel of St Mary, Battle, gave her in free marriage.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, Luke de Swynam, Robert Cementarius, Joce Cementarius, Richard Bachelier, John Godmefech', John Mone, John Clericus</p> <p>Seals: Fleur de lys with a long stem, flanked by moon and sun: +S'MABILIE:DE:FRAXINO</p> <p>Endorsed: leuga; .lxxv. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 107 [same hand as Box 4, Item 1212].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/14 Ink number: 1213 Pencil number: 19 Thorpe page/entry: 12/8</p>
<p>Box 4 Item 1223</p>	<p>Grant in free alms by Sybil de Ykelesham, daughter of Ralph de Ykelesham, as Box 13, Item 1111 and with the same witnesses and endorsements, but omitting the gift of her body for burial. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Notes: The ink number is duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/13 Ink number: 1223 Pencil number: 29</p>
<p>Box 4 Item 1232</p>	<p>Grant. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Robert Basoc of Sedlescombe (Sedlescumbe) to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>The whole land called Scottesland', and it is hundredesland', with brookland and meadow, ways and paths and waters</p> <p>To hold of Robert by an annual rent of a pound of pepper for all service and suit, except the service of the king (scutage at 2 shillings in 13s 4d) and the count (6 pence every castleguard), and saving the service of the chief lord, which is a reasonable aid to knight his eldest son.</p> <p>Witnesses: Master Richard de Bello, Walter de Lond', Richard de Malling', Lambin King, Baldwin son of William, Richard Marescallus, William Paneter, Thomas de Kingesnad', Adam de Porta, John de Vall', Eustace Cocus, Picot Pistor</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: +...L':ROBERTI:BASOC</p> <p>Endorsed: Basoch; first deed of Scoteland; .ij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 116</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/16 Ink number: 1232 Thorpe page/entry: 44/4</p>
<p>Box 4 Item 1237</p>	<p>Confirmation by lord. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Simon de Echingham to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>The gift made by his brother William of:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The small brushwood coppice (virgultum), and all that is enclosed within it, which Richard, father of Hugh de Hore extremo plantavit (? completely established) at Willingdon (Wylendun') 2 The half-acre east of the coppice.

	<p>3 The half-acre behind the coppice to the north. 4 The land on which the barn stands, which Richard ultimo edificare fecit (?had built at the end of the plot), in Willingdon, with all the way out to the road. 5 A perch of land at the barn's north end. 6 Half an acre of meadow which lies towards the house of Brian de Molendino.</p> <p>To hold of Hugh, paying a pair of white gloves worth 1 penny at Easter for all services excluding the king's, which is ½d [when scutage is] 16s 8d and ¼d at 12s 6d.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Capellanus of Etchingham (Echingeham), his brother Simon de Echingeham, William de Ora, Simon de Sumeri, Stephen de Esburnham, Henry de Echingeh', William de Wudeham, Reynold de Beche, Oger Daneis</p> <p>Seals: Equestrian seal, the shield charged fretty: +SIGILL':SIMONIS:DE:ECHINGEH...</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30, f 82v; William's deed, which has the same witnesses, is enrolled at f81.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/21 Ink number: 1237 Thorpe page/entry: 15/8</p>
Box 4 Item 1245	<p>Grant. Approximately 1200.</p> <p>Description: William de Bodiham to his brother Gilbert All the land which Eadward Cuparius held, in Rette [in Battle], in woods, plainlands and feedings</p> <p>Paying William an annual rent of 3 pence for all services and customs except the king's ([scutage] of 4½d in 13s 4d) and the count's (3 pence every castleguard)</p> <p>Witnesses: William Capellanus of Bodiam (Bodiham), Richard de Thyrdesherse and his son Henry, Robert de Glotingeham, Luke de Sandherste and his brother Richard, Reynold Gulafre and his brother Richard, Furmentin de Siberteswald' and his brother Richard and Walter Clericus of Burwash (Burherse), Adam parson of Iham (Yham), John Clericus of Lekertune</p> <p>Seals: Equestrian seal on silk cords; legend perished.</p> <p>Endorsed: Retthe; .j. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 124</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/15 Ink number: 1245 Thorpe page/entry: 8/5</p>
Box 4 Item 1257	<p>Conveyance for 20 shillings. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Robert, son of William Bataile, to the abbot and convent of Battle All his land of Duniford (from the bridge of Duniford to the land which formerly belonged to John de Duniford)</p> <p>With warranty, but no details of tenure or rent.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Brunesford, Thomas de Haremere, Luke le Sauvage, Geoffrey Eylred, Hugh de Flyntham, William le Panetier, Robert Cementarius, Lambin Kyng, John Godmeveche, John Clericus, Richard le Mareschal, Robert de Aulton'</p> <p>Endorsed: leuga; lxxij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 107</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/21 Ink number: 1257 Pencil number: 63</p>

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Box 4 Item 1263	<p>Release of rent in free alms. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: William de Coding', knight, to the abbot and convent of Battle An annual rent of 2 shillings which they pay him from land in Barnhorn (Bernehorn') which Samfred de Sumeri demised to them.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir William de Sokenesse knight, Sir Robert Basoc knight, Michael de Bech', Robert Huser, Daniel de Chechenham, Luke de Swinham, Hugh de Flintham, Nicholas Marscallus</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: SIGI...COD...</p> <p>Endorsed: B'; Barnhorne (Bernehore); .xj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 131</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/5 Ink number: 1263 Thorpe page/entry: 12/3</p>
Box 4 Item 1282	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: William de Clivesende, son of Stephen and Hawise de Clivesende, to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the almonry. 2 acres at the east end of the brook which lies between Oake and Popiton', (in length E-W; N: the upland (terra susaina) of Oake; S: the brook of Popiton'), which Gilbert de Tornham gave Stephen in free marriage with Hawise.</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam le Hay, Vincent de Stock', Benedict de Lideham, Peter de Lideham, Alan de Lideham, Roger de Bromham, William de Snhelham, Wyott de Stonlinke, Reynold de Stonlink', John de Langherst</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/6 Ink number: 1282 Thorpe page/entry: 11/7</p>
Box 4 Item 1290	<p>Grant of an easement in free alms. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Robert Basoc, for the souls of his mother and father, to the abbot and convent of Battle That the water of the mill which they have made by the bridge of Iltons bath (Iltonesbed') may flow freely back and forth over his fee on both sides of the bridge without challenge or disturbance.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Ora, Simon de Sumery, Laurence de Mundifeld, Adam de Brumleg', Oger Daneis, Matthew Portarius, Richard de Sotindun'</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: +S..L':ROBERTI:BASOC</p> <p>Endorsed: iiij ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 116</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/16 Ink number: 1290 Thorpe page/entry: 44/5</p>
Box 4 Item 1335	<p>Quitclaim by widow for an annuity. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Alice, widow of Osmund Corvesarius, to the abbot and convent of Battle Her right by way of dower or any other way in the tenements in Battle which Osmund demised to them</p>

	<p>For which the abbot has granted a life annuity of 2 shillings from his chamber at Easter.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Dene, John de Pisinge, Thomas de Acholte, Richard Janitor, John le Mone, Fulk Cocus</p> <p>Endorsed: Battle [sacrist hand].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/6 Ink number: 1335 Thorpe page/entry: 13/2</p>
Box 4 Item 1380	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Robert Cementarius to the abbot and convent of Battle A messuage with houses at the place called The Bore, in the vill of Battle paying annual rents of 2 pence to Laurence Picot, 1 penny to Fulk Picot and 1 penny to Alice, heir of Heldiarda.</p> <p>Witnesses: Lambin King, Nicholas Cocus, Richard Bacheler, Luke de Swinham, Robert Huser, John Clericus, John Godmeveche, John Piscator, Thomas Burgeis</p> <p>Endorsed: deed of master Robert Cementarius; town; .xiiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f103</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/3 Ink number: 1380 Thorpe page/entry: 11/2</p>
Box 4 Item 1474	<p>Assignment of a lease. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: Eleanor, widow of Geoffrey de Cantuaria, skinner, to Sir Walter, sacrist of Battle, and his successors The farm of the land by the tilery of Battle, which she had from Peter Cucku and his heirs Paying an annual rent of 6 pence to the heirs of Peter Cucku.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Dene, John Funtener, Thomas de Waldern', Robert Portarius, Ralph Yevegod, Martin de Hadeleghe, Robert Berewich</p> <p>Seals: An antique gemstone in intaglio showing a seated, wreathed figure with arm outstretched towards a staff: legend unclear; +FRANGE:LEGE:TECE:</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/2 Ink number: 1474 Thorpe page/entry: 10/9</p>
Box 4 Item 1512	<p>Grant and confirmation in free alms. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: William de Bodiam, son of Henry de Bodiam, for the souls of his father and of his grandfather William, to the abbot and convent of Battle 1 The possessions which they have of the fee of Bodiam by the grants of his ancestors and the confirmations of kings, in lands, ways, paths, feedings and meadows, with the waters adjoining 2 The whole land of Rette [in Battle], which they have by the gift of his grandfather William de Bodiam With warranty of the Rette land.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Calceto, master Richard Phisicus, Henry de Hereford, Richard de Tiresherse, Gilbert Dispensator, Matthew Portarius, Stephen Marescallus, Thomas son of master Thomas de Salherst</p> <p>Seals: Seal on red and white silk threads: a fleur de lys: +SIGILL'ooWILL'I:BODIAM</p> <p>Endorsed: Bodiam; .iiij. duplicate; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when</p>

	<p>enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 124v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/18 Ink number: 1512 Thorpe page/entry: 8/6</p>
Box 4 Item 1514	<p>Confirmation. Approximately 1200.</p> <p>Description: William de Bodiham, son of Rorges, to Reynold de Beche, son of Reinbert de Beche The whole land called the land of Rorstan de Westbeche, which Rorges gave to Reinbert in free marriage with his wife (<i>femina</i>) Erneburch, Reynold's mother To hold of William by an annual rent of 7 shillings for all service, except the king's (1s 1½d in 13s 4d scutage) and the count's.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Echingham, Hugh de Lundresford, Gefard de Peneherst, Robert de Hasting', Reynold de Esburneham, Walerand de Munceus, Ralph Mawine, Simon de Sumeri, Hugh de Beche, William de Haremere, Michael de Apeltreham, Bartholomew de Bodiham</p> <p>Notes: Dated before the death of Walerand de Monceaux in 1217.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/19 Ink number: 1514</p>
Box 4 Item 1518	<p>Grant of a right of way in free alms. Approximately 1210.</p> <p>Description: William de Bodiham, for the souls of his wives Margery and Gillian, to the abbot and convent of Battle A way over his tenement, from the common way between Salehurst (Salherste) to Bodiam (Bodiham), in length by the hedges and by the gate of William's man William Borde, which is called Bordesgate, to enter, leave, and to perform all the works of them and their men in their meadows of Bodiam, without disturbance by William or his heirs.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Dustone constable of Hastings (Hastinges), Urban de Hasting', Richard de Tyredesherse, Richer Gulafre, Gilbert de Bodiham, Matthew Portarius, Stephen Marscallus</p> <p>Endorsed: Bodiham; .iiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 125; [approximately 1600: Deeds of Bodiam Meadows, now called Battle Meads, in Bodiam, and a way to the same from Salehurst</p> <p>Notes: William de Dustone, of Northamptonshire, was constable of Hastings 1208-1211 (see Pipe Roll Society (New Series) volumes 23, 24, 26, 28 and 30); in 1210 he accounted with Urban Clericus - Volume 26 page 59 [all the de Bodiam deeds need dating properly - see Record Commission, Rotuli Curiae Regis 1.365].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/17 Ink number: 1518</p>
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Box 5 Item 656	<p>Grant for 16 years from 29 September 1239 for 28s. Approximately 1239.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Sedlescumbe to the abbot and convent of Battle 4 acres of his meadow in Sedlescombe (Sedlescumbe), in length between the meadow of the abbot and convent and Robert's meadow, in breadth between Robert's land of Sedlescombe and the land of Wicham.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir Robert de Hasting', Oliver de Westefeld, Simon de Sumeri, Michael de Beche, Robert de Brede, Thomas de Herste, Simon de Bruneford, Geoffrey de Roinges, Lambin King, Robert de Molendino, Fulk Cocus, Thomas Lucet</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys with stars: +S+IGILL'ROBERTI:BASOC</p>

	<p>Endorsed: Robert Basoc for a time.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/14 Ink number: 656T horpe page/item: 44/1</p>
Box 5 Item 732	<p>Inspeximus and confirmation by heir. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Alan, son of Alan de Lidenham, inspects his father's charter: Grant [release] of an annual rent in free alms, approximately 1250 Alan de Lidenham to the abbot and convent of Battle, for the maintenance of the almonry An annual rent of 6 pence from land called Barlasse, which he receives from the keeper of the almonry Witnesses: Michael de Bech', William Betel, William de Snelham, Adam le Hay, Vincent de Stoches, Benedict de Lideham, Luke de Swinham, Hugh de Flintham, his brother John, William de Pirlinton', Roger de Bromham, John Codmefetch'</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam le Hay, Roger de Hoselonde, William de Snelham, Benedict de Lidenham, Robert de Lidenham, his brother Thomas, Vincent de Stoches</p> <p>Endorsed: Barlasse .D.; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/11 Ink number: 732 Thorpe page/entry: 24/4</p>
Box 5 Item 766	<p>Conveyance for 30 shillings. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Ingram de Stoke to Robert Fostr' All the land which lies between the way from Maxfield (Mexefeld) to Lideham, between Conifunte, the fee of the abbot of Fécamp and the demesne of Maxfield Paying an annual rent of 12 pence to Ingram, at Stoke, for all service.</p> <p>Witnesses: Godfrey de Pette, Hugh de Nithertun', Alan de Ychetun', Simon de Lideham, Vincent de Nexefeld, Walter de Haltun', John de Ichetun', Stephen de Ichetun'</p> <p>Endorsed: Circle and cross; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]; hi est.</p> <p>Related materials: For transcript, see BA 519/3.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/ Ink number: 766 Thorpe page/entry: 34/3</p>
Box 5 Item 791	<p>Quitclaim for £3 6s 8d. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: John Taylur of Windsor (Wyndesore) [Berks] to the abbot and convent of Battle The messuage in the vill of Battle which he inherited on the death of his brother John, son of Peter de Ho</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard de Beche, William de Dene, Thomas de Watlington, John Mone, Robert Cunarius, Adam Pikot, Laurence Pikot, Robert Longus, Richard Braciator, John de Giseburne, Lambin Sperver, Fulk Cocus</p> <p>Seals: An eight-petalledflower: +S'IOH'I SCISSORI'</p> <p>Endorsed: Charter of John le Taylur concerning the messuage of Peter de Ho in the town by the almonry; town; .lv. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 106</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/22 Ink number: 791</p>

	<p>Pencil number: 40 Thorpe page/entry: 35/6</p>
<p>Box 5 Item 815</p>	<p>Conveyance for £40. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Henry, lord of Bodiam (Bodiham), to Robert de Ore for his homage and service The whole land called Ore and Kemehethe in the parish of Battle, in houses, gardens, woods, meadows, feedings, pastures, ways, paths and easements To hold of Henry by an annual rent of 32 shillings for all services and customs, reserving wardship, marriage, relief and heriot, and except foreign service (9 pence in 13s 4d scutage, 6 pence every castleguard and 3¼d for the sheriff's aid called justiceyield); freedom of alienation except to religious and jews.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir William de Etchingeham kt, Sir Matthew de Hasting' kt, Nicholas Wacelin, William de Hastingses, Simon de Sancto Leodegario, Simon de Somery, Richard de Espurnham, Henry de Peneherst, Walter de Beche, John de Smalefeud, Robert de Bromhamme, Michael de Sandregge</p> <p>Notes: Dated before the death of Sir Matthew de Hastings in 1277.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/1 Ink number: 815 Thorpe page/entry: 8/4</p>
<p>Box 5 Item 817</p>	<p>Conveyance for £3. Approximately 1200.</p> <p>Description: Geoffrey de Sancto Leodegaro to Snelgar de Pupinton' The whole land of Popinton' which is of Geoffrey's fee of Maxfield (Moxfeld') [in Guestling] To hold of Geoffrey by an annual rent of 6s 8d, and performing the service to the king (2s 6d in 13s 4d scutage, 6d every castleguard); freedom of alienation with warranty except to religious.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Presbiter of Guestling (Gestel'), William Presbiter of Pett (Pette) [rendered as Willelmo et Willelmo de Gestel' et de Pette presbiteris], Gilbert de Stanlinc, Roger de Baldeslawe, Philip de Gestel', Stephen Pratte, Robert de Ferne, John de Bromham, Hamo de Stocke</p> <p>Endorsed: Loop; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/13 Ink number: 817 Pencil number: 66 Thorpe page/entry: 24/1</p>
<p>Box 5 Item 854</p>	<p>Conveyance for £ 13s 4d. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Richard de Beche and his wife Lucy to John Curtays All the land in Catsfield (Cattefeld') which Robert le Thressere once held of William de Bromham (in breadth between the stream called Crucherithe and the abbot of Battle's leuga; in length bewteen the Ashburnham (Esburneham) to Battle road and the land called Smitheslond) Paying an annual rent of 2 shillings to Richard and Lucy for all services, customs and suits of court.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir Richard then rector of the church of Battle, John le Mone, Laurence Picot, Richard le Breuman, Robert Longus, Robert Piscator, Henry son of William le Cordiwaner, Walter de Beche, John de Smalefeld, Henry de Bello clerk, who composed this charter</p> <p>Seals: [1] an eight-petalledflower: +S'RICARDIDE:BECHE; [2] a fleur de lys surmounting a crescent: +S'LVCIE VXOR' RICARDI D'BECH'</p> <p>Endorsed: Broomham by Battle, deed of Richard de Beche and his wife given to the father of Peter Curteys; xxij.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/2 Ink number: 854 Pencil number: 103</p>
Box 5 Item 859	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: William Basili to the abbot and convent of Battle A dwellinghouse (mansum) towards The Ord in Winchelsea (Winchelese), the north end of which is built upon the land which William Haymund gave to the abbot and convent</p> <p>Witnesses: Walter Clericus, John Aurifaber, Ralph Heved, John de Alding', William Bissop, Ralph Yevegod, Robert Coleman, Gilbert Hurtant</p> <p>Seals: Seal fragment: ?an angel: ...BAS..</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/1 Ink number: 859</p>
Box 5 Item 887	<p>Grant in free alms in exchange. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Hugh de Ores, son of Richard de Wilendun', to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the sacristy 3 acres in the field called Ores in Willingdon (Wilendun'), in breadth west of the land held by Hamo Saget in the same field which he took in marriage with his wife Margaret; N: the land of Eilnod; in length [S]: the way from Hugh's house towards the ditch called Ordik</p> <p>In exchange for: The lands which William de Echinhgeham gave to the abbot and convent</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Echinge ham, William de Muncell', Robert de Firles, Geoffrey le Champeneis, Hamo Saget, Henry Blundus, William Paneter, Philip son of Richard, Herbert son of Walter, his brother Walter, his brother William, Simon de Hydenye</p> <p>Endorsed: Loopy 4 [enrolled in the sacrist's cartulary, f 82, where the same mark appears].</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30, f 82</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/ Ink number: 887 Thorpe page/entry: 28/11</p>
Box 5 Item 890	<p>Conveyance. Approximately 1285.</p> <p>Description: William son of Joce de Watlington' to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the sacristy A piece of meadow by the bridge called Ortesbregge (N: the bank of the water; S: the upland (terra susana); in breadth E: the land which belonged to Renger de Watlington')</p> <p>To hold of William by an annual rent of 6d, to be paid at Battle by the sacrist, for all services, suits and aids.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Dene, John Funtener, William's uncle Thomas de Watlington', William's brother Ralph, Thomas Skyret, John Mone, Robert Longus, Robert Portarius</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: +S'WILLELMI D'WATLIGTON'</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 17</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/7 Ink number: 890 Pencil number: 34</p>
Box 5 Item 927	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1305.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Skyret of Whatlington (Watlyngton') to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy</p>

	<p>Two pieces of his land, one in the field called Revelonde, the other in Catecumbe, enclosed by hedges and ditches, in Whatlington.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Hodesdale, William de Watlyngton', Geoffrey de Hucstepe, Robert de Parco, Nicholas le Weyvere, Robert le Bordere, John le Forster, Adam le Mone, Peter Schereve</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 16v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/ Ink number: 927 Pencil number: 32 Thorpe page/entry: 34/1</p>
Box 5 Item 1008	<p>Confirmation by heir for 12 partriches. Approximately 1210.</p> <p>Description: Peter de Scotenie to his cousin Manser, son of William de Scotenie The gift made by Peter's father Walter de Scotenie to his brother William de Scotenie (Willelmo fratri suo de Scotenie), Manser's father, of:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The land of Berherste 2 An acre of meadow of Hammerden (Hamerdenne) [in Ticehurst] 3 An acre of meadow below Fore Wood, in Crowhurst (Forwode in Croherste) <p>To hold of Peter by the acknowledgement (recognitionem) of half a pound of pepper annually for all service, saving the service of the king and the count.</p> <p>Witnesses: Peter's uncle Henry, William de Kechenore, his brother Robert, Stephen de Knelle, Philip Bret, William de Pette, Ralph de Scot', Thomas de Sedlescumbe, Robert Basoc</p> <p>Seals: Armorial seal on silk threads: engrailed, on a bend four somethings [drawing on T p1] +SIGILLVM PETRI DE SCOTENIA</p> <p>Endorsed: Berherst; .ij. : ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 125</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/11 Ink number: 1008 Pencil number: 17</p>
Box 5 Item 1040	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1310.</p> <p>Description: Thomas, son of Joce de Whatlyntone deceased (filius quondam), to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy His right in a field called Revelond in Whatlington, enclosed by hedges and ditches, which he had by the gift of his brother William, deceased.</p> <p>Witnesses: Joce de Whatlynton', John atte Wode, William de Hodesdale, William de Whatlyntone, William de Hucstepe, Henry de Falewe, Joce de Fynhagh', Luke de Bedeford, John de Luxebech', Gilbert Walet, Adam atte Holte</p> <p>Seals: A six-pointed star; legend illegible.</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 17v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/5 Ink number: 1040 Pencil number: 49 Unidentified numbers: 35</p>
Box 5 Item 1053	<p>Quitclaim for 6s 8d. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Isabel, daughter of Geoffrey Daniel of Battle, to Alan Cementarius Her right in the messuage which belonged to her father (between the messuage which belonged to Adam Sanke and the messuage which belonged to John Daniel), and in all the lands and houses in the vill of Battle</p>

	<p>Paying Isabel an annual forgable of ½d in the vill of Battle for all service, except the service of the chief lord.</p> <p>Witnesses: Laurence de Mundifeld, Robert Basoc, Thomas de Haremere, Michael de Beche, Luke Salvage, John Clericus, Richard Portarius, Robert Cementarius, Hamo Dali, Geoffrey de Runtintun', Lambin King, William Cordewaner</p> <p>Seals: Four radiating leaves with crossed spears: +S' ISABELE:FILIE:GALFRIDI:DANIEL</p> <p>Endorsed: Second charter of J de Gyseburn'.</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 10</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/9 Ink number: 1053 Pencil number: 62 Unidentified numbers: 6</p>
Box 5 Item 1128	<p>Conveyance for 7s 8d. Approximately 1200.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Basokes to John de Hamera for his homage A <i>hundredesland'</i> called Scottesland', with the brookland and meadow, in ways, paths and waters, in Sedlescombe (Sedelescumbe)</p> <p>To hold of Robert by an annual rent of a pound of pepper for all service, except that of the king (scutage of 2 shillings in 13s 4d) and the count (6 pence every castleguard), and the service to the chief lord.</p> <p>Of the consideration, 1s paid by Robert's wife [?recte John's wife] Millicent.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Hamera, his brother B, Manser de Herste, W de Herste, Richard de Wetlinget', Renger de Wetlinget', Thomas de Sedelescumbe, Fulk de Sandherste, Henry de Godint'</p> <p>Endorsed: Basoch; quasi vacat.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/ Ink number: 1128 Thorpe page/entry: 44/3</p>
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Box 6 Item 1117	<p>Conveyance of rent for 6s 8d. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Richard, son and heir of Richard Bachler of Battle, to Ralph Yewegod An annual rent of 6½d which Gregory le Messenger pays for a messuage which he holds of the grantor in the vill of Battle, which Gregory had from the grantor's brother John Bacheler</p> <p>Should Gregory fail to pay the rent, Ralph may distrain on the tenement which Richard holds in the vill of Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Cattesfeld, Robert de Bromham, Walter de Beche, Richard de Beche, William de Gutreshol', Thomas de Watlingt', William de Den', John le Mon', John le Funtener, Adam Picot, John de Giseburn', Laurence Picot, Robert le Lung</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/10 Ink number: 1117 Thorpe page/entry: 6/2</p>
Box 6 Item 1148	<p>Deed of assignment of lands and duties to the almonry. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Richard, abbot of Battle, and the convent, to the almoner of Battle The land which lies in the marsh below Cadborough (Gadeberge), which the abbey had by the gift of Gillian de Ria, the mother of their monk Andrew</p> <p>In exchange for:</p>

	<p>The land which Philip, formerly almoner, with the abbot's assent, enclosed in partnership with the monks of Robertsbridge, from the funds of the poor of the almonry</p> <p>The abbot pardons the almoner from the corrody which the serjeant of the abbot's sartry is accustomed to take from him</p> <p>Whenever one of the brothers dies, the almoner will provide a lettercarrier to take letters throughout England, saving to the abbot the pelisse (pellicia) of the deceased, and saving the hire ... who dwell at cells</p> <p>The almoner will discharge the annual rent of 2 pence [?to the court] of Udimore (Udimere) for the land which the abbey has from Henry de Boidin in exchange for the houses at Rye (Ria) which belonged to Gillian de Ria.</p> <p>Notes: Dated during the abbacy of Richard, 1215-1235. A small piece of the deed is torn from the right margin. Stated to have been sealed by both parties, but one slit only survives.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/18 Ink number: 1148 Thorpe page/entry: 43/3</p>
Box 6 Item 1155	<p>Confirmation by chief lord. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Sumery to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>The gift and sale which Michael de Beche made to them of Gerald de Sudheton' and his tenement, with all his sequel, as the charter which the abbot and convent have makes clear.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Basoc, Simon de Sumery, Robert Huser, William de Colinton', Michael de Bech', Reyner de Bernehorne, Luke de Swinham, Ralph de Swinham, Hugh de Flintham, John son of Hervey de Suwerk', William de Dene, Reynold de Camera</p> <p>Endorsed: B' ; .xxvj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 132v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/ Ink number: 1155</p>
Box 6 Item 1158	<p>Confirmation. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Warner de Sumeri to his uncle Samfred</p> <p>The grant made to Samfred by Warner's grandmother Lady Alice of two virgates of her free marriage land in Kaywrthe and Coudele, as the charter which Samfred has makes clear.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir William de Munceals, Peter de Scotenie, Robert de Hasting', Robert de Auberevill', Richard de Esburneham, Walter Giffard, Ralph de Cudenne, Robert Basoc, Roger de Baldeslowe, Oliver de Westefeld, William Mowine, John de Peplesham</p> <p>Endorsed: B' ; Barnhorn (Berehore); Warner de Sumeri .C. ; .x. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 131</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/13 Ink number: 1158 Thorpe page/entry: 34/6</p>
Box 6 Item 1167	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Robert Fostre to the almonry of Battle</p> <p>The third part of the lordship of Maxfield (Mexefeld) [in Guestling] which Levota, widow of Robert le Hai, held in dower, and Ralph le Hai sold to Robert</p>

	<p>To hold as freely as Robert held, paying an annual rent of 9 pence, on the tenement, to Ralph le Hai for all service and suit of court, except that of the king and the count; Ralph le Hai will warrant.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Alard, Oliver Wulbrand, William de Meidestan', Godfrey de Pette, Hugh de Nithertun', William de Udimere, Samson Clericus, Michael de Beche, Geoffrey Eilred, Ralph de Anestie, Vincent de Mexefeld, Simon de Lideham</p> <p>Endorsed: F. ; third charter of Robert Fostr' of the lands of Hay; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]; ni est</p> <p>Related materials: For transcript, see BA 520/14.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/ Ink number: 1167 Thorpe page/entry: 17/6</p>
Box 6 Item 1181	<p>Conveyance for £2 10s 0d. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Olive de Wich', daughter of Ralph de Wicham, in her free widowhood with the assent of her son and heir Osbern, to the almoner of Battle for the time being 2 acres in her meadow called Brodewisse, that is to say the last acre in the meadow to the west, which was part of her mother's dower; and 1 acre adjoining on its east, which Robert the almoner assarted</p> <p>Paying an annual rent of 4 pence on 29 November in the almonry house at Battle for all services; the consideration paid by Robert the almoner.</p> <p>Witnesses: Her son and heir Osbern, Renger de Wetlinget', William de Herste, Geoffrey son of Eilred, Reynold Sperver, Pagan Becche, Martin de Sartrin, Gilbert Hod, Simon Constabularius</p> <p>Seals: A stylized tree: +SIG....E:DE:...CHA.</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/21 Ink number: 1181 Thorpe page/entry: 36/9</p>
Box 6 Item 1184	<p>Resignation and quitclaim. Approximately 1210.</p> <p>Description: Henry de Magefeld, chaplain, for the salvation of the souls of his father and mother, to the abbot and convent of Battle The whole land of Snape (Snapes) [in Wadhurst], which Hawise de Baillol granted them in free alms, and which Henry held of them.</p> <p>Witnesses: Daniel de Dovr', Moses Clericus, William de Pedling', Simon Camerarius, Bartholomew, Reynold Mareschallus</p> <p>Seals: Seal on blue and white silk threads: an eagle displayed: +SECRET'HEN..CI DE MAGEFL</p> <p>Endorsed: Snap; Magefeld. iiij. ; .iiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 duplicate</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 129</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/20 Ink number: 1184</p>
Box 6 Item 1200	<p>Quitclaim for 20 shillings. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Robert de la Stone and his wife Eloise to Alan Cementarius of Battle Their right in a messuage in the vill of Battle, and in land called Caldebech outside the vill, which belonged to Peter Russel</p> <p>To hold as his right, which ought to descend to him by reason of the gift which Eloise made to him when she was single, as the charter made at that time, which he has, makes clear.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Sir Henry de Givingetun' steward of Battle, Lambin le King, William le Cordiwaner, John Godmevatche, Richard de Bech', John le Mone, Alexander le Corviser, John Piscator, Reynold Forestar'</p> <p>Seals: Eight radiating leaves: +..ELEVIS FIL'I GA..</p> <p>Endorsed: Fourth charter of J de Giseburn</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 9v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/18 Ink number: 1200 Pencil number: 6</p>
Box 6 Item 1214	<p>Quitclaim for 13s 4d. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Peter, son of Stephen Marscallus of Battle, to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>A croft of 1½ acres which lies behind Peter's messuage in the vill of Battle</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, Hugh de Flintham, Luke de Swinham, Robert Cementarius, John le Mone, John Godmefetche, John Clericus</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys with stars surmounting a crescent: +S'PET.. ...LLI</p> <p>Endorsed: town; .xxiiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 104</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/18 Ink number: 1214 Pencil number: 20</p>
Box 6 Item 1217	<p>Grant of rent in free alms. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: William de Bec to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the almonry</p> <p>An annual rent of 6 pence paid at the vill of Winchelsea (Wynchels') for the land of Snailham (Snelham) [in Guestling].</p> <p>Witnesses: James son of William, Phillip de Essesford, Robert Fostre, Simon de Bruneford, Adam le Hay, Ralph de Muschamp, Thomas de Boytun', John de Bosco, Thomas de Bosintun', Hugh de Flintham, Colin Marscallus, Robert de Altun'</p> <p>Endorsed: Snailham; C ; loopy 4; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/10 Ink number: 1217 Pencil number: 23 Thorpe page/entry: 7/7</p>
Box 6 Item 1231	<p>Conveyance for 10s 8d. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Avice and Margery, daughters and heirs of Walter Shonke, to John de Bychintone and his wife Alice, their sister</p> <p>Two parts of a messuage (between the messuage of John de Gyseburne and the messuage which belonged to Nicholas Ferur; in length between the street from the church of St Mary [Battle] to Doniford, and part of the curtilage of Robert ate Done in the borough of Middleborough, Battle)</p> <p>To hold of Avice and Margery, paying annual rents of 3 pence to the light of the church of St Mary on 21 December and 6 pence to the heirs of Clemence de Mallinge on 29 September, and performing all the other services, and paying an annual rent of ½d to Avice and Margery for all services belonging to them.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Gyseburne, Robert Berewik, William ate Done, Clement Webbe, Henry le Messenger, Joce le Hunte, Adam de Camera, John Forester, William le Taverner, William</p>

	<p>Aurifaber, Luke de Sartrino, John Paviot</p> <p>Seals: Slits for three seals: a star surmounting a crescent: +S' AVIC.. ..ONKE</p> <p>Endorsed: town</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/12 Ink number: 1231 Pencil number: 37</p>
Box 6 Item 1234	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Richard de Watlingetun', son of Robert de Watlingetun', for the souls of his father and mother, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">All the lands which he has in Bulande, which Clement Clericus of Battle holds by an annual rent of 6 pence for all services.</p> <p>Witnesses: Moses Clericus, Henry de Hereford, Guy de Sancto Paulo, Gilbert Dispensator, Matthew Portarius, Thomas de Sedlescumbe, his brother Gilbert, William Sperv', William Clericus of Battle, the grantor's son Thomas, Richard de Esburnham, John son of Clement of Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: .vij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 114v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/ Ink number: 1234 Pencil number: 40 Thorpe page/entry: 37/8</p>
Box 6 Item 1238	<p>Underlease for 16 years from 7 July. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Auberville to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">All the land [he has] of the fee of Walter le Boef in the parishes of Battle and Westfield (Westefeld), in woodland and plainland, meadows and feedings, paths and waters, men, rents and services, which he holds of Walter for an 18-year term, as the chirograph makes clear</p> <p>To hold free of all service except that of the chief lords; he demands nothing for the grant but to be a partaker in the goods of their church; if the sacrist incurs damages through Robert's failure to warrant, he swears that he will restore them.</p> <p>Witnesses: Jordan Capellanus of Westfield (Westefeld), Henry Boydin, Walter Convent, Lamsin Batan, Luke son of Renger, Matthew Portarius of Battle, Richard de Mallig', Thomas de Bosintune, Richard de Sotindune</p> <p>Seals: Armorial per fess indented in dexter and sinister points an annulet: +S'.. RTI DE ..IL.</p> <p>Endorsed: de terra bovis</p> <p>Related materials: For a transcript of a sale of the land by Walter, and a release by Robert of the remainder of his term, both approximately 1233, see Box 8, Item 1339.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/10 Ink number: 1238 Pencil number: 44</p>
Box 6 Item 1241	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1210.</p> <p>Description: William de Bodiham, for the souls of his father and mother, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">His whole land of Rette [in Battle].</p> <p>Witnesses: William Gulafre, Reynold Gulafre, Richard Gulafre, Simon Capellanus of Hadleg',</p>

	<p>William Capellanus of Bodiam (Bodiham), Gilbert de Bodiham, Simon de Yvindenn', William Gorgra</p> <p>Seals: Equestrian seal; the shield has a boss and some relief: +SIGILL' WILL... BODIHAM</p> <p>Endorsed: .v. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 124</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/3 Ink number: 1241 Pencil number: 47</p>
Box 6 Item 1247	<p>Conveyance for 10s 0d. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: William de Wycha to Sir Thomas de Torpel, clerk A grove called Vertham (E: Thomas's land; W: the stream running from Baldslow (Baldeslowe) towards Nyweham; N,S: Thomas's land) To hold of William by an annual rent of 1 penny for all services.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard de Rege, Bartholomew de Amch', Wilard de Genesing, Urban de Sarenden', Ralph son of Boniface, his brother John, Simon de Nyueham, Peter de Baldesl', Anfrid de Philesam, Vincent de Yllesum, Stephen de Stona</p> <p>Endorsed: Neauenham; .xxj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 121</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/ Ink number: 1247 Pencil number: 53 Thorpe page/entry: 37/6</p>
Box 6 Item 1248	<p>Grant in free alms as a monk's endowment. Approximately 1224.</p> <p>Description: Thomas de Watlingetun', with his body, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 All the land he has in the field of Eure 2 A small wood which lies between Smalewisse and the stream of Whatlington (Watlingetun') 3 His whole part of Smalewisse, and the brookland which Ralph de Huckelstepe holds of him <p>Witnesses: Herbert [under-] sheriff of Sussex, Nicholas Harengot, Osbert de Levesham, Matthew Portarius, Renger de Watlingetun', Richard Cormerande, Luke de Swinham, Richard Marescallus, Ralph de Anest', Richard Venator</p> <p>Seals: fleur de lys: ...INGTONE</p> <p>Endorsed: iiij duplicate; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 114</p> <p>Notes: Herbert son of Walter is recorded as undersheriff in 1224, and Herbert de Burwash in 1233; Nicholas Harengot died in 1228; see Public Record Office Lists and Indexes 9, p141, and <i>Sussex Archaeological Collections</i> 58 (1916), p183.</p> <p>Related materials: Box 6, Item 1254, is the same, but omitting the gift of the grantor's body, and with Geoffrey Eilred as an additional witness.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/22 Ink number: 1248 Pencil number: 54 Thorpe page/entry: 38/4</p>

<p>Box 6 Item 1249</p>	<p>Grant of a rent in free alms. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: William de Echingham, for the souls of his father William and mother Ala, to the abbot and convent of Battle An annual rent of 4 shillings to be paid by him and his heirs at Battle on 11 November</p> <p>Witnesses: His brother Simon de Echingham, Fulk de Echingham, Simon de Sumeri, Thomas de Essete, William de Haremere, master Peter de Inglesham, Moses Clericus, Gilbert Dispensator, Matthew Portarius</p> <p>Seals: Armorial seal on red, white and green silk threads: fretty, with a label of five points: ..LL'I DE...</p> <p>Notes: Before 1244.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/16 Ink number: 1249 Pencil number: 55</p>
<p>Box 6 Item 1254</p>	<p>Grant in free alms as a monk's endowment. Approximately 1224.</p> <p>Description: Same as Box 6, Item 1248, but omitting the gift of the grantor's body, and with Geoffrey Eilred as an additional witness.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/21 Ink number: 1254 Pencil number: 60 Thorpe page/entry: 38/3</p>
<p>Box 6 Item 1256</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Gilbert, brother of William de Bodiham, for the salvation of William, to the abbot and convent of Battle His whole land of Rette [in Battle], which his lord and brother William gave him, for his service, by charter, which charter Gilbert has given to the monks for greater security.</p> <p>Witnesses: Geoffrey de Gambo, Matthew Portarius, Gilbert Dispensator, Guy de Sancto Paulo, William Spriritus</p> <p>Endorsed: Ratte ; .ij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 124</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/4 Ink number: 1256 Pencil number: 62 Thorpe page/entry: 9/2</p>
<p>Box 6 Item 1258</p>	<p>Grant of rent. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Robert Fostre to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the almonry An annual rent of 20s 6d in Snailham (Snelham) [in Guestling], as freely as he holds it, as the charter which he has confirms Paying an annual rent of 6 pence to William de Bec at the vill of Winchelsea (Wincheles') for all service</p> <p>Witnesses: William Alard, Oliver Wulbrand, William de Meidestan', Godfrey de Pette, Hugh de Nithertun', William de Udimere, Samson Clericus, Michael de Beche, Geoffrey Eilred, Ralph de Anestie, Vincent de Mexefeld, Simon de Lideham</p> <p>Seals: A scallop shell: +S'...</p> <p>Endorsed: Snailham; 2; capital lambda [?A]; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p>

	<p>Related materials: For transcript, see BA 522/2.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/16 Ink number: 1258 Pencil number: 64</p>
<p>Box 6 Item 1265</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: William de Ora, for the souls of his mother and father, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>3 acres in his fee of Cruddeland' nearest to the monks' meadow called Cornwisse (in length along the side of Cornwisse, and stretching as far as the road to the bridge of Iltons bath (Iltonesbed')), as the monks have enclosed the 3 acres by their outer ditch on the land of Cruddeland', which they are to maintain</p> <p>They may make and place in the land (ad faciendum et ponendum) all improvements which they wish.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Echingham, Peter de Scoteny, William de Munceaus, Robert de Hasting', Simon de Sumery, William de Echingham, Oliver de Westefeld, Laurence de Mundifeld, Gilbert Dispensator, Matthew Portarius, Oger Daneis, Guiot de Pette</p> <p>Endorsed: [Iltons]beth ; .j. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 118v</p> <p>Notes: The seal has been cut from the deed with the loss of the beginning of the endorsement.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/ Ink number: 1265 Pencil number: 71 Thorpe page/entry: 28/9</p>
<p>Box 6 Item 1266</p>	<p>Conveyance of rent for 20 shillings. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Sumery to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>An annual rent of 2s 6d from the land which Gerald de Sutheton' once held of his firstborn brother Warner</p> <p>To hold by an annual rent of a pound of cummin or 1½d, payable to Robert within the abbey gate at Battle within 12 days of 25 December, for all service, custom and suit of court.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Sumery, Michael de Bech', William de Colintun', Luke de Swinham, Ralph de Swinham, Reyner de Berehorn', Robert Huser, Hugh de Flintham, John son of Hervey, William de Dene, Nicholas Marescallus, Reynold de Camera</p> <p>Seals: A chick; ..S' ROB'TI*SVMERI</p> <p>Endorsed: Barnhorn (Bernehore); .xx. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 131v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/15 Ink number: 1266</p>
<p>Box 6 Item 1267</p>	<p>Conveyance for £5 6s 8d. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: William de Amberle to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>1 All his land of Bodherst, which he bought from Reynold son of Reinbert de Beche</p> <p>2 eleven acres next to 1 above, part of another tenement bought from Reynold de Beche</p> <p>Free of all service belonging to William, paying annual rents of 3s 8d to the heirs of Reynold de Beche for all service (8 pence on 29 September and 3 shillings on 21 December), and 4 pence to</p>

	<p>Matthew le Erl and his brother William for the 11 acres. Witnesses: Philip de Essettesford', Oger Daneis, Michael de Bech', Baldwin de Cant', William Panetier, Thomas de Bosintun', Ralph de Anest', Richard de Malling', Geoffrey Eilred, Thomas de Kingesnad' Endorsed: de campis; .v. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 . Cartulary: Vol 29 f 119Villegible leadpoint endorsement [?sacrist].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/8 Ink number: 1267 Pencil number: 73 Thorpe page/entry: 5/2</p>
Box 6 Item 1271	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Sedlescumb' to the abbot and convent of Battle All his meadow between the meadow of the church of Sedlescombe (Sedlescumb') and the three acres of meadow which the abbot and convent had by his gift, and between the land of Sedlescombe and the land of Wicham Free from all service, custom and suit of court On tag: nomina hominum husebund' in villa de Wy: ..mund 6d ad iiij terminos; ..liot 2d ad festum Sancti Michelis. Witnesses: Sir William de Echingeham, William de Sokenerse, Simon de Sumery, Michael de Beche, Luke de Swynam, Richard le Maresscal, John de Lond', William de Herst, John de Iham Endorsed: Robert Basok's feoffment of a meadow of 3 acres which we before had for a term of 15 years; Basoch; .viiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 Cartulary: Vol 29 f 116v; the cartulary follows the endorsement in treating this as a gift of two separate meadows, but the 3 acre-meadow is surely part of the boundary</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/ Ink number: 1271 Pencil number: 77</p>
Box 6 Item 1273	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: William de Echingeham to the abbot and convent of Battle An acre of the shingle (galetus) of Pevensey (Pevenesel), which he had by the gift of Sir Gilbert de Aquila, as is contained in his charter Paying an annual rent of two barbed arrowheads to Sir Gilbert for all service. Witnesses: Simon de Echingeham, Simon de Sumery, Henry de Echingeham, Osbert de Levesham, Bertin de Gesteling', Manasser de Herst', Samson de Levesham, Ralph Gulet, Thomas de Salherst, Absalom de Wadeherst, Herbert Clericus, Robert de Acham Seals: Armorial fretty, with a label of five points: +SIGILL'WILL'I DE ECHINGEH'M Endorsed: Barnhorn (Bernehore); .iiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 Cartulary: Vol 29 f 130</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/17 Ink number: 1273 Pencil number: 79</p>
Box 6 Item 1274	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Olive de Wicham to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the sacristy An acre of meadow, extending from the head of the meadow of the almoner of Battle</p>

	<p>along the length of the meadow of Gilbert Hod.</p> <p>Witnesses: Geoffrey Helred, William Panetarius, Adam de Porta, Lambin King, Alan Selarius, Gilbert Hod, Albin Carpentarius</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 14v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/6 Ink number: 1274 Pencil number: 80 Unidentified numbers: 23 Thorpe page/entry: 37/3</p>
Box 6 Item 1280	<p>Conveyance for £2. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Alice de Sumeri to her son Samfred de Sumeri, for his service Two virgates of land, part of her free marriage, of which one lies in Kayworthe and is held by Adnoth, Robert de Kayworth' and Richard de la Grene, and the other lies in the west part of Coudele, and is held by Simon son of Adnoth to hold of Alice free of all service except the king's and the count's, and paying her an annual rent of half a pound of wax for all services belonging to her.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir William de Monceals, Robert de Aubervill', Robert de Hasting', Nicholas Haringod, Hugh de Cyrint', William de Genesing', William de Gilling', Geoffrey de Cnell', William de Kechenor', John de Peplish', John de Gilling', William de Colint'</p> <p>Endorsed: B' ; Barnhorn (Bernehore); Alice de Sumeri .b.; xvij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 131v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/ Ink number: 1280 Pencil number: 86</p>
Box 6 Item 1298	<p>Conveyance for 30 shillings. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Clement Adwold to John Barbarius The messuage which belonged to Peter Pistor, which is part of his tenement to hold of Clement to him and his heirs, or those whom he wishes to make his heirs with the exception of religious houses, by an annual rent of 7 pence for all service, except that of the chief lord.</p> <p>Witnesses: Philip de Eessesford, Walter de Lond', John Lumbard', Thomas de Boitun', Baldwin son of William, William Paneter, Richard Marescallus, Ralph de Anest', Geoffrey Eilred, Richard de Malling', Lambin King, Thomas de Kingesnad'</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/ Ink number: 1298 Pencil number: 114 Thorpe page/entry: 6/1</p>
Box 6 Item 1508	<p>Conveyance for 10 shillings. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Mabel, daughter of Ansel de Sandlake, to Martin Mercator 6 acres of her land in the field of Battle (in length between the way which descends from the wood of Bodhurst and the land to the land of William Pety; in breadth N: Peter le Cucku's land; S: Mabel's land) To hold of Mabel by an annual rent of 3 pence for all service, except the foreign service appropriate to such an amount of land of the same fee.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, Nicholas Marescallus, Alan Cementarius, William le Corduaner, Adam Piscarius, John Piscarius, John le Blund, Robert Cunarius, Ralph Piscarius, John Clericus,</p>

	<p>Simon Faber, Alan Mercator, William Pety, Peter son of Stephen Marescallus, Nicholas Barry</p> <p>Endorsed: leuga; charter of Mabel de Sandlake</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/ Ink number: 1508 Pencil number: 11 Thorpe page/entry: 5/5</p>
Box 6 Item 1516	<p>Grant of a rent in free alms. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: William de Munceaus, with the agreement of his brother Thomas, and for the souls of his mother and father, to the abbot and convent of Battle An annual rent of 6s 8d from the land of Seffrid son of Richard Cocus, to be paid at Battle by Seffrid.</p> <p>Witnesses: His uncle Thomas de Munceaus, Robert de Mortuo Mari, Geoffrey de Sancto Leodegario lord of Wartling (Wertling'), Roger de Sotindun', Herbert Walerand, William de Cudenn', Nicholas Petchard</p> <p>Seals: Equestrian seal on brown and white silk threads, re-attached to the seal through a drilled hole; shield charged with a bend: +SIGILLVM WILELMI DE MV.CEAVS</p> <p>Endorsed: Munceaus; xliij. ; Barnhorn ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 134v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/3 Ink number: 1516 Pencil number: 19 Thorpe page/entry: 27/5</p>
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Box 7 Item 620	<p>Transcript of a conveyance for £1 6s 8d of Approximately 1230. Approximately 1350.</p> <p>Description: Simon de Etchyngham to Reynold de Mora 23¼ acres of his marsh (mora) below his park (between the land of Simon son of William de Horedenn' and the land of Cecily widow of Roger de Parco; from the way below the park to the stream), [?in Udimore] To hold of Simon by an annual rent of 12s 3d; Reynold to pay the [services] to the king and the count (scutage of 1 penny in 13s 4d), and an annual rent of 6 shillings to the abbot and convent of Battle, which Simon gave to them; Reynold to defend the land in walls and watergangs according to its quantity.</p> <p>Witnesses: Laurence de Mundfeld, Henry de Etchyngham, Gervase de Udymer of Ratton (Ratetona), Robert de Breda, Ellis son of Gervase de Udymer, Henry Ketel, Simon de Molendino</p> <p>Endorsed: Memorandum that the original of this deed is in the hands of Benedict atte Hale, the principal occupier of the land; however, others occupy parts of it by his demise - John de Gotesle, John Haueholte and John Alard, from whom the original should be investigated, in case the lord of Etchingham wishes to disturb our possession of the rent.</p> <p>Notes: Diamond filing hole.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/8 Ink number: 620</p>
Box 7 Item 624	<p>Deed of exchange. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: John, son of Richard Bacheler, to the abbot and convent of Battle The messuage at the place called Attebore in the vill of Battle, which once belonged to Richard</p>

	<p>Paying an annual rent of 6 pence to the heirs of Ellis Aurifaber for John The abbot and convent have given John 20 shillings and demised to him: A messuage in the vill of Battle (between the path which leads to the well of Plesset and the messuage which belonged to Henry Melker; in length towards Plesset as far as the nearest bank) To hold of the abbot and convent by an annual rent of 8 pence. Witnesses: Richard de Beche, William de Watlington', Thomas Skyret, John le Mone, Lambin Sperver, Robert Longus, John Forestarius, Laurence Pyccot, Robert Berwyck' Seals: Seal fragment: ..EL'.. Endorsed: town; .lxxvj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 . Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 34 Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/15 Ink number: 624 Pencil number: 109 Thorpe page/entry: 6/3</p>
Box 7 Item 627	<p>Quitclaim by heir for 10 shillings. Approximately 1280. Description: Richard, son and heir of Stephen de Saltcote deceased, to the abbot and convent of Battle All the tenement at The Saltcotes in Hooe (Ho), which Stephen held of them. Witnesses: William de Dene, Henry Faber of Winchelsea (Wincheles'), Ralph Yvogod the younger, John Forestar', Martin de Haddele, John Fontener, W de Lewes clerk Seals: An eight-petalled flower: +S'RIC..L'ST.. Endorsed: Barnhorn (Bernehorn') .xxxij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 . Cartulary: Vol 29 f 133 Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/26 Ink number: 627</p>
Box 7 Item 642	<p>Counterpart grant of a life estate. Approximately 1270. Description: Reynold, abbot of Battle, to John de Pising' for life, with reversion to the abbot and his successors The meadow which lies between Plasset and the messuages of the vill of Battle To hold by an annual rent of 6 pence. Witnesses: Roger de Bedindenn', William de Dene, John le Mone, Robert le Long, Robert le Cupere Seals: Armorial seal, charge unclear: ..ILLUM.. Endorsed: leuga <town> Notes: Datable from the abbacy of Reynold, 1261-1281. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/5 Ink number: 642</p>
Box 7 Item 643	<p>Conveyance for 2s 6d. Approximately 1240. Description: Mabel Anselm to William son of Reynold Land (E: Mabel's own house; W: William Petit's house; heading N: meadow; S: the road to Hastings (Hasting')) To hold of Mabel by an annual rent of 1½d (1 penny on 21 December and ½d forgable on 29 September for all services and customs). Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Luke Sauvage, Martin Mercator, Simon Faber, Henry Crul, William</p>

	<p>Deveneis, William Petit</p> <p>Seals: Eight radiating leaves: +S'M..BILLE D'.SAND...</p> <p>Endorsed: town; Mabel de Sandlake.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Original volume/page: V38/19</p> <p>Ink number: 643</p>
Box 7 Item 663	<p>Grant and quitclaim in return for maintenance for life. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Luke de Swinham to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>The whole tenement which he holds in Barnhorn (Bernehore) [in Bexhill], in lands and waters, meadows and pastures, woods and plainlands, ways and paths, with houses and gardens, rents, reliefs and escheats</p> <p>The abbot and convent will provide him sufficient food and other necessities as long as he lives.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Ralph de Greston', Hugh de Coding', Richard de Bech', John le Mone, Simon Faber, Nicholas Tannator, Geoffrey le King, Henry master of the schools</p> <p>Endorsed: B' ; Barnhorn; xxxij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 133</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Original volume/page: V38/11</p> <p>Ink number: 663</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 35/4</p>
Box 7 Item 691	<p>Deed of exchange. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: William Melkere to Ralph, abbot of Battle, and the convent</p> <p>The whole tenement which he holds in Whatlington (Watlingt'), and the whole tenement which he holds of the fee of Wyccham, in lands and waters, woods and plainlands, meadows and pastures, with rents and escheats</p> <p>Paying the rent to the lords of the fee</p> <p>The abbot and convent grant to William:</p> <p>A tenement in Sedlescombe (Sedlescumb'), held of the fee of Sedlescombe, consisting of a messuage, half an acre by Iltonsbath (Iltonesb'), a field in the land called Scotteslond (as divided by a bank) and a field called Vifacr' adjoining on its west (10 acres together), and a meadow of 2½ acres called Holewisse (W: the abbot and convent's land called Blakeland'; E: the fee of Brede)</p> <p>To hold of the abbot and convent by an annual rent of 2 shillings payable at Battle</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Basoc, Michael de Bech', Hugh de Flintham, Luke de Swinham, Joce de Haremere, Renger de Watlington', Robert Cementarius</p> <p>Seals: Eight radiating leaves: ..WILELMI:FILII:ALANI:DER..</p> <p>Endorsed: Whatlington (Watlinctune) .vj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 114; [The cartulary entry is annotated: this rent has ceased because it is in our hands as appears; William gave this tenement to William son of William Pyk' by a charter which we have, and we also have the charter of the said agreement which William Melkere had [it is restored <i>deleted</i>].</p> <p>Notes: Datable from the abbacy of Ralph of Coventry, 1235-1261.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Original volume/page: V38/15</p> <p>Ink number: 691</p>
Box 7 Item 694	<p>Conveyance for £3 6s 8d. Approximately 1310.</p> <p>Description: Joce Sellarius of Battle to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacrist</p>

	<p>A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, which once belonged to Geoffrey Morgan</p> <p>To hold of Joce by an annual rent of 7 pence for all services, to be paid by the sacrist.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert de Suthynne, Thomas le Webbe, Robert Bone, Robert le Gardener, Richard Cok, Thomas ate Stene, Reynold ate Velde, Robert Humfrey</p> <p>Endorsed: Tenement Morgan.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/4 Ink number: 694 Thorpe page/entry: 23/6</p>
Box 7 Item 698	<p>Conveyance for £2 13s 4d. Approximately 1210.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Sancto Leodegario to Snelgar de Pupinton'</p> <p>All the land of Pupinton' which is of his fee of Maxfield (Mexefelde), in groves, meadows and brooks, that is to say:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 All the brook and meadow against Hoke which relates to the fee of Pupinton 2 All the brook against Pertinton' which relates to the fee of Pupinton 3 two acres in the brook against Comifunt, in length by the land of Pupinton' <p>To hold of Robert by an annual rent of 6s 8d, and performing the service to the king (2s 6d in 13s 4d) and the count (6 pence every castleguard).</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Farl' bailiff of Winchelsea (Winch'), Philip de Gestel', Gilbert de Stanl', Godfrey de Pettes, William chaplain of Pett (Pettes), William parson of Fairlight (Farl'), Roger de Baldesl', Stephen Pret, Robert de Fern', John de Broham, Hamo de Stoke</p> <p>Endorsed: o+/ [see sketch on page]; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/27 Ink number: 698 Thorpe page/entry: 24/2</p>
Box 7 Item 699	<p>Quitclaim for £2 10s 0d. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: John le Knyft and Maud Cucku to their lords, the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacrist</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 All the land which Peter Cucku once held (N: the way between the vill of Battle and the wood of Botehurst; W: the messuage of Vitalis, called Lytekoc de Meryle; E: the croft of the old tilery) 2 An annual rent of 6 pence from the messuage above, and all the right they have in its tenant and his heirs <p>To hold by an annual rent of 18 pence to the court of Battle for the land, for all services; the consideration paid by Luke, the sacrist, 'to marl and improve our other lands'.</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Funtener, William Aurifaber, Ralph Yevegod, Geoffrey Gulyun, Adam le Mone, John Forester, Joce le Venur, Clement Textor, Roger de Feversham, Robert Sharp</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/3 Ink number: 699 Thorpe page/entry: 23/10</p>
Box 7 Item 745	<p>Quitclaim for £1 13s 4d. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Adam Samuel to Agnes Gric</p> <p>A messuage, with its buildings, in the vill of Winchelsea (Winchels') (between the messuage of Geoffrey Bur3ine, and the messuage which Philip Pistor formerly sold to Jakin Gric)</p> <p>To hold in place of Adam by an annual rent of 8 pence to Reynold Witegrom for all services and customs.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: John son of Roger, Matthew son of Stephen, John Jordan, Reynold Ruffus, John Ricard', William Hereman, Luke de Rofa, Hugh Clericus</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/ Ink number: 745 Thorpe page/entry: 33/5</p>
Box 7 Item 750	<p>Counterpart grant of a life estate. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Reynold, abbot of Battle, to Ralph Yvegod and his wife Beatrice for their lives, with reversion to the abbot and his successors A messuage in the vill of Battle (E: messuage which once belonged to John de London'; W: Adam le Tailur's messuage) To hold for the life of the longer liver by an annual rent of 3½d at the court of Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Dene, master Henry Scolar', Thomas de Haremere, Simon de Bodiham, Richard de Bech', John le Mone, Simon Olof</p> <p>Seals: A fish: +S'RADVLF IVEGOD</p> <p>Endorsed: town</p> <p>Notes: Datable from the abbacy of Reynold, 1261-1281.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/12 Ink number: 750</p>
Box 7 Item 785	<p>Conveyance. Approximately 1340.</p> <p>Description: Richard de Suthinne to his son Robert Two pieces of his land called Shortevorelang' and Longestrake, with the adjoining wood and the brookland, in Guestling To hold of Richard.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Cressy, Robert Langhurst, William Suthinne, Simon Northinne, William Sodintone, Richard Kym3t [?for Kny3t]</p> <p>Endorsed: Endorsed, approximately 1480: concerning land called Barlysch at Maxfield purchased by abbot John Nuton [1463-1490], worth 5s a year.</p> <p>Notes: Ink number on dorse of 185 should read 785.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/27 Ink number: 785 Pencil number: 34 Thorpe page/entry: 35/2</p>
Box 7 Item 788	<p>Conveyance for £1 6s 8d. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Alan de Lideham to Richard, almoner of Battle All his land called Barlasse (4¼ a) (E,W: Peter de Lideham's land; N: Peter de Lideham's land; S: the almoner's land called Stoclondre) To hold of Alan by an annual rent of 6d for all suits, plaints and services. On turnup: 26s 8d.</p> <p>Witnesses: Geoffrey de Roinges, Michael de Beche, Luke de Swinham, Godfrey de Pette, William Betel, Benedict de Lideham, John de Pupintone, John le Pret, Hilary le Pret, Robert de Cunifunte</p> <p>Seals: A plant: ..ANI DELIDE..</p> <p>Endorsed: .A.; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Related materials: For transcript, see BA 522/5.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/22 Ink number: 788</p>

Pencil number: 37	
Box 7 Item 795	<p>Grant in free marriage. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: John le Esperver, in free marriage with his sister Margery, to Peter de Beche A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (N: the messuage of Henry Clericus; S: the messuage of the heirs of William Funtenar'; heading E, N: the road which leads to the church of St Mary, Battle, and to the hospital; W, S: the park of the abbot and convent)</p> <p>To hold to Peter and Margery and their heirs in tail, reversion to John; paying John an annual rent of half a pound of cummin in the vill of Battle, and to his brother Lambin 1 penny, for all services, customs and gifts belonging to him, saving the service due to the chief lords; prohibition on gift, sale or alienation.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard de Beche, John le Mone, Richard le Breuman, Robert Longus, Laurence Pikot, Robert Piscator, John Clericus, Geoffrey le Tanur, his brother Walter</p> <p>Endorsed: town Lxxxxvij</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/7 Ink number: 795 Pencil number: 111</p>
Box 7 Item 825	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Peter de Lydeham to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the almonry 1 All the land he has, amounting to 5¼ acres, in a field called Barlasse, held of the fee of John de Gestlinges (between the land which belonged to Alan de Lydeham, and the almoner's land called Stoklond) 2 two acres of the fee of the abbot of Fécamp (between the land which belonged to Alan de Lydeham, and the land of the heirs of Laurencia, widow of Alexander de Farnleghe)</p> <p>To hold of Peter, free of all service.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert le Huse, Luke de Swinham, Walter Clericus of Dittone, Adam le Hay, Roger de Grangiis, Vincent de Stokke, Roger de Bromham, Benedict de Lydeham, Alan de Lydeham, William de Pertlinton'</p> <p>Endorsed: .G.; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/23 Ink number: 825 Thorpe page/entry: 24/5</p>
Box 7 Item 829	<p>Grant. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: Richard de Estbeche to his son, Robert de Beche 1 two acres of the field called Droleslond 2 five acres of wood (in length E: the land which belonged to Richard Breman; W: the land and wood of Richard's daughter Margery; stretching from a street (which leads from The Kedeke, between Drolesland and the land of John ate Boure, to the road) to a watercourse which runs from Walter de Beche's fishpond to Doniford) 3 A reasonable way to the land</p> <p>To hold of Richard by an annual rent of 6 pence.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Mone, William Aurifaber, Adam Mone, John Forester, Adam de Camera, William de Dene, master Henry de Scolis, Martin de Haddeleghe, Robert Piscator, Laurence Pikot, Walter Torold, Adam Pikot</p> <p>Seals: An eight-petalled flower: +S' RICARDI DE : BECHE</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Original volume/page: V38/7 Ink number: 829
Box 7 Item 838	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Scyret of Whatlington (Watlynton), with the consent of his son and heir Thomas, to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacrist An enclosed field of 6 acres in Whatlington (in length between the land which the sacrist has of the land of Renger, and the land which John Aleyn, potter, holds; heading E: Thomas's grove called Catecombe; W: land which Sir Matthew de Hastyng' once held)</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Fontener, William de Watlynton', Ralph Yvegod, William Aurifaber, Thomas Fuke, Robert de la Done, Robert le Bordere, Robert Piscator, Joce Sellarius, William le Rus</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: +S' THOME DE HVATLINTONE</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 16v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/18 Ink number: 838 Pencil number: 87 Unidentified numbers: 31</p>
Box 7 Item 841	<p>Conveyance for £1 13s 4d. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Alan de Lydeham to Robert de Pertlington 1 Part of his land called Shortevorelang, with the adjoining wood and brook, in Guestling (Gestling') (in length SW: the land of the almoner of Battle; NE: the land of the heirs of Robert de Kunyfunte; in breadth between the stream which runs from Langherst to Doleham Bridge (Dolham) and the way to the almoner's land) 2 two acres called Longestrake, which lie in Barlesse (in length between the land of the almoner and the land of [the heirs of] Robert de Kunifunte; heading onto the road from Doleham Bridge to Guestling church)</p> <p>To hold of Alan by an annual rent of 12 pence, to be paid at Alan's house at Lydeham, for all services, customs, heriots, wardships, escheats, gifts, aids, tallages and suits of court.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Sneylham, Hamo de Stock', Geoffrey de Sotintune, Robert de la Forde, Henry de Sneylham, Robert and Thomas de Lydeham, James Puntos, Robert Beneyt of Lydeham, John de Bromham, Henry de Bromham, Roger de Sandherst, Robert de Bromham, clerk</p> <p>Seals: An eight-pointed flower with dots: +S'ALEIN:D'.LID'HAM</p> <p>Notes: This property was purchased by Battle during the abbacy of John Newton, 1463-1490 [see Box 7, Item 785].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/24 Ink number: 841 Pencil number: 90</p>
Box 7 Item 861	<p>Grant and quitclaim for 13s 4d. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: James, son of Simon Sperling, to the abbot and convent of Battle The tenement in Grafherst which Simon le Hunte and his wife Christine, the grantor's mother, demised to them, and concerning which a final concord was levied in the king's court [in October 1257; the property is described as a messuage, 30 acres of land and 20 acres of wood in Icklesham, and the vendor named as Simon le Venur (see Sussex Record Society 7 621)].</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', William Geffrey of Icklesham (Ikelesham), Stephen de Esse, Vincent de Stocke, William de Wdimere, Thomas de Ychinton', Peter de Grafherst, Ellis de Grafherst, William de Sneilham</p>

	<p>Seals: A fleur de lys: +S' IACOB DE GRAFHERST</p> <p>Endorsed: Ik' ; Icklesham (Iklesham); [Westfield (Westefeld) deleted]; .v. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 122</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/13 Ink number: 861 Pencil number: 110</p>
Box 7 Item 888	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Adam de Glottingeham to the abbot and convent of Battle All the right he has in the tenement of Eggelonde by Breadsell (Breggesell') [in Battle], in homages, services, suits, rents, scutages and wardships.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir William de Sokenerse, Sir Robert Basoc, Henry de Peneherst, Michael de Bech', Daniel de Kechenham, Ralph de Gerston', Hugh de Flintham, William de Guttershole, Luke de Swinham, Joce de Haremere, Renger de Watlingt'</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: + S' ADE DE GLOTINGAM</p> <p>Endorsed: Egelonde</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/22 Ink number: 888</p>
Box 7 Item 986	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Alexander, son of Hugh de la Ford', to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle, and especially to the altar of the blessed Mary in the abbey church All the right he has in his tenement in Whatlington (Watlington') (in length by the riverbank (rivum) called The Ford; heading W: the way from Whatlington to Winchelsea (Wynchelsee); E: the land of Thomas de Watlington')</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas de Harmer, Thomas de Watlington', William de Watlington', his brother Ralph, Luke de la Ford', Alan de la Hay, John Fontiner, Robert de Parco</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 42v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/ Ink number: 986 Thorpe page/entry: 17/5</p>
Box 7 Item 1003	<p>Covenant for drainage. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Ralph, abbot of Battle, and the convent, with James son of William</p> <p>The abbot and convent grant to James</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 All the land outside the marsh called Scuttesmerse on the west side of the green wall 2 The wall itself, and all the land between Scuttesmerse and James's demesne of The Tunge towards the brook of Hooe (Ho), as greatly as James's demesne of The Tunge extends 3 The pasture called The Trade, with a right of way with animals reserved, provided they do not pasture their animals there by a guardian (perwardam factam), and reserving the abbot's right to make and repair his gutters <p>James, with the assent of his firstborn son William, grants:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 That the abbot and convent may, at their own expense, sew Scuttesmerse through the middle of James's demesne of Northye as far as their gutter of Babbingeflet or, if they cannot, through his gutter of Swanflet; they may sew their marshes between Bercham and The Trade by Swanflet 2 The abbot and convent may put a gutter between Bradeteghe and Northye, provided

	<p>they do not impede James's way; they may make another gutter where it seems best. The abbot and convent will be responsible for two thirds of the costs of making and repairing the gutters, James for one third; they may not store water on their marshes without James's agreement.</p> <p>The agreement is to remain in force for James's life; if his heirs do not wish to observe it, the land granted to James, and the pasture of The Trade, is to revert to the abbot and convent in the state in which it was before the agreement, and James's heirs may do what they wish with the sewings and gutters, reserving to the abbot and convent their gutter of The Trade.</p> <p>Both parties have renounced all complaints and disagreements, present and future, by plighted faith (fide media)</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Munceaus, Robert de Hasting', Laurence de Mundifeld', William de Coting', Richard de Esburnham, Walter de Peneherst', Robert de Manekes', Philip de Essettesford', Richard de la Gare, Thomas de Haremere, Michael de Beche, Hamo Saget</p> <p>Endorsed: B' ; Barnhorne (Bernehore); .xxxiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 133</p> <p>Notes: Ralph de Coventry became abbot in 1235, and this deed must precede the final concord with James's son William in 1248 (Box 14, Item 1481A).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/ Ink number: 1003 Pencil number: 12 Thorpe page/entry: 45/4</p>
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Box 8 Item 1109	<p>Covenant for an exchange. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Reynold Brembel and his wife Margaret, daughter of Dering de Sanlake, with Ralph [de Coventry], abbot of Battle</p> <p>Reynold and Margaret grant in free alms:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">The moiety of a garden in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, which once belonged to Dering, with half an acre of meadow adjoining on its west, and the whole part of the field called Heghelonde to the south which Margaret inherited</p> <p>The abbot and convent grant in exchange:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">8 acres which belonged to Reynold le Sperver, to the east along the length of the new street, and 34 shillings</p> <p>To hold to him and to his wife's heirs, by a rent of 2 pence less than the lands are accustomed to pay; covenant for interdependent warranty.</p> <p>Witnesses: Geoffrey Elred, Luke de Swinham, Ralph Piscator, Martin Pistor, John Clericus, Godwin de la Felde, John son of Clement, William de Wicham, Fulk Cocus, Gilbert Pikot</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: ..REGINOLDI BREMBEL; no slit for sealing by Margaret.</p> <p>Endorsed: town; CxV</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Notes: Datable from the abbacy of Ralph of Coventry, 1235-1261.</p> <p>Related materials: For transcript, see Box 3, Item 1482.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/13 Ink number: 1109 Thorpe page/entry: 9/8</p>
Box 8	Contract for the building and maintenance of a gutter. Approximately 1220.

<p>Item 1113</p>	<p>Description: Richard, abbot of Battle, and the convent, with William de Coding' By common advice and at shared expense they will build, maintain and in future repair a gutter between the land of Barnhorn (Bernehorn') at Berghame and the land of Cooden (Coding') If either party fail in maintenance or repairs, the other may spend by the view of the serjeant of him who has failed or, if the serjeant cannot or will not attend, by the view of lawful neighbours. If either party fails to pay the other's costs so incurred before dawn on the following day, he shall pay double, and after 15 days triple, and after 3 weeks quadruple the sum, with an additional penalty of 40 pence. If by the process of time, one gutter becomes insufficient to sew and save the lands of the abbot and convent and of the lord of Cooden, they will make, maintain and repair another gutter according to the same rules of cost-sharing. Each may distrain upon the fee of the other to recover unpaid costs and penalties. Witnesses: Robert de Beause chaplain, Philip de Hou chaplain, Osbert de Levesham, Matthew Portarius, Adam de Hodding', Seffrid de Sumery, Nicholas de Coding', Richard Cormerande, Richard Marescallus, Baldwin de Cant', Ralph de Anest', Thomas de Kingesnad' Endorsed: B'; Barnhorn (Bernehore); xij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 . Cartulary: Vol 29 f 131 Notes: Datable from the abbacy of Richard, 1215-1235. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/14 Ink number: 1133 Thorpe page/entry: 12/4</p>
<p>Box 8 Item 1114</p>	<p>Confirmation. Approximately 1230. Description: Robert de Sumery to the abbot and convent of Battle The grant of two virgates of land in the hundred of Bexhill (Beausse), and two virgates of land in the hundred of Ninfield (Neuenefeld), made by his uncle Samfrid, as appears by his charter, which they have. Witnesses: William de Etchingham, William de Sancto Leodegario, Robert de Manekesye, William de Sokeness', Robert Basoc, Walter de Scoteni, Simon de Sumery, Simon de Brunesford, William de Colinton', John de Yham, Luke Salvage, Richard Marescallus Endorsed: B' ; .xxj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 . Cartulary: Vol 29 f 132 Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/ Ink number: 1114 Thorpe page/entry: 34/</p>
<p>Box 8 Item 1140</p>	<p>Counterpart grant of a life estate. Approximately 1270. Description: Reynold, abbot of Battle, to Denise, widow of Palmer de Marisco, reversion to the abbot and his successors Four Flemish acres called Keteslond, below Vicflet, by the house which belonged to the late Lampsin Huphorn (que fuit quondam Lampsin) To hold for an annual payment of 8 shillings at Battle. Witnesses: William de Dene, Thomas de Haremere, Simon de Bodiham, Henry master of the schools, John Bathan, Richard de Limenesfeld, William Leude, Stephen de Esse, Elmer Heved Notes: Datable from the abbacy of Reynold, 1261-1281. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/13 Ink number: 1140</p>

Thorpe page/entry: 34/7	
Box 8 Item 1162	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Reynold de Bernevall', for the salvation of his soul and that of his wife Margery, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">His right in the land of Bodherst, which is of the fee of Robert de Hastings, in men, homages, rents, services, customs, plainlands, feedings and woods.</p> <p>On turnup in leadpoint: void.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir Henry prior of Combwell (Cumbwell'), brother T his canon, Sir G de Saana, Henry de Thisesers, William de Casingeham, Henry Marescallus, Michael de Beche, Philip de Hesetefort, Simon de Mora, Robert Cocus, Robert Delmindane, his brother Alexander, Geoffrey de Elred</p> <p>Seals: Armorial [see sketch on T p1]: SIGILL'...EGIN..IDEIE..</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/1 Ink number: 1162</p>
Box 8 Item 1194	<p>Indenture of dead stock delivered to William Smyth 'on the day of the other indenture' [a lease of Sampford rectory].</p> <p>Description: 6 stotts (30s £3 13s 4d), ...(30s 0d), a goose, 2 geese mariol' and 11 goslings issue of the goose (2½d each), a cock, 5 hens and 10 ..., ..iij acres barley, 6 acres pulmong', 3 acres pease, 15 acres oats (price one acre with the other 1s 8d), the herbage of [blank] acres, ...4 sacc price 8d each, a fan, a measure, a plough with a coulter and share, 3 ladders, a dining table, a ..., a cart-saddle (12s 0d), a cord for it. WS to deliver the ... hay coming from the tithes of the rectory of Sampford at the end of the term, or sooner if it be terminated, at the election of the abbot and convent.</p> <p>Seals: With a loose seal, mid-15th century, a crowned R.</p> <p>Endorsed: Agreement concerning William's rights under a general livery, and undertaking by him to provide accommodation for three men with horses twice a year.</p> <p>Notes: Left-hand third wanting.</p> <p>Related materials: For the lease to which this was formerly attached, see Volume 52, Item 53.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/17 Ink number: 1194</p>
Box 8 Item 1197	<p>Quitclaim for 13s 4d. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Thomas, son of Nicholas le Ferrur, to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">A messuage with a house built upon it in the vill of Battle (S: the road from The Bore to the abbey; between the messuage which once belonged to Vitalis Textor, and the messuage which once belonged to Walter Sonk'), which once belonged to his father</p> <p>To hold in Thomas's place.</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Fontener, Robert Milus, Joce le Venur, Robert de Berewyk, Adam le Mone, Adam de la Chambre, Stephen Busard, Walter Torold, Geoffrey Tannator</p> <p>Endorsed: .lxiiij. ; town ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 106v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/3 Ink number: 1197 Pencil number: 3 Thorpe page/entry: 16/6</p>
Box 8 Item 1211	<p>Quitclaim for 6 shillings. Approximately 1230.</p>

	<p>Description: John, son of Roger Le Menier, to the abbot and convent of Battle His curtilage in the vill of Battle, by the land of Robert le Cuper, which the abbot and convent enclosed To hold of John; 4 shillings of the consideration paid to John in his need, and 2 shillings to his mother.</p> <p>Witnesses: Master Benedict de Haya, Sir Andrew vicar of Hay-on-Wye (Haya), Sir Robert de Lammeyes [?Llanmaes], Benedict Vinitarius, John de Aula, Fulk de Rakeleye, John le Norreys</p> <p>Endorsed: town; lxxvij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f107v, where it is marked duplex; the entry is taken from 1211.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/25 Ink number: 1211 Pencil number: 17 Thorpe page/entry: 27/2</p>
Box 8 Item 1215	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Lambin Kyng to the abbot and convent of Battle His whole share of land which he held in the field which lies east of the windmill, between the land of Fulk Pykot and the land of John, son of John de Penda, and the road which leads to Whatlington (Watlington')</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir William de Sokenesse kt, Michael de Beche, Robert le Huser, Richard de Beche, Luke de Swynh', Adam Pikot, Martin Pistor, John Godmefetche, William le Cordewaner, Nicholas Marescallus, Robert Cementarius</p> <p>Endorsed: leuga; .vij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 102v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/3 Ink number: 1215 Pencil number: .1 Thorpe page/entry: 23/7</p>
Box 8 Item 1220	<p>Quitclaim for 13s 4d. [?6 January 1283].</p> <p>Description: Ralph Aubyn to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle All that land called Smithsland (terra fabri), (in length between the wood of Bodhurst and the Battle-Winchelsea (Wyncheles') road; heading W: the way from the tilery to the gate of Bodhurst; E: the the abbot and convent's land)</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Fontener, Reynold de Bech', Ralph Yvegod the younger, Adam le Mone, Robert de Parco, Joce Venator, John Cunarius, Laurence Pykot, Martin de Haddelegh'</p> <p>Seals: An eight-petalled flower: S'RADVLFI AVB...</p> <p>Endorsed: town .xliij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 105</p> <p>Related materials: For a quitclaim of this date of this property by Adam, son of Simon Faber, with an almost identical witness-list, see Box 15, Item 637.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/21 Ink number: 1220 Pencil number: 26</p>
Box 8 Item 1222	<p>Conveyance for 18s 10d. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Maud de Echenham, widow of Gilbert de Echenham, with the assent of her heir</p>

	<p>Alan, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 one acre heading onto the land of Mabel de Goteweye at one end and the land of Samson le Vrel on the other 2 two and a half acres in length alongside the land of Godwin de Nortone; between the land of Samson le Vrel and the land of William le Smale 3 A house with a curtilage in Westfield (Westefeld'), between the house of John de la Wode and the house of Roger Acelyn <p>To hold of Maud by an annual rent of 1 penny on 2 February for all services.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Suokenersse, John de Ihamme, Luke de Swinham, Reynold Bedell', Henry Wlfric, John de Wode, William le Gerneter, Alan Mercator, John Piscator, Geoffrey Eylred</p> <p>Seals: A flower: ..TILDE:DE ECHEN..; the tag has been detached and is now tied to the deed.</p> <p>Endorsed: Echeham; [for Iltons bath deleted]; .xxv. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 121</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/10 Ink number: 1222 Pencil number: 28</p>
Box 8 Item 1235	<p>Lease for 40 years from 29 September 1240 [without rent] for 13s 4d. Approximately 1245.</p> <p>Description: Olive de Wikam, in the full power of her widowhood, with the consent of her son and heir Walter de Wikam, to brother Raymond, sacrist of Battle, and his successors</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Half an acre of meadow, between the meadow of John Godvechem.. and the meadow which brother Raymond holds of her</p> <p>The beginning of the term specified as the Michaelmas before the death of Edmund [Rich], archbishop of Canterbury.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, Luke de Swinam, Lambin King, William le Corduaner, Viell Textor, Fulk Cocus, Ralph Piscator, John Godmeveche, John Clericus, Osmund de Rotomago, his brother Alexander</p> <p>Seals: Formerly sealed by Olive and Walter.</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f15</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/18 Ink number: 1235 Pencil number: 41 Unidentified numbers: 26 Thorpe page/entry: 45/5</p>
Box 8 Item 1261	<p>Grant of an annual rent in free alms. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Herbert de Aula, son of Thomas de Bello, to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">An annual rent of 2 shillings which John Clericus pays for a messuage in the vill of Battle (between the messuage which belonged to John le Norreys and the messuage of Henry le Champeneys), with whatever right he has in the messuage.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, Richard de Beche, Luke de Swinham, Robert le Maszon, Lambin le King, Nicholas le Tanur, Adam Piscator, Thomas le Waleys, William le Cordewaner, John Godmevetch', John Piscator, John Clement</p> <p>Seals: Seal detached and in fragments.</p> <p>Endorsed: town; .lxx. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 107</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	<p>Original volume/page: V38/19 Ink number: 1261 Pencil number: 67</p>
<p>Box 8 Item 1279</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Olive de Wikham widow to the sacrist of Battle 2 acres of meadow in Wikham (between the meadow of Gilbert Hod and in length by the brook of Wycham; E: Olive's meadow; W: the meadow of the almoner of Battle), with a sufficient way to the land with carts, horses and animals.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Brunnesford, Geoffrey Ailred, Lambin King, William Panetarius, Richard Marescallus, Thomas Lucett', Robert de Aolton', Nicholas Marescallus, Willard de Merilegh', John Blundus, Albin Carpentarius, Gilbert Hod, John Godmefetche, Bruning</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 15</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/ Ink number: 1279 Pencil number: 85 Unidentified numbers: 25 Thorpe page/entry: 37/2</p>
<p>Box 8 Item 1281</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. [?6 January 1283].</p> <p>Description: Ralph Aubyn to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle All the land called Smithsland (terra fabri), (in length between the Battle-Winchelsea (Wyncheles') road and the abbot and convent's wood of Bodhurst; heading W: the way from the tilery to the gate of Bodhurst; E: the the abbot and convent's land) To hold of Ralph.</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Fontener, Reynold de Bech', Ralph Yvegod the younger, Adam le Mone, Robert de Parco, Joce le Hunte, John Cunarius, Laurence Pykot, Martin de Haddeleghe</p> <p>Endorsed: town .xlj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 105</p> <p>Related materials: For a quitclaim of this date of this property by Adam, son of Simon Faber, with an almost identical witness-list, see Box 15, Item 637.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/20 Ink number: 1281</p>
<p>Box 8 Item 1291</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Walter de Rakelee to the abbot and convent of Battle 1 Two mill-sites (sita molendinorum), with the mill, in Rakelee 2 All the land which he held of the prior and convent of Combwell (Cumbwell') [in Kent], except the land called Bisshoppeshamme Paying for Walter an annual rent of 12 shillings to Combwell for all service, custom and suit of court.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Echingeham, William de Sokenersse, Thomas son of Godfrey, Michael de Beche, Giles de Passeleg', Thomas de Haremere, William de Hasting', Henry de Tirdeserse, Roger de Crohurst, William de la Ware, Renger de Watlingeton', William le Franceis, Fulk de Rakele</p> <p>Endorsed: .xj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 126, under the rubric Berherst</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/15</p>

	<p>Ink number: 1291 Pencil number: 97 Thorpe page/entry: 32/7</p>
<p>Box 8 Item 1292</p>	<p>Grant of an easement for 20 shillings and an annual rent of a pound of wax on 2 February. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Simon de Sumery, son of Simon de Sumery, to the abbot and convent of Battle That the pond of their mill of Pepping Eye (Piperingee) may flow over his fee of Catsfield (Cattesfeld') without obstruction by him or his heirs, provided that he may freely use his fee to the water's edge, whether it be high or low.</p> <p>Witnesses: Master Richard de Bello, Ralph rector of Catsfield, Robert de Hasting', Walter de Sumery, the grantor's son Simon de Sumery, Matthew Portarius, Isaac de Stamford', Roger Tupin, Richard Marescallus, Roger Dispensator</p> <p>Endorsed: concerning the flow of the pond of Loxebeck'; leuga .liiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 106</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/ Ink number: 1292 Pencil number: 98 Thorpe page/entry: 34/9</p>
<p>Box 8 Item 1295</p>	<p>Grant of a bondman and his land for 6s 8d. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Sumery to Michael de Bech', for his service and fealty Gerald de Sutheton', with all his sequel, with free liberty of his body and those of his sequel, with all the land which Gerald held of Robert's firstborn brother Warner To hold of Robert by an annual rent of 2s 6d for all services.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Sumery, Luke Salvage, Richard Marescallus, William de Colinton', John son of Laurence, Richard de Stakinden', John de Lond', Nicholas Marescallus, William Panetarius, Gilbert de Bech', Ralph Frankeleyn, Samfred de Sumery, Thomas de Bocholt'</p> <p>Endorsed: B' ; [charter of Michael de Beche deleted]; .xxij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 132</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/28 Ink number: 1295 Pencil number: 101</p>
<p>Box 8 Item 1339</p>	<p>Transcript of two deeds. Approximately 1420.</p> <p>Description: First deed: Release of the remainder of a term in free alms, approximately 1233. Robert de Ambervill' [recte Auberville] to the abbot and convent of Battle All the land [he has] of the fee of Walter le Boef in the parishes of Battle and Westfield, in woodland and plainland, meadows and feedings, paths and waters, men, rents and services To hold for the duration of the term and with all the rights he has from Walter by charter, which charter he has given to the monks for greater security; he demands nothing for the grant but to be a partaker in the goods of their church. [For a similar deed, see Box 6, Item 1238.]</p> <p>Second deed: Grant in free alms, approximately 1233. Walter le Boef, son of Robert le Boef, to the abbot and convent of Battle All his land called Bodherst, all his land of The Grave, and all his land of The [Be]che, in</p>

	<p>woodlands and plainlands, waters, meadows and pastures, rents and services, men and their sequel.</p> <p>Witnesses: [First deed] Herbert de Burghersshe sheriff of Sussex [undersheriff in 1233 - PRO Lists and Indexes 9, p141], etc; [second deed] Robert de Ambervill' [Auberville] etc.</p> <p>Notes: The original of second of these deeds is enrolled in the cartulary, f 119v, as Bodherst ij, with a grant by William de Amberle of the land of Bodherst.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/20 Ink number: 1339 Thorpe page/entry: 5/3 [first deed], 5/4 [second deed]</p>
Box 8 Item 1359	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: William, son of Wibert de Dudilond, to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the sacrist</p> <p>All the land by Breadsell (Bregeselle) in Battle which Wibert bought from Ralph de Campis, which adjoins the land which belonged to Anger de Dudilond on the north.</p> <p>Witnesses: Walter de Beche, William de Dene, Thomas Skyret, William son of Joce de Watlington, John le Fontener, John Mone, Ralph Albin, Robert Longus, Clement Textor</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: +S'.WILL...FIL' WIB'</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/9 Ink number: 1359</p>
Box 8 Item 1364	<p>Quitclaim of a rent for 12 shillings and a release of rent. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Walter de Loxebach' and his wife Maud to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>An annual rent of 1s 9½d which the abbot and convent pay them for a messuage in the vill of Battle</p> <p>For which the abbot and convent release:</p> <p>An annual rent of 3 pence which Walter and Maud pay them for three messuages in the borough of Sandlake, Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Luke de Swinham, Richard de Bech', John le Mone, John Clericus, John Piscator, Robert de Paris, Geoffrey le King</p> <p>Seals: Second a cross: +S'MATILD...LOXEBECH</p> <p>Endorsed: town; .lj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 105v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/25 Ink number: 1364</p>
Box 8 Item 1369	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1300.</p> <p>Description: John le Fountener to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>His right in a messuage in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (between the messuage of Ralph Copegrey and the messuage which once belonged to Nicholas Cocus)</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam le Mone, Robert de Parco, John Forester, Joce le Hunte, Clement le Webbe, William Aurifaber, Joce Sellarius, Michael de Dene, Robert le Border'</p> <p>Endorsed: town Lxxxix.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/4 Ink number: 1369 Thorpe page/entry: 18/2</p>

<p>Box 8 Item 1372</p>	<p>Quitclaim by widow. Approximately 1254.</p> <p>Description: Margaret, widow of William de Etchingeham [died 1253], to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>1 Her whole right by way of dower in the fee of Whatlington (Watlington'), held by Joce son of Thomas de Haremere, Renger de Watlingt' and Thomas Skiret</p> <p>2 Her right in a tenement in Udimore (Udimere) held by Simon son of Reynold de Brok', with all the rent</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Malemeins, Robert Huser, Robert Poer, Michael de Bech', Ellis de Udimere, Hugh de Flintham, Robert de Marscott, Richard Meriet, John de London', Luke de Swinham</p> <p>Seals: Virgin and child faced by woman in prayer, all beneath a double canopy: +MEREGEM..ESCA MARIA</p> <p>Endorsed: Whatlington; Margery de Echinge ham; .xv. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 115</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/11 Ink number: 1372</p>
<p>Box 8 Item 1376</p>	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Warner de Suthinton' to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>All the land which he held in Suthinton' in the parish of Bexhill (Beause)</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, Robert de Sumeri, Luke de Swinham, Ralph de Swinham, Reynold de Peplesham, Maurice de Colinton', Robert de Bromham, John de Godecumbe, Reyner de Bernehorn', Hugh de Flintham, John de Colinton'</p> <p>Endorsed: B' ; Barnhorn (Bernehore); [xxvij]*</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 132v</p> <p>Notes: *A piece has been torn away from the top of this deed.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/ Ink number: 1376 Thorpe page/entry: 35/3</p>
<p>Box 8 Item 1377</p>	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: William de Lamberherst', son of Bartholomew Faber, to master Robert Cementarius of Battle</p> <p>His messuage with buildings upon it in the vill of Battle, which he bought from master Robert</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Bruneford, Simon de Pirie, William Leaute, Gilbert de Aledon', Reynold Pistor, Roger Sonke, Laurence de Godmersham, Henry ..., Adam son of Aghemund, Ralph Fuge, Hugh Pistor, John son of Michael, Henry Hod..</p> <p>Seals: Radiating leaves: S'.WILL'IDEL...</p> <p>Endorsed: town; .xiiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 103</p> <p>Notes: The bottom right-hand corner of this deed, with text from the witness list, has been torn away.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/17 Ink number: 1377</p>
<p>Box 8 Item 1378</p>	<p>Quitclaim for 13s 4d. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: Giles, son of Luke de Swinham, to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (E: the messuage [of] Morgan; W: land</p>

	<p>of the heirs of Humphrey Beaufiz).</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Dene, Thomas de Waldern', Robert Long', John Purs, Fulk Cocus, Peter Faber</p> <p>Seals: A flower: +S'..A...E</p> <p>Endorsed: Battle [sacrist hand.]</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/25 Ink number: 1378</p>
<p>Box 8 Item 1442</p>	<p>Grant and quitclaim. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Robert Fostre to the abbot and convent of Battle and the almoner All the lordship which he has in Maxfield (Mexefeld) [in Guestling], that is to say:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The land which he bought from Ralph le Hai (E: the old mill; [W:] the demesne of Adam le Hai, and from there as far as Conifunte), with the wood which belonged to Ralph's mother, and 3 acres of meadow reaching from the old mill north towards Robert's meadow (which he had of Adam le Hai) and the way, 3 perches wide from the dam (walla) of the old mill to the land of Tikeherst' 2 fifteen acres in Maxfield, nearest the land called Hugelot's land, which he bought from Adam le Hay 3 two acres of meadow at the old mill 4 one acre of meadow held by Vincent de Mexefeld and one acre of meadow held by Ralph de Mexefeld 5 All the land which he bought from Ingram de Stoke (between the way from Maxfield to Lideham, Conifunte, the fee of the abbot of Fécamp, and the demesne of Maxfield) 6 An annual rent of 6 shillings which he has in Pupinton' 7 An annual rent of 3 shillings from the land of William le Nol 8 Whatever he has in the tenement of Maxfield in rents, meadows, woods, brooklands, ways, paths, feedings, services and profits <p>To hold as Robert held, performing the services to the chief lords, that is to say:</p> <p>An annual rent of 1 penny to Ralph le Hai from Pupintun'</p> <p>An annual rent of 9 pence to Ralph le Hai from Hugelot's land and for all the land his mother held in dower</p> <p>An annual rent of 12 pence to Adam le Hai from the land which Robert bought from Ingram de Stoke, with 1 penny castleguard for it</p> <p>An annual rent of 2 pence to Adam le Hai from the 15 acres and 4 acres of meadow</p> <p>An annual rent of 12 pence to Adam le Hai from the land of William le Nol</p> <p>The chief lords will warrant the lands and rents.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Alard, Oliver Wulbrand, William de Maydestan', Godfrey de Pette, Hugh de Nithertun', William de Udimere, Samson Clericus, Michael de Beche, Geoffrey Eilred, Ralph de Anestre, Vincent de Mexefeld, Simon de Lidiam</p> <p>Seals: A shell: +S'ROBERTI FOSTRE</p> <p>Endorsed: .D. ; charter of Robert Fostr' of lands of le Hay; circle, line, loop, crossbar; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/2 Ink number: 1442 Thorpe page/entry: 18/1</p>
<p>Box 8 Item 1506</p>	<p>Quitclaim of a rent in free alms with warranty. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Sumery to the abbot and convent of Battle An annual rent of 12 pence which Sir William de Coding' paid from the tenement of Samfred de Sumery in Bexhill (Bexl')</p> <p>Robert remains bound to warrant the tenement and acquit it from all services and suits for an</p>

	<p>annual rent of 4 shillings, which the abbot and convent are bound to pay to the court of Bexhill for him from the tenement.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Robert son of W[illiam] de Coding', Hugh de Flintham, Luke de Swinham, Reynold de Peplesham, John de Godecumbe, Ralph de Swinham, John de Lond', Thomas de Boccholt', John de Glinde</p> <p>Seals: Detached seal, in fragments: S'ROB..VMER..</p> <p>Endorsed: B' ; Barnhorn (Bernehore); .xix. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 131v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V38/12 Ink number: 1506 Pencil number: 9</p>
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Box 9 Item 625	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: William, son of Matthew Tincter and his wife Alice, to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy His right in the lands and tenements which they have by his parents' grant [see Box 9, Item 717] In consideration, William to be a partaker of all the goods which shall be in the church of Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Fontener bailiff of Battle, John Okeregge, Henry de Cessele, Adam le Mone, Ralph Yevegod the younger, William Aurifaber of Battle, Joce Venator, Joce Sellarius</p> <p>Seals: Seal now fragmentary: [?]a razor: S'WILL'IF...</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 67v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/7 Ink number: 625 Pencil number: 262</p>
Box 9 Item 626	<p>Quitclaim of dower by widow in exchange. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Alice, widow of Simon son of Guy Parmentarius of Battle, for her life, to Sir Reynold, abbot of Battle Her right by way of dower in the tenements in the vill or leuga of Battle which Simon once held In exchange for: A life estate in half a messuage which once belonged to Peter Textor To hold as freely as the other messuages in the vill of Battle are held, by an annual rent of 3½d An annuity of 2 shillings to be taken at Easter from his chamber at Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Ralph de Greston', Hugh de Coding', John le Mone, Richard Portarius</p> <p>Endorsed: town Cxxij.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Notes: Datable from the abbacy of Reynold, 1261-1281</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/5 Ink number: 626</p>
Box 9 Item 628	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Edeline Husewyf, widow of Thomas Pet, in free widowhood and full power, to her lords, the abbot and convent of Battle Her right in a tenement in Battle, which they hold of her inheritance.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, John de Len, Hugh de Coding', William de Dene, Henry Sclaris of Battle, John le Funtener, John de Lundr'</p> <p>Seals: An eight-petalled flower: +S'EDELIN HVSEWIF</p> <p>Endorsed: leuga</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/6 Ink number: 628 Thorpe page/entry: 23/3</p>
<p>Box 9 Item 632</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1310.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Pessoner of Battle to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 A tenement in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, which belonged to Simon le Coliere 2 A tenement in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, which belonged to Simon Wynter 3 A tenement in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, which belonged to Reynold Herodyn 4 A tenement in the borough of Bremblegh, Battle, which belonged to Cota Crul 5 A tenement in the borough of Bremblegh, Battle, which belonged to John Copyn 6 A tenement in the borough of Bremblegh, Battle, which belonged to Bartholomew Plomer 7 Five acres of wood and 2 acres of land called Droleslond, lying by The Kedek, held of the fee of Beech 8 An annual rent of 12 pence from Stephen le Glovere for the tenement in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, which belonged to William le Turnour 9 An annual rent of 4 pence from Robert Campyon for the tenement in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, which belonged to John Amys 10 An annual rent of 3½d from the tenement which belonged to Peter de Bech 11 An annual rent of 1½d from Alice de Shepaye for the tenement which belonged to Denise Crul 12 An annual rent of 4 pence from Matthew Pessoner for his own tenement in the borough of Bremblegh. <p>Witnesses: Nicholas de Cukefeud, John Forester, Daniel le Taillour, Walter Milys, Gilbert Walat, Stephen Glovere, Robert de Suthynne, Reynold ate Feld</p> <p>Endorsed: town and elsewhere, Cxxxij</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/ Ink number: 632 Thorpe page/entry: 30/3</p>
<p>Box 9 Item 658</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: John de Setelescumbe and his wife Alice to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>Six acres of their land between Scottesland and Wudeland in Sedlescombe (Setelescumbe), as the bank between those lands divides them</p> <p>the the abbot and convent to be responsible for the enclosure of the hedge between Scottesland and Tynekeresland.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Etchingeham, William de Sokenerse, Geoffrey Eilred, Ralph de Swinham, Luke de Swinham, Hugh de Flintham, Renger de Watlingetun', Lambin King, Robert Cementarius</p> <p>Seals: Second four radiating leaves and crosses: +SIG[ILL' ALICIE FI]LIE THOME</p> <p>Endorsed: j. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 117v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/26</p>

	<p>Ink number: 658 Thorpe page/entry: 33/7</p>
<p>Box 9 Item 674</p>	<p>Conveyance for 4s 1d and a lamb. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Richard de Wetlingetona to Ralph de Hukestepe, for his service His whole part of brookland which is between Cornore and Eure and Smalewisse, with an adequate way to it To hold of Richard by an annual rent of 6 pence on Maundy Thursday (in die absolutionis) for all services; whoever holds the rest of the brookland will be responsible for the enclosure of the bounds against Ralph as they would be against Richard were it in his hands; 6 pence of the consideration paid to Richard's wife, the lamb to his heir and 1 penny to his other son.</p> <p>Witnesses: Laurence de Mundif', Ralph de Ferne, Roger de Baldeslowe, Thomas de Sedelescumbe, his brother Gilbert, Hamlin Molendinarius, Renger de Watlinget', William Presbiter of Brightling (Brichdl') who wrote this charter</p> <p>Seals: Seal on a cord: an eagle standing on a rock: +SIGILL'..RITEVS DE WATLINGTVNE</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/21 Ink number: 674 Thorpe page/entry: 37/9</p>
<p>Box 9 Item 675</p>	<p>Release of an annual payment of two candles. Approximately 1295.</p> <p>Description: William, son and heir of Sir William de Echyngeham, kt, for the salvation of his father's soul, to the sacristy of Battle An annual rent of two candles which he and his ancestors have been accustomed to receive from the sacrist of Battle on 2 February in respect of the tithes of Hope in Salehurst.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Lonesford, John de Codyng', master Geoffrey de Holentegh', master Geoffrey de Horwod', John Fountener, William de Creye, William de Alsiston' clerk</p> <p>Seals: Four radiating shields of arms: Etchingham; ?; lozengy; ?; [see notes to Thorpe]</p> <p>*.S'.WILL'I:DE:ECHINGHAM:</p> <p>Notes: William the elder died in 1294.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/21 Ink number: 675 Thorpe page/entry: 15/5</p>
<p>Box 9 Item 679</p>	<p>Demise at 4 pence. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Ida, widow of Moses de Frechesl', in her free widowhood, to the abbot of Battle The land and wood of her son Walter, in Frechesl' - whatever came to him south of the way from the house of her son William to the messuage which belonged to John Joiemaide, and whatever he has west of Frechesl', and whatever he has east of Cotsete [in Hawkhurst]</p> <p>An annual rent of three-farthings paid by the heirs of The Compe to hold until Walter's arrival in Kent (usque ad adventum Walteri ... in partes Cantae)</p> <p>Ida grants and quitclaims: Whatever came to her in the said places by way of free bench, or in the tenements which her sons demised to the abbot For as long as he holds it, the abbot to acquit Walter's land of the annual rents of 8½d due to the court of Hawkhurst (Hauecherst) and of 5 pence due to Ida's son Geoffrey, and to pay Ida 4 pence a year; because she has no seal, she has used that of her son Geoffrey.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Wulfi, Geoffrey Wulfi, Richard Prut, her son Geoffrey</p>

	<p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 69</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/6 Ink number: 679 Pencil number: 271 Thorpe page/entry: 18/3</p>
<p>Box 9 Item 680</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Master Thomas de Torpel to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>1 The whole tenement of Newenham by Baldslow (Baldeslowe), in the rape of Hastings (Hasting'), which he bought from Stephen son of Ralph de Newenham, in lands and waters, woodland and plainland, meadows and pastures, ways and paths, and with houses</p> <p>2 The adjoining grove, which he bought from William de Wike</p> <p>Paying an annual rent of 4 pence, two hens, a cock and 25 eggs to the lords of the fee for all services.</p> <p>On turnup, in leadpoint: R.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir William de Sokenerse, Sir William de Coding', Walter de Baldeslowe, Michael de Bech', John de Godecumbe, William son of Geoffrey Betel, William de Guttershole, Richard de Regge, Vincent de Stock'</p> <p>Endorsed: Newenham; .xxiiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 121</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/18 Ink number: 680 Thorpe page/entry: 35/8</p>
<p>Box 9 Item 687</p>	<p>Conveyance for £3. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Alan Mercator, son of William Pollard, to John, son of Hervey de Suwerk'</p> <p>A messuage [in the vill of Battle] (E: the messuage of John de la Pende; W: the messuage which belonged to Geoffrey Aelred; heading S: the road to the church of St Mary, Battle; N: the abbot and convent's garden)</p> <p>Paying an annual rent of 7 pence to the chief lords, 12 pence to the altar of St Mary in the abbey church, and ½d forgable to Alan, for all services.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Gefray steward of Battle, William de Dene, Michael de Bech', his son Walter, Richard de Beche, Thomas le Waleys, Reynold le Forester, Roger de la Bure, John le Mone, Richard le Brazur, John de Gysibur', Peter de Ho, Henry the clerk who composed this charter</p> <p>Endorsed: town; charter of Alan Mercator, son of William Pollard, to John Herevi.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/5 Ink number: 687 Thorpe page/entry: 31/10</p>
<p>Box 9 Item 717</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Matthew Tincto and his wife Alice to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>A field with a way to it, along the length of the wood which Brichtena daughter of Eylmer demised to them to the west, in Marden (Marcdenn') [in Kent].</p> <p>Witnesses: William Page, Willard le Pede, Geoffrey de Frechesl', Geoffrey de Wyveslesl', Walter Carpeyn, Aymer de Marcdenn', Simon But</p> <p>Seals: [1] illegible; [2] radiating leaves: S'MAT...TINCT...</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 67v</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	<p>Original volume/page: V39/7 Ink number: 717 Pencil number: 261 Thorpe page/entry: 35/9</p>
Box 9 Item 722	<p>Quitclaim in free alms. Approximately 1330.</p> <p>Description: John de Catesfeld, parson of Whatlington, to the abbot and convent of Battle His right in a tenement in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the tenement of John Yevewood and the tenement which belonged to Thomas le Taylur), which he bought from William Golyun [on 14 November 1330 - see Box 20, Item 1037].</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Pessonier, Daniel le Taylur, Adam atte Holte, William Teyntener, Adam Aurifaber, Gilbert Walet</p> <p>Seals: A man's head, [?wearing a coif]: *GRA.. ..AM OU.V</p> <p>Endorsed: town Cxxxvij</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/22 Ink number: 722 Thorpe page/entry: 11/1</p>
Box 9 Item 738	<p>Release of rent for £6 13s 4d. 5 January 1271.</p> <p>Description: Nicholas Pessun, kt, to the abbot and convent of Battle An annual rent of 13s 4d which they are bound to pay him according to a charter granted to his father Sir William, which shall henceforth be void.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir William de Echingham', Sir John Mowyn, Geoffrey de Sancto Leodegario, Henry de Lacy, Henry le Hore, William de Dene, Geoffrey Cut, Roger de Benindenn'; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A leopard rampant: S'NICOLAI:PESSVN</p> <p>Endorsed: Nicholas Pessun xxx</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/19 Ink number: 738 Thorpe page/entry: 48/1</p>
Box 9 Item 752	<p>Quitclaim for £6. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Peter, son of Stephen Marscall', to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle 1 A messuage in the vill of Battle, south of the messuage which belonged to Willard de Curia 2 An annual rent of 8 shillings from the crofts on either side of the messuage 3 His rights in lands, rents, escheats and other things in Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Hugh de Flintham, Luke de Swinham, Richard de Bech', John Godmefetch', John Mone, Geoffrey King, Richard Bacheler, Adam Poteman, Henry Melker'</p> <p>Endorsed: town; .xxij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 104</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/25 Ink number: 752 Pencil number: 1 Thorpe page/entry: 25/6</p>
Box 9 Item 760	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Geoffrey le Noll to the abbot and convent of Battle The whole tenement which lies east of Graffherst, in Guestling (Gestling'), which he held of the fee of Maxfield (Mexefeld), in woodland and plainland, ways and paths, with</p>

	<p>houses and gardens, rents, reliefs and escheats performing the services due to the lords of the fee on Geoffrey's behalf.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen de Esse, William de la Strode, Robert de Rughetun', Walter de Tunstall, Ralph de Grang', Hilary de Henle, John de Bromham, Hamo de Stocke</p> <p>Endorsed: Ik; Iklesham; charter of Geoffrey Nol of land bought by Grafherst; .xj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 123</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/29 Ink number: 760 Pencil number: 9 Thorpe page/entry: 27/8</p>
Box 9 Item 770	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Richard Marscallus to the abbot and convent of Battle A messuage in the vill of Battle (between the messuage of John Piscator and the messuage which belonged to Reynold le Brazur), which he bought from Michael de Beche Paying an annual forgable of 4 pence to Michael de Beche, in the messuage, for all services; for greater security, Richard has handed over to the abbot and convent the charter which he had of Michael.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Sokenerse, Robert Basoc, Simon de Sumery, Henry de Gevingetune, William de Bromham, Renger de Wetlingetun', Lambin King, Luke de Swinham, Robert Cementarius, Walter de Senewoldesie, John de Yham, Hugh de Flintham</p> <p>Endorsed: town; .iiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 102v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/24 Ink number: 770 Pencil number: 19 Thorpe page/entry: 25/5</p>
Box 9 Item 778	<p>Conveyance for 17s 0d. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Renger de Watlingeton' to Andrew le King All the land called Creggelond, surrounded by hedges and banks to hold of Renger by an annual rent of 4 shillings for all services, except suit of Renger's court twice a year by reasonable summons; freedom of alienation except to religious houses and jews.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Sedlescumbe, his son Roger, Thomas de Herst, Henry de Echene, his son Henry, Lucas de Echene, William de Echene, Henry de Padiham, Thomas de Padiham, Pagan de Curia</p> <p>Seals: Seal gone.</p> <p>Endorsed: .ij. duplicate; x ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 114</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/21 Ink number: 778 Thorpe page/entry: 38/1</p>
Box 9 Item 782	<p>Conveyance. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: Richard de Pevenes' and his wife Isabel to his brother, Sir Thomas de Monte Acuto</p>

	<p>Their whole tenement at Bestenovere in the parish of Pevensey (Pevenesel), with the messuage and other appurtenances, east of the port of Lampham, which tenement Sir Robert le Poer once held of them at farm, of which he has fully satisfied them</p> <p>To hold of Richard and Isabel, and of Isabel's heirs, by an annual rent of a clove of spice for all services, customs, suits of court, wardships, reliefs, heriots, gifts and plaints.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir William de Echyngeham kt, Sir William de Goldyngeham kt, Sir Robert le Poer kt, Sir William Harangot kt, Gervase de Bestenovere, Philip de Hydenye, his brother Giles de Hydenye, Richard le Brade, Berenger Tyrel, Simon de Hellingeleghe, Martin de Everus, John Pechard</p> <p>Endorsed: Biastenovere prima</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 225v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/5 Ink number: 782 Pencil number: 31 Thorpe page/entry: 30/6</p>
Box 9 Item 787	<p>Conveyance for 2 shillings. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Simon, son and heir of Richard le Melkere deceased (Ricardi quondam le Melkere) to Richard, called le Mylun, son of Geoffrey le Tanner</p> <p>A tenement with houses and curtilages in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (between the tenement of Reynold called de Sartrino, and the tenement of Simon Goldhauek; heading onto the street from The Bore towards Robertsbridge), which came to him on his father's death</p> <p>To hold of Simon by the annual payment of a rose on 24 June on the tenement, by way of forgable, for all services and suits of court, and paying the annual rent of 13½d (6½d on 29 September and 7 pence on 25 December) to the chief lords.</p> <p>Witnesses: Walter de la Curie, Reynold Page, Reynold de Sartrino, Simon Goldhauek, John Forster, Adam le Mone, William Aurifaber, Adam Derby, Joce le Hunte, Walter Torold, Clement le Webbe, William de Duna</p> <p>Seals: Four radiating leaves: +S' SIMONISLEMELK..</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/23 Ink number: 787 Thorpe page/entry: 26/4</p>
Box 9 Item 789	<p>Quitclaim in free alms. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Wibert, son and heir of John de Pupinton', to the abbot and convent of Battle for the maintenance of the almonry</p> <p>His whole land of Pupinton', which belonged to his father, in woodland and plainland, brooklands, meadows and pastures, dry land and wetland</p> <p>Free from all services, except the foreign service due to the king and the count [of Eu].</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Etchingham, William de Sokenesse, William Bethel, William de Snelham, William de Pirlington', Vincent de Stokke, Peter de Lideham, Alan de Lideham, Robert de Kunifunte, Ingram de Stokke, Roger de Bromham, Ralph de Grofhirst, Robert Norreys</p> <p>Endorsed: Popinton; circle with bar and two lines across it; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/20 Ink number: 789 Pencil number: 38 Thorpe page/entry: 32/3</p>

Box 9 Item 798	<p>Conveyance. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Tristram, son of Luke, to the abbot and convent of Battle A quarter of an English acre of his land in Renger's marsh (SE: the corner of his field called Middelfeld; S: Robert ater Pudele's land; E: Walter Irand's land), with a sufficient way to it across his land To hold [of Tristram] by an annual rent of 12 pence, payable at his capital messuage in the same marsh, free and quit of the maintenance of walls and watergangs; if they do him any damage by their use of the way, they are bound to restore it by the view of good and lawful men. Witnesses: Sir Ralph Harengod kt, Laurence son of Robert then his reeve (socius), Robert le Gascoyn, William Galfrid', Hamo de Esse, Meynard de Cornheth', William Batan, Vincent Batan, his son Hugh, Hugh de Kechenore, Walter Bate, Robert son of Hugh, Tristram son of Vincent Endorsed: Ik; [Westfield deleted]; xxij. Cartulary: Vol 29 f 123v Notes: Ink number on dorse of 198 should read 798; datable to before 1264. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/18 Ink number: 798 Thorpe page/entry: 33/4</p>
Box 9 Item 809	<p>Grant of rents in free alms. Approximately 1290.</p> <p>Description: William de Breggeselle to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy Annual rents of 4 pence paid by Gervase Werreve for an acre, and 2 pence paid by Robert le Gardynier of Battle for half an acre, which land lies at Breadsell (Breggeselle) (in length N: the brooks; S: the way between Battle and Winchelsea (Wynchels'); E: Gervase Werreve's land; W: William's demesne land), with the fee, reliefs, heriots and suits of court Warranty includes the land itself. Witnesses: Richard le Vanner', Thomas Fukes, Reynold atte Felde, Thomas le Webbe, Gilbert Rudefyn, John le Forester, Robert de Beche, Gilbert Waleth, John Breveture, Thomas atte Stene, William le Turnur, Michael de Dene Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 39 Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/10 Ink number: 809 Pencil number: 58 Unidentified numbers: 133 Thorpe page/entry: 9/6</p>
Box 9 Item 812	<p>Conveyance of rent for 20 pence and a release of rent. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Anger de Dudilond to the abbot and convent of Battle, for the maintenance of a lamp in the infirmarium chapel An annual rent of 8 pence paid by Robert, son of Martin de Ucham, for 4 acres in Breadsell (Breggeselle), south of the great street from Hechlond' to Bre [recte Ore], upon which Robert's messuage stands The abbot and convent have released Anger from the payment of an annual rent of 6 pence due to them from the same tenement. Witnesses: Roger de Benindend', Richard de Beche, John le Funtener, John le Mone, Fulk Cocus, Robert Pistor, Robert Longus, Geoffrey Tannur, Robert Cuper' Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/30 Ink number: 812 Pencil number: 61</p>

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Box 9 Item 813	<p>Grant of land subject to a free-alms rent. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Palerne, son and heir of Henry de Palerne, to his uncle William de Palerne</p> <p>A rod of land in Langport in the parish of Eastbourne (Burne), with the mill built upon it To hold of Robert, paying for him an annual rent of two barbed and fletched arrows and 2 pence at Easter to Walter le Porter on 25 December, and an annual rent of 2 shillings in free alms to the abbot and convent of Battle within 12 days of 25 December, for the salvation of Robert's soul, for all services and suit of court.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir Robert de Manekesye, Thomas de Bestenore, his son William, Simon de Hydenie, Richard de Ratton', Henry de Givingeton', Hamo Saget, Ralph Colevill', Robert de Northone, Thomas Ladd, William Blesse, Robert de Rip</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Notes: Written in the hand of the cartulary Lincoln's Inn MS Hale 87.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/6 Ink number: 813 Pencil number: 62 Thorpe page/entry: 29/4</p>
Box 9 Item 826	<p>Quitclaim for 8 shillings. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: John, son of Snelgar de Popinthonne, to Peter de Hlidenham, son of William de Cnokebregg'</p> <p>His right in 2 acres in the brook of Hlidenham, lying before (coram) The Sneppe in Bartholomew de Hlidenham's brook, formerly part of Bartholomew's land, which Snelgar held of Bartholomew and, after his death, of his daughters and heirs Alice and Cecily, by a rent of 12 pence (6 pence on 29 September and 6 pence on 30 November) To hold of Alice and Cecily, who will warrant the land by the said service.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert de Brede, Ellis de Hudimere, Adam le Hay, Ralph le Bret, Vincent de Stock', Vincent de Mexefeld', John Pret, Stephen Pret, Robert Pret, Hilary Pret, William Galfr' of Icklesham (Ikelesham), Robert de Ferne, Reynold de Ferne</p> <p>Endorsed: Popinton; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/18 Ink number: 826 Pencil number: 75 Thorpe page/entry: 32/1</p>
Box 9 Item 830	<p>Conveyance of rent for 4s 6d. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Wibert de Breggesell' to the abbot and convent of Battle, for the maintenance of a lamp in the infirmary chapel</p> <p>An annual rent of 6 pence paid by Anger de Breggesell' for 4 acres in Breadsell (Bregesselle), south of the great street from Hechelond' to Ore, upon which the messuage of Robert de Wkham stands.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Hugh de Coding', John de Pising', Thomas le Walais, John le Mone, Richard Janitor of Battle, William de Lewes clerk</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: ..BREGGSELL..</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 38</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/9 Ink number: 830 Pencil number: 79</p>

	Unidentified numbers: 127 Thorpe page/entry: 9/7
Box 9 Item 835	<p>Conveyance. 22 January 1321.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Pessoner of Battle to John Wale and his wife Margery, and to John's heirs A messuage in the borough of Bremblegh, Battle, which once belonged to Isabel Potekyn, in which Stephen was enfeoffed by charter after her death by her daughter Alice (quondam filia) To hold of Stephen by an annual quitrent of 12 pence. Witnesses: Nicholas de Cukefeud, John Forester, Daniel le Tayllour, John Hunte, Adam ate Holte, Walter le Blake</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/19 Ink number: 835 Pencil number: 84 Thorpe page/entry: 51/5</p>
Box 9 Item 837	<p>Grant in free alms. 24 February 1303.</p> <p>Description: John Edmund and his wife Eloise Brunyng to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the almonry Their whole share of the tenement by the Almonry in the vill of Battle which belonged to Robert le Pessoner The service to be performed by the almoner for the time being. Witnesses: William de Bromham, Ralph Yevegod, Robert atte Park, Robert le Bordere, Adam le Mone, John Forester, Joce le Hunte, William Aurifaber, Simon Pykot, Joce le Seler, Clement le Webbe, Daniel le Taillur, John le Funtener the notary of this charter Endorsed: Third charter of Robert le Pessoner's tenement, from the time of brother John de Eylesford, almoner of Battle ; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/22 Ink number: 837 Pencil number: 86 Thorpe page/entry: 54/7</p>
Box 9 Item 935	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: William de Wike to the abbot and convent of Battle A grove called Wikgrof, in Niwenham.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, Richard de Regge, Vincent de Stokes, Anger de Dodilande, Robert Cementarius, John Godmefetche, Thomas Russel, John de Settlescumbe</p> <p>Seals: Seal now broken: a fleur de lys: ..LL'I:DE WIK..</p> <p>Endorsed: Newenham; .xxiiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 121</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/14 Ink number: 935 Thorpe page/entry: 37/7</p>
Box 9 Item 955	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Thomas de Watlynton' to the abbot and convent of Battle, for the maintenance of a lamp before the altar of the blessed virgin in the abbey church An annual rent of 2 pence paid on 2 February by William, son of Joce de Haremere, for land by the riverbank (rivum) called The Forde in Whatlington (Watlynton'), held by Alexander, son of Hugh de la Forde.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: William de Watlynton', his brother Ralph, John Funtener, William de Dene, Alan de la Haye, Luke de la Forde, Robert de Parco, Ralph Yevegod, Martin de Haddelegh'</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 42</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/7 Ink number: 955 Pencil number: 147 Thorpe page/entry: 38/8</p>
Box 9 Item 968	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1190.</p> <p>Description: Ralph de Yclesham to Benedict, sacrist of Battle, and to his successors Ten shillings[' worth] of land in Eflesham, held by Herbert Faber, William Brun, Simon Mulner and Andrew de Ullenec Free of all services, including those of the king and the count [of Eu]; warranty, saving the liberty of the tenants of those men the land of the tenants and of their successors.</p> <p>Witnesses: Master Thomas de Salherst, Vincent de Ria, John de Gilling', William reeve of Hastings (Hasting'), Simon Mustard', Thomas canon of Hastings, Philip Bret, William Capellanus of Icklesham (Yclesham) who wrote this charter</p> <p>Seals: Equestrian S' RANDVLFI DE IKLESH</p> <p>Endorsed: Circle with a line.</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 90</p> <p>Related materials: For a duplicate, excluding who wrote this charter after the name of the last witness, see Box 14, Item 1172. The text enrolled in the sacrist's cartulary is that of 968.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/1 Ink number: 968 Pencil number: 354 Thorpe page/entry: 41/3</p>
Box 9 Item 993	<p>Inspeximus and confirmation. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Inspeximus William de Echingeham, kt, inspects the charter of his father Simon. Confirmation and quitclaim in free alms, approximately 1254 [between 1253 and 1268] Simon de Echingeham to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1 The homages, services, reliefs, escheats and all the right which his brother Sir William de Echingeham had in the fee of Whatlington (Watlington'), held of him by Joce son of Thomas de Haremere, Renger de Watlington' and Thomas Skiret2 The homage of Simon son of Reynold de Brok' in Udimore (Udimere), with all the rent, reliefs and escheats <p>Which were left and given to them by his brother Sir William de Echingeham, together with his body for burial; to hold freely, saving the service of the king and the barony, to be performed by the abbot and convent to Simon.</p> <p>Witnesses to Inspeximus: Sir William de Sokenerse kt, Sir William Pesson kt, Sir William Filel kt, Waleran de Munceaus, Matthew de Hasting', Nicholas Malemain, Simon de Sumeri, Ellis de Udimere, Michael de Beche, Robert Marscot, Robert le Huser, Seffrid de Legh', Richard de Stakindenn'</p> <p>Confirmation William confirms the grant, and adds, in free alms: The advowson of the chapel of Whatlington, as much as it belongs to him. He releases his right to demand an aid to knight his firstborn son or to marry his firstborn daughter,</p>

	<p>and all other things which he may demand from the tenants by virtue of the tenements, except the service of the king and the barony. Four holes for seal threads.</p> <p>Witnesses to Confirmation: Sir Matthew de Hasting' kt, Sir John Mowyn kt, Geoffrey de Sancto Leodegario, his brother Simon, Simon de Sumeri, Simon de Lundreford, Hugh de Coding', Michael de Beche, John Smalefeld</p> <p>Endorsed: Whatlington (Watlington); .xiiij. ; advowson of the chapel of Whatlington xiiija ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 115</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/22 Ink number: 993 Pencil number: 2 Thorpe page/entry: 16/1</p>
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Box 10 Item 1002	<p>Counterpart grant in tail. Approximately 1310.</p> <p>Description: John, abbot of Battle, and the convent, to Solomon Gerold in tail, remainder to his brother Thomas Gerold in tail, remainder to his brother Richard, remainder to the abbot and convent to the use of the office of the precentor 9 acres in the vill of Catsfield (S: the street from Broomham to Stevenscrouch; N: William ate Done's land)</p> <p>To hold of the abbot and convent, paying an annual rent of 2s 3d to the office of the precentor, and paying 2 pence castleguard, 3 pence scutage, relief when it occurs, a sheep or 12 pence for a heriot at their election, and twice-yearly suit of court to the office of precentor on the tenement of Broomham.</p> <p>Witnesses: William an Ore, John de Smalefeld, Ralph Martyn, Robert an Ore</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: *S'SALOM'GEROLD</p> <p>Endorsed: .b.</p> <p>Notes: Before 1324</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/11 Ink number: 1002 Pencil number: 11 Thorpe page/entry: 18/5</p>
Box 10 Item 1016	<p>Counterpart grant to fee farm at 5s. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Ralph [de Coventry], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to Ralph Yevogod, baron of Winchelsea A messuage (mansum) in Winchelsea (Wincheles'), towards the ord which William Basili sold to the abbot and convent, on the north side upon the land which William Haymund gave them</p> <p>The rent to be paid at Battle; Ralph and his heirs to maintain the buildings in the messuage, and to rebuild them (<i>relevare et reedificare</i>) when necessary; penalty of 6 pence for non-payment of rent at any of the four terms; power of re-entry for non-payment after one year until payment made; if sufficient distraint cannot be found, the abbot and convent may retain the messuage and do what they will with it; Ralph may not sell to any religious except the abbot and convent; if he does wish to sell it, the abbot and convent to be the purchaser for a bezant less than the best offer (<i>propinquoires aliis de uno bisanto</i>).</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Alard, John Andr', Gervase Langters, Clement Langters, John de Udimere, Warin del Ord, Ralph de Bello, Martin de Sanswico, John called Person', Thomas Niweman</p> <p>Seals: A fish: +:S'RADVLF .GOD</p>

	<p>Notes: Datable from the abbacy of Ralph of Coventry, 1235-1261.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/13 Ink number: 1016 Pencil number: 25 Thorpe page/entry: 39/1</p>
<p>Box 10 Item 1056</p>	<p>Counterpart grant for life. Approximately 1320.</p> <p>Description: John, abbot of Battle, and the convent, to Nicholas de Cokefeud for his service, and to his wife Beatrice, for their lives</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The tenement in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (in length between the tenement which belonged to John Tril and the tenement which belonged to Geoffrey le Pilchere), which once belonged to Hugh le Hunte 2 A meadow which belonged to Geoffrey le Pilchere 3 The tenement in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, which belonged to John Tril 4 Two cartloads of straw, to be sought at their expense, to roof the buildings in the tenements <p>Paying an annual rent of 4 pence for all services except the repair of the ponds of Peppering Eye and the haymaking of Bodiam whenever necessary.</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Forester, Daniel le Taillur, Walter Milys, Gilbert Walet, Thomas de Hadelegh', Stephen Pessonier, Stephen Bosyner</p> <p>Seals: Armorial lions rampant 1 and 3; blank 2 and 4; S'NICOLAI DE KOKEFELD</p> <p>Endorsed: N Cockefeld' town</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/12 Ink number: 1056 Pencil number: 65 Thorpe page/entry: 65/6</p>
<p>Box 10 Item 1134</p>	<p>Partial transcript of two conveyances to the almonry. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Conveyance for 40 shillings, approximately 1220. Olive de Wicham, in her free widowhood, with the consent of her son Osbert, to the almoner of Battle for the time being</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2¼ acres in her meadow called Brodewise, that is to say the last acre in the meadow, which was part of her mother's dower, and 1¼ acres adjoining on its east, which Robert the almoner received to assart <p>Paying an annual rent of 4 pence on 29 November in the almonry house at Battle for all services; the consideration paid by Robert the almoner.</p> <p>Conveyance for 13s 4d, approximately 1240. Walter Bubulcus and his wife Agnes to the almonry of Battle</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> three quarters of an acre of meadow in Trandelie, east of the almonry's meadow <p>To hold of Walter and Agnes by an annual rent of ½d on 29 November at the almonry, when we visit it for the rent or by chance, for all services, customs and plaints; the consideration paid by Richard the monk, keeper of the almonry.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Basoc etc</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Related materials: Transcribed elsewhere. For the original of the first charter, see Box 10, Item 1250.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/16</p>

	<p>Ink number: 1134 Thorpe page/entry: 36/9 and 36/10</p>
<p>Box 10 Item 1147</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Henry de Palerne to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>1 All his land which he and Ellis Molendinarius enclosed together, and whatever can be won from the adjoining sea in the future</p> <p>2 His right in the land which William Tirel holds of him</p> <p>To hold in free alms with Henry's son John, whose needs the monks will in future provide (<i>cui predicti monachi in futurum necessaria exhibebant</i>); [the cartulary adds for as long as he lives].</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael Capellanus, Henry Capellanus, the grantor's son Osbert, the grantor's heir Henry, master Giles, Roger Pelliparius, Hamo son of Bertram, Ralph Vachier, Stephen Marescallus</p> <p>Endorsed: [Barnhorn] .xluij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 134v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/20 Ink number: 1147 Thorpe page/entry: 29/2</p>
<p>Box 10 Item 1151</p>	<p>Quitclaim for £1 6s 8d. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Walter de Walilaunde to Sir Robert Basok' of Sedlescombe (Sedlescumb')</p> <p>His right in a field called Wodelonde (between the land of Alan son of Sigar and the land of John de Sedlescumb).</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Luke de Swinham, Hugh de Flintham, John de Iham, Richard Maresc', William Paneter</p> <p>Seals: Three radiating leaves with stars in the gaps: S'WALTERI:DE:WANILONDE:</p> <p>Endorsed: R Basoc; .vj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 116</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/14 Ink number: 1151 Thorpe page/entry: 36/7</p>
<p>Box 10 Item 1152</p>	<p>Grant of dower estate by widow. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Joan, widow of Reinger de Watlingt', to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>The whole tenement which came to her as dower from the tenement of Reinger in Whatlington and elsewhere, in lands, waters, woods, plainland, meadows and pastures, ways and paths, rents, reliefs and escheats, except the house and a portion of Reinger's messuage assigned to her in dower</p> <p>To hold for Joan's life by an annual rent of 13s 4d to be paid at Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Jovus de Watlingt', Thomas Scyrett, John de Sedlescumb, William Gofir', Jo.. de Lond', John Mone, Richard Bachelor</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/14 Ink number: 1152 Thorpe page/entry: 38/2</p>
<p>Box 10 Item 1154</p>	<p>Quitclaim by widow for 3 shillings. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Wennota, widow of Thomas Russel, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>The tenement which Thomas demised to them, in lands and rents, and an annual rent of 1 penny which they are bound to pay from it.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Ralph de Greston', Hugh de Codinge, Michael de Beche, Simon Faber, John de Aqua, John de Pepplesham</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: +S'WENNIDDE D'CHENHA'</p> <p>Endorsed: Echenham [recte Iltons bath] .x.; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 119</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/30 Ink number: 1154 Thorpe page/entry: 33/2</p>
Box 10 Item 1156	<p>Conveyance and quitclaim for £2 6s 8d. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Ralph Piscator, son of Anger de Bello, to the abbot and convent of Battle A messuage in the vill of Battle, with buildings and other appurtenances, which adjoins the messuage of Fulk Cocus.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, Ralph de Greston', Hugh de Codinge, Ralph Yevegod, Fulk Cocus, Simon Faber, Gilbert Hurtant</p> <p>Endorsed: .xxvij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 104</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/19 Ink number: 1156 Thorpe page/entry: 17/4</p>
Box 10 Item 1159	<p>Grant in free alms to maintain a light. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Eustace Cocus of Battle to the abbot and convent of Battle A croft called Alardescroft in the parish of Battle (E: land which belonged to Guy Parmentarius; W: the land of Edmund Piscator and Alan Vannator; N: land which belonged to Richard de Malling'; the lands of Morgan and Hugh Porri, William Pety and Mabel, daughter of Anselm de Sanlak'), with a way belonging to it To maintain a light on the altar of the blessed virgin; reserving an annual rent of 2 pence to the abbot of Battle for the croft, and an annual rent of 1 penny to Mabel, daughter of Anselm de Sandlak', for the way.</p> <p>Witnesses: Philip de Ess[etesfor]d steward of Battle, Richard Marescallus, Thomas de Boyton', John Lombard, Geoffrey Elred, William Panetarius, Lambin King, John Piscator, John Godmefetche, Robert Cementarius, Osmund Allutarius, Simon son of Guy</p> <p>Endorsed: charter of St Mary</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 40v</p> <p>Notes: The ink has flaked from the bottom of the deed, and elements of some of the witnesses' names have been supplied from the cartulary.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/9 Ink number: 1159 Pencil number: 141 Thorpe page/entry: 12/6</p>
Box 10 Item 1168	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: William de Northye, kt, to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy One acre of his land at Bocholte, outside the south corner of his park, next to the tenement of Hugh de Kengefeld, as the bank divides it from the rest of his demesne, together with the piece of adjoining land outside the same corner.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Roger de Benindenn', Stephen de Bosinton', Simon de Sumery, John de Coddecumbe, Robert de Bromham, John le Fontener, John de Peplesham</p> <p>Endorsed: Bockholte prima</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/27 Ink number: 1168 Thorpe page/entry: 28/2</p>
Box 10 Item 1169	<p>Conveyance for 3 shillings. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Gervase de Marisco to William Palerne, for his service Three rods of land (between Gervase's land, and the land which William holds of Robert de Manequesya), which is of the fee of Ellis le Champiun to hold of Gervase by an annual rent of 6 pence for all service and custom; they agree to maintain moieties of the ditch which separates their land.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert de Manekes', Thomas de Bestenovere, Simon Tyrel, Henry Palerne, Remigius de Bosco, Richard de Bestenovere, Robert de Norton', John le Here, Simon de Bestenovere, Ellis le Champiun, Simon Palerne, Thomas Clericus</p> <p>Endorsed: [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/24 Ink number: 1169 Thorpe page/entry: 25/9</p>
Box 10 Item 1196	<p>Grant and quitclaim. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: John, son of John de Penda, to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle All the field which adjoins Plassett' on the south, which Roger Cole once held of them Warranty against Thomas Olaf and his heirs, and against Parnell, widow of Roger Cole.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Robert ...er, Hugh de Flintham, Luke de Swhinham, John son of Hervey, John Godmefetch', William Cordewaner</p> <p>Endorsed: leuga; .xxij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 104</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/4 Ink number: 1196 Pencil number: 2 Thorpe page/entry: 29/6</p>
Box 10 Item 1199	<p>Quitclaim by widow. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Gillian, widow of Ralph de Niwenham, to master Thomas de Torpel The whole tenement of Niwenham, and all the right she has in it.</p> <p>Witnesses: Master William, rector of Westfield (Westefeld), Sir Peter, chaplain of Westfield, Richard de Regge, Fulk de Langherst, Ralph de Wyke, his brother John, Simon Gilote</p> <p>Seals: Seal now in fragments; the device incorporates a star, and NV survives of the legend.</p> <p>Endorsed: Newenham .xx. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 121</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/26 Ink number: 1199 Thorpe page/entry: 45/7</p>
Box 10 Item 1204	<p>Quitclaim in free alms. Approximately 1220.</p>

	<p>Description: Stephen de Norhya to the sacristy of Battle His right in 1 acre which lies against the house of Simon de Munceaus [and] against the road, which acre he had by the gift of Robert de Mankes'.</p> <p>Witnesses: James son of William, Thomas de Bavelingeham, Gerard Bret, Ralph Frankelain, Benedict de Berga, William Palern'</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30, f 103, number 401</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/27 Ink number: 1204 Pencil number: 10 Thorpe page/entry: 28/1</p>
Box 10 Item 1207	<p>Quitclaim by widow. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Aveline, daughter of Stephen Mareschall' and widow of Henry Melker', to her lords the abbot and convent of Battle Her rights by inheritance, marriage or dower in a messuage with houses, and in the fields, both within the vill of Battle and outside within the leuga.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Longus, John de Giseburn', Hugh de Bech', William Putel, Reynold de Sartrino, Walter Turoid, William Pistor, Alan Juvene, Adam Sutor</p> <p>Endorsed: town; .lxvij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 106v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/23 Ink number: 1207 Pencil number: 13 Thorpe page/entry: 25/7</p>
Box 10 Item 1208	<p>Quitclaim for 9 shillings. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: John Martel, son of John Martel, to Walter ate Corie His right in two messuages and buildings in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, east of the way from The Bore to Donyntone, which he had by his father's gift.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Dene, John Funtener, Adam le Mone, John Forester, Laurence Pykot, his son John, Robert Arnold, John Cupere, Reynold de Sartrino, Reynold Page, Adam Derby, Adam Pykot</p> <p>Endorsed: concerning Battle; town .Cix.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/24 Ink number: 1208 Pencil number: 14 Thorpe page/entry: 26/1</p>
Box 10 Item 1229	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Fulk son of Warin, kt, and his wife Clarice, to the abbot and convent of Battle 1¼ acres on the slope of the hill of Iham (<i>in proclivio montis de Ihamme</i>), in the long street which leads from Iham bridge towards Winchelsea (Winchelese); (S: the land which belonged to William Roynger; N: the land which Elfwin son of Ralph once held; E: the land of Samson le Bret), which Philip son of Godwin once held of Fulk and Clarice to hold of Fulk and Clarice by an annual rent of 2 shillings for all service and suit of court, except for whatever foreign service belongs to the land.</p> <p>Witnesses: Fulk son of Fulk, Matthew Morel', William de Hodenet, Seffrid de Legh', Hugh Noblet, Hugh de Kechenore, Tristram son of Luke, Hamo de Esse, William Batan, Robert son of Bertin,</p>

	<p>Vincent Batan, Hugh son of Simon</p> <p>Seals: Armorial shield bearing per fess [see notes] on a diapered background within a quatrefoil; ..II:WARINI; reverse: an equestrian figure: SIGILLVM FV...</p> <p>Endorsed: Iklesham; .xvij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 123v</p> <p>Notes: FitzWarren had married Clarice as his second wife by 1250; see <i>Excerpta e rotulis finium</i> (1836), vol 2, p89.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/15 Ink number: 1229 Pencil number: 35 Thorpe page/entry: 36/8</p>
Box 10 Item 1250	<p>Conveyance for £2 4s 0d. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Olive de Wicham, daughter of Ralph de Wicham, in her free widowhood with the assent of her son and heir Osbert, to the almoner of Battle for the time being 2¼ acres in their meadow called Brodewisse, that is to say the last acre in the meadow to the west, which was part of her mother's dower; and 1¼ acre adjoining on its east, which Robert the almoner received to assart (recepit assartandum) paying an annual rent of 4 pence on 29 November in the almonry house at Battle for all services; the consideration paid by Robert the almoner.</p> <p>Witnesses: Her son Osbert, Geoffrey Eilred, Reynold Sprever, Martin del Sartrin, Gilbert Hod, Simon Constabularius, John de Lond', Alan and Gervase, servants of the almonry</p> <p>Seals: A stylized tree: +SIGL' ..E:DE:VICHAM</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/16 Ink number: 1250 Thorpe page/entry: 37/5 (part)</p>
Box 10 Item 1268	<p>Confirmation. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Walter, son of Olive de Wikham, to John Godmefetch' The 2 acres of brookland in Wicham which Olive sold him, with an adequate way to it through their land To hold of Walter by the free service of 3 pence a year on 30 November, payable at Battle when they go there or are warned to do so, as the charter which Olive gave to John makes clear.</p> <p>Witnesses: Geoffrey Eilred, Lambin King, Wilard de Merilegh', Albin Carpentarius, John Blund, William Cordewaner, Gilbert Hod, Reinger de Whatlingeton', John de Sedlescumb, Richard Venator, Gilbert de la Heghe</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: S' WALTERI DE WICH..</p> <p>Endorsed: Pykeswysse; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/15 Ink number: 1268 Thorpe page/entry: 37/4</p>
Box 10 Item 1270	<p>Grant of rent in free alms. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: William de Echingham to the abbot and convent of Battle The homage of William le Deveneis and his heirs, and 2 shillings free rent paid by Deveneis to Etchingham at Battle, for the land which Etchingham held of Manasser de Herst.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Echingham, Simon de Sumery, Henry de Echingham, Osbert de</p>

	<p>Levesham, Bertin de Gesteling', Samson de Levesham, Manasser de Herst, Ralph Gulet, Thomas de Saleherst, Absalon de Wadeherst, Herbert Clericus, Robert de Acham</p> <p>Seals: Armorial seal of Etchingham (fretty), with a label with five points; +SIGILL' WILL' DE ECH..EHM</p> <p>Endorsed: [Berhurst] .viij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 126</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/23 Ink number: 1270 Pencil number: 16 Thorpe page/entry: 15/4</p>
Box 10 Item 1275	<p>Conveyance of rent for 1s 8d. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Gregory, called Nuncius, to Thomas de Yvecherche An annual forgable rent of 1 penny paid on 25 December by Henry Nuncius and an annual forgable rent of 1 penny paid on 29 September by Bartholomew Plomer, for two tenements in the borough of Bremblegh and the borough of Mountjoy, which they bought from him.</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam Mone, William Aurifaber, John Forster, Adam Piscator, Martin de Haddele, Robert de Parco, Robert Piscator, John Clericus</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: S' GREGOR NVNCL..</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/26 Ink number: 1275 Pencil number: 8 Thorpe page/entry: 28/3</p>
Box 10 Item 1284	<p>Quitclaim for £3 6s 8d. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Robert, son of John Prud, to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle A messuage in the vill of Battle (N: the messuage of Adam Picot; S: the messuage of Reynold de Camera), with all his rights, both in lands and in rents in the vill of Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Richard de Stakindenn', Luke de Swinham, Lambin King, Robert Cementarius, Richard Bachelier, John Godmevetch', Robert Cuper', John Piscator</p> <p>Endorsed: town; lvj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 106</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/4 Ink number: 1284 Pencil number: 91 Thorpe page/entry: 32/4</p>
Box 10 Item 1287	<p>Conveyance and release of rents. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Gilbert Picot to the abbot and convent of Battle 1 An annual rent of ½d paid by his brother Fulk Picot on 21 December for the land which he holds by the little wood called Shirwode, in Battle 2 An annual rent of ½d which they are bound to pay Gilbert for the land there which his brother Adam Picot demised to them.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, Ralph de Greston', Hugh de Coding', Luke de Swyham, Richard de Beche, John le Mone, Fulk Cocus, Nicholas Cocus, John Clement</p> <p>Seals: A cross: ...LBERTI PICOTTI</p> <p>Endorsed: leuga; .xxxv. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in</p>

	<p>the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 . Cartulary: Vol 29 f 104v Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/4 Ink number: 1287 Pencil number: 93 Thorpe page/entry: 31/1</p>
Box 10 Item 1327	<p>Quitclaim for £1 4s 0d. Approximately 1250. Description: Thomas, son of Thomas de Watlington', to the abbot and convent of Battle 1½ acres of meadow in the length of the field (in longum campi) called Cornore (S: Cornore; N: the meadow called Wikewisse), in Whatlington (Watlington') Witnesses: Joce de Haremere, Reinger de Watlington', Michael de Beche, Luke de Swinham, John le Mone, Geoffrey le King, John Piscator, John Clement Seals: Seal now broken and repaired: [a bird - Thorpe] +S'THOM DE W..IN..TO' Endorsed: [Whatlington] xvj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 . Cartulary: Vol 29 f 115 Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/17 Ink number: 1327 Thorpe page/entry: 38/7</p>
Box 10 Item 1331	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1250. Description: Nicholas Marscallus and his wife Constance to their lords, the abbot and convent of Battle The whole tenement which they hold in Rikelherst, both within the park and outside it. Witnesses: Michael de Beche, Hugh de Flintham, Robert Cementarius, Luke de Swinham, John de Lond', Reinger de Watlington', John Godmefeche, John Clericus, Fulk Cocus, Gilbert Hod Seals: [1] a fleur de lys with stars above a crescent: +S'NICOLAI MARSSCALLI [2] a fleur de lys with stars: +S'CUSSTANCIE VCSORIS EI' Endorsed: leuga; .xxxiiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 . Cartulary: Vol 29 f 104v Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/25 Ink number: 1331 Thorpe page/entry: 25/8</p>
Box 10 Item 1347	<p>Confirmation. Approximately 1230. Description: Olive de Wicham, in her free power and widowhood, to the almonry of Battle three quarters of an acre of meadow in Trandelie, which they have of the gift of Walter Bubulus and his wife Agnes, Olive's daughter By an annual rent of ½d on 29 November at the almonry, Battle, for all services, as is witnessed by the charter of Walter and Agnes. Witnesses: Robert Basoc, Thomas de Ha...1, Geoffrey de Roing', Michael de Bech', Luke de Swinham, Richard Marescallus, Hugh de Flintham, Robert Cementarius, La[?mbin King], John Blund, John son of Clement, Gilbert H[od] Endorsed: From the time of R, almoner; ½d but released elsewhere; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]. Notes: The face of this deed is badly rubbed. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/15</p>

	<p>Ink number: 1347 Pencil number: 9 Thorpe page/entry: 37/1</p>
Box 10 Item 1371	<p>Quitclaim by heir. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Thomas, son and heir of Thomas de Watlington', to the abbot and convent of Battle A messuage with adjoining croft in the vill of Battle (between the messuage of Henry Melker' and the messuage of Nicholas Cocus).</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Basoc kt, Ivo de Penherst, Michael de Beche, Richard de Stakindenn', Robert de Broham, Robert le Huser, Thomas Russel, Luke de Swinham, Lambin King, Thomas Waleis, Robert Cementarius</p> <p>Endorsed: Charter of Thomas Schiret; town; .lxv. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 106v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/17 Ink number: 1371 Thorpe page/entry: 38/5</p>
Box 10 Item 1382	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: John, son of Alan le Vannur, to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle A messuage which lies next to Strellewelle, [in Battle].</p> <p>Witnesses: Master Robert Cementarius of Battle, John Godmefecche, John le Mone, Thomas le Walays, Robert Paris, John Clericus</p> <p>Seals: Seal, now broken: a plant: S'IOH'IS:LE..A..</p> <p>Endorsed: town; lxxij; ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 107</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/17 Ink number: 1382 Thorpe page/entry: 36/2</p>
Box 10 Item 1455	<p>Conveyance of rent for 5 shillings. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Simon, son of Robert Bataylle of Forliwde, to John, son of Hugh de Thubbefelde, and his wife Maud, and to the longer liver, remainder to their heirs An annual free rent of 5 pence paid by Stephen Becce and his attorneys for a messuage in the vill of Battle (between the tenement of the heirs of Reynold Forestarius, and the tenement of the heirs of Reynold de la Chambre) Freedom of alienation in sickness or in health (<i>sani vel infirmi</i>).</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Pisinge, Richard de Beche, John Mone, Thomas de Wattlinthun', William son of Joce de Wattlinth', Thomas de Harmer, John Bassok', Roger de Settlescumbe, his brother William, Simon de Ferne, Walter de Ferne, Geoffrey de Hokesteppe</p> <p>Endorsed: Endorsed in leadpoint: sacrist ilj [three horizontal lines].</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 33v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/13 Ink number: 1455 Pencil number: 106 Thorpe page/entry: 6/4</p>
Box 10 Item 1501	<p>Quitclaim in return for maintenance for life. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Geoffrey le Noll to the abbot and convent of Battle The whole tenement which lies east of Graffherst, in Guestling (Gestling'), which he</p>

	<p>held of the fee of Maxfield (Mexefeld)</p> <p>The abbot and convent will maintain Geoffrey in food and clothing for life, as is contained in a charter which he has of them.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen de Esse, William de la Strode, Robert de Rughetun', Walter de Tunstall, Ralph de Grangia, Hilary de Henle, John de Bromham, Hamo de Stocke, Peter de Graffherst, James de Graffherst</p> <p>Seals: A flower: +S'GALFRIDI:NOL</p> <p>Endorsed: Ik; Iklesham; charter <quitclaim> of Geoffrey Nol of land bought by Garfherst; .xij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 123</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/29 Ink number: 1501 Pencil number: .9 Thorpe page/entry: 27/7</p>
Box 10 Item 1529	<p>Acknowledgement of tenure for life. Approximately 1210.</p> <p>Description: Henry Capellanus of Mayfield (Magefeld) to John [de Dover], abbot of Battle, and the convent</p> <p>1 He has received the buildings of Snape (Snap') [in Wadhurst], which he once gave them, of his purchase (de conquestu meo), to live in for as long as he lives and wishes</p> <p>2 They have also made over to him the profit of (commodavit .. ad utendum) the whole lordship of the place, retaining to themselves the men, rents and woods, from which Henry may take enough to maintain hedges and buildings, by the view of their serjeant.</p> <p>3 An annual payment of £2 (£1 on St Martin in the summer and £1 on St Martin in the winter - 4 July and 11 November), to be taken, by the hand of the sacrist, from the pension of the church of Aylsham (Eilesham), [Norfolk]</p> <p>Done in the presence of his brothers Laurence Capellanus and Ellis and Philip, laymen, Matthew and Absalon, clerks, who all swore not to impede but rather to forward the right of the church of Battle in the said buildings and possession.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Murdat, Gilbert Dispensator, Reynold de ...e, Matthew Portarius</p> <p>Notes: Datable from the abbacy of John of Dover, 1200-1215.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/25 Ink number: 1529 Thorpe page/entry: 26/2</p>
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Box 11 Item 621	<p>Quitclaim by widow. Approximately 1320.</p> <p>Description: Joan, widow of Richard le Vannur of Battle, to Stephen Glovere of Battle</p> <p>Her right by way of dower in an annual rent of 6 pence from the tenement formerly belonging to Ingram de Botherstgate, and in an annual rent of 6 pence from the tenement formerly Robert le Plomer, in the vill of Battle, which rents Stephen acquired from Richard.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert de Suthynne, Peter Gardener, William Botherstgate, Stephen Pessonier</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 31</p> <p>Notes: The bottom of this deed has been cut away, and as a result the original method of sealing is unclear. It is written in the hand used to write contemporary copies of court roll.</p> <p>Related materials: The second rent was granted by Richard to Stephen on 30 April 1314 (Box 18, Item 761).</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/5 Ink number: 621 Pencil number: 94 Thorpe page/entry: 36/6</p>
Box 11 Item 748	<p>Conveyance for £3 6s 8d. Approximately 1190.</p> <p>Description: Simon de Gravehurst' to his brothers Thomas and Scelid', for their homage and service</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">The moiety of a virgate of the land which he holds of the fee of Maxfield (Mexefeld'), in brookland, meadow, wood, feedings, wetland and dryland</p> <p>To hold of Simon by an annual rent of 3s 6d for all services, except those of the king (scutage of 1s 3d in 13s 4d) and the count (3 pence every castleguard and 2 pence justiceyield (<i>auxilium justiciarii</i>)).</p> <p>Witnesses: Godfrey de Pettes, Gilbert de Stanl', Hugh de Nithertun', John de Stanl', Vincent de Mexefeld, his brother Walter, Ellis de Bromham', Alan de Ychintune, William Purcaz, Stephen Pret, John Pret, Robert de Fern', William parson of Fairlight (Farl')</p> <p>Seals: A flower: +... GRAFHERST</p> <p>Endorsed: Icklesham (Ickleshame)</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/10 Ink number: 748 Thorpe page/entry: 19/4</p>
Box 11 Item 805	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Stephen and Roger, sons of Agnes Grik of Winchelsea (Wincheles'), to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Two messuages at Cornhethe in Winchelsea (between the messuage of Roger de Oreford and the messuage of John Ric'), which Agnes granted to them</p> <p>Paying annual rents of 16 pence for the eastern messuage and 12 pence for the western messuage to Alexander, son of William de Farlegh', at his house in Winchelsea.</p> <p>Witnesses: Walter Clericus, John Andreu, Henry Alard, Bartholomew Godard, Gervase Alard, Alan Godefrey, Nicholas de Hyam, Robert Paulin, William Meinard, William Geffrey, Reynold Alard, William Godefrey</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/10 Ink number: 805 Pencil number: 54 Thorpe page/entry: 19/5</p>
Box 11 Item 806	<p>Conveyance for £1. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Gillian, daughter of Gilbert Grim, in the full power of her maidenhood, to William de Bernehorne</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">The whole moiety of the messuage which lies between the messuage of Martin de Haddelee and the messuage of Joce le Seler, which abuts Joce's messuage, which she inherited on the death of her mother Eloise</p> <p>Paying Gillian a forgable of a rose on 24 June for all services due to her, and performing the services due to the chief lords; freedom to bequeath by will.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Dene, Joce le Seler, Martin de Addelee, Robert Piscator, John Cordewaner, William Aurifaber, Henry Cordewaner, William le Taverner, Clement le Teler, Walter le Fotur, Adam Piscar' clerk, John Hackewode clerk</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/9</p>

	<p>Ink number: 806 Pencil number: 55 Thorpe page/entry: 19/6</p>
Box 11 Item 851	<p>Grant of rents in free alms. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Robert Basok' of Sedlescombe (Setelescumbe) to the abbot and convent of Battle An annual rent of 7 shillings, with the appurtenances, which Jocelin, son of Thomas de Harmere, pays from the land of Werthe, Bruere, Spliteregge and The Blanchelonde in Sedlescombe, and whatever right Robert has in those lands Performing all the foreign service which belongs to that amount of land of the same fee.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Etchingeham, William de Sancto Leodegario, Joel de Sancto Germano, William de Sokenerse, Matthew de Hasting', Bartholomew de Esburnham, William de Penherst, Michael de Beche, Richard de Stakindenn', Fulk de Werthe, John son of Hervey de London', Hugh de Grikes</p> <p>Seals: A stylized plant : ..IGI.. ROBERTI ..</p> <p>Endorsed: Werze; .x. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 116v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/9 Ink number: 851 Thorpe page/entry: 44/8</p>
Box 11 Item 895	<p>Conveyance. Approximately 1330.</p> <p>Description: William, son of Geoffrey Goliun of Battle, to Sir John de Cattesfeld, rector of Whatlington The tenement in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the tenement of John 3ivegod and the tenement which once belonged to Thomas le Tailur of Battle; in length from the abbot of Battle's park to the street), which Geoffrey once had by the grant of the abbot and convent of Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Pessonier, Daniel le Tailur, John Cuner, his brother Thomas, Thomas de Haddeleghe, Adam atte Holte, William Teyntener, Gilbert Walet, Walter Pistor, Peter Schereve, John atte Doune, Clement le Tornour</p> <p>Seals: A cross, the instruments of the passion and a praying figure; legend illegible.</p> <p>Endorsed: town. Cxxxiiij</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Related materials: The same property was quitclaimed by William to John on 14 November 1330 (Box 20, Item 1037) and granted to the abbey by another undated deed (Box 3, 941).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/11 Ink number: 895 Thorpe page/entry: 19/1</p>
Box 11 Item 1000	<p>Conveyance in exchange for £2 13s 4d. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Nicholas son of William ...patte, in aggravated poverty because of the maintenance of his very young brothers and his sisters from his own goods, and for his own need and that of his mother Maud, with their consent, to Agnes Gr[ich] of [Winchelsea] All the land at Cornhethe [in Winchelsea], between the land which his father William sold to Roger de Orevord', and Agnes's land Paying an annual rent of 1s 4d to William de [Fa]rl' at his house in Winchelsea; warranty against his brothers and sisters, and generally. In exchange for: The tenement (which lies between the tenement of Geoffrey Burg3ine and the</p>

	<p>tenement which Philip Pistor sold to Jakin Grich), which Adam Samue[l] sold to Agnes [See Box 7, Item 745].</p> <p>Agnes and her heirs may eject Nicholas and his brothers from the tenements should she suffer loss by a failure of their warranty; Nicholas binds his chattels for the performance of the covenant; his mother Maud, for her great need in maintaining her very young sons, quitclaims her share in the land to Agnes, joins in the warranty and has sealed the deed.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Alard, Henry Alard, Godfrey Alan' bailiff of Winchelsea, Stephen Andr', Paulin de Winch', John Alard, Nicholas de Carecta, John Jordan, Geoffrey Bur3ine, Gervase Ethelin, William Belami, John Goldine, Richard Panifader</p> <p>Endorsed: Concerning the east house at Cornhethe.</p> <p>Notes: The first three lines of the document are badly rubbed which, with its irregular phraseology, makes the interpretation of the opening clauses difficult.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/14 Ink number: 1000 Pencil number: 9</p>
Box 11 Item 1116	<p>Conveyance for £2 1s 0d. Approximately 1210.</p> <p>Description: Osbert, son of Godwin Blund and Wulfrun (Wlurune), with his heirs, to Lambert son of Arnold and he whom Lambert wishes to make his heir</p> <p>All his land of Terne [in Canterbury], which lies between the messuage of Reynold Cordewanarius and the messuage of Drew Carpentarius</p> <p>To hold of Osbert by an annual forgable of 2s 1d (12½d on the equinox before 29 September and 12½d on Monday in Easter week)</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Deodene reeve, Thomas Tannator reeve, William Alderman, John Alderman, Roger Alderman, Reynold Alderman, Robert Alderman of Norgate, Peter Presbiter, Elred Presbiter, Roger brother of Nicholas Presbiter, Robert son of Richard, his brother Laurence, James de Porta, Robert son of Hamo, Henry de Monasterio, Arnold son of Adam, Nicholas son of Baldowin', Adelard Tannator, Robert son of Emma, Theobald de Sartirino, Meiner Dues and his sons Wiulf and Lambert, Richard Corbeile, Ivo son of Sigar, Alphege Lamb, Gregory Frese, Elfwine Chich, John Dodekere, his brother Thomas, Hugh Longus, Hagemund Dod, Ivo Cordewanarius, Arnold Bukke, Hugh Aurifaber, Hamo Aurifaber, Arnold Chich, Reynold Aurifaber, his son Thomas, Arnold Speal, Robert son of John, Goldwin Mercerius, Wimund Mercerius, John Mercerius, Thomas Mercerius, William Mercerius, Luke Draparius Lingi, William Silvestre, Arnold Mercerius, Vivian Mercerius, Walter Draparius, his son Amfrid, Ellis Parmentarius, Augustine Parmentarius, William Parmentarius, Leuewin Parmentarius, John Svetman, Simon son of William Fenarius, John Cunevant, Gilbert Weresvat, Turpin, Ralph Dod, Solomon Turte, William Widie, Robert Cunarius, Arnold brother of Malger, his brother Walter, Aspelon, Hugh Paihs, Hamo son of Wlurich Poffe, Libricht, the beadle and the whole wardmoot of Worthgate (<i>et tota hyberthia de Wurgate</i>)</p> <p>Seals: Slits for three seals.</p> <p>Endorsed: Carta Osberti filii Goldwini Blundi.</p> <p>Notes: Osbert son of Godwin held land at Therne of Canterbury Cathedral approximately 1206; many of the witnesses are recorded in the same area (See William Urry, <i>Canterbury under the Angevin Kings</i> [1967], entry 297). Odo, abbot of Battle 1175-1200, and his chamberlain and nephew Wibert, had been monks of Christchurch and were landowners in Canterbury.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/17 Ink number: 1116 Thorpe page/entry: 8/2</p>
Box 11 Item 1119	<p>Conveyance for 5 shillings. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Adam Hay to his brother Ralph Hay</p>

	<p>1 His house which Ralph de Mexsefeud held, with a cartilage 2 A croft which lies between the house of Adam's mother Levota and the house above 3 An acre which lies west of the croft 4 A way to the well called Stocvell</p> <p>Paying an annual rent of 1s 1d for all things, except the king's service (scutage at 3 pence in 13s 4d) and the count's (1 penny castleguard).</p> <p>Witnesses: Oliver de Vestefeud, Godfrey de Pette, Vincent de Mexsefeud, Walter de Altune, Simon de Graverst, Alan de Lideham, Roger de Hoselond, John Pret, Stephen Pret, Robert de Ferne, John de Stonlinge, his son Guy, Gilbert de Stanlinge</p> <p>Seals: A flower: ..E ..Al</p> <p>Endorsed: William Alard; Ralph de Mixefeld; charter of Adam le Hay; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]; hi est.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/2 Ink number: 1119 Thorpe page/entry: 21/4</p>
Box 11 Item 1125	<p>Conveyance for 7s 8d. Approximately 1200.</p> <p>Description: Bartholomew Cumin to Clement Clericus of Battle All the land which Bartholomew has in Bulande, and all his part of the meadow called Brodewishe by Whatlington Bridge (Watlington')</p> <p>To hold of Bartholomew by an annual rent of 12 pence for all services; 1 shilling of the consideration paid to Bartholomew's wife.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard de Watlington', Gilbert de Thalamo, Matthew Janitor, Thomas de Sedlescumbe</p> <p>Endorsed: xviiij</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 115v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/12 Ink number: 1125 Thorpe page/entry: 13/8</p>
Box 11 Item 1129	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Stephen le Borne to the abbot and convent of Battle 1 All the land which lies between the bank which the monks, by his grant, have raised on the tenement of Echene, and the land which his ancestors gave to the monks in alms (which gift he confirms), in meadows, ways, waters and fisheries 2 A way from the public street into their land 3 A way on the land of Pralle [in Ewhurst], from the way which is before the house of Thomas de Pralle as far towards the house of Robert de Fontana as the tenement of Pralle extends, as is marked by a bank which the monks, by his agreement, have made on the tenement of Pralle.</p> <p>Witnesses: Roger de Sotindun', William de Echene, Simon Dryu, Luke de Yuherst', Philip de Padiham, Stephen Marescallus, Matthew Portarius, Oger Daneis</p> <p>Endorsed: Bodiam (Bodiham); .ij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 124v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/14 Ink number: 1129 Thorpe page/entry: 9/3</p>
Box 11	Deed of partition. Approximately 1230.

<p>Item 1135</p>	<p>Description: William de Coding' and Sanfred de Sumery Concerning five virgates of land and 15 acres of marsh of the lordship of Cooden (Coding'), which were given in free marriage with Sanfred's mother Alice de Sumery. William to take: Three virgates, of which two are called Codeleh and the third Schiorthelte and Drauekelond, and the 15 acres of marsh Sanfred to take: Two virgates called Caywerthe and The Felde Sanfred will demand nothing against William, nor William against Sanfred, except for such foreign service as belongs to two virgates of the same fee, by the hands of those who ought by right to perform the service. Witnesses: Laurence de Mundifeld, Richard de Esburneham, James son of William, Hamo Saget, Richard Marescallus, Giles de Estenovere, Godfrey de Pette, Luke de Swinham, Ralph Frankelein, Richard de Stakindenne, Godman Prowet, Benedict de Berga Endorsed: B' ; Barnhorn (Bernehore); William de Coding' .j. ; .xiiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 . Cartulary: Vol 29 f 131 Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/11 Ink number: 1135 Thorpe page/entry: 12/1</p>
<p>Box 11 Item 1137</p>	<p>Conveyance for £1 13s 10d. Approximately 1220. Description: Nicholas Harengod, with the consent of his wife Sybil, to Robert de Bocholta, for his homage and service A virgate in Coddingleia which During held To hold of Nicholas by an annual rent of 4 shillings for all services, except that of the king (the scutage which belongs to a virgate) and the bishop of Chichester (2 pence on 24 June and 2 pence on 29 September) Robert and his heirs may take enough from the wood for the construction and repair of their houses and enclosures, and for firewood, without waste; of the consideration, 6s 8d paid to Sybil and 6d to Nicholas's son John to buy a bow; sealed by Nicholas and Sybil. Witnesses: Sir Hugh de Pupplesham, William de Genesing, his son Gilbert, John de Pupplesham, William de Colint', Roger de Baldeslawe, his son Peter, Richard Frankelain of Crowhurst (Croherst'), master William de Hasting', William de Malrepat' Endorsed: Barnhorn Liiij. Cartulary: Vol 29 f 136 Notes: Before 1228. Related materials: For a grant by Sybil alone, see Box 13, Item 1293. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/1 Ink number: 1137 Thorpe page/entry: 42/1</p>
<p>Box 11 Item 1160</p>	<p>Conveyance. Approximately 1230. Description: Isabel, widow of Gilbert Dispensator, to Nicholas le Maresscal for his service 1 A messuage in the vill of Battle (between the messuage of Gilbert le Hod and the messuage which formerly belonged to Guy le Parmenter) 2 The moiety of all her land in the parish of Battle (in woodlands, plainlands, meadows, pastures, hedges, ditches, ways and paths, with free entry and exit), which consists of: 3 13 acres (E: land which belonged to Ellis de Rikelherst; [W]: Isabel's land in Rikelherst; in length from the land which belonged to Ellis de Richelherst and the land which belonged to John de la Stene, to the land of Pokehole)</p>

	<p>4 15 acres in the land called The Holme, with the barn built upon it; of which 10 acres lie between the land of Anselm de Westertun' and Isabel's land, and in length from the field called Forshote to Isabel's land; and 5 acres lie between the road to Ashburnham (Hesburnam) and south to Isabel's land</p> <p>5 Three acres in Northrode (between the road on the north and the wood of Richard de Beche called Kedeke)</p> <p>6 Four acres of wood south of the land of Pokehole, with a small grove which is divided from the wood by a hedge</p> <p>7 A meadow called Holewische, enclosed by three hedges</p> <p>To hold of Isabel by an annual rent of 22s 1½d (9 pence for the land and 7 pence for the messuage on 29 September, and 9½d for the land on 21 December), for all services, customs, suits and plaints.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir Robert Basoc of Sedlescombe (Sedelescumb) kt, John Clericus, John Godmeveche, Geoffrey le King, Adam Pikot, Richard de Beche, Gilbert le Hod, Gilbert Hurtout, Luke le Sauvage, Simon Faber</p> <p>Seals: A tree: +S'HISABELLE VIDVE DIS..ORI</p> <p>Endorsed: leuga; [Nicholas Marescall' deleted]; xxx ; [Battle deleted]; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 104v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/8 Ink number: 1160 Thorpe page/entry: 14/6</p>
Box 11 Item 1174	<p>Conveyance for a reduction of rent. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Thomas de Haremere to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>1 The land of Cornore and Bulande (in length from the hedge of the field of Eure, to [the part of] Bulande which belonged to Richard de Watlingetun'; between Petley Wood (Petle) and the meadow of the men of Whatlington (Watlingetun') and of Wickham (Wicham), as the hedge divides it, in brookland and upland, between Cornore and Bulande and the meadow of the men of Whatlington; saving to the men of Whatlington their way to their meadow through the middle of Cornore; the monks to be responsible for the enclosure and maintenance of the moiety of both hedges against the men of Whatlington</p> <p>2 An annual rent of 12 pence which the monks pay from [that part of] Bulande which belonged to Clement Clericus of Battle</p> <p>In return for which, the monks have released: 20 shillings of an annual rent of £2 6s 8d which Thomas pays from his tenement of Whatlington, by the gift of Sir Simon de Echingham.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir Richard de Sandherst, Robert de Sedlescumbe, Osbert de Haremere, Reinger de Watlinget', master Richard Lumbard', Osbert de Levesham, Baldwin de Cant', Matthew Portarius, Richard Marescallus, John de Bosco</p> <p>Seals: ?A stag: +S... .AREMERE</p> <p>Endorsed: Whatlington; .ix. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 114v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/1 Ink number: 1174 Thorpe page/entry: 20/1</p>
Box 11 Item 1177	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Richard de Croherst, with the assent of his wife Alice and eldest son Anselm, to the</p>

	<p>abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>The land which Reimbert de [O]niland held of him (between the land of Rette and Reimbert's land, and the way which goes from Battle to Mountfield (Mundifeld))</p> <p>Witnesses: Philip de Essettesford, Thomas de Boitun', Baldwin son of William, Richard Marescallus, Richard de Malling', Geoffrey Eilred, Ralph de Anest', Colin de Gatesdenn', William Paneter, John de Valle, Thomas de Kingesnad', Thomas de Grenehelde</p> <p>Seals: A stylized eight-petalled flower: *S' RICARDI DE C...STE</p> <p>Endorsed: Retthe; .vj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 124</p> <p>Notes: Some elements of the description supplied from the cartulary; the left margin of this deed is damaged.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/13 Ink number: 1177 Thorpe page/entry: 13/3</p>
Box 11 Item 1190	<p>Grant (another text of Box 14, Item 1233), endorsed duplicate. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: This deed adds the salvation of the soul of Henry's wife, and differs slightly in the spelling of the witnesses' names, significantly William Ghiffard, Robert de Manchenie. The text of this deed is enrolled in the sacrist's cartulary, Vol 30, f 94v.</p> <p>Seals: Seal on two red, white and green silk threads: ?an equestrian figure: +S.GILL' RAVL FILL...</p> <p>Endorsed: Duplicate.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/3 Ink number: 1190 Thorpe page/entry: 16/7</p>
Box 11 Item 1202	<p>Quitclaim of services. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Herbert, son of Walter de Burgherse, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 All the service which Peter Tannator of Battle performs for the land in the vill of Battle which he held of Herbert, which land Herbert held of William Malherbe 2 All the service which Martin de Sartrino performs for the land in the vill of Battle which belonged to John Daniel, which land Herbert held of John Daniel. <p>Witnesses: Philip de Essettesford', Baldwin de Cant', Ralph de Anest', Thomas de Bosint', William Panetier, Walter de Lond', Guy de Bello, Oger Daneis, Michael de Beche, Richard de Malling', Simon Bedellus, Simon Constabularius</p> <p>Seals: Seal gone.</p> <p>Endorsed: town .lix.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 106</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/17 Ink number: 1202 Thorpe page/entry: 10/3</p>
Box 11 Item 1203	<p>Quitclaim of villeins. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Nicholas Harengod and his wife Sybil to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 William and Thomas, sons of Ralph Molendinarius 2 John and Robert, sons of Roger de Caldecote, and his daughter Ida 3 Gillian widow of Ralph 4 Aldith widow of Siward, and their daughter Eloise 5 Gunnild widow of Roger

	<p>And all their sequel [those granted are most of the tenants of the land at Barnhorn granted by Nicholas and Sybil by Box 13, Item 1111, and Box 13, Item 1511].</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Echingham, William de Munceaus, Peter de Scoteny, Robert de Hastings, Laurence de Mundifeld, Herbert de Munceaus, Oliver de Westefeld, William de Hout', Reynold rector of Icklesham (Yclesham), Herbert son of Walter, Osbert de Levesham, Matthew Portarius of Battle, Ralph le Bret</p> <p>Seals: [1] fleur de lys: +SIGILL' NICOL HERINGOT; [2] (fragment) SIGILL... ..M</p> <p>Endorsed: .Lx.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 136</p> <p>Notes: Before 1228.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/7 Ink number: 1203 Thorpe page/entry: 41/5</p>
Box 11 Item 1209	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Peter, son and heir of Edward de Rette, to the abbot and convent of Battle His right in the land of Rett' which they hold.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', William de Guttershole, Hugh de Flintham, William Franc', Luke de Swinham, Robert Cementarius, Richard de Onilond</p> <p>Endorsed: .vij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 124</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/6 Ink number: 1209 Thorpe page/entry: 33/1</p>
Box 11 Item 1218	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Roger Coteman to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle His right in a messuage in the vill of Battle (between the messuage which belonged to Lambin King and the messuage of Isabel Despenser).</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Ralph de Gerston', Hugh de Flintham, Robert Cementarius, Nicholas Marscallus, Adam Piscator</p> <p>Endorsed: town; .lx. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 106</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/12 Ink number: 1218 Pencil number: 221 Thorpe page/entry: 12/7</p>
Box 11 Item 1225	<p>Conveyance. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Michael, son of Reynold de Bech', to the abbot and convent of Battle 1 The whole land of Bodeherst which William de Amberle of Michael and later granted to the monks by charter 2 eleven acres which lie by the land of Bodeherst, and are of another tenement, which were also held of Michael by William de Amberle, and were given to the monks with Bodeherst</p> <p>To hold of Michael by an annual rent of 3s 8d for all services; Michael is bound to pay an annual rent of 6 pence to the heirs of Peter de Campis for Bodeherst, and the monks are bound to pay an annual rent of 4 pence to Matthew le Erl and his brother William for the 11 acres.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Philip de Essettesford, Baldwin Cantuar', William Panetier, Thomas de Bosintun', Ralph de Anest', Richard de Malling', Geoffrey Eilred, Thomas de Kingesnad'</p> <p>Endorsed: .vij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 120</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/13 Ink number: 1225 Thorpe page/entry: 7/1</p>
Box 11 Item 1244	<p>Conveyance for £1 13s 4d. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: John le Vannur to Osmund de Rotomago His whole part of the land of The Hoke (in length S: the land called Aubinesdune and Mallingelond'; N: the land of Thomas Holof and John's land; heading E: Thomas Holof's land; W: John's land) To hold of John by an annual rent of 3 pence for all services A reasonable way across John's land to Osmund's land for carts and wagons.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Cementarius, Adam Pistor, Adam Piscator, Nicholas Marescallus, Fulk Cocus, Martin Mercator, Alan Mercator, John Piscator, John Blundus, Robert Petit, Reynold Bedellus, Walter de Loxebeck', Henry the clerk who composed this charter</p> <p>Seals: A plant: S' IOH'IS LE VANUR</p> <p>Endorsed: Osmund; Battle</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 30</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/6 Ink number: 1244 Pencil number: 5 Unidentified numbers: 89 Thorpe page/entry: 36/1</p>
Box 11 Item 1246	<p>Confirmation and quitclaim in free alms. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Margaret, daughter of William de Bodiham, to the abbot and convent of Battle 1 The whole land of Rette which is of the fee of Bodiam (Bodiham), which the monks have in free alms by the gift of her ancestors 2 Her right in the land of Bodeherst, which is of the fee of Robert de Hasting' To hold in men, rents and services.</p> <p>Witnesses: Gilbert de Sanes, Philip de Essettesford', Osbert de Levesham, Henry de Tiresherse, Robert de la Roche, Roger Blundus, Osmund Herede, Michael de Bech', Ralph de Anestie, Richard Marescall', Robert Cocus, Geoffrey Eilred</p> <p>Seals: A woman holding a flower: *S'MARGERIE DE BODIHAM</p> <p>Endorsed: Retthe; .iij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 124</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/14 Ink number: 1246 Pencil number: 53 Thorpe page/entry: 9/1</p>
Box 12	Records removed from volume 40
Box 12 Item 1251	<p>Conveyance for £8. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Cecily, daughter of Ellis de Dalintune, to Osmund, son of John de Reme</p>

	<p>A house in the vill of Battle, which she was given by her father as a pure gift To hold of Cecily by an annual rent of a half-pound of cummin; Osmund to defend the house against the chief lords.</p> <p>Witnesses: Laurence de Mundifeud, Simon de Someri, Oliver de Westefeud, Walter de Burkerse, William de Burkerse, Thomas de Haremere, Seffrid de Leke, Richard Snelling, William son of Gerard, Reynold de Dalintune, John Thurgar, William de Serdindenne</p> <p>Seals: A plant: +Sl..</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/14 Ink number: 1251 Pencil number: 57 Thorpe page/entry: 14/4</p>
Box 12 Item 1252	<p>Conveyance. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Robert Basoc of Sedlescombe (Sedlescumbe) to the abbot and convent of Battle All his land (between the road of Iltonsbath (Iltunesbethe) and the five acres of Scotesland, and between the path which leads to Enham and the land called Wodelande), which Sygar once held of Robert To hold of Robert by an annual rent of 6 pence for all services.</p> <p>Witnesses: Master Richard de Bello, Thomas de Boytune, Richard Portarius, Lambin King, William Panetier, Thomas Lucet, Robert de Autune, Eustace Cogus, Fulk Cocus son of Picot, Simon de Catesfeld, Nicholas Marescallus, Roger Clericus</p> <p>Endorsed: R Basoc, first charter of Sygar's land; Sedlescombe; .vij.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 118</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/19 Ink number: 1252 Thorpe page/entry: 44/7</p>
Box 12 Item 1253	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: William Haimund to the abbot and convent of Battle The whole tenement which Richard Huedman held of William (which lies east of the land which Martin Fetere holds of him), with all the service from it which belongs to him.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Poun, William de Ferleg', Gervase son of Alard, Peregrine, Gabriel, his brother Stephen, Moses Clericus, Stephen Marescallus, Oger Daneis</p> <p>Seals: Radiating leaves: ..LLE..</p> <p>Endorsed: William Haymo; Winchelsea (Winchelese).</p> <p>Notes: Subscribed on the turnup in a different hand: 12 pence on 21 December, 12 pence on 24 June.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/5 Ink number: 1253 Pencil number: 5 Thorpe page/entry: 19/8</p>
Box 12 Item 1259	<p>Confirmation of a grant of rent. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: William de Bec to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the almonry An annual rent of 20s 6d from the land of Snailham (Snelham) [in Guestling], which Robert Fostre gave to them by charter, subject to an annual rent of 6 pence payable to William at Winchelsea (Wincheslesce) in Easter week for all service.</p> <p>Witnesses: James son of William, Philip de Essesford, Robert Fostre, Simon de Bruneford, Ralph de Muschamp, Adam le Hay, Thomas de Boytun', John de Bosco, Thomas de Bosintune, Hugh de</p>

	<p>Flintham, Nicholas Marescallus, Robert de Altun'</p> <p>Seals: ?a bird; +SIGI... .EC</p> <p>Endorsed: B [contemporary]; z [approximately 1400]; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Notes: Three words, probably a note of the purchase price, have been erased from the turnup.</p> <p>Related materials: For transcript, see BA 522/3.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/18 Ink number: 1259 Pencil number: 65 Thorpe page/entry: 7/9</p>
Box 12 Item 1260	<p>Confirmation by chief lord in free alms. Approximately 1200.</p> <p>Description: Godfrey de Glinde to the abbot and convent of Battle The gift which Hawise de Baillol made and confirmed by charter of the whole land of Snape in the parish of Wadhurst (Wadeherst), which Henry Capellanus of Wadhurst held of her, free of all service For the love of God, the blessed Mary and St Martin, for the salvation of himself, his wife and heirs, for the souls of his father and mother, and for the salvation of his ancestors and successors, both living and dead.</p> <p>Witnesses: Ralph Thesaurarius, master Michael, Henry Capellanus of Wadhurst, Anfred de Dene, Ralph Borne, Adam Borne, Joseph de Newinden', Robert Salvage, Matthew Portarius</p> <p>Endorsed: .vj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 129</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/8 Ink number: 1260 Pencil number: 66 Thorpe page/entry: 18/7</p>
Box 12 Item 1269	<p>Grant and quitclaim in free alms. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Herbert de Burgherse to the abbot and convent of Battle His right in the whole land of Scottesland Paying an annual rent of a pound of pepper within a week of 29 September to Robert Basoc of Sedlescombe (Sedlescumbe), and performing the foreign service which belongs to a <i>hundredesland</i> of Robert's fee.</p> <p>Witnesses: Master Richard de Bello, Philip de Essettesford, Walter de Burgherse, Baldwin de Cant', Thomas de Boitun', Ralph de Anest', Thomas de Bosintun', William Panetier, Thomas de Kingesnad'</p> <p>Endorsed: .xv. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 117</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/19 Ink number: 1269 Pencil number: 75 Thorpe page/entry: 10/4</p>
Box 12 Item 1272	<p>Confirmation by heir. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Stephen de Godintun', son and heir of Simon de Godintun', having been made a knight and come of age, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p>

	<p>The gift made by his father in free alms of 12 Flemish acres, in the marsh which he held of William de Etchingeham, father of Simon de Etchingeham: 4 acres held of Simon de Godintun' by Constance, the wife (<i>femina</i>) of Peter Muissun, and the 8 acres which lie to the south.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Echingeingeham, his brother William, William de Genesing', Gilbert de Faleise, Hugh Longus, Moses Clericus, Gilbert Dispensator, Matthew Portarius</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/10 Ink number: 1272 Pencil number: .8 Thorpe page/entry: 18/8</p>
Box 12 Item 1297	<p>Conveyance for £1 10s 6d. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Basile, daughter of Dereman Mercator deceased (filia quondam), to Fulk Picot All that part which she has of a croft in the vill of Battle (in length E: the road to the windmill; W: the land called Caldebek'; N: the land called Kaldebek'; S: Basile's land), enclosed by hedges and ditches To hold of Basile by an annual rent of 4d for all services.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert le Huser, Luke le Sauvage, Robert Cementarius, Adam Pistor, Adam Picot, John le Mone, John Hakewode, John Godmevetche, John Piscator, Thomas Waleys, Simon Faber, Gilbert Picot clerk</p> <p>Seals: Radiating leaves: ..ASILIE ..</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/16 Ink number: 1297 Pencil number: 103 Thorpe page/entry: 26/5</p>
Box 12 Item 1299	<p>Conveyance for 6s. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Martha, daughter of Heldiard de Bello, and Alice, daughter of Heldiard de Bello, to Robert, son of Walter Cementarius of Battle That part of the land of their inheritance which lies between the old house which belonged to Geoffrey le Frere, and the land of the same tenement which Robert bought from William Picot; in length from the willow, by the corner of the old house, to the road To hold of Martha and Alice by an annual rent of 2 pence for all services, and performing the service due to the court of Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: Philip de Essetesford, Michael de Beche, Geoffrey Eylred, Lambin King, Richard Marscallus, Thomas le Neuman, John Albus, John Piscator, Osmund</p> <p>Seals: Only the first seal remains: ALICIE ..L' HELDIARDI</p> <p>Endorsed: town; xij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 103</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/3 Ink number: 1299 Pencil number: 105 Thorpe page/entry: 22/2</p>
Box 12 Item 1325	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Osmund Cordewaner, son of John de Rouen (Rothomag'), to the abbot and convent of Battle</p>

	<p>1 A messuage in the vill of Battle, bewteen the messuage of Humphrey de Ecclesia and the messuage of Henry, master of the school</p> <p>2 A messuage in the vill of Battle, north of the quarry and between two messuages of the abbot and convent</p> <p>3 A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, which Stephen Stronge once held</p> <p>4 All Osmund's land, with the meadow and wood, which lies against the quarry to the south</p> <p>5 His claim in any other messuages, houses and land in the vill of Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Husier, Hugh de Flintham, Luke Sauvage, Robert Cementarius, John de London', Nicholas Marescallus, Reynold de Camera, William de Dene, William Bedellus, John Godmefetch', John Clericus</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: +SIGILL' HOSM..DI FLL' IOHANI DE REM:</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 30v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/4 Ink number: 1325 Pencil number: 90 Thorpe page/entry: 13/1</p>
Box 12 Item 1326	<p>Conveyance for £1 6s 8d. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Agnes, daughter of Eloise de Sandlake, in the power of her widowhood, with her sister Husewif de la Quarere, to Osmund, son of John de Reme</p> <p> Their whole land which lies in length by Alan le Vannur's land on one side and against the quarry on the other</p> <p>To hold of Agnes and Husewif by an annual forgable of 2 pence for all services, customs, suits and gifts; Osmund to defend the land against the chief lord.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, Auben Carpentarius, Gilbert le Hud, John le Blund, Stephen Becke, John Clericus, William de Locsebeche, Walter de Locsebeche, Thomas de Haremere, Robert Lumbard', Martin Pistor, John Clericus</p> <p>Seals: Seal now gone; only the first of two tags remains.</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 29v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/5 Ink number: 1326 Pencil number: 87 Thorpe page/entry: 22/5</p>
Box 12 Item 1338	<p>Conveyance for 12 pence. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Martha, daughter of Heldiard de Bello, to her sister Alice, daughter of Heldiard de Bello</p> <p> All the land she inherited of the capital messuage which belonged to Geoffrey le Frere (in length between the land of Gilbert son of Picot and the land of Thomas Neweman; W: Gilbert son of Picot's land; E: Lambert King's land)</p> <p>To hold of Martha by an annual forgable of ½d, to be taken in the vill of Battle, for all services except the king's; Alice to defend the land against the chief court of Battle for all the services which belong to it.</p> <p>Witnesses: Master Robert Cementarius, his brother Alan, Martin Pistor, John Blundus, Robert de Meaulinges, Geoffrey le Cade</p> <p>Endorsed: town; .xj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 103</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	<p>Original volume/page: V40/3 Ink number: 1338 Thorpe page/entry: 22/4</p>
<p>Box 12 Item 1375</p>	<p>Conveyance. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Robert Basoc of Sedlescombe (Sedlescumbe) to the abbot and convent of Battle His whole land called Scoteland, which is hundresland [recte hundredesland], with the 5 acres which belong to Scoteland, and lie between it and the land which Sygar once held of him; with brookland and meadow, ways, paths and waters To hold of Robert by an annual rent of half a pound of cummin or 1 penny for all service and suit of court, except the service of the king (2 shillings in 13s 4d scutage) and the count (6 pence every castleguard).</p> <p>Witnesses: Master Richard de Bello, Simon de Bruneford, Geoffrey de Roinges, Richard Janitor of Battle, William Panetier, Lambin King, William Cordewanier, Eustace Cocus, Fulk Cocus, Thomas Lucet, John Godmevesche, John de Lapende</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: +S+IGILL'ROBE.. ..ASOC</p> <p>Endorsed: Basoch; duplex. 4. ; iij. duplex; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 116</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/16 Ink number: 1375 Thorpe page/entry: 45/2</p>
<p>Box 12 Item 1499</p>	<p>Quitclaim in open court for £1 2s 0d and a release of rent. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Clemence, daughter of Peter de Criel, to the abbot and convent of Battle The land between the messuage of Alan Vannur and the messuage of Eloise de Sanlake, and in length between the way which goes to Bodeherst and the land of Edmund Piscator In return for which, the abbot and convent have, by charter, released Clemence from an annual rent of 11 pence which she and her ancestors have been accustomed to pay from the land, and reduced to 1 penny the annual rent from her messuage which lies by the messuage formerly Hugh de Bech'.</p> <p>Witnesses: Master Richard de Coventr', Philip de Essettesford, Lambin de Essettesford, Guy de Bello, Matthew Portarius, Michael de Bech', William Panetier, Ralph de Anestie, Thomas de Kingesnad'</p> <p>Seals: An eight-petalledflower: +SI... CLEMENCIE FIL' PETRI probatio penne on tag.</p> <p>Endorsed: [Rosa deleted]; town; lxxix. ; Clementia ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 107v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/13 Ink number: 1499 Thorpe page/entry: 13/4</p>
<p>Box 12 Item 1500</p>	<p>Conveyance for £1. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Martin, son of Martin de Cliveshende, to the abbot and convent of Battle for the upkeep of the almonry Three acres of brookland in Guestling (Gestelenge); S: the wood of Cunifunte which belongs to Adam le Hay; N: a stream; E: brookland which belonged to Peter de Lideham; W: the brookland which belonged to Alexander [de] Farleye To hold in place of Martin, paying an annual rent of 9 pence to the lords of the fee for all suits and services; the consideration paid by William the almoner.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Roger de Bromham, William de Sneylham, Vincent de la Stokke, John son of Vincent de Mixefeld, William le Ryche, Ralph de Grestun, Hugh de Flintham, John Godmefech', John de Stonling', Gilbert de Cliveshende</p> <p>Endorsed: Circle, line with three crossbars; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Notes: The ink number is duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/12 Ink number: 1500 Thorpe page/entry: 11/8</p>
Box 12 Item 1507	<p>Confirmation by chief lord. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Hasting' to the abbot and convent of Battle The whole land of Bodeherst which is of his fee, the land of The Grave, and the land of The Beche, which lands they have by the gift of Walter, son of Robert le Boef; in woodland and plainland, waters, meadows and feedings, rents and services, in men and their sequel To hold free of all service, except the foreign service due from those lands.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Etchingeham', William de Moncell', Stephen de Cusintun', Robert de Aubervill', Herbert de Moncell', Herbert son of Walter de Burgherse, Gilbert Barrarius, Thomas de Moncell', William Fillel, Thomas de Beastenovre, Osbert de Haremere, Samson de Levelesham, John de Gilling'</p> <p>Seals: A mounted knight: S'.ROBERTI D'HASTIGHES</p> <p>Endorsed: Terra bovis (on tag); .viiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 120</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/1 Ink number: 1507 Thorpe page/entry: 20/10</p>
Box 12 Item 1515	<p>Confirmation in free alms. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: William, son of Henry de Bodiham, for the salvation of his soul and those of his father Henry and grandfather William, to the abbot and convent of Battle 1 All the possessions which they have of the fee of Bodiam by the gifts of his ancestors and the confirmations of kings, in lands, ways and paths, feedings and meadows, amd with the adjoining waters 2 All the land of Rette [in Battle], which they have by the gift of his grandfather William de Bodiham.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Calceto, master Richard Phisicus, Henry de Hereford, Richard de Tiresherse, Gilbert Dispensator, Matthew Portarius, Stephen Marescallus, Thomas son of master Thomas de Saleherst</p> <p>Seals: A multi-petalledflower: ..LL'l.. .ODIH..</p> <p>Endorsed: .iiij. duplex ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 124v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/19 Ink number: 1515 Thorpe page/entry: 8/6</p>
Box 12 Item 1517	<p>Confirmation of grant of rent. Approximately 1200.</p> <p>Description: Ralph de Ysoudun [Exoudun], count of Eu, to William de Bodiham</p>

	<p>A rent of 20 shillings in the manor of Helham, that is to say in Canturwerde', which A[lice], countess of Eu, and her son Henry, count of Eu [died 1183], gave to William.</p> <p>Witnesses: Hugh de Bosco, Eimer de Cusai, Ralph de Sancto Leodegario, Geoffrey de Sancto Leodegario, Hugh de Lund', Bartholomew de Brintun, Ralph Strabone, Ralph de Bodiam</p> <p>Seals: Seal on two silk cords; obverse: a shield bearing barry of ten, with a label of eight points; reverse: an equestrian figure in civilian garments, clutching a hound.</p> <p>Notes: Datable to 1191-1219.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V40/7 Ink number: 1517 Thorpe page/entry: 42/4</p>
Box 13	Records removed from volume 41
Box 13 Item 677	<p>Conveyance for £2 13s 4d. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Hugh de Flintham to William, chaplain of Manxeye (Manekes'), for his homage and service</p> <p>Two acres in the marsh of Pevensey (Pevensel), which William Fillel gave to Hamo Sachet for his service, Hamo sold to Richard Maresscallus, and Richard to Hugh Paying 6 pence annually for all service; freedom to alienate or leave by will.</p> <p>Witnesses: Waleran de Munceus, Matthew de Hasting', William de Bestenour, Alwred de Chilli, John de Chilli, William Blis, John de Godecumb', Simon de Hidinie, Ralph Frankelain, Robert le Mazun of Battle</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 93</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/5 Ink number: 677 Pencil number: 369 Thorpe page/entry: 17/1</p>
Box 13 Item 702	<p>Counterpart grant. Approximately 1320.</p> <p>Description: John, abbot of Battle and the convent to William atte Done in tail, remainder to his brother Simon in tail, reversion to the office of the precentor</p> <p>9 acres in the vill of Catsfield (W: William de Stakendenne; E: the way between the land and the ditch of the abbey's new park of Broomham)</p> <p>Paying 2s 3d rent to the office of the precentor, 4 pence a year castleguard and 3 pence scutage, doing suit of court to the office of the precentor twice a year on the tenement of Broomham, and paying relief, and a sheep or 12 pence for heriot at the abbey's election.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Penherst, William de Snaylham, John de Smalefeud, Ralph Martyn</p> <p>Seals: Seal showing a crescent surmounted by a sun; + S...ELMI ATE DVNE</p> <p>Notes: Four abbots of Battle were named John between 1298 and 1324; the deed must be dated towards the end of that period on palaeographical grounds. The park at Broomham in Catsfield seems to have been complete by 1310.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/13 Ink number: 702 D number: D79</p>
Box 13 Item 707	<p>Conveyance for £5. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Ralph Hay to Robert Foster</p> <p>All the lordship of the land and tenants of Pupinton' [?in Guestling]</p> <p>To hold of Ralph, paying 1 penny at Winchelsea within a week of 29 September for all services.</p> <p>Witnesses: Godfrey de Pette, Hugh de Nitherton', Stephen Pret, John Pret, Robert Pret, John de</p>

	<p>Stonlhinke, Gilbert de Stonlhinke, Stephen de Clivesende, Martin de Clivesende, William Betel, Stephen son of Samson de Ychenton', Alan de Ychenton', his son John</p> <p>Seals: Seal showing a fleur de lys; + SIGILL' RADVLPHI : HAI</p> <p>Endorsed: I hoc signo libro elemosinarii; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]; h est.</p> <p>Notes: Many of the witnesses can be associated with the hundred of Guestling, in which parish the almoner's estate of Maxfield lay.</p> <p>Related materials: For transcript, see BA 519/2.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/20 Ink number: 707 D number: D85</p>
Box 13 Item 828	<p>Conveyance for £1 9s 8d. Approximately 1190.</p> <p>Description: John de Hareme to Robert and Ailmer de Perlingetune, for their homage and service</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">All his land in Sedlescombe (Sedlescumbe) called Scottesland, 'and it is hundredesland', in brookland and meadow, ways, paths and waters</p> <p>To hold of John, by an annual payment of 2 shillings and a pound of pepper for all services, except those of the king and the count (2 shillings in 13s 4d scutage and 6 pence every castleward), and the service to the chief lord.</p> <p>Of the consideration, 1s is paid to John's wife and 2s to his heir Reynold.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Genesinges, Richard de Croherst, Thomas de Haremere, Manasser de Herst, Hugh Pipere, Roger de Baldeslawe, Michael de Genesinges, William de Pertlingetune</p> <p>Endorsed: Johannes de Haremere</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/16 Ink number: 828 Pencil number: 17 Thorpe page/entry: 20/5</p>
Box 13 Item 832	<p>Grant of rents, with the escheats, in free alms. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Thomas son of Thomas de Haremere to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle, for the upkeep of the lights in the abbey church</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The rent of 12 pence paid by Adam le Tailur for his messuage by the messuage of Ralph Yevegod, in Battle 2 The rent of 7 pence paid by Stephen Busar for the messuage south of the messuage of John Page 3 The rent of 1 penny paid on 29 September by Stephen Busar for the messuage adjoining on the south 4 The rent of 1 penny paid on 24 June by Alan Sutor for the messuage which he holds in Sandlake, which once belonged to Henry Crul <p>The abbot and convent have released Thomas from a rent of 1 penny from a piece of land adjoining the land of Vinehall (Finhaghe) [in Mountfield], which Eloise daughter of Reinger formerly demised to Robert de Yuherst.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Dene, Thomas Skiret, John Mone, Robert Longus, John de Giseburne, Martin de Haddele, Ralph Yevegod, Fulk Cocus, John Purs</p> <p>Endorsed: Haremer'; Thomas Tailur.</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 34</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/20 Ink number: 832</p>

	<p>Pencil number: 81 Unidentified numbers: 108 Thorpe page/entry: 20/4</p>
<p>Box 13 Item 850</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: William Fillol kt, son of William Fillol, to the abbot and convent of Battle Ten acres of land within a ditch in his marsh of Pevensey (Pevenesel) (W: Thomas de Chilly; E: the road from Wartling (Wertling') to the ferry of Pevensey; N: the chaplain of Manxeve (Manekes)'; S: William's demesne land) The monks are to make a ditch ten feet wide between the land and William's demesne, clean it when necessary and throw the mud towards their land.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Sancto Leodegar', Bertin de Esburnham, William de Sokeners', William de Bestinore, Michael de Beche, Alured de Chilly, Luke de Swynham, John de Gotecumb', Martin de Lampham</p> <p>Seals: Seal showing an engrailled cross; + S' W[ILL]ELM[I FI]LLEL</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 93v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/4 Ink number: 850 D number: D102 Unidentified numbers: 373</p>
<p>Box 13 Item 860</p>	<p>Conveyance for 13s 4d and a robe. Approximately 1190.</p> <p>Description: Hugh de Hores, son of Richard de Wylendun', to William de Echengeham. 1 The small brushwood coppice (virgultum), and all that is enclosed within it, which Richard extremo plantavit (? completely established) at Willingdon (Wylendun) 2 The half-acre at the east end of the coppice 3 The land on which the barn stands, which Richard <i>ultimo edificare fecit</i> (?had built at the end of the plot), in Willingdon, with all the way out to the road 4 A perch of land at the barn's north end 5 Half an acre of meadow, which lies towards the house of Brian de Molendino To hold of Hugh, paying a pair of white gloves worth 1 penny at Easter for all services excluding the king's, which is ½d [when scutage is] 16s 8d and ¼d at 12s 6d.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard de Exetes, Gilbert Porter, Alexander de Scorteknolle, Philip de Todescop, Richard Branch', Walter de Ratt'</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f81</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/18 Ink number: 860 Pencil number: 106 Thorpe page/entry: 28/10</p>
<p>Box 13 Item 868</p>	<p>Transcript of a conveyance for 22 shillings of approximately 1270. Approximately 1380.</p> <p>Description: Thomas de Hermer to John, son of the chaplain of Whatlington. A field called Hotorlond in Whatlington (heading E: land called The Helde; W: the Battle-Bodiam road; S: a field called The Rede; N: the Hastings-Robertsbridge road) Paying 16 pence annually to the chief lords, and 1 penny to Thomas by way of warranty for all services.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Whatlyngton, Thomas Scuyret, Geoffrey de Hogstepe, William de Hodesdale, Geoffrey de Chytelesbyrch, Joce le Coupere, Joce de Fynhage, John Wyllard, Roger and John la Wilde, Joce de Ferne</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/15</p>

	<p>Ink number: 868 Thorpe page/entry: 20/2</p>
<p>Box 13 Item 1012</p>	<p>Quitclaim for £3 6s 8d. Approximately 1310.</p> <p>Description: John son of Hugh le Hunte to the abbot and convent of Battle His claim in all the lands and tenements within the leuga, which Hugh gave to them.</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam le Mone, Stephen le Pessonier, John Forester, Daniel le Taylor, Joce le Hunte, Robert de Beche, William le Turnur, Richard Koc, Reynold atte Felde, Thomas le Webbe, Ellis le Fauconer</p> <p>Endorsed: [leuga deleted] villa Cxlvj</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/ Ink number: 1012 Pencil number: 21 Unidentified numbers: 25 Thorpe page/entry: 22/8</p>
<p>Box 13 Item 1111</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Sybil de Ykelesham, daughter of Ralph de Ykelesham, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Her body to be buried there in whatever burying-place (in quocumque loco funiero) 2 All the land of her fee in Cotingele and Bremmesle, and in the brook of Pigglinde [?Barline in Peasmarsh] 3 All the land in Barnhorn (Bernehorne) [in Bexhill] and in the down of Pigglinde (in Duna de Pigglinde), which William and Thomas, sons of Ralph Molendinarius, held of her. 4 All the land in Barnhorn and in the down of Pigglinde which Roger de Caldecote held of her. 5 All the land in Barnhorn which Gunnild, widow of Roger, held of her 6 All the land in Badelesmere which Aldid', widow of Siward, held of her 7 All the land in Barnhorn which Ellis son of Simon held of her 8 All the land in Barnhorn which Walter son of Robert held of her. <p>Witnesses: Simon de Echingham, William de Munceaus, Robert de Hasting', Laurence de Mundifeld', Herbert de Munceaus, Oliver de Westefeld, master Richard of Battle, Osbert de Levesham, Bertin de Gestling', Samson de Levesham, Ralph le Bret, Matthew Portarius, Richard Marescallus</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys; [+ SIGILL' SI]BILLE D IKELESH[AM]</p> <p>Endorsed: Bernehore; .ij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f130, where it is marked triplex.</p> <p>Notes: This deed is perhaps a confirmation by Sybil, in her widowhood, of the grant of the same property made by her and Nicholas Heringod (Box 13, Item 1511), which is in the same hand and has the same witnesses. The cartulary is glossed, presumably from one of the duplicates, in her widowhood. This deed cannot, on palaeographical grounds, be dated to before their marriage, which had taken place by 1210, see <i>Sussex Archaeological Collections</i> 58 182.</p> <p>Related materials: Same as Box 4, Item 1223, but which omits the gift of her body for burial.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/12 Ink number: 1111 D number: D87</p>
<p>Box 13 Item 1118</p>	<p>Quitclaim in the open court of Battle. Approximately 1190.</p>

	<p>Description: Peter Clericus, son of John Daniel of Battle, to Alan Cementarius and his wife Clemence</p> <p>All his claim to the tenement in Battle, which consists of the messuage (between Peter's messuage and the messuage which belonged to Robert Barat) which Richard de Malling' held, which once belonged to JD</p> <p>Paying 5 pence annually on 29 September in the court of Battle, and 2½d to Peter on the same day.</p> <p>Witnesses: Laurence de Mundfel, Simon de Brunfor', Thomas de Aremer, Michael de Bech', Luke Savug', Robert Cementarius, Lambin Chery, William Cordev', Martin Pistor, John Piscator, John Godef', John the clerk</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys; + S' PETRI : F'. IOHANIS DANIEL</p> <p>Endorsed: the first charter of the tenement of J de Geseburn'</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 9</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/7 Ink number: 1118 Pencil number: 1</p>
Box 13 Item 1126	<p>Conveyance for 6 shillings. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: John, son of Roger le Menyer, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>His curtilage in the vill of Battle which the abbot and convent enclosed</p> <p>To hold of John; 2 shillings of the consideration paid to John's mother.</p> <p>Witnesses: Reynold prior of Brecon', Andrew de Flintham, Robert de Lanmays [?Llanmaes], Walter Sanitor, John le Norreis, Luke de Swynham, Nicholas le Mareschal, Lambin le Kyng, Fulk Pycot</p> <p>Endorsed: villa; .lxxvij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f107v, where it is marked duplex; the entry is taken from Box 8, Item 1211, which includes bounds.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/2 Ink number: 1126 Thorpe page/entry: [not found, but see 27/2]</p>
Box 13 Item 1130	<p>Grant of easement. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Henry, prior and the monks of St Martin de Bosco [St Martin-au-Bois, Normandy], to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>That Battle may have a <i>wetergang</i> sixteen feet wide through the middle of their manor of Hooe (Ho) to the sea, through the wall which their farmer, Henry Clericus, made on the west side of the mill which was in the marsh, to sew their land of Hooe and the land of Battle abbey where they march together</p> <p>Another watergang of sixteen feet is to form the boundary between the two estates, which now runs in a straight line as a result of an exchange made between the parties, by the view and assent of the prior and the whole hallmoot of Hooe</p> <p>The abbot and convent may not fish in the watergang without the licence of the prior or his bailiff, who retain the fishery; the abbot and convent to make and maintain the watergang from the Black Wall to the wall which Henry made, which, with its gutters, the prior will warrant and maintain, without any repairs to the mill to the nuisance of the abbot and convent; if the prior fail in the maintenance, the abbot and convent may undertake it by the view of two lawful men, one from each side, and recover the costs from the prior, according to the law of the marsh in those parts by the view of the two men.</p> <p>Witnesses: Gilbert Barrier then sheriff of Sussex, Geoffrey de Sancto Leodegario, lord of</p>

	<p>Wartling (Wertling'), William de Munceaus, Simon de Sumery, Laurence de Mundifeld, James de Northie, Richard de Esburneham, Warner de Sumery, Robert de Manekesie, William Fillel, Nicholas Pecchard, Thomas de Beastenovre</p> <p>Seals: Seal showing an equestrian figure; ...DE M...V[?William de Munceaus, constable of Pevensey castle, see <i>Victoria History of the Counties of England Sussex</i> 9, p. 133]</p> <p>Endorsed: Ber'; Bernehore xxxix; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 133v</p> <p>Notes: William de Monceux was lord of Herstmonceux between 1217 and 1243; Gilbert Barrier, the undersheriff, is not recorded as such after 1217.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/20 Ink number: 1130 D number: D81 Thorpe page/entry: 22/7</p>
Box 13 Item 1141	<p>Conveyance for £3 6s 0d. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: John de Popinton' to the almonry of Battle 6 acres and 7 rods (<i>virgata</i>) of his brookland in Popinton', and 3 acres of upland (<i>terra suseinia</i>) next to the brookland, stretching from the place called the old mill on the north, along the length of the brookland; the N end of the 3 acres is against the end of the 7 rods of brookland; (N: the land of William de Perlinton'; S: land called Levota's meadow; W: John's land; E: the fee of Maxfield (Mexefeld) [in Guestling])</p> <p>To hold of John, paying 2 pence on 21 December and 2 pence on 2 February for all services and suits of court; John to provide a right of way across his land.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Brunnesford, Geoffrey de Royng', Adam le Hay, Luke de Swinham, Reinger Luc', Godfrey de Petta, John Pret, Stephen Pret, Walter de Halton', William Betel, William le Riche, Vincent le Riche</p> <p>Seals: Seal showing a flower; + S' IOHANNI DE POPINTONE</p> <p>Endorsed: 6 acres of brookland and 3 acres upland; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]; 66 shillings.</p> <p>Related materials: The text of Box 3, Item 1138 is almost identical, but refers to 2 acres of upland, and omits part of the boundary clause.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/2 Ink number: 1141 D number: D75 Thorpe page/entry: [not found, note: 32/2 refers to Box 3, Item 1138]</p>
Box 13 Item 1149	<p>Grant. Approximately 1235.</p> <p>Description: Eleanor [Marshall], countess of Pembroke, to the abbot and convent of Battle The buildings and lands which her faithful Durand, son of Waldelin de Suttun', bought, and gave to them, in her manor of Sutton [at Hone, Kent], except the lands which he inherited, and the buildings which he had within her borough of Sutton</p> <p>To hold of Eleanor, paying the accustomed rent.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir Ralph her chaplain, Hugh de la Mare, Ralph son of Richard, William Blowet, Stephen de Wilebi, Roger de Conterecote, Richard son of Ralph, Andrew de la Breche, Thomas Pincerna</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 36v</p> <p>Notes: Eleanor, daughter of king John, married William Marshall, earl of Pembroke, who died in 1231; Sutton was part of her dowry (<i>Complete peerage of England, Scotland, Ireland, Great Britain, and the United Kingdom</i> [GEC] 10 368). In that year, the sheriff of Kent was ordered to</p>

	<p>put her in seisin of the manor (<i>Calendar of the Closed Rolls, 1227-1231</i>, 518). On 7 January 1238 she married Simon de Montfort, earl of Leicester (GEC 7 546)].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/10 Ink number: 1149 Pencil number: 120 Thorpe page/entry: 29/5</p>
Box 13 Item 1153	<p>Confirmation. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Adam le Hay to Robert Fostre All the lands, brookland and rents which Ralph le Hay sold to Robert, as is contained in the charters which he has [Box 13, item 707].</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Farl', Henry son of Reynold, Simon de Lideham, Alan de Ychintun', John de Ychint', Stephen Pret, Godfrey de Pette, Stephen de Clivesende</p> <p>Endorsed: [theta and another mark]; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]; hi est.</p> <p>Related materials: For transcript, see BA 520/13.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/ Ink number: 1153 Thorpe page/entry: 21/6</p>
Box 13 Item 1166	<p>Confirmation by chief lord. Approximately 1215.</p> <p>Description: Simon de Echingham, for his soul, the souls of his parents, ancestors and successors, to the abbot and convent of Battle The gift by Simon Godintun' of twelve Flemish acres in his marsh (4 acres held of him by Constance the wife (<i>femina</i>) of Peter Muissun, and the 8 acres which lie to the S), which he held of Simon's father William de Echingham.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon's brother William de Echingham, Laurence de Mundifeld, Richard de Wetlingetun', William de Haremere, Richard de Tiresherse, Reynold de Beche, Gilbert Dispensator, Matthew the porter of Battle</p> <p>Seals: Three diamond cuts for seal-threads.</p> <p>Endorsed: Ikleham; xxj. ; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f123v</p> <p>Notes: Simon had inherited his father's land by 1212 (<i>Victoria History of the Counties of England Sussex</i> 9, p. 212).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/ Ink number: 1166 Thorpe page/entry: 15/7</p>
Box 13 Item 1176	<p>Confirmation by chief lord. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Thomas de Haremere to the abbot and convent of Battle All the land in Bulande which John son of Clement the clerk of Battle gave, which Clement and then John held of Bartholomew Cumin, and which John subsequently held of Thomas</p> <p>Free from any suit of court and service; the monks to acquit John of [a rent of] 12 pence payable to Thomas within the week of 29 September in the court of Whatlington, (Hwatlingetun'), which Clement and John used to pay on 29 September and 21 December.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert de Hastings, Oliver de Westefeld, Robert de Sedlescumbe, Osbert de Levesham, Herbert de Burgherse, Matthew Port', Isaac Stamford, Richard Marescall', Roger Tupin, William Panetier, Ralph de Anestie, Walter de Burgherse, Adam de Cudenn'</p>

	<p>Seals: Fragment of seal showing a bird; ...REMERE</p> <p>Endorsed: Whatlington (Watlington)' .x. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 114v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/15 Ink number: 1176 Pencil number: 29</p>
Box 13 Item 1186	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Hugh de Ores, son of Richard de Wilendun', to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the sacrist 2½ acres in the field called Ores in Willingdon (Wilendun') (in length E: the land in the same field which Hamo Saget holds, which he took in marriage with his wife Margaret; N: Eilnod's land; in length along the way which goes from Hugh's house to the ditch called Ordik)</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Echingham, William de Muncell', Robert de Firles, Geoffrey de Champeneis, Hamo Saget, Henry Blund, William Panetier, Philip son of Richard, Herbert son of Walter, Walter and William sons of Walter, Simon de Hidenye</p> <p>Endorsed: Walter the deacon, Job de Wilindun', William son of the priest, Martin Abraham, Geoffrey Diering, Peter de Molendino, Roger de la Leie and John serjeant of Lullington (Lulint)' were present when Hugh de Ores again put Adam the sacrist in full seisin of the 2½ acres of Ores by this present charter renewed.</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f81v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/6 Ink number: 1186 Pencil number: 334 [recte 333, see Vol 30 f81v] Thorpe page/entry: 29/1</p>
Box 13 Item 1189	<p>Confirmation by chief lord. Approximately 1235.</p> <p>Description: Geoffrey de Sancto Leodegario, with the assent of his son William, to the almonry of Battle. The sales, gifts and grants which Adam le Hay and his brother Ralph have made to the almonry from their tenement of Maxfield (Mexfeld) [in Guestling], in lands, rents and all things.</p> <p>Witnesses: [No witnesses]</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Related materials: For transcript, see BA 520/17.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/2 Ink number: 1189 Thorpe page/entry: part of 21/2</p>
Box 13 Item 1210	<p>Quitclaim. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Hasting' knight, son and heir of William de Hasting, to the abbot and convent of Battle His right in the land concerning which there was a dispute between him and abbot Ralph [de Coventry], the bounds of which are as follows: from the corner of Michael de Beche's land to the bank formerly made between the land of abbot John [de Dover, 1200-1215] of Battle and Robert's grandfather Robert de Hasting'; thence along that bank to Rette [Rat Farm in Battle]; from Rette as far as the stream, as the hedge and ditch divide Werth and Holham; and as the same water divides Werth and The Hoke, as far as the hedge and ditch which rises from the stream and goes between the land of</p>

	<p>Robert de Molendino and the widow of Hamme, as far as the land of Alan de Dunintun'; and as the hedge and ditch divides the land of Robert de Molendino and the land of Alan de Dunintun' as far as the road.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Moncell', Laurence de Mundifeld, Walter de Peneherst, Richard de Esburneham, Walter de Escotign', James son of William, Gilbert Barrier, Simon de Sumery, Robert de Manekes', Thomas de Haremere, Simon de Brunesford, Richard de la Gare, John de Gilling'</p> <p>Endorsed: leuga .ij.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f102</p> <p>Notes: Ralph de Coventry became abbot in 1235 and William de Monceaux died in 1243.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/19 Ink number: 1210 Pencil number: 16 Thorpe page/entry: part of 21/1</p>
Box 13 Item 1219	<p>Release of rent for 10 shillings. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Adam Hay to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the almonry An annual rent of 13 pence which they pay Adam on 29 September from a messuage which Ralph de Mixefeld formerly held, and from a croft between that messuage and the messuage which belonged to Adam's mother Levota, and from 1 acre to the west of the croft, all formerly held of Adam by his brother Ralph Except the service of the king and the count of 3 pence in 13s 4d [for scutage] and castleguard of 1 penny.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Geffrei, Vincent de la Stokke, John Prat, Hilary Prat, Godfrey de Bromham, Ralph de Grofherst clerk, Godfrey de Pette, Ingelran de Stokke, William Riche, Peter de Lideham, Alan de Lideham, William de Sneylham</p> <p>Endorsed: e with arrow at end of crossbar; note in the book of the almoner's office [approximately 1550]; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Notes: Written by the clerk of Lincoln's Inn MS Hale 87.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/16 Ink number: 1219 Pencil number: 25 Thorpe page/entry: 21/3</p>
Box 13 Item 1236	<p>Grant for rent. Approximately 1226.</p> <p>Description: Nicholas Harengod and his wife Sybil to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 All the land of their fee in Cotingele and Bremmesle, and in the brook of Pigglinde [?Barline in Peasmarsh] 2 All the land in Barnhorn (Bernehorne) [in Bexhill] and in the down of Pigglinde (in Duna de Pigglinde), which William and Thomas, sons of Ralph Molendinarius, held of them 3 All the land in Barnhorn and in the down of Pigglinde which Roger de Caldecote held of them 4 All the land in Barnhorn which Gunnild, widow of Roger, held of them 5 All the land in Badelesmere which Aldid', widow of Siward, held of them 6 All the land in Barnhorn which Ellis son of Simon held of them 7 All the land in Barnhorn which Walter son of Robert held of them <p>To hold of Nicholas and Sybil, paying £1 12s 0d within 12 days of 25 December in the court of Icklesham (Yclesham) for all service and suit of court.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Echingham, William de Munceaus, Peter de Scoteny, Robert de Hasting', Laurence de Mundifeld', Herbert de Munceaus, Oliver de Westefeld, William de Houtun',</p>

	<p>Reynold rector of Icklesham, Herbert son of Walter, Osbert de Levesham, Matthew the porter of Battle, Ralph le Bret</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys, + SIGILL' NICOL HERINGOT; a fleur de lys, + SIGILL' SIBILLE DE IKEL...AM</p> <p>Endorsed: Lvij. duplex</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 136</p> <p>Notes: Nicholas Heringot died in 1228 (see <i>Sussex Archaeological Collections</i> 58 183). Sybil's grant of the same property (Box 13, Item 1111), including her body for burial, can perhaps be dated to her widowhood. For a grant of the same property by Nicholas and Sybil in free alms, see Box 13, 1511.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/19 Ink number: 1236 Pencil number: 4 D number: D80 Thorpe page/entry: 41/6</p>
Box 13 Item 1240	<p>Grant of rent in free alms. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Luke, son of Robert Salvag', to the abbot and convent of Battle, for the maintenance of a lamp to burn every night before the altar of St Mary in the abbey church An annual rent of 2s 6d, which Alexander de Swinham will place upon the altar in Luke's name within the week after 29 September Right of distraint on the tenement which Luke holds of the abbot and convent in Barnhorn (Bernehorn)' [in Bexhill], if Alexander and his heirs fail in the payment; Luke pledges the tenement in Barnhorn that he will not disinherit Alexander or his heirs of his tenement in Swineham (Swinham), thus rendering him less able to pay the rent; Alexander will come to the court of Battle and there swear fealty to the abbot and convent in respect of the payment.</p> <p>Witnesses: Philip de Essettesford, Osbert de Levesham, Matthew the porter, Richard Marescallus, Guy de Bello, Thomas de Bosint', Jordan de Prinkeham, Thomas de Kingesnad'</p> <p>Endorsed: cyrographum Sancte Marie; de Svyngam</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f44</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/6 Ink number: 1240 Pencil number: 4 Unidentified numbers: 155 Thorpe page/entry: 33/3</p>
Box 13 Item 1242	<p>Conveyance for ...1 marks. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Ralph son of Ellis to the abbot and convent of Battle Land in the vill of Winchelsea (Wincheles'), in breadth between the land which belonged to Albin le King and the lane in front of the house of Robert de Pr[omhu]ll', and in length between the road which goes to the Ord (Ordum) and to the south Paying Ralph an annual rent of ...s at Winchelsea.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Farleg', Alan de ...don', Stephen son of Andrew, Paulin de la Mora, Stephen Mercator, Godfrey Poun, Reynold P[oun], [?Paul]in son of Osmund</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys; + SIGILL' RAD... ..E</p> <p>Notes: The ink has flaked along the left margin of this deed.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/15 Ink number: 1242</p>
Box 13 Item 1243	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: William Melkere to the abbot and convent of Battle</p>

	<p>All the land which William holds of the fees of Whatlington and Wickham (Wicham), in plainland and woodland, meadows and feedings, hedges and ditches, entries and exits, brooks and waters, dry and wet [land]</p> <p>Free of all services, except those to the lords [of the fees] and foreign services.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Etchingeham kt, William de Sokeness' kt, Joel de Sancto Germano kt, Robert Basok kt, Henry de Givingetun', John de Iham, Richard Maresscallus, Luke de Swhinham, Walter de Synewoldesye, Reinger de Whatlingeton' Lambin le King, Nicholas Maresscallus</p> <p>Endorsed: Watlington'; .v. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f114</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/5 Ink number: 1243 Pencil number: 49 Unidentified numbers: 9 Thorpe page/entry: 26/3</p>
Box 13 Item 1264	<p>Quitclaim for 13s 4d. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Adam le Hay to abbot Ralph [de Coventry] and the convent of Battle and the almonry of the same church</p> <p>The third part of the lordship of Maxfield (Mexefeld') [in Guestling], being the land which his mother Levota had in dower, in men, lands, rents, services, woodland, plainland, meadows and brooks</p> <p>Free of all services, except that which Adam's brother Ralph le Hay is accustomed to perform to him, and except that of the king and the count.</p> <p>Witnesses: James son of William, Philip de Essettesf', Ralph de Muschamp, Ralph le Hay, Michael de Beche, Thomas de Boitun', William Paneter, Richard Maresc', Geoffrey Eilred, Colin Maresc', Hugh de Flintham, Robert de Altun'</p> <p>Seals: a flower; + S' A[DE D]E HAI</p> <p>Endorsed: .H. ; star; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]; unam marcam; Hi est.</p> <p>Notes: Datable from the abbacy of Ralph of Coventry, 1235-1261.</p> <p>Related materials: For transcript, see BA 520/16.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/17 Ink number: 1264 Pencil number: 70 D number: D83 Thorpe page/entry: part of 21/2</p>
Box 13 Item 1277	<p>Deed of exchange. Approximately 1200.</p> <p>Description: Henry son of Richard de Popinton' to Snelgar de Popinton'</p> <p>All the land of Popintone which Richard held</p> <p>Snelgar grants Henry in exchange:</p> <p>A messuage in Winchelsea (Winchelese), 34 feet long and 20 feet wide, which Philip Hacun held, and £1 6s 8d.</p> <p>Witnesses: William parson of Guestling, (Gestelinge), his nephew Simon the chaplain, Godfrey de Pette, Gilbert de Stanlinke, Stephen Pret, Philip Hacun, John Pret, Roger Scapp', Humphrey de Laca, Adrian Cordel, Albin Cordel</p> <p>Seals: Seal-tag formed from a draft.</p> <p>Endorsed: Something like an est sign; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/ Ink number: 1277</p>
<p>Box 13 Item 1278</p>	<p>Confirmation by chief lord of lease for 16 years from 7 July. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Walter le Boef to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the sacristy The land of Bodherst, granted to them by Robert de Aubervill' who holds of Walter's fee, to hold in woodland and plainland, in meadows and feedings, paths and waters, men, rents and services Free from all services except the king's, at the rate of 20d in 13s 4d. Witnesses: Henry de Pirie, Adam de Bromleg', Herbert de Burgherse, Matthew Portarius, Thomas de Bosintun', Richard Marescallus, Richard de Malling', Stephen Marescallus Seals: A running bull; + SIGILL' ...TERI [B]OVIS Endorsed: Bovis Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f36v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/14 Ink number: 1278 D number: D82 Unidentified numbers: 30; 22; 121</p>
<p>Box 13 Item 1283</p>	<p>Conveyance for 6 shillings. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Thomas de Haremere to William, son of Manser de Herst, for his homage and service The eighth part of a virgate called Derham, in Whatlington (Whatlingetone), which Robert le Hurt once held To hold of Thomas by an annual rent of 2s for all services, except those of the king and the count, at the rate which pertains to an equivalent free tenement (<i>de tanto libero tenemento</i>) of the same fee. Witnesses: Robert Basoc, Michael de Bech', Luke de Swinham, Reinger de Whatlingeton', Thomas de Herst, John de Sedlescumbe, William de Herst, John de Hocstepe, Pagan de Curia, Ralph de Ferne Seals: An object surmounted by a circle; + SIGILL' TOME ... [illegible; vesica-shaped].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/14 Ink number: 1283 D number: D88</p>
<p>Box 13 Item 1293</p>	<p>Conveyance for 7s 2d. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Sybil de Iclesham, daughter of Ralph de Iclesham, to Robert de Bocholt' for his homage and service A virgate in Codingeleia which During held To hold of Sybil by an annual rent of 4 shillings for all services, except the king's service (the scutage which belongs to a virgate), and the service of the bishop of Chichester (2 pence on 24 June and 2 pence on 29 September)</p> <p>Robert and his heirs may take reasonable and sufficient wood to make and repair their enclosures and buildings, without committing waste; of the consideration, 6s 8d paid to Sybil and 6 pence to her son John to buy a bow.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Gelling', Alfred de Cnelle, Robert Foth, Thomas de Bocholt', John de Pupplesham, William de Colint', William de Sumeri Endorsed: B'; Bernehore; .Lv. Cartulary: Vol 29 f 136</p>

	<p>Notes: This can presumably be dated after the death of Nicholas Harengod in 1228; for an identical grant by them both for £1 13s 10d, see Box 11, Item 1137.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/11 Ink number: 1293 Thorpe page/entry: 42/2</p>
Box 13 Item 1294	<p>Quitclaim by widow for 20 shillings. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Denise [de la Pende], daughter of Thomas Ruffi of Battle, widow of John de la Pende, to the abbot and convent of Battle Her right in the moiety of a croft by the quarry of Battle, which came to her in marriage by her father's gift.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Etchingham kt, William de Sancto Leodegario kt, William de Sokeness' kt, Joel de Sancto Germano kt, Robert Basoc kt, Michael de Bech', Luke de Swinhinham, John de lham, Richard Marescallus, Hugh de Flintham, John de London', William de Dene</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys; + S' DEONISIE : DE : LAPENDE</p> <p>Endorsed: town; .xxj. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 103v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/10 Ink number: 1294 Pencil number: 100 D number: D77</p>
Box 13 Item 1296	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Walter le Boef, son of Robert le Boef, to the abbot and convent of Battle All his land called Bodherste, all his land of The Grave, and all his land of The Beche, in woodland and plainland, waters, meadows and feedings, in rents and services, in the men and their sequel.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert de Aubervill', Herbert de Munceaus, Robert de Warbertun', Herbert son of Walter de Burgherse, Thomas de Warbertun', master Richard de Coventr', Osbert de Levesham, Matthew Porter, Alexander de Sandherst, Baldwin de Cant', Ralph de Anest', Ralph Goky, Geoffrey Eilred</p> <p>Seals: Seal on red and white silk threads showing a running bull; + SIGILL' WALTE...</p> <p>Endorsed: bovis; ij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f37v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/9 Ink number: 1296 Pencil number: 102 Unidentified numbers: 124</p>
Box 13 Item 1301	<p>Conveyance for £3 7s 0d. Approximately 1210.</p> <p>Description: Alan de Pukehole to Geoffrey Ailred and Wilard de Merile, son of Gilbert de Bosco All his land of Pukehole called Estfeld, which lies between the land of Rikelherste, the land of Geoffrey de Pukehole and the water which runs through Pukehole to the millpond of The Stene, with a sufficient free way to it through Adam's land To hold of Alan by an annual rent of 9 pence on 29 September and 9 pence on 21 December for all services.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir Laurence de Mundifeld, Richard de Esburneham, Simon de Cattesfeld, Thomas de Haremere, Philip de Essetesford, Michael de Beche, Richard Marescallus, Ralph de Anastie,</p>

	<p>William Paneter, Thomas de Kingesnade, Richard de Malling'</p> <p>Endorsed: Leuga.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/3 Ink number: 1301 Pencil number: 107 Thorpe page/entry: 32/5</p>
Box 13 Item 1333	<p>Quitclaim by widow for 13[s] 0d . Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Denise, widow of John son of Alan Vannur, to the abbot and convent of Battle Her right by virtue of dower or any other reason in the tenements which John sold to them.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Dene, Ralph Portarius, Simon Fullo, John Mone, Henry master of the schools, Stephen Bussard</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys; + S' DIONI.. [FI]L' KOC</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/14 Ink number: 1333 D number: D90 Unidentified numbers: 24 Thorpe page/entry: 36/3</p>
Box 13 Item 1509	<p>Grant of rent in free alms. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Warner de Sumeri to the abbot and convent of Battle, for the maintenance of a lamp to burn every night before the altar of St Mary in the abbey church</p> <p>1 Free rent of 12 pence paid by the heirs of William Liure from a messuage in front of the gate of the graveyard of St Martin, between the messuage of Maud before the Gate and the messuage of Robert Russel</p> <p>2 Free rent of 6 pence paid by the heirs of Geoffrey Cementarius from a messuage between the path which leads into Plasset and the messuage of Stephen Marescallus</p> <p>3 Free rent of 2 pence from the croft of Lambin King, which lies towards Duniford' between the land of Hamo Wulf and the land of John son of Clement</p> <p>The rents to be paid on the altar on 29 September; saving the abbot and court of Battle the rents and services due from the croft and messuages.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon chaplain of Playden (Pleidenn'), Philip de Esscetesford, Baldwin de Cantuar', Thomas de Boitun', Michael de Beche, Lambin King, Richard Marescallus, Thomas de Kingessnad', William Paneter, Malger de Langebregg', John Cocus, Adam Portarius</p> <p>Endorsed: carta Sancte Marie.</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f42</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/ Ink number: 1509 Pencil number: 14 Unidentified numbers: 146 Thorpe page/entry: 34/8</p>
Box 13 Item 1511	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Nicholas Harengot and his wife Sibilla de Ykelesham, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>1 All the land of their fee in Cotingele and Bremmesle, and in the brook of Pigglinde [?Barline in Peasmarsh]</p> <p>2 All the land in Bernehorne [Barnhorn in Bexhill] and in the down of Pigglinde (in Duna de Pigglinde), which William and Thomas, sons of Ralph Molendinarius held of them</p>

	<p>3 All the land in Barnhorn and in the down of Pigglinde which Roger de Caldecote held of them</p> <p>4 All the land in Barnhorn which Gunnild, widow of Roger, held of them</p> <p>5 All the land in Badelesmere which Aldid', widow of Siward, held of them</p> <p>6 All the land in Barnhorn which Ellis son of Simon held of them</p> <p>7 All the land in Barnhorn which Walter son of Robert held of them.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Echingham, William de Munceaus, Robert de Hasting', Laurence de Mundifeld', Herbert de Munceaus, Oliver de Westefeld, master Richard de Bello, Osbert de Levesham, Bertin de Gestling', Samson de Levesham, Ralph le Bret, Matthew Portarius, Richard Marescallus</p> <p>Endorsed: carta de Cotingelee; Lvij. duplex, this is better [than Box 13, Item 1236] because it is in pure alms.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f</p> <p>Related materials: Box 13, Item 1236, a grant for rent, has the same parties and parcels but a different witness list; Box 13, Item 1111, a grant in free alms by Sybil alone, includes her body for burial, and has an identical witness list; the cartulary marks it triplex.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/18 Ink number: 1511 Pencil number: 751 Thorpe page/entry: [not found, but see 41/6]</p>
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Box 14 Item 644	<p>Final concord, quindene of Easter 1265. 1265</p> <p>Description: Reynold abbot of Battle (by his attorney Roger de Bekles) v Richard de Tobbefeld and his wife Eloise</p> <p>Messuage, 22 acres land, 4 acres wood, 1 acre meadow and 3 shillings rent in Whatlington (Watlington'), concerning which a plea of covenant was summoned between them</p> <p>Richard and Eloise quitclaim for themselves and for her heirs; the abbot has received them into all the blessings and prayers which shall occur in his church.</p> <p>Justices: Gilbert de Preston', Nicholas de Turri, Hervey de Borham, William Bonquor.</p> <p>Endorsed: xxj.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 115v, listed as duplex.</p> <p>Notes: Diamond filing hole.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/25 Ink number: 644 Thorpe page/entry: 47/3</p>
Box 14 Item 655	<p>Counterpart final concord, octave of Trinity [Item 1108]. 1265</p> <p>Endorsed: duplex</p> <p>Related materials: For final concord, see Box 14, Item 1108.</p> <p>Notes: Diamond filing hole.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/3 Ink number: 655 Thorpe page/entry: 47/4</p>

<p>Box 14 Item 685</p>	<p>Quitclaim for 6s 8d. Approximately 1210.</p> <p>Description: Maud, daughter of Geoffrey Daniel of Battle, to Alan Cementarius Her right in the messuage which belonged to her father (between the messuage which belonged to Adam Soncke and the messuage which belonged to John Daniel), and all the lands and houses in the vill of Battle Alan to pay Maud an annual forgable of ½d on 29 September for all services, except that to the chief lord.</p> <p>Witnesses: Laurence de Mundifeld', Robert Basoc, Thomas de Haremere, Michael de Beche, Luke Salvage, John Clericus, Richard Portarius, Robert Cementarius, Hamo Dali, Geoffrey de Runtintun', Lambin le King, William Cordewaner</p> <p>Endorsed: Carta J de Giseburn' prima duplex</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 9</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/6 Ink number: 685 Pencil number: 2 Thorpe page/entry: 14/5</p>
<p>Box 14 Item 689</p>	<p>Final concord, quindene of Michaelmas 1242. 1242</p> <p>Description: Ralph [de Coventry], abbot of Battle (by his attorney John de Yham) v Olive de Wykham (by her attorney Robert de Wy) 50 acres of land in Sedlescombe (Sedelescumbe), concerning which a plea of warranty of charter was summoned between them To hold of Olive, paying a pound of cummin annually on 25 December, and performing all the other services to the chief lords; Olive and her heirs warrant the land in free alms; the abbot has received Olive and her heirs into all the blessings and prayers which shall occur in his church.</p> <p>Justices: Jollan de Nevill', Robert de Lexinton', Roger de Thurkelby, Gilbert de Preston'.</p> <p>Notes: Diamond filing hole. See Sussex Record Society 2 (1903), 409; the foot is endorsed with a memorandum of a claim by the abbot of Robertsbridge.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/16 Ink number: 689 Thorpe page/entry: 45/3</p>
<p>Box 14 Item 690</p>	<p>Final concord, octave of midsummer 1203. 1203</p> <p>Description: Adam, Osbert and Roger sons of Robert, Thomas and Gilbert sons of William, Thomas, William, Robert, Augustine and Adam sons of Ailwin and Osbert and Thomas sons of Walter de Prumhill' [Broomhill] (by their attorneys Osbert son of Robert, Osbert son of Walter and Adam son of Ailwin) VJohn [de Dover], abbot of Battle (by his attorney William the monk) The whole part of the marsh between Swanesmer' and The Chene [in Broomhill], which belongs to the abbot by virtue of an agreement made between him and the abbot of Robertsbridge Adam and the others recognize the land as the right of the abbot, for which he has given them 24 acres land and 8 acres of the above marsh which lie immediately south of the land of the abbot of Robertsbridge, to be held of the abbot of Battle by the free service of 12 pence annual rent on 30 November</p> <p>Justices: G son of Peter, Richard de Her', Simon de Pateshill, Eustace de Faucunberge, John de Gestling', Godfrey de Insula and Walter de Crepping'</p>

	<p>Endorsed: Johannes</p> <p>Notes: Diamond filing hole. The same individuals levied a similar fine with the abbot of Robertsbridge the following year; see Sussex Record Society 2 (1903), 93.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/15 Ink number: 690 Thorpe page/entry: 43/2</p>
Box 14 Item 709	<p>Final concord made in the chapterhouse of Battle Abbey. Approximately 1180.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Iclesham, (with the agreement of his heir Ralph, Ralph, parson of the church of Icklesham, Robert's brother Stephen and mother Maud) to Odo, abbot of Battle, and the convent of</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">His claim to land in the tenement of Barnhorn (Bernehorne) [in Bexhill]</p> <p>Describes the making of the concord in the chapterhouse in the presence of the whole convent, and of many knights and others who assembled from both sides, and the later placing of the claim on the altar of the abbey church in the presence of all.</p> <p>Consideration: £5 6s 8d, and 6s 8d annually on 11 November by the hand of the sacrist 'to whomsoever brings evidence of this writing'; Robert to have the 'brotherhood and society of all the goods in the church'; Robert will be received if he wishes to take the monks' habit, or masses and prayers said for him as though he had; his anniversary will be recorded with those of the monks.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert's maternal uncle Samson de Gestling', Robert's paternal uncle Henry, Walter de Scoteni, Ralph de Herebervile, Robert de Mundifeld, Gilbert de Ore, Peter de Criul, Osbern le Blund the king's serjeant (serviens), Ralph de Peplesham, John de Gillinges, Sewale de Langeherst, Robert Anglus, William Marescallus, Ellis Cocus, John Norreis.</p> <p>Seals: The chirograph bore the seals of Walter de Scoteni and Samson de Gestlinge in addition to those of the parties; only the root of a horizontal tag remains</p> <p>Notes: Diamond filing hole. Datable from the abbacy of Odo, 1175-1200; For the circumstances of the dispute, which was the subject of a hearing before the king in the 1160s, see Chronicle, pp 218-221. Since this charter does not bear the cartulary endorsement Lvijj (see cartulary, f136), it is presumably the counterpart which was surrendered by Robert's son Ralph after his father's death, for which see 1224.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/13 Ink number: 709 Thorpe page/entry: 40/3</p>
Box 14 Item 713	<p>Agreement declaring the terms of a feoffment. 5 July 1270.</p> <p>Description: John de Gyseburne and his wife Clemence with Robert de Beche, clerk</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">All their lands and tenements with buildings, messuages, homages and rents in the parish of Battle, according to a charter of feoffment to Robert</p> <p>After Robert takes seisin, John and Clemence and the survivor may possess the property for life, with remainder to Robert; Robert to pay them 20 shillings a year, with a 20 shillings penalty for any missed half-yearly payment, and give Clemence an ornament (warnementum) worth 6s 8d annually; John and Clemence to levy a fine in the king's court at Robert's expense [for which see Box 14, Item 1496], in the absence of which Robert may put himself in seisin of the property.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Dene, Simon de Cattefeud, Robert de Bromham, John le Mone, Robert Longus, Laurence Picok, Richard le Brazur, Adam Pycok, Fulk Cocus, John Clement, Lambin Sprevere, John Purs; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: An oak tree: + S' ROBERTI DE BECHE</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30, f11</p>

	<p>Notes: This charter, and the fine which followed it (1496, not in Sussex Record Society 7), are enrolled in the sacrist's cartulary, f11, under the rubric Caldbeck.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/22 Ink number: 713 D number: D73 Thorpe page/entry: 18/6</p>
Box 14 Item 740	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1210.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Manekeessye to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy A rod of land in the marsh of Pevensey (Pevensel), between the land of Nicholas son of Randolph de Wertling' and the land of Ingelram de Manekeessye, and stretching to the road of Pevensey.</p> <p>Witnesses: Philip de Essettesford, RM's brothers Ingelran and Ralph, Ralph Frankeleyn, Nicholas son of Randolph de Wertling', Warner de Sumery, Baldwin son of William, William Panetier, Lambin King</p> <p>Seals: [Seal gone]</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30, f 93v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/8 Ink number: 740 Pencil number: 371 Thorpe page/entry: 24/7</p>
Box 14 Item 777	<p>Lease for 15 years from 29 September 1240 for £2. [1240].</p> <p>Description: Robert [Basoc] de Sedlescumb' to the abbot and convent of Battle All his meadow which lies between the meadow of the church of Sedlescombe and the 3 acres of meadow which they previously had by his gift, and between the land of Sedlescombe and the land of Wicham.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir Robert de Hasting', Simon de Sumery, Michael de Bech', Robert de Brede, Thomas de Herst', Simon de Brunesford, Geoffrey de Royng', Richard Marescall', Lambin King, Robert de Molendino, Fulk Cocus, Thomas Lucetter</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: + SIGILL' ROBERTI : BASOC:</p> <p>Endorsed: void by the feoffment of the same [land; the land was subsequently granted to Battle; see cartulary, f 116v]</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/15 Ink number: 777 D number: D67 Thorpe page/entry: 44/2</p>
Box 14 Item 824	<p>Conveyance for £20. May 1272.</p> <p>Description: Edmund, son of Sir John de Criell', to John de Pycinge All the right which he acquired from his late brother Simon (<i>ex parte quondam Symonis fratris mei</i>) in Agmerhurst in Ashburnham (<i>uno loco qui vocatur Haemaresherst in paroschia de Esburnehamme</i>), and in the parish of Burwash (Burherst), in lands, rents, free and unfree tenants and in their services, reliefs, escheats, suits, gifts, aids and customary services John to pay Edmund an annual rent of 1 penny, to be paid on the tenement, for all services, pleas, suits, gifts, aids and harbourage (<i>heribergagium</i>), except the king's. Warranty against Sir Bertram de Criell' and his heirs, and against all others including jews, except the chief services to the other lords of the tenement, which John is to discharge.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir Matthew de Hasting', Sir Warres' de Valon' [Waresius de Valoynes], Sir John</p>

	<p>parson of Essedesforde [?Ashford in Kent], Simon de Sumer', Simon Paable, Walter de Beche, Alan de Repetun', Robert de Bromham, Richard de Esburneham, John de Smalefelde, John Barrar', William de Essedesforde, William de Gotesdenne, John de Fretingheye, Robert Waldenci</p> <p>Endorsed: Endorsed in leadpoint or pencil: Sacrist</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 18v</p> <p>Notes: For this charter, its confirmation by successive lords of Bodiam (of which Agmerhurst was held), John's undated grant to the sacrist of his rents in Agmerhurst in Ashburnham and in Burwash, and a warrant of attorney to put the abbot and convent in seisin of the tenants and their lands in Burwash, 28 February 1274, see the sacrist's cartulary ff 18v-19v.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/28 Ink number: 824 Pencil number: 40 Thorpe page/entry: 48/3</p>
Box 14 Item 953	<p>Grant. Approximately 1260.</p> <p>Description: Giles Faber, son of Luke de Swinham, to the abbot and convent of Battle for the upkeep of the lights before the altar of the blessed virgin in the abbey church</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">The service which Thomas son of Alexander de Swinham was accustomed to pay to Giles, and formerly to Luke, from the tenement which he holds in the parish of Hooe (Ho), in rents, reliefs, heriots, suits and escheats</p> <p>The abbot and convent to perform the services to the lords of the fee; reserving to Giles and his heirs the inheritance of the land should it occur, with the right to hold of the abbot and convent on the same terms as Thomas holds.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Cattesfeld, Walter de Beche, Richard de Beche, William de Dene, Thomas de Whatlintun', John le Mone, John le Funtener, Adam Picot, John de Giseburne, James Aurifaber, Laurence Picot, Robert le Lung</p> <p>Endorsed: vacat non legatur</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 44</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/9 Ink number: 953 Pencil number: 157 Thorpe page/entry: 35/5</p>
Box 14 Item 997	<p>Conveyance for £5 13s 4d. 10 August 1248.</p> <p>Description: Stephen son and heir of Ranulf de Nywenham to master Thomas de Torpel</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">His whole tenement of Newenham which belonged to his father, held of the court of St Leonards, Hastings</p> <p>Paying to the chief lords, the abbot and convent of [La-Trinité-du] Mont [otherwise St Katherine], Rouen, at the church of St Leonard in Hastings, an annual rent of 4 shillings, two hens and a cock on 25 December and 25 eggs at Easter for all services; the consideration said to be <i>ad magna negotia mea et ad meas nececitates relevandas</i>.</p> <p>Witnesses: Master William, rector of the churches of Fairlight (Farl') and Brede (Bred'), Sir Gilbert de Sancto Leonardo, Sir Ralph chaplain of the church of St Michael [Hastings], Richard de Regg', John de Godecumb', Vincent son of Vincent, Sir Robert bailiff of Hastings (Hast'), John de Croherst canon of [St Mary in] the castle, [Hastings], John Textor, Adam de Walderne, Robert de Cauri, Adam de Farl' clerk, and the whole hallmoot of the church of St Leonard, Hastings</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys; + SIGILL' STEPHANI DE N..ENAM; tag formed from a draft</p> <p>Endorsed: Newenham; .xix. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 121</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/ Ink number: 997 Pencil number: 32 Thorpe page/entry: 45/9</p>
<p>Box 14 Item 1041</p>	<p>Conveyance for £2 10s 0d. 1109</p> <p>Description: Osbern son of O[sbern] son of H[ugh], with his wife and heirs, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>The meadows of Bodiam (Bodeham), which are contained within the ambit of the ditches there, and an acre to take care of the meadows (<i>ad prata custodienda</i>) quit and free from all custom, so that in future none of Osbern's men may demand anything from the monks by custom or due; if anyone goes to the monks for any reason, they shall receive food and accommodation for love of Osbern, and not by the custom by which the monks give to others.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sired presbiter, Walter presbiter, Aelwin presbiter, Bernard presbiter, Benedict presbiter, Ed\$in presbiter, Elred clericus, William son of William, Robert son of Ralph, Drogo the sheriff, Luke called de Duvra, Robert de Wi, Benedict, his son Robert, Aluric, Ma., Reinbert, William nepos of Richard, Selwinus, Bruneb', Gold\$in Nosse, Gold\$in Irix, Hugh de Fulcarmonite, Beringer Rica called de Lolesfort, Gamelin, Reinbert son of El\$in, Martin brother of Ael\$in, Ulvincus Brad [\$ represented the rune wen]</p> <p>Endorsed: Bodiam (Bodiham) .j. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f124v</p> <p>Notes: The land had originally been granted by Osbern's father Osbern (<i>Victoria History of the Counties of England</i> 9, p. 262, quoting Hale 87 f8); This document is badly rubbed in its top-lefthand corner, and the top-righthand corner is torn away. Much of the text has been recovered from the cartulary at Lincoln's Inn (MS Hale 87).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/2 Ink number: 1041 Thorpe page/entry: 39/3</p>
<p>Box 14 Item 1108</p>	<p>Final concord, octave of Trinity 1269. 1269</p> <p>Description: Reynold abbot of Battle (by his attorney Roger de Bekles) v Thomas Skyret Messuage and 6 acres land in Whatlington (Watlyngeton'), and the advowson of the church of Whatlington</p> <p>The abbot has received Thomas and his heirs into all the blessings and prayers which shall occur in his church.</p> <p>Justices: Martin de Litlebir', master Roger de Seyton, John de Cobbeham.</p> <p>Endorsed: xxij. duplex</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f115v</p> <p>Related materials: For the counterpart, see Box 14, Item 655.</p> <p>Notes: Diamond filing hole.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/25 Ink number: 1108 Thorpe page/entry: 47/5</p>
<p>Box 14 Item 1121</p>	<p>Certificate of quitclaim for 2 shillings. April 1251.</p> <p>Description: Agnes daughter of Florence, wife of John son and heir of Osbert Trewe, to Nicholas de Sartrino</p> <p>Her right, after her husband's death, in a messuage in Battle Town (E: Laurence Picot's</p>

	<p>message; W: Philip del Welde's message), which John has sold to Nicholas by charter Agnes has taken an oath on the gospels before Richard, dean of Battle, by whom her action has been incorporated in this deed, which was sealed with his seal at the request of both parties.</p> <p><i>Renunciavit insuper prefata Agnes exceptioni pecunie non numerate et omnibus aliis exceptionibus privilegiis impetratis et impetrandis eidem Agneti ex utroque foro competentibus in omnium [?] valituris.</i></p> <p>Witnesses: Henry master of the schools, Hervey de Penehirst, Ormudo de Cornubia, Eadmund de Sandlake, Richard Ludelay, Peter son of Agnes; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Fragments of seal showing [?] a bird; + S' RICA[RDI : DEC]ANI : DE : BEL[LO]</p> <p>Endorsed: villa; CxxV</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29, f 110v</p> <p>Notes: The dating clause seems ambiguous. It is expressed as 'Anno domini M CC quinquagesimo primo mense Aprili ante annunciationem dominicam'.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/20 Ink number: 1121 Pencil number: 111 Unidentified numbers: 35 Thorpe page/entry: 46/6</p>
Box 14 Item 1127	<p>Grant. Approximately 1250.</p> <p>Description: Thomas le Neweman to his daughter Isabel, for her service Message in the vill of Battle, (in breadth between the message of Gilbert Picot and the message of Bartholomew le Swon, in length between the road and a pit called Lambin le King's pit) to hold of Thomas by an annual rent of ½d on 29 September for all services, except that to the abbot and convent, and paying for Thomas an annual rent of 3 pence on 29 September to the heirs of Heildiard.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Beche, Thomas de Haremere, Luke de Swinam, Renger de Watlingeton', Robert le Macun, his brother Alan, Lambin le King, John Godmeveche, Nicholas Maresscallus, John Piscator</p> <p>Seals: Seal fragment: ..OME..N.; tag formed from a draft of the deed</p> <p>Endorsed: villa .xxv. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 104</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/15 Ink number: 1127 Thorpe page/entry: 27/6</p>
Box 14 Item 1132	<p>Confirmation and grant by chief lord. Approximately 1115.</p> <p>Description: Henry count of Eu (Ou) to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Three wists in Barnhorn (Bernehorne) [in Bexhill] which Ingelran, Widelard de Bailol's man, with the consent of his lord, his wife and their sons, and with Henry's agreement, sold to the abbot and convent for £2 17s 0d, except scot and hidage, which he owes to Henry 2 The scot and hidage from the three wists above, for the soul of his father and all his relatives 3 The tithes of Buckholt (Boccolt) [in Bexhill], which Ingelran granted to the abbot and convent, as his predecessors Ralph Vidal' and Robert had done 4 All the tithes which have been given to the abbot and convent throughout his

	<p>earldom in England.</p> <p>Witnesses: Ingelran the sheriff, Anselm de Fraelvilla, Aelred the abbot's steward (dapifer), Reimbert, Ralph son of Benedict</p> <p>Endorsed: .j. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 130</p> <p>Notes: The chronicle states that the confirmation was obtained in the abbacy of Ralph, 1107-1124 (<i>Chronicle</i>, p 210); Ingram's gift was confirmed by Henry 1 in 1114 (Regesta 2.1061).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/12 Ink number: 1132 Thorpe page/entry: 40/1</p>
Box 14 Item 1144	<p>Confirmation by chief lord. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Sybil de Ikelesham in her widowhood and full power to the almonry of Battle The seven perches of land in Maxfield (Mixefeld) [in Guestling] which they have of her fee by the gift of Walter de Langherst and his wife Emma in free alms.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Luke de Swinham, Adam de Hay, William de Pertlington', William Betel, John de Crocham, Vincent de Stocche, Walter de Haltonia, Peter de Lideham, Benedict de Lideh', Robert de Cunifunte, Ingelram de Stok'</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]; hi est</p> <p>Related materials: For transcript, see BA 520/8.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/11 Ink number: 1144 Thorpe page/entry: 42/3</p>
Box 14 Item 1165	<p>Conveyance for 13s 4d. 22 April 1241.</p> <p>Description: Walter Bubulcus and his wife Agnes to the almonry of Battle Three quarters of an acre of meadow in Trandelie, east of the almonry's meadow To hold of Walter, paying ½d annually at the almonry; consideration paid by Richard the monk, keeper of the almonry.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Basoc, Thomas de Haremere, Geoffrey de Roing', Michael de Bech', Luke de Swynham, Richard Marescallus, Hugh de Flintham, Robert Cementarius, Lambin King, John Blund, Gilbert Hod', John son of Clement</p> <p>Seals: First seal only: a flower; + SIGILL' WALT BOVE</p> <p>Endorsed: from the time of R the almoner; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/16 Ink number: 1165 Thorpe page/entry: 45/5</p>
Box 14 Item 1172	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1190.</p> <p>Description: Ralph de Yclesham to Benedict, sacrist of Battle, and to his successors Ten shillings[' worth] of land in Eflesham, held by Herbert Faber, William Brun, Simon Munier and Andrew de Ullenec Free of all services, including those of the king and the count [of Eu]; warranty, saving the liberty of the tenants of those men the land of the tenants and their successors.</p> <p>Witnesses: Master Thomas de Salheste, Vincent de Rya, John de Gillinges, William the reeve of Hastings, Simon Mustarde, Thomas canon of Hastings, Philip Bret, William the chaplain of Icklesham (Yclesham)</p>

	<p>Seals: Seal in fragments.</p> <p>Endorsed: Circle with a line.</p> <p>Notes: Before 1204.</p> <p>Related materials: This charter appears to be a duplicate of Box 9, Item 968, in which the last witness is named as the writer. The text enrolled in the sacrist's cartulary at f 90 is that of 968, which is there called first charter; 1172 is noted as second charter on the same folio.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/12 Ink number: 1172 Thorpe page/entry: 41/2</p>
Box 14 Item 1192	<p>Letters of attorney. 3 November 1252.</p> <p>Description: Master Thomas de Torpel to master William, rector of Westfield (Westefeld) His land of Niwenham with its buildings and woods Thomas appoints William his proctor to sell the land and to deliver seisin to the purchaser, with full power.</p> <p>Endorsed: .xxij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 121</p> <p>Notes: The ink number is duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/20 Ink number: 1192 Thorpe page/entry: 46/7</p>
Box 14 Item 1224	<p>Release of rent and grant of land to endow a monk. Approximately 1195.</p> <p>Description: Ralph son of Robert de Yclesham, with the agreement of his mother Sybil and all his relatives and friends, and for the love of his brother John, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The rent of 6s 8d which they were bound to pay to Robert and to Ralph as his heir from a virgate of land in Beroole [?Barnhorn in Bexhill] 2 A piece of land before the gate of Belnole which belonged to Alured le Hare, for which he paid 3 shillings <p>Recites the origin of the rent in a final concord levied between Robert and the abbey at Westminster [recte at Battle; see Box 14, Item 709]; the release of the rent by Robert before his death by charter; the surrender by Ralph of the charter which his father had from the abbot and convent at the time of the final concord [?the concord itself, Box 14, Item 709]; that John is to be received as a monk.</p> <p>Witnesses: Ralph parson of Icklesham, Robert Anglus, Ralph's uncle Stephen, Osbert Blund, Vincent de Ria, William Marescallus, Ellis Cocus</p> <p>Seals: Equestrian seal; SIGILLLESHAM</p> <p>Endorsed: Bernehorne .Lix. ; #</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 136</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/11 Ink number: 1224 D number: D70 Thorpe page/entry: 46/1</p>
Box 14 Item 1233	<p>Grant. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: Ralph Fillel, with the agreement of his son and heir William, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>The holdings of the abbot and convent in the marsh of Pevensey (Pevensel) which they have by the gift of his ancestors, that is to say:</p>

	<p>1 eight acres of land called the land of St Martin, surrounded with ditches 2 The whole tithe of Ralph's demesne which Brunkinus de Hasting' gave and which Ralph [?Luffa, 1091-1123] bishop of Chichester, confirmed With free entry and exit through his land to cultivate the land and to remove the crops and the tithes. Ralph demands nothing for the grant, except that he and his heirs share in the prayers and alms of the abbey.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Echingham, his brother William, William Giffard, his brother Robert, Simon de Sumeri, Geoffrey de Sancto Leodegario, Robert de Mankesie, Roger de Herste, Richard Stamer, the chaplain of Wartling (Wertling'), William de Cudenn'</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 94v; the text in the cartulary is that of Box 11, Item 1190.</p> <p>Notes: Green, red and white silk cords.</p> <p>Related materials: For an endorsed duplicate of this document, see Box 11, item 1190.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/6 Ink number: 1233 Pencil number: 377</p>
Box 14 Item 1481A	<p>Final concord, three weeks of Martinmas 1248. 1248</p> <p>Description: William de Notheye v Ralph [de Coventry], abbot of Battle William quitclaims to the abbot Two virgates of land (less 20a) in Bexhill (Byxle)</p> <p>The abbot grants to William</p> <p>1 All the land outside the marsh called Scuttesmersse on the west side of the green wall 2 The wall itself, and all the land between Scuttesmersse and William's demesne in The Tunge towards the brook of Hooe (Ho), as greatly as William's demesne of The Tunge extends 3 The pasture called The Trade, with a right of way with animals reserved, provided they do not pasture there, and reserving the abbot's right to make and repair his gutters</p> <p>The abbot and convent may, at their own expense, sew Scuttesmersse through the middle of William's demesne as far as their gutter of Babbingeflet or, if they cannot, through his gutter of Swanflet; they may sew their marshes between Bercham and The Trade by Swanflet, and if they wish put a gutter between Bradeteghe and Northye, provided they do not impede William's way; they may make another gutter where it seems best.</p> <p>The abbot and convent will be responsible for two thirds of the costs of making and repairing the gutters, William for one third; they may no longer store water on their marshes without William's agreement</p> <p>This fine does not affect the articles contained in another chirograph between the abbot and convent and William's father James de Northye [1003], the terms of which are not mentioned in this fine, for which the abbot and convent have given William £40.</p> <p>Justices: Henry de Bath, Alan de Wasand, William de Wilton', Reynold de Cobeham, William le Bretun, justices in eyre at Lewes.</p> <p>Endorsed: .Lijj.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f135v, where it is marked duplex.</p> <p>Notes: Diamond filing hole, attached to Item 1481B.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/18</p>

	<p>Ink number: 1481A Thorpe page/entry: 46/3</p>
<p>Box 14 Item 1481B</p>	<p>Transcript of a grant in free alms. [Between August 1204 and 21 August 1207].</p> <p>Description: John de Sumery to the church of the Holy Trinity, Chichester, and bishop Simon [de Wells]</p> <p>Four shillings rent in the manor of Bexhill (Bexle), to be taken from the half-hide of land which Hervic de Bernehorn' held on the day this charter was made, to be taken by the hand of the tenant.</p> <p>Witnesses: Hugh Trevet, bailiff of the lord of Chichester, Robert Salvage, serjeant of the county of Sussex, Ralph de Dunstigel', Bartholomew de Hamfeud', William de Genesing', Ralph de Hore, Hamo de Hammes</p> <p>Endorsed: the transcript of a charter which the bishop has from J de Sumeri; let it be noted in Barnhorn</p> <p>Notes: Diamond filing hole, attached to Item 1481A.</p> <p>Related materials: For the copy of this deed in the bishop's cartulary, see Sussex Record Society 46 321.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/ Ink number: 1481B</p>
<p>Box 14 Item 1496</p>	<p>Final concord, morrow of all souls 1270. 1270</p> <p>Description: Robert de Beche VJohn de Gyseburn' and his wife Clemence</p> <p>A messuage and 10 acres in Battle, concerning which a plea of warranty of charter was summoned between them</p> <p>To hold of John and Clemence, paying £1 6s 8d annually during her life, and £1 annually to John if he survive her, and performing the service to the chief lords; after the death of the survivor, Robert will hold of the heirs of Clemence by a rent of 4 pence, and continue to perform the service to the chief lords. Robert has given John and Clemence £5.</p> <p>Justices: Martin de Litlebir, master Roger de Seyton'.</p> <p>Endorsed: de terra de Caldebeck</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30, f11v</p> <p>Notes: for the agreement to which this fine relates, see 713</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/ Ink number: 1496 Thorpe page/entry: 48/2</p>
<p>Box 14 Item 1503</p>	<p>Confirmation of grant in free alms. Approximately 1200.</p> <p>Description: Stephen de Esburneham to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>Land called Chelilande in Hooe (Hou), with the land called Denne with two saltings in the marsh belonging to it, in woodland, plainland, freshmarsh and saltmarsh and upland, which Stephen's father Reynold de Esburneham gave, which was all he had in Hooe.</p> <p>Witnesses: Herbert dean of Etchingham (Echingham), Henry de Magefeld chaplain, Richard de Mundifeld chaplain, Simon de Cattesfeld, William de Essetesford', Robert Giffard', Robert Anglus</p> <p>Seals: Seal on four silk cords showing a tree; +S[IGI]LL' CTEFANI DESSBVRNAME</p> <p>Endorsed: B; Bernehore; xxxviiij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30 f 45v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/9 Ink number: 1503</p>

	<p>Pencil number: 164 Thorpe page/entry: 16/4</p>
<p>Box 14 Item 1513</p>	<p>Quitclaim by chief lord. 20 March 1262.</p> <p>Description: John [Climping], bishop of Chichester, to the abbot and convent of Battle Any suit which he might demand in respect of the tenements which they have by the gift of Sybil de Ykelesham and Samfred de Somery, in Barnhorn (Bernehorn') [in Bexhill] and Codingele, held of his manor of Bexhill (Byxle) by an annual rent of 2 shillings Provided that if the tenants live on the tenements, they should sue to the hundred court of Bexhill for their head-money (pro capitibus suis) as long as they are resident.</p> <p>Given at Bishopston (Bissopeston').</p> <p>Seals: The bishop in benediction, separating the words JOHANNES SECUNDUS; ...NES : DEI; counterseal showing Christ under a canopy enthroned above the cathedral, surmounting a praying bishop; DEDUC : ME : IN : SEM.... MANDATORVM TVORVM</p> <p>Endorsed: Bernehore duplex; .xlj. duplex; ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f134; [Phillipps] 27618</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/22 Ink number: 1513 Pencil number: 16 Thorpe page/entry: 47/1</p>
<p>Box 14 Item 1521</p>	<p>Transcript of letters patent of 21 November 1412. Approximately 1412.</p> <p>Description: The crown to John Pelham kt The reversion of the manors of Crowhurst, Burwash and Bivelham with the rape of Hastings, part of the castle and honor of Richmond which was lately granted to Ralph [Nevill], earl of Westmorland, for life to hold as amply as John [de Bretagne] duke of Brittany held it, notwithstanding former grants to JP by the king and by John [of Gaunt], duke of Lancaster. By the king himself.</p> <p>Notes: The rape vested in Pelham in fee on the death of the earl of Westmorland on 21 October 1425; JP's son John Pelham released his rights as lord of the rape to the abbot and convent on 24 July 1430: see the sacrist's cartulary, charter inserted between ff 83 and 84.</p> <p>Related materials: For a later copy of the grant, formerly attached to this document, see Box 15, Item 1522.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/14 Ink number: 1521 Pencil number: 24 Thorpe page/entry: 98/6</p>
<p>Box 14 Item 1526</p>	<p>Confirmation by chief lord. Approximately 1115.</p> <p>Description: Henry count of Eu (Ou) to the abbot and convent of Battle Whatever his men, both in England and Normandy, have given or will give to the abbey in free alms, except lordships of manors and military service (excepto capite manerii et servicio de milite) for his own soul, those of his father and mother, his late wife Maud, his present wife, and of all his relatives and ancestors.</p> <p>Signa: Henry the Count, Ermentrude the countess, Hugh, Ralph the chamberlain, Hugh, William Osleporis, Hugh, Robert son of Ralph, William, Humphrey.</p> <p>Witnesses: Witnesses on the part of the earl: Gerald de Normanvilla his steward (dapifer),</p>

	<p>Aengelran the sheriff, Anselm de Fraelvilla, Hugh de Fulcarmonte</p> <p>Endorsed: .j. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 duplex</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 127</p> <p>Notes: Countess Maud was dead by 1109.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/13 Ink number: 1526 Pencil number: 2 Thorpe page/entry: 39/4</p>
<p>Box 14 Item 1527</p>	<p>Inspeximus and confirmation. 26 March 1262.</p> <p>Description: Master Walter, dean of Chichester, with the chapter, to the abbot and convent of Battle. They inspect and confirm the charter of bishop John Climping of 20 March 1262 [1513]; given at Chichester.</p> <p>Seals: Fragmentary seal showing the cathedral [for an illustration see <i>Victoria History of the Counties of England Sussex</i> 2, p. 16]; reverse shows Christ in benediction; ...[V]ERITAS ET ...</p> <p>Endorsed: duplex Bernehore; .xlj. duplex ; ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f134v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/23 Ink number: 1527 D number: D71 Thorpe page/entry: 47/2</p>
<p>Box 14 Item 1530</p>	<p>Conveyance for £7 6s 8d. Approximately 1115.</p> <p>Description: Anselm de Fraelvilla with the consent of his lord H[enry], count of Eu (Ou), to abbot Ralph and the convent of Battle</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">The land called Dudilande and Breadsell (Bregesele) [in Battle]; they must assist in the payment of scot, geld and hidage to the king and the count, unless the monks can acquire freedom from those payments</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Land to make saltings, and an acre of meadow</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">All his tithe of his vill of Glassye (Glesi) [in Beckley], of all his money and grain (annona) there, by the licence and confirmation of bishop Ralph [Luffa] and of Anselm's son Roger, to whom the monks, at Roger's request, have given a dog in acknowledgement of his gift</p> <p>The consideration is in respect of Dudilande and Breadsell only; the lands are given for his soul and those of his relatives, alive and dead; the tithes for his soul, his wife's and sons' souls.</p> <p>Witnesses: Witnesses on the part of Anselm: Ingelran the sheriff, Stephen de Thorneham, Bartholomew de Criul, William de Sumerie, his son Ellis, Robert son of Guy</p> <p>Endorsed: .vj.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f128</p> <p>Notes: A charter of Henry 1, confirming a grant of 5 shillingsworth of land by Anselm and Roger, and associated with this grant by Eleanor Searle (<i>Chronicle of Battle Abbey</i>, 121 n2), is rubricated Bodiam Meads in the cartulary (cartulary, f 29v). Ralph became abbot in 1107, and Ralph Luffa died in 1123.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/13 Ink number: 1530 Pencil number: 3</p>

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Box 14 Item 1531 (see oversize folder)	<p>Exemplification, made to the abbots of Cîteaux and Clairvaux at the request of Odo abbot of Battle, of seven charters granting lands to Battle Abbey. 1189-1198.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/4 Ink number: 1531 Thorpe page/entry: 40/2</p>
Box 14 Item 2002	<p>Forged writ of William 1 to G[ausbert], abbot of Battle; purportedly [between 1081 and 1087]. Approximately 1211.</p> <p>Description: [Note: The right third of this document is wanting. This text is taken from the charter, with the missing and unexpanded portions of the text supplied in square brackets from volume 29, f17v-18.]</p> <p>Willelmus dei gracia rex anglorum Gauberto abbati de Bello salutem. Mando tibi et precipio ut leuga ecclesie Belli circumjacentem [quam in memoriam Normannorum victorie extendi mensura] Normannice leuge constitui, sic liberam et quietam custodias ut nulli eam vel partem eius aliquam in feudo heredita[rio tradas, set que in dominio illius ecclesie tenere non potueris cum] consilio et voluntate monachorum hominibus tuis ad gablum et ad reliqua servicia et redditus committas. Notificatum enim est [mihi quod famulis tuis quos tecum adduxisti partem plurimam] predicte leuge in feudo dedisti quod omnino defendo et ut irritum fiat super forisfacturam meam iubeo, ne [libertatem quam eidem ecclesie concessi destrui ab aliquibus contingat. Nunc ergo] me ad Normanniam transmeante predictam leugam sicut tibi tradidi liberam et quietam constitue, quia cum ad Angliam deo faven[te rediero, per vos transibo et qualiter nostra ecclesia sit constructa et or]dinata videbo, et si ea que nunc tibi mando interim implere distuleris ego per me eandem ecclesiam a servorum dom[inatione sicut meam dominicam capellam deo auxiliante liberabo] et tibi sicut rebeli mihique resistenti dignam vindictam recompensabo.</p> <p>Teste Willelmo episcopo Dunel', Haymone dapifero [et Ivone Talleb'] [Hale 87 f 7v; Regesta 1.271; inspected, with 22 other Battle charters, on 8 October 1431 (<i>Calendar of the patent rolls, 1429-1436</i>, p172)].</p> <p>Endorsed: Willelmus primus; de leuga Belli carta octava Cartulary: Vol 29 f 17v; [Phillipps] 27614 [deleted]</p> <p>Notes: William de Saint-Calais was consecrated bishop of Durham on 3 January 1081; William 1 died on 9 September 1087. Professor Eleanor Searle has shown that this writ is a forgery of approximately 1211 (<i>Lordship and Community</i>, pp 102-105). No ink number on dorse; number assigned.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/1 Ink number: 2002 (Note: numbers 2000-2005 were added in 1993 to six deeds which lacked ink numbers) Thorpe page/entry: 5/1</p>
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Box 15 Item 637	<p>Quitclaim for 6s 8d. 6 January 1283.</p> <p>Description: Adam, son of Simon Faber, to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle Land called Smith's Land (terra fabri), which his father once held (between the road from Battle to Winchelsea (Wyncheles') and the wood of Bodhurst; heading W: the way from the tilery to Hechelond; E: the land of the abbot and convent)</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Fontener, Reynold de Bech', Ralph Yvegod the younger, John Forestarius, Adam le Mone, Robert de Parco, Joce Venator, John Cunar', Laurence Pykot, Martin de</p>

	<p>Haddelegh'; at Battle Seals: [Blank]. Endorsed: town xl; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 . Cartulary: Vol 29 f 105 Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/15 Ink number: 637 D number: D109 Thorpe page/entry: 50/3</p>
Box 15 Item 650	<p>Warrant of attorney by John Sperver to Hamo de Nortone to deliver seisin to the abbot and convent of Battle of the tenement which he holds of them; at Norton. 10 July 1284. Endorsed: lxxxvij ; town ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 . Cartulary: Vol 29 f 108 Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/16 Ink number: 650 Thorpe page/entry: 51/2</p>
Box 15 Item 664	<p>Quitclaim. 11 October 1278. Description: John de Pepplesham, son and heir of John de Pepplesham, to Sir John de Bygenewre, perpetual vicar of Bexhill (Bexle) His right in the body of John de Wertlesham, and in all his sequel and chattels. Witnesses: Simon de Somery, William de Hasting', William de Stokes, John de Godekumbe, John de Glynde, Robert de Bromham, his son William, Philip de Wude, William de Genesyng', Ivo de Peneherst, Ellis de Hoo, John Reyner Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/6 Ink number: 664 Thorpe page/entry: 49/7</p>
Box 15 Item 692	<p>Conveyance for 14 shillings. 12 December 1278. Description: Gilbert Rudefin to Alice, daughter of Henry, master of the schools of Battle A croft with the right of way to it (heading N: Gilbert's curtilage, and the curtilages of Osbert de Telham, Thomas Petit and Ellis Fauconer; S: the street which leads to the house which belonged to Simon de la Dune; W: land of the church of St Mary, Battle; E: the street which leads to the house which belonged to Simon de la Dune), except for an acre next to the street Paying Gilbert an annual rent of ½d on 21 December for all services. Witnesses: William de Dene, John Cordiwaner, John Forester, Geoffrey Morgon, John Gardinar', Robert Godesonde, Thomas Petit, William Molendinarius, Gervase Deveneis Seals: Fleur de lys: S...VDEFINE Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/7 Ink number: 692 D number: D116 Thorpe page/entry: 49/9</p>
Box 15 Item 729	<p>Release. 9 June 1281. Description: Adam, called Launde, of Eastbourne (Estburne), to Robert, son and heir of Peter de</p>

	<p>Cranebrok' of Hailsham (Heilesbam)</p> <p>Two acres in Hailsham, which Peter promised Adam [in marriage] with his daughter Margery and granted by deed, (which Adam later demanded, and subsequently renounced in exchange for a ten-year term in the crop of corn of half an acre of Peter's land, to be delivered by Peter and at his expense), together with the crop.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Faukeham, Simon Wygge, Bartholomew de Whytedyck', Ralph Glyde, Elwyn Trapel, John le Peleter of Eastbourne (Burne)</p> <p>Endorsed: Release of land in Westham belonging to Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/14 Ink number: 729 Thorpe page/entry: 50/6</p>
Box 15 Item 731	<p>Covenant for the performance of services for 4 shillings and an annual rent of 6 pence. 18 June 1289.</p> <p>Description: Brother John, almoner of Battle, with Henry de Bromham Henry will acquit and defend the land which is held by the almoner of the fee of Fécamp (Fyschampie) against the abbot and convent of Fécamp in suits of court, rents, reliefs and heriots; Henry charges his heirs and assigns and all his tenants with the service; the rent payable at Henry's capital messuage; the almoner has given Henry 4 shillings for certain arrears and other demands from the land.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Sneylham, John le Fontener, Robert Bysuthinne, John Punteys, Robert de Lydeham, Joce Venator, Robert Piscator, Adam le Mone</p> <p>Endorsed: [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]</p> <p>Notes: The witness list suggests that the land might be in the hundred of Guestling; for Fécamp's manor of Rameslie there, see <i>Victoria History of the Counties of England</i> 9, p. 175.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/19 Ink number: 731 Thorpe page/entry: 51/8</p>
Box 15 Item 737	<p>Covenant to pay rent. 18 February 1277.</p> <p>Description: Adam, son of John le Mone of Battle, to John de Pising' To pay an annual rent of 15 shillings at John's messuage in Battle Town for land which John granted to Adam by charter John may distrain for non-payment on all Adam's real and personal property, both within the liberty and without, until, by the view of respectable men, he is satisfied.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard de Beche, Walter de Beche, William de Dene, Richard son of Michael de Beche, Ralph Yvegod, Ralph son of Ralph Yvegod, Robert Longus, John Mone, Lambin Sperver, Laurence Pikot, John Herodin, Adam Pikot; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/6 Ink number: 737 Thorpe page/entry: 49/1</p>
Box 15 Item 746	<p>Deed of exchange. 28 September 1280.</p> <p>Description: Adam, son of Adam Picot, to his lords Reynold, abbot of Battle, and the convent His right in 9 acres of land and wood in Maufosse in Battle, which his parents Adam and Margery granted to abbot Ralph [de Coventry, 1235-1261] and the convent In exchange for: 12 acres land and wood at The Birechette, on the west side of the windmill, which abbot Ralph and the convent granted to his parents Paying an annual rent of 8½d at the court of Battle for that land, and for a piece of land which</p>

	<p>remains from his marriage*, east of the 9 acres in Maufosse, in the long croft called Wincestrecroft, for all services except suit of court.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard de Beche, John le Funtener, William de Dene, John le Mone, Robert Berwich, Thomas de Waldern, Martin de Haddele, Thomas Skiret, Simon Olof; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: +S'ADE PICOT</p> <p>Endorsed: leuga xxxviii; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 105</p> <p>Notes: *The first letter of <i>matrimonio</i> over a contemporary erasure; the cartulary has <i>patrimonio</i> (inheritance), which seems the better reading.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/12 Ink number: 746 D number: D112 Thorpe page/entry: 50/4</p>
Box 15 Item 763	<p>Conveyance for £1 6s 0d. 28 March 1282.</p> <p>Description: Alice Treyport to William de la Dune Her whole tenement opposite the windmill to the south, in Battle Town, with buildings and gardens, curtilages, rents, reliefs and escheats William to pay the rent and perform the services to the lords of the fee.</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam Pessuner, John Forester, Robert Cunar', his son John, Adam le Mone, Robert Arnold, Joce Hunte</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: +S'ALICIETREIPORT</p> <p>Notes: <i>xxvj solidos sterlingorum</i> over an erasure in the title.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/16 Ink number: 763 D number: D108 Thorpe page/entry: 51/1</p>
Box 15 Item 811	<p>Grant in free alms. [28 March 1317].</p> <p>Description: Nicholas de Cokefeud to the abbot and convent of Battle A messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the tenement formerly John Tril and the tenement which belonged to Geoffrey le Pilchere A meadow in Battle Town (in length S: the new park; N: the tenements which belonged to Alan le Yunge and Nicholas Cocus), which formerly belonged to Geoffrey le Pilchere.</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Forester, Daniel le Taillour, Walter Milys, Gilbert Walet, Stephen Pessonier, Thomas de Hadelegh, Stephen Bosyner; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: town Cxlv.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110v</p> <p>Notes: Given date: 28 March 1282. It is clear from the identity of the witnesses and on palaeographical grounds that Edward 2 is meant in the dating clause.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/15 Ink number: 811 Pencil number: 60 Thorpe page/entry: 50/8</p>
Box 15 Item 827	<p>Conveyance for 5 shillings. 17 March 1280.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Sprot of Hastings (Hasting') and his wife Sarah to Alice, daughter of Henry, master of the schools of Battle</p>

	<p>All the land they have in an acre (in length N: the curtilages of Thomas Petit and Ellis Fauconer; S: the street which leads to the house which belonged to Simon de la Dune; W: Alice's land; E: the land which belonged to Humphrey Beaufiz)</p> <p>to hold of Stephen and Sarah, paying them an annual rent of a clove of spice on 24 June at their house in Battle, and paying Gilbert Rodefin an annual rent of ½d on 21 December, for all services; a sacramental oath has been taken by all the parties to prevent further claims.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Dene, his son Michael, John Cordiwaner, Ralph Aubin, John Forester, Thomas Petit, Gervase Deveneis, Geoffrey Morgon, Ellis Fauconer</p> <p>Endorsed: [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]</p> <p>Notes: The ink number is duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/10 Ink number: 827 D number: D26 Thorpe page/entry: 50/3</p>
Box 15 Item 847	<p>Conveyance. [24 February 1325].</p> <p>Description: Alice, daughter and heir of John Beans of Battle, to John, called Boone, son of Parnell Forester of Battle</p> <p>A messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the messuage of Ellis Ferur and a plot of ground which now belongs to John de Taneto), which she inherited on her father's death</p> <p>Consideration 'a certain sum of money'.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas de Cukefeud, Daniel le Taillur, Thomas de Haddele, John Cuner, Thomas Cuner, Gilbert Walet, Walter Bakere, John Forester, Adam ate Holte, Ralph Cocus, Robert Mortemer, Stephen Pessonier; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A palmleaf: S' ALISSIE * B...</p> <p>Endorsed: This charter is with the lord because the land escheated after the death of John Bone, who was a bastard, and died without an heir. The land was then granted to a certain John de Bodisham and to his heirs in tail, by the service of 2s 6d, for which he did fealty. town Cxiiij.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Notes: Given date: 26 February 1290. It is clear from the identity of the witnesses and on palaeographical grounds that Edward 2 is meant in the dating clause.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/20 Ink number: 847 D number: D114 Thorpe page/entry: 51/10</p>
Box 15 Item 1022	<p>Arbitrators' award. [29 March 1312].</p> <p>Description: Award of William de Sneylham, Henry Paulyn, Allard de Merseham and John Fyllol, arbitrators in the abbot and convent of Battle v Stephen de Chillye, rector of Catsfield</p> <p>Land called Clapermere in Catsfield (Cattesfeud)</p> <p>They award that the land remain to the abbot and convent, who are to pay an annual rent of 3 shillings to the lights of Catsfield church on 25 March and 10 August (St Laurence), charged on the manor of Barnhorn (Bernehorne)</p> <p>Land between Clapermere and the land of William de Sneylham, south of the Battle-Boreham road, which formerly belonged to Sarah, wife of John atte Broke</p> <p>They award that this land remain to the church of Catsfield for the maintenance of the lights. If either party go against the terms of the award, they are to pay £20 to the Holy Land. At Battle.</p> <p>Seals: A crouching lion: ..OAN..WA.. (William de Sneylham); a lion and a peacock: illegible (John Fyllol)</p>

	<p>Endorsed: Broomham in the park xV</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29, f 111v</p> <p>Notes: Given date: 17 February 1277. The script of this document, the circumstances of Battle's acquisition of Broomham and the descent of the manor of Catsfield (for which see <i>Victoria History of the Counties of England</i> 9, p. 240) all suggest that Edward 2 is meant in the dating clause.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/4 Ink number: 1022 Pencil number: 31 D number: D116 Thorpe page/entry: 49/2</p>
Box 15 Item 1032	<p>Quitclaim. [8 March 1332].</p> <p>Description: John de Wygepiri, parson of Battle St Mary, to Margaret, widow of Gilbert Walet of Battle</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">His right in land and wood called Droleslond in Battle Town, demised to him by GW At Battle.</p> <p>Seals: Virgin and child with praying figure: MATER DEI MEMENTO MEI</p> <p>Endorsed: Cxl. ; Droleslond.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110v</p> <p>Notes: Given date: 6 March 1278. Edward 3 is clearly meant in the dating clause: Gilbert Walet enfeoffed Wygepiri on 27 September 1331 (see Box 19, Item 897).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/8 Ink number: 1032 Pencil number: 41 D number: D111 Thorpe page/entry: 49/5</p>
Box 15 Item 1115	<p>Lease for 6 years from 2 February 1281 at 6s 8d. [1281].</p> <p>Description: Richard, son of Michael de Westbeche, to Adam le Mone</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">All the land and meadow at Doniford in Battle Town, which Robert le Lung once held of Richard de Estbeche, and gave to Richard son of Michael before the king's justices as his right.</p> <p>Witnesses: Walter de Beche, Richard de Beche, his son Reynold, John Mone, Adam de Camera, John Forester, Laurence Pikot, Adam Pikot</p> <p>Endorsed: Beche</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/14 Ink number: 1115 Thorpe page/entry: 50/7</p>
Box 15 Item 1122	<p>Covenant for the grant a tenancy pur autre vie for an annuity; [before 29 September 1281]. Approximately 1280.</p> <p>Description: John de Gyseburne to Hugh de Beche</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">The moiety of a messuage in Battle Town, the buildings upon it and of a curtilage (north of the street from The Bore to Battle marketplace, and between the messuage which belonged to Walter Shonke and the messuage which belonged to Geoffrey Pelliparius)</p> <p>To be held by Hugh for the life of John, remainder, with the whole tenement which belonged to John's wife Clemence de Malling', to Hugh.</p> <p>Hugh may receive the following rents which belong to the tenement:</p>

	<p>6 pence from the messuage which belonged to Walter Shonke 2 pence from the messuage which belonged to Geoffrey Pelliparius 4 pence from the messuage which belonged to Adam Pistor 1 penny from Reynold de Sartrino 3 pence from the abbot and convent of Battle for the messuage which belonged to Fulk Cocus</p> <p>Hugh to pay John 16 pence annually on 29 September, and perform all the services, both in rents of assize and other demands; Hugh to maintain the house during John's life; John releases any action he may have relating to arrears of the annual payment of £1 6s 8d and an ornament, under a covenant between him, his wife Clemence and Hugh's brother Robert de Beche, whose heir Hugh is [on 5 July 1270- see Box 14, Item 713]; Hugh to give John three ells of blue cloth on 29 September 1281.</p> <p>Witnesses: Reynold de Beche, Ralph Yvegod the elder, his son Ralph, William Aurifaber, Adam de Camera, Adam Mone, John Forester, Robert Berewik, Robert Piscator, Martin de Haddeleghe, Reynold de Sartrino, Walter atte Corie</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: + S' IOH'IS:DE:GISEBVRNE</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30, f 10v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/12 Ink number: 1122 D number: D117 Thorpe page/entry: 50/5</p>
Box 15 Item 1163	<p>Counterpart lease for 22 years from 29 September 1292 for £2 10s 0d. Approximately 1292.</p> <p>Description: John de Bothurst to John Pavyot of Battle and his wife Isabel A piece of meadow called Weldhamwysse, enclosed with hedges and ditches, in the borough of Ocham, Battle (between the grantor's land called Weldhamme, and the abbot of Battle's land called Longwysse), with a right of way to it through Weldhamme.</p> <p>Witnesses: Alan de Bothurst, Martin de Bothurst, Richard de Bothurst, Gilbert de Blakebrok', William atte Watre, Alexander Faber</p> <p>Seals: First seal now loose: ?a pelican in its piety: ILL'..AN..; second a star: +.. PAVIOT*</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/21 Ink number: 1163 D number: D115 Thorpe page/entry: 52/3</p>
Box 15 Item 1201	<p>Conveyance and quitclaim for 6s 8d. 5 February 1274.</p> <p>Description: Bartholomew son of Tristram to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the almonry Four Flanders acres enclosed, lying below Cadborough in Rye (Gadeberghe), of the fee of Simon de Godintun', which Bartholomew once held of the abbot and convent. The consideration is written on the turnup.</p> <p>Witnesses: Walter de Beche, Richard de Beche, his brother Hugh, Thomas son of Thomas de Haremere, William de Wh[atli]ngtun', Robert Longus, William Granatorius, William de Dene, Thomas de Locuto[ri]o</p> <p>Endorsed: [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]</p> <p>Notes: According to Thorpe, the document was sealed with the 'seal of Harengot'.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/1 Ink number: 1201 Pencil number: .7</p>

	Thorpe page/entry: 48/4
Box 15 Item 1216	<p>Deed of exchange. 21 December 1284.</p> <p>Description: Walter Torald quitclaims to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle His claim in the whole tenement in Battle Town which his father, Clement Edwold, held In exchange for:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">A messuage west of the road from Doniford to Battle, (S: the messuage which belonged to Adam de Camera; N: the messuage which belonged to Vitalis de al Forde), paying an annual rent of 7 pence to the abbot and convent</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">A messuage in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, (E: the street from The Bore to the windmill; S: the messuage of the heirs of Simon le Wyse), paying an annual rent of 2 pence to the abbot and convent</p> <p>Doing suit of court and other services.</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Fontener, William de Dene, Ralph Yvegod the younger, Robert Portarius, Robert Piscator, Laurence Pykot, John Paviet, John Carpentarius, Adam le Mone, Martin de Haddelegh', William Page</p> <p>Seals: An eight-petalledflower: +S'WALTERITOROLD</p> <p>Endorsed: .Lxij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 106v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/19 Ink number: 1216 Thorpe page/entry: 51/4</p>
Box 15 Item 1304	<p>Conveyance of former bondhold land by lord. 12 October 1278.</p> <p>Description: John de Pepplesham, son and heir of John de Pepplesham, to John de Wertlesham, son of William de Wertlesham, and to his wife Maud, kinswoman of the grantor</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">All the land in Bexhill (Bexle) which William held of John the father in villeinage To hold of John, with freedom of alienation except to religious houses and jews, by an annual rent of 10 shillings for all services, gifts, aids, wardships, marriages, scutages and castlewards, except heriots, reliefs, and two suits of court at the manor of Pebsham at the next courts after 29 September and Easter.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon de Somery, John Moyn, William de Hasting', William de Stokes, John de Godekumbe, John de Glynde, Philip de Wude, Robert de Bromham, his son William, John Reyner, Walter Parker, William de Bocholte</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: +S'IO..NIS....H'; 2s is written on the tag.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/7 Ink number: 1304 Pencil number: 3 Thorpe page/entry: 49/8</p>
Box 15 Item 1306	<p>Release of services by lord. [20 April 1314].</p> <p>Description: Henry Wardedu, lord of Bodiam, for the salvation of his soul and those of his ancestors and successors, to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the sacristry</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">All the services which they owe from all the lands and tenements, rents and services which they have of the fee of Bodiam in Freckley Wood and Agmerhurst.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir Robert de Passelegh, William de Penhurst, John de Codyng, Joce de Ferne, William de Ore, Richard de Codyng, Nicholas de Ockham, William de Bromham, Joce de Wautlyngton, John de la More; at Bodiam</p> <p>Seals: Armorial seal of Wardedieu: a fesse dancetty: *S'HENRICI WARDENDEU</p> <p>Sacrist's cartulary: Volume 30, f 19v</p>

	<p>Notes: Given date: 20 April 1279. It is clear from the identity of the witnesses and on palaeographical grounds that Edward 2 is meant in the dating clause.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/9 Ink number: 1306 Pencil number: 5 D number: D113 Thorpe page/entry: 50/1</p>
Box 15 Item 1416	<p>Conveyance. [1 June 1320].</p> <p>Description: Richard, called Bernehouse, to Adam ate Holte A piece of land 61 feet long and 2½ feet wide in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, between their dwellinghouses To hold of the lord of the fee. Witnesses: John Forester, Daniel le Tayllour, John Hunte, Robert Bonayre, Robert Wade, Stephen Pessonier; at Battle Seals: Radiating pellets: S'RICA..ERNEHUS Notes: Given date: 27 May 1285. It is clear from the identity of the witnesses and on palaeographical grounds that Edward 2 is meant in the dating clause</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/16 Ink number: 1416 D number: D110 Thorpe page/entry: 51/3</p>
Box 15 Item 1447	<p>Conveyance. 11 July 1344.</p> <p>Description: Gilbert Wyht of Battle to John Cuner and his wife Joan A plot of land in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the plot of Parnell Carpenter and the plot of William Carter; between the road and a street called Quareystrete). Witnesses: Peter Scherreve, Richard at Felde, Peter Smyt, Ralph de Meryle, Walter Crullyng, Stephen Bet; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/21 Ink number: 1447 Thorpe page/entry: 52/1</p>
Box 15 Item 1472	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. [1 February 1324].</p> <p>Description: Grant by the abbot and convent of Battle, in the presence of brother Alan de Retlynge then steward, to Adam Aurifaber A croft called Hwitepitescroft, in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, which Ralph Copegray once held Paying an annual rent of 2 shillings to the office of the almonry; 'in testimony whereof the said Adam has this enrollment'. Notes: Given date: 24 January 1289. It is clear on palaeographical grounds, and from the date, expressed as Wednesday on the vigil of the purification, that Edward 2 is meant in the dating clause.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/20 Ink number: 1472 Thorpe page/entry: 51/9</p>
Box 15 Item 1522	<p>Transcript of 1521, to which it was formerly attached. Approximately 1430.</p> <p>Notes: The rape vested in Pelham in fee on the death of the earl of Westmorland on 21 October</p>

	<p>1425; JP's son John Pelham released his rights as lord of the rape to the abbot and convent on 24 July 1430: see the sacrist's cartulary, charter inserted between ff83 and 84</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43/18 Ink number: 1522 Pencil number: 25 Thorpe page/entry: 98/7</p>
Box 16	Records removed from volume 44
Box 16 Item 618	<p>Quitclaim. 13 May 1294.</p> <p>Description: Henry le Messenger and his wife Alice to the abbot and convent of Battle Their right to a messuage in Battle Town (between the land which belonged to Henry Melker' and the messuage of Griffin le Forester; in length between the road from Donynton' to the abbey and the land which belonged to Henry le Melker')</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Funtener, William Aurifaber, William le Rus, Clement le Webbe, John Forester, Robert de Parco, Robert Bordere, Thomas Fuk', William Clericus; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Four radiating petals with stars in the quadrants: *S'HENRICI LE MESSEAGER</p> <p>Endorsed: town Ciiij.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/3 Ink number: 618 D number: D93 Thorpe page/entry: 52/4</p>
Box 16 Item 619	<p>Quitclaim. 14 June 1293.</p> <p>Description: Simon, son of Matthew Tincter of Cranbrook (Cranebroc), to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy His right in the lands and tenements in Cranbrook which were sometime the inheritance of his mother Alice.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert de Slepmulle, Thomas de Ecclesia, Simon Coleman, William le Pede, Robert Bissop, Geoffrey Wulsi, Hamo de Cecele, William de Cesele, Walter de Cesele</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/1 Ink number: 619 Thorpe page/entry: 52/5</p>
Box 16 Item 633	<p>Grant in free alms. 1 July 1302.</p> <p>Description: Robert, son of Robert de Suthynne to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the almonry The third part of a tenement and the third part of a croft in Battle Town, which belonged to Robert le Pessonner, which the grantor had by the grant of Simon le Carpenter, son of Richard de Hasting'</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Bromham, Ralph Yevegod, Robert ate Park, Adam le Mone, Robert le Border, Nicholas le Wevere, John Forester, Joce le Hunte, his brother John, William Aurifaber, Joce le Seler, Simon Pykot</p> <p>Endorsed: Confirmation of other charters of part of the tenement of Robert le Pessonner, from the time of brother J de Eylesford, almoner; first charter; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/10 Ink number: 633</p>

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Box 16 Item 636	<p>Copy conveyance for 2 shillings of between 20 November 1293 and 19 November 1294. Approximately 1430.</p> <p>Description: William de Watlinton to John Wilard and his wife Agnes Three acres of his land, of his down called Whatlington Down (Watlinton Dune) (W: the London-Winchelsea road; N: the road to Newenden; heading E: JW's own land) To hold of William by an annual rent of 12 pence for all services except a heriot of 12 pence after their death, with freedom of alienation except to religious houses.</p> <p>Witnesses: Gocelin de Ferne, William Hodisdale, Geoffrey Hucstepe, Thomas de Watlinton, John Wevere</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/2 Ink number: 636 Thorpe page/entry: 53/1</p>
Box 16 Item 683	<p>Compromise of litigation. 2 October 1305.</p> <p>Description: The abbot of Battle VJohn, son of William atte Doune. Recites a plea by royal writ in the court of Battle, the intervention of mutual friends and the compromise of the case on the following terms: The abbot and convent release to John: 1 their claim to a messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, which belonged to William the father, except lordship and service 2 their claim of villeinage which they made against John, to all the issue of William the father and to William's brother Robert, and to all their suit and sequel John grants to the abbot and convent: 1 an annual rent of 5 pence from the messuage, in addition to the rent of 7 pence which it formerly owed 2 an annual rent of 12 pence from a messuage in Battle Town which belonged to John son of Fimelote, called Felawe 3 an annual rent of 6 pence from a messuage in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, which belonged to Richard le Chepman.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Bromhamme, William de Hodesdale, Reynold de Beche, Adam le Mone, Robert le Bordere, Stephen Pessonier, Robert de Beche, Peter Schirreve, William le Turnur; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: Leuga; Cxlviij Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/19 Ink number: 683 Thorpe page/entry: 56/1</p>
Box 16 Item 695	<p>Grant of an easement of drainage. 27 August 1305.</p> <p>Description: William de Hastings, kt, to the abbot and convent of Battle That they may sew all their salt (maritimas) and brook lands of their manor of Barnhorn through William's land called The Trade, which he holds of the abbot and convent, and so through their land to the ditch called Meneflete, and so by that ditch the wall called Grenewal which is between Meneflet and the marsh of Est Wrenham, and so by that marsh to the sea The abbot and convent may place a gutter or sluice in the wall whenever they think fit, and open and remake the sewer for the salvation of the lands of their manor of Barnhorn; the abbot and convent to make a bridge across the sewer in the place called Trade to allow William access to his manor of Northey.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Sir William de Echingham kt, Sir Robert de Echingham kt, Sir Baldwin de Stowe kt, John de Pepplesham, John de Codinges, John de Stoke, William de Bromhame; at Northey</p> <p>Endorsed: xlvij. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 ; Barnhorn.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 135</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/17 Ink number: 695 Thorpe page/entry: 56/2</p>
Box 16 Item 704	<p>Conveyance of rent. 10 September 1303.</p> <p>Description: William de Bromhamme to the abbot and convent of Battle. An annual rent of 8 shillings from a tenement in Battle Town which William leased to William le Taverner and his wife Alice, Adam le Mone and Joce le Hunte [for 36 years on 30 September 1293, see Box 16, Item 744], until the end of the term.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Scepeye, Peter Scherreve, Joce le Celer, William Aurifaber, John le Forester, Robert le Bordere, Nicholas le Wevere; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: town Lxxxxvj</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110, where the rent is described as from the tenement of Thomas Burgeys</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/13 Ink number: 704 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Box 16 Item 708	<p>Grant in pure alms. 23 December 1302.</p> <p>Description: Mariot, daughter of Brunyng le Fissere of Hastings, in the full power of her maidenhood, to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the almonry That part of the tenement in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, which she inherited on the death of her uncle, Robert le Pessonner Performing the service due to the almoner for the time being.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Bromham, Ralph Yevegod, William Aurifaber, Robert ate Park, Robert le Bordere, Adam le Mone, John Forester, Joce le Hunte, his brother John, Simon Pycot, John de Shepeye, Joce le Seler</p> <p>Endorsed: Second charter of the tenement of Robert le Pessonner, from the time of brother John de Eylesforde, almoner; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/13 Ink number: 708 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Box 16 Item 712	<p>Conveyance for £2. [1302].</p> <p>Description: Stephen, called the baker, of Hastings, and his wife Alice Brunyng, to Simon le Carpenter, son of Richard de Hastings The third part of a tenement in Battle Town which Alice inherited on the death of her uncle, Robert le Pessonner.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Bromham, Ralph Yevegod, Adam le Mone, Robert ate Park, Robert le Border, John Forester, Joce le Hunte, Daniel le Taillur, Stephen Pycot, John Aunger, William Aurifaber, Joce le Seler</p> <p>Endorsed: From the time of brother J Cristiani, almoner; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Notes: This must precede Box 16, Item 810.</p> <p>Related materials: Box 16, Item 767, which includes the croft, species a different consideration and names a different almoner, is otherwise identical.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/23 Ink number: 712 Thorpe page/entry: 54/3</p>
Box 16 Item 715	<p>Counterpart grant of a lease for lives. 13 May 1294.</p> <p>Description: Henry [de Aylesford], abbot of Battle, with the assent of the convent, to Henry le Messenger and his wife Alice</p> <p>A messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the messuage which belonged to William de la Dune and the messuage of Richard Tutlemund)</p> <p>To hold for their lives by an annual rent of 3 shillings for all services, except the collection of hay in Bodiam Mead (Bodyham) and repairing the abbot's stew (vivaria); Henry and Alice to repair the messuage whenever necessary; they may not lease or alienate it in any way.</p> <p>Alice's name deleted from the sealing clause.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Funtener, Ralph Yevegod, William le Rus, William Aurifaber, Adam le Mone, Robert de Parco, Robert le Bordere, Joce le Honte; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Seal, as Box 16, Item 618, now in fragments.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/4 Ink number: 715 D number: D94 Thorpe page/entry: 52/9</p>
Box 16 Item 734	<p>Conveyance of rents. 16 January 1305.</p> <p>Description: Stephen, son of Adam Pykot of Battle, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>1 An annual rent of 2 shillings from the tenements in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, which belonged to Richard le Bachelor and Thomas Gaderegod</p> <p>2 An annual rent of ½d from the tenement in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, formerly Walter le Serdere and his wife Agnes.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Bromhamme, Reynold de Beche, Adam le Mone, Robert le Bordere, Daniel le Tailour, William Aurifaber, Joce le Celer, Robert de Beche, Thomas Fuk', Peter Schirreve, Richard le Vannour, Reynold atte Felde; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: +...PYKOT</p> <p>Endorsed: town Cij</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/21 Ink number: 734 D number: D99 Thorpe page/entry: 56/3</p>
Box 16 Item 743	<p>Bond to secure the repayment of £40 at two months' notice. 23 February 1294.</p> <p>Description: Thomas, son of Joce de Whatlyngton, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>He charges his lands, tenements and goods, and renounces the exception of non numerate et non tradite mihi pecunie antedictae; to be repaid at Battle.</p> <p>Seals: A star and crescent: +S'TOME WH...NGTONE; the seal, originally en simple queue, has been subsequently attached pendant.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/3 Ink number: 743 D number: D101 Thorpe page/entry: 52/8</p>
Box 16	<p>Lease for 36 years from 29 September 1293 at 8 shillings. 30 September 1293.</p>

Item 744	<p>Description: William de Bromhamme to William le Taverner, his wife Alice, Adam le Mone and Joce le Hunte</p> <p>All the tenement in Battle Town which formerly belonged to Thomas Burgeys The lessees to perform the services to the chief lord; they charge all their lands with distraint for non-payment of rent.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Pepelesham, John de Smalefelde, William de Dene, Ralph Yevegod, Thomas Fuke, William Aurifaber, William le Rus, Robert le Bordere, Robert de Park, Joce le Celer; in the open court at Battle before John le Funtener, bailiff of Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: town Lxxxxvj</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Notes: William and Alice had granted WB a 37-year term in a messuage in Mountjoy at a court held 9 April 1292, see Volume 5, entry 190.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/1 Ink number: 744 Thorpe page/entry: 52/6</p>
Box 16 Item 749	<p>Quitclaim. 16 December 1294.</p> <p>Description: Parnell, daughter of Laurence Pycot, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>Her right in a messuage in Battle Town which formerly belonged to her brother Adam Baret.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Fountener, Adam le Mone, Joce Hunte, John Forester, Robert de Park', Thomas Fouk', Richard Tutlemound, William Clericus; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: town Cxiiij</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/5 Ink number: 749 Thorpe page/entry: 53/3</p>
Box 16 Item 767	<p>Conveyance for £1. [1302].</p> <p>Description: Stephen le Baker of Hastings, and his wife Alice Brunyng, to Simon le Carpenter, son of Richard de Hasting'</p> <p>The third part of a tenement and the third part of a croft in Battle Town, which Alice inherited on the death of her uncle, Robert le Pessonier.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Bromham, Ralph Yevegod, Adam le Mone, Robert ate Park, Robert le Bordere, John Forester, Joce le Hunte, Daniel le Taillur, Stephen Pycot, John Aunger, William Aurifaber, Joce le Seler</p> <p>Seals: Second a star: *S' ALICIE BRVNIG</p> <p>Endorsed: from the time of brother J de Eylesford, almoner; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]</p> <p>Notes: This must precede Box 16, Item 810.</p> <p>Related materials: Box 16, Item 712, which omits the croft, specifies a consideration of 40s and names a different almoner, is otherwise identical.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/9 Ink number: 767 D number: D97 Thorpe page/entry: 54/2</p>
Box 16 Item 768	<p>Quitclaim in free alms. 11 February 1307.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Fuke to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the almonry</p> <p>His right in 1 acre in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between a croft called</p>

	<p>Seintemarycroft and the land belonging to the hospital; in length between the abbot's land and the land of Sarah Fuke)</p> <p>An annual rent of 8 pence from the tenement which belonged to Adam de Breggesell, and from the tenement which John de Northone held.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert ate Park, Robert le Bordere, Adam le Mone, John Forester, Richard le Vannere, John Brevettur, Robert Gardener, Thomas le Webbe, William Bole, Ellis Baterel, Gilbert Rudefyn, Robert Beaufiz</p> <p>Endorsed: From the time of brother J de Eyllsford, almoner; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Notes: Ink number on dorse of 168 should read 768.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/23 Ink number: 768 Thorpe page/entry: 56/6</p>
Box 16 Item 769	<p>Conveyance of rents in free alms for 1s 6d. 6 April 1305.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Fuke of Battle to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the almonry</p> <p>An annual rent of 1 penny from the tenement in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, which belonged to Adam de Breggeselle, of which ½d is from a forgable which formerly belonged to Walter Venypost, and ½d from a piece of land, joined to the tenement, which Walter son of Henry le Tanner demised to Adam.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert ate Park, Robert le Bordere, Adam le Mone, John Forester, Peter Sherreve, Richard Vannere, Robert Gardener, Reynold ate Felde, Thomas le Webbe, John Brevettur, Ellis Baterel</p> <p>Seals: Seal illegible.</p> <p>Endorsed: From the time of brother J de Eyllsford, almoner; 18d; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/20 Ink number: 769 Pencil number: 18 D number: D104 Thorpe page/entry: 56/5</p>
Box 16 Item 792	<p>Conveyance. 8 January 1296.</p> <p>Description: Peter de Beche to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>A piece of land in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (N: the messuage of Henry Clericus; S: the messuage of the heirs of William Funtener), which John Sperver gave Peter in free marriage with his sister Margery.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Funtener, Thomas Fuk', Richard le Vannur, Peter Sherreve, Thomas de la Stene, Robert le Bordere, Adam Faber, Reynold de la Felde, Henry le Gardiner; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: town Lxxxviiij</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Notes: Ink number on dorse of 192 should read 792.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/5 Ink number: 792 Pencil number: 49 Thorpe page/entry: 53/5</p>
Box 16 Item 801	<p>Conveyance for £2 6s 8d. 3 September 1294.</p> <p>Description: Peter Sherreve to the abbot and convent of Battle</p>

	<p>A messuage and adjoining garden in Battle Town, which once belonged to Simon Olof.</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Fountener, Thomas Fouk', Robert de Parco, William Aurifaber, Adam le Mone, Richard Tutlemund, Richard le Vannur, Robert Piscator; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A star and crescent: +S' PETRISHERREVE</p> <p>Endorsed: town Cxvij</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/3 Ink number: 801 Pencil number: 50 D number: D95 Thorpe page/entry: 53/1</p>
Box 16 Item 804	<p>Conveyance for £1 6s 8d. 18 December 1300.</p> <p>Description: Margery, daughter and heir of John le Cordewaner of Battle, to John de Shepeye, mason, and his wife Alice</p> <p>The moiety of the tenement in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the abbot's messuage and the messuage which Robert de Redynges holds of the abbot; in length between the street and the abbot's park), which moiety lies against the messuage of Robert de Redynges</p> <p>Paying an annual rent of 3 ½d to the abbot and convent of Battle, and performing the other services.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert ate Park, Robert le Border, Nicholas le Wever, Adam le Mone, John Forester, Joce le Hunte, William Aurifaber, Joce le Seler, Robert le Pessonier, Ralph Yevegod, Thomas le Taillur, John le Funtener, clerk, notary of this charter</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/7 Ink number: 804 Pencil number: .3 Thorpe page/entry: 53/9</p>
Box 16 Item 807	<p>Conveyance of rent for 3 shillings. 7 July 1298.</p> <p>Description: Ralph le Carpenter of Battle to John de Horsham</p> <p>An annual rent of 4 pence paid by Richard le Hunte from his tenement in the borough of Bremblegh, Battle, which he has by Ralph's grant.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Funtener, Ralph Yevegod, William Aurifaber, Adam le Mone, John Forester, Michael de Dene, Joce Hunte, Joce Seler, Robert le Pessonier, Thomas Fuke, Richard Vannur, John le Funtener clerk, notary of this charter; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/6 Ink number: 807 Pencil number: 56 Thorpe page/entry: 53/7</p>
Box 16 Item 810	<p>Conveyance for £2. 15 April 1302.</p> <p>Description: Simon le Carpenter, son of Richard de Hasting', to Robert, son of Robert de Suthynne</p> <p>The third part of a tenement in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, and the third part of a croft in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, both of which belonged to Robert le Pessonier, which Simon had by the grant of Alice Brunyng of Hastings.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Bromham, Ralph Yevegod, Robert ate Park, Adam le Mone, Robert le Border, Nicholas le Wevere, John Forester, Joce Hunte, his brother John, William Aurifaber, Joce le Seler, Simon Pykot</p>

	<p>Seals: A hawk with traces standing on a glove: +S'IOH'IS SPERVER DE BELLO</p> <p>Endorsed: Charter of Simon le Carpenter from the time of brother J Cristian, almoner; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/10 Ink number: 810 Pencil number: 39 D number: D100 Thorpe page/entry: 54/4</p>
Box 16 Item 814	<p>Conveyance for £8. 5 May 1304.</p> <p>Description: Ralph de Pysinge to Adam le Mone and Robert le Border of Battle Land, inclosed with hedges and ditches, in Battle (between the land of Michael de Bech and the Netherfield-Donyford road; in length between the land of Sir William de Hastings called Land [of] the Palmere and the land of Reynold de Beche), which Agnes ate Felde held while she lived Paying an annual rent of ½d to Michael de Bech for all services, customs, gifts, aids, reliefs, heriots and suits of court. Witnesses: John ate More bailiff of the abbot of Battle, John de Smalefeud, Reynold de Bech, William de Bromham, William de Ore, his son Robert, Ralph Yevegod, Robert ate Park, Stephen Pykot, Joce le Celer, Simon Pykot, John Clericus</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/14 Ink number: 814 Pencil number: 63 Thorpe page/entry: 55/4</p>
Box 16 Item 846	<p>Conveyance. 29 September 1301.</p> <p>Description: John de Wertlesham to his son Robert All his lands and tenements in Bexhill Performing all the services to the chief lords, as more fully appears in John's freehold charters of feoffment. Witnesses: John de Peplesham, John de Stok', Philip de Wode, John de Glinde, Walter le Parker, John de Sydelegh, Robert de Berchington, John de Bocholte, Vivian Clericus; at Worsham (Wertlesham)</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/7 Ink number: 846 Pencil number: 95 Thorpe page/entry: 53/8</p>
Box 16 Item 855	<p>Conveyance for £10 13s 4d. 2 October 1306.</p> <p>Description: Robert le Border to Michael de Dene Land, inclosed with hedges and ditches, in Battle (between the land of Michael de Westbeche and the Netherfield-Battle road; in length between the land called Palmereslond and the land of Reynold de Estbeche), which Agnes ate Felde once held, in which Robert and Adam le Mone acquired together from Ralph de Pysinge Paying an annual rent of ½d to Michael de Westbech for all services, customs, gifts, aids, reliefs, heriots and suits of court. Witnesses: Reynold de Beche, William de Bromham, William de Penhurst, William de Sneyllham, John de Smalefeud, William de Hodesdale, William de Ore, Stephen Pessonner, Daniel le Taillur, John Forster, Joce le Seler, John de Loxebech</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	<p>Original volume/page: V44/22 Ink number: 855 Pencil number: 115 Thorpe page/entry: 57/1</p>
Box 16 Item 872	<p>Conveyance of rent for 10 shillings. 3 February 1305.</p> <p>Description: William le Welshe to John le Ferur An annual rent of 6 pence, with the escheats, paid by William le Bole from the messuage which he had, by the gift of the grantor, in free marriage with the grantor's sister Eloise Performing the services to the chief lords if any be due. Witnesses: Thomas Fuke, Richard le Vanner, Robert Funtener, William le Turnur, Peter Sherreve, Robert Gardener, Reynold ate Felde, John Brevettur, Thomas le Webbe, Ellis Baterel Endorsed: town</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/21 Ink number: 872 Pencil number: 6 Thorpe page/entry: 55/6</p>
Box 16 Item 930	<p>Conveyance for £2. 11 February 1307.</p> <p>Description: Aubrea and Alice, daughters of Thomas Fuke, to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the almoner 1 An acre in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between a croft called Seintemarycroft and the land belonging to the hospital; in length between the abbot's land and the land of Sarah Fuke) 2 An annual rent of 8d from the tenement which belonged to Adam de Breggesell, and from the tenement which belonged to John de Northover. Witnesses: Robert ate Park, Robert le Bordere, Adam le Mone, John Forester, Stephen Pessonier, Daniel le Taillur, William Aurifaber, Richard le Vannere, Robert Gardener, John Brevetur, Thomas le Webbe, Reynold ate Felde, William Bole, Ellis Baterel Endorsed: From the time of brother J de Eyllsford, almoner, the second charter of this land; 40s; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/22 Ink number: 930 Thorpe page/entry: 56/7</p>
Box 16 Item 933	<p>Conveyance. 3 December 1296.</p> <p>Description: Robert le Marescal of Westminster to Walter de Walepole, for his service A messuage and 100 acres in Bestnover in Pevensey (Bestenovere in Pevenes'), which Robert had by the grant of Sir Thomas de Monte Acuto.</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam de Schelvestrode, Richard de Wertlinge, John Pechard', Robert de Veteri Curia [Oldcourt in Wartling], William de Veteri Monasterio [Otham in Hailsham], John de Mondeham, Walter Wace, John de Lem, Ellis Clericus, Ralph de Craule; at Bestnover Endorsed: Bestnover iija Cartulary: Vol 29 f 225v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/6 Ink number: 933 Thorpe page/entry: 53/6</p>
Box 16 Item 939	<p>Conveyance of rent in free alms for 3 shillings. 5 February 1305.</p> <p>Description: Gilbert Rudefyn to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the almonry</p>

	<p>An annual rent of 2 pence, with the escheats, which Gilbert is paid by the almoner for a croft called Rudefynescroft in the borough of Sandlake, Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert ate Park, Adam le Mone, Robert le Bordere, John Forester, Thomas Fuk', Richard le Vannere, William le Turnur, Peter Sherreve, John Brevettur, Robert G[ardener], Thomas le Webbe, William le Bole</p> <p>Endorsed: From the time of brother John Cristian; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/ Ink number: 939 Thorpe page/entry: 56/4</p>
Box 16 Item 943	<p>Conveyance for £1 6s 8d. 1301-1302.</p> <p>Description: Peter Belamy to John Bone</p> <p>The moiety of a messuage in Battle Town (E: the messuage of John de Scapeya; W: the messuage of Nicholas de Chileham; heading S: the road; N: the park of the abbot and convent), which formerly belonged to Gilbert le Border, which Peter inherited on the death of his sister, the widow of le Melker, and which is held of the abbot of Battle</p> <p>To hold of Peter, performing the services to the chief lords.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Scapeya, Nicholas de Chileham, Thomas ate Stene, Thomas Fuke, Richard Cokc, William le Turnur</p> <p>Endorsed: town Cvj</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/10 Ink number: 943 Thorpe page/entry: 54/6</p>
Box 16 Item 954	<p>Conveyance for £1 6s 8d. 10 March 1305.</p> <p>Description: Robert, called Redyngeis, of Battle, to John, son of Henry de la More of Benenden [in Kent]</p> <p>His messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the tenement which once belonged to John Cordewaner and the tenement of Michael de Dene; in length between the road and the new park of the abbot of Battle)</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Shepeye, Michael de Dene, Thomas le Taillur, Gilbert Waleth, William Aurifaber, Joce le Seler, Geoffrey Gulyun, Thomas Fuke, John Forester, Daniel le Taillur, Stephen Pessonner, John Hunte; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Seal fragment: ..ERTI REDYNG..</p> <p>Endorsed: town Cxxvij</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110v, which describes the grantee as John ate More the elder.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/15 Ink number: 954 D number: D103 Thorpe page/entry: 55/7</p>
Box 16 Item 956	<p>Conveyance for 6s 8d. 8 August 1305.</p> <p>Description: John, son of Henry atte More of Benenden [in Kent], to Michael de Dene</p> <p>A piece of the land of his messuage in Battle Town (in length between the road and the new park of the abbot of Battle; W: Michael's messuage; E: the rest of John's messuage), which John once purchased from Robert Redyngeys</p> <p>To hold of the abbot and convent of Battle by an annual rent of 6 pence for all services.</p> <p>Witnesses: William le Goldsmyth, Joce le Seeler, Daniel le Taylur, Robert Border, Adam le Mone,</p>

	<p>John de Loxebeche, Thomas le Taylur, John le Forster, Joce le Hunte, Thomas Fuke, William le Turnur; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: Cordewaner</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/16 Ink number: 956 Thorpe page/entry: 55/8</p>
Box 16 Item 984	<p>Conveyance in free alms. 1301-1302.</p> <p>Description: Thomas de Ivechereche to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the almonry</p> <p>A croft in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (heading N: the curtilage of Gilbert Rudefyn, and the curtilages of Osbert de Telham, Thomas Petit and Ellis Fauconer; S: the street which leads to the house which belonged to Simon de la Dune; W: land belonging to the church of St Mary, Battle; E: the land which belonged to Humphrey Beaufis)</p> <p>Paying an annual rent of 2 pence to Gilbert Rudefyn (1½d on 29 September and ½d on 21 December) for all services.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Bromham, Ralph Yevegod, Robert ate Park, Adam le Mone, Robert le Bordere, John Forester, Peter Sherreve, Henry Gardener, his brother Robert, Adam Faber, Reynold ate Felde, Thomas le Webbe</p> <p>Endorsed: from the time of brother J de Eylesforde, almoner; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Notes: Turn-up torn away.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/8 Ink number: 984 Thorpe page/entry: 54/1</p>
Box 16 Item 1024	<p>Quitclaim for £5. 25 February 1304.</p> <p>Description: Ralph, son of John de Pysinghe, to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristry</p> <p>His right in all the lands and tenements in Battle and Catsfield, both within the abbot's liberty and outside it, which they hold by his father's grant.</p> <p>Witnesses: John [blank], Ralph Yevegod, William le Goldsmyth, John le Forster, Michael de Dene, Gilbert Walet, Adam le Mone, John atte More, bailiff of Battle; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/14 Ink number: 1024 Pencil number: 33 Thorpe page/entry: 55/3</p>
Box 16 Item 1031	<p>Quitclaim of rent. 20 January 1303.</p> <p>Description: Agnes, daughter and heir of Thomas Waleys, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>The annual rent of a pound of cummin which she receives from a meadow at Plesset' in Battle Town.</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam le Mone, Stephen le Pessonier, William Aurifaber, John le Forester, Reynold de Beche, Robert atte Park, Daniel le Tailour; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Four radiating leaves: *S' AN.. .ALIS</p> <p>Endorsed: town Lxxxiiij</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/12 Ink number: 1031</p>

	<p>Pencil number: 46 D number: D92 Thorpe page/entry: 55/1</p>
<p>Box 16 Item 1123</p>	<p>Conveyance of rent for 10 shillings. 1295-1296.</p> <p>Description: Reynold de la Sarterie of Battle to John, son of John le Rede of Horsham An annual quitrent (annui et quieti redditus) of 18 pence, with the reliefs and escheats, from a messuage and curtilage in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (between the messuage formerly Adam Dufefyn [recte Rudfyn] and the messuage of Stephen de Brede), which Idonea, widow of John de Beche, held of Reynold.</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Funtenyr bailiff, William Aurifaber, Adam le Moune, Thomas Fuke, Thomas ater Stene, Robert de Parco, Robert le Bordere, Nicholas le Wevere, John Forestar, Robert Clericus, Stephen de Stowe, John de Saford</p> <p>Seals: Seal fragment: a fleur de lys.</p> <p>Notes: The ink number is duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/6 Ink number: 1123 D number: D98 Thorpe page/entry: 53/4</p>
<p>Box 16 Item 1226</p>	<p>Conveyance of rent in free alms for 6 shillings. 29 March 1306.</p> <p>Description: Roger le Smale of Battle to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the almonry An annual rent of 4 pence paid by Adam Faber of Sandlake from a tenement in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, purchased from Roger.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert ate Park, Robert le Bordere, Adam le Mone, John le Forester, Richard Vannere, Robert Gardyner, Reynold ate Felde, Thomas le Webbe, John Brevetur, William le Turnur, Ellis Baterel, John de Standenne</p> <p>Endorsed: From the time of brother John de Eylesforde, 6s; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/22 Ink number: 1226 Pencil number: 32 Thorpe page/entry: 56/8</p>
<p>Box 16 Item 1336</p>	<p>Quitclaim for 6s 8d. 22 February 1294.</p> <p>Description: Nicholas le Mouner and his wife Albreda to the abbot and convent of Battle Their right in a messuage in Battle Town which belonged to Agnes, daughter of Robert Frylend.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Fountener, William de Watlyngton, Thomas Skyret of Whatlington (Whatlyngton'), Adam le Mone, Robert de Parco, William Aurifaber, William de Alsiston, clerk; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Reversed C and C joined in the middle [?what is this]: +S'NICOLAI LE MOVNER</p> <p>Endorsed: Quitclaim of a messuage [called] The Hod; town Lxxxiiij</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110, where the grantor is named as Nicholas Mol'</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/4 Ink number: 1336 D number: D96 Thorpe page/entry: 52/7</p>

<p>Box 16 Item 1426</p>	<p>Conveyance for £1 6s 8d. 1304-1305.</p> <p>Description: William Waleys to John le Ferour His messuage with a house upon it in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (heading N: the street; S: land of the rector of Battle; E: the messuage of William le Bole; S [recte W]: the way from the street to the rector's land) To hold of William, performing the services to the lords of the fee.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Foukes, William le Thournour, Richard le Fannere, Peter le Scherreve, Robert le Gardiner, John Brevetour, Thomas le Webbe, William le Bole, Henry atte Stene, Ellis Baterel, Ralph Yvegod, Simon Clericus</p> <p>Seals: A star and crescent: +S'WILELMI WALIET</p> <p>Endorsed: town</p> <p>Notes: All the capital Bs and many of the lowercase ls in this document have been overwritten]. Probably before 3 February 1305, see Box 16, Item 872.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/18 Ink number: 1426 D number: D105 Thorpe page/entry: 55/5</p>
<p>Box 16 Item 1934</p>	<p>Quitclaim of rent. 15 January 1303.</p> <p>Description: John atte Bure of Battle to the abbot and convent of Battle An annual rent of 3 pence which they pay him for a piece of land which formerly belonged to his father, Rorgh atte Bure, at Maufosse in the old park of the abbot and convent.</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam le Mone, Stephen Pessonner, William Aurifaber, John le Forester, Reynold de Beche, Robert du Park, Daniel le Tailour; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: town Cxj</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/12 Ink number: 1934 Pencil number: 43 Thorpe page/entry: 55/2</p>
<p>Box 17</p>	<p>Records removed from volume 45</p>
<p>Box 17 Item 634</p>	<p>Conveyance in free alms for £2 11s 0d. 16 October 1308.</p> <p>Description: Thomas de Ivecherche to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the almonry 1 one acre one rod and 20 perches in a field called The Redelond in the borough of Bremblegh, Battle, which Thomas has by the grant of Isabel, daughter of Fulk Cocus, and by the grant and quitclaim of his own daughters Aubrea and Alice, and which was had in exchange from Henry [de Aylesford], abbot of Battle [1281-1297], and the convent, for land in the new park called Shirewode 2 A quarter-virgate (quarterum) of land in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, next to the land of Robert ate Park, which Thomas had by the quitclaim of his daughters Aubrea and Alice.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert ate Parc, Robert le Bordere, Adam le Mone, Nicholas le Wevere, Stephen Pessonner, John Forester, Daniel le Taillur, Gilbert Waleth, Simon Pykot, Joce le Seler, Richard le Vannere, John Brevettur, John Funtener clerk</p> <p>Endorsed: From the time of brother J de Eyllsford, then almoner of Battle; the price is 51s; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	<p>Original volume/page: V45/7 Ink number: 634 Thorpe page/entry: 58/5</p>
Box 17 Item 646	<p>Lease for 30 years from 2 February 1310 at 2 shillings. 2 February 1310.</p> <p>Description: Richard Grym to Adam Curur A messuage with a house upon it in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (in length [E] the road; W: the almoner's land; S: the messuage of Thomas de Haddelegh; N: the messuage of William de Bernehorne), which descended to Richard on the death of his mother Joan AC to defend against the chief lord; AC to find RG the space for a bed in the tenement during the term for as long as he lives singly; should AC build or in any way improve the messuage during the term, he may retain the tenement until RG has paid his expenses, assessed by the view of lawful men; should RG wish to sell in fee during the term, AC to have first refusal (<i>propinquier sit sicut inter eos cojurere poterit</i>). Witnesses: Joce le Celer, Gilbert Walet, William de Bernehorne, Thomas de Haddelegh, Daniel le Taillur, John le Forester Seals: A six-petalledflower: +S' RIBARDI GRIM Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V45/11 Ink number: 646 Thorpe page/entry: 59/5</p>
Box 17 Item 696	<p>Conveyance for £66 13s 4d. June 1309.</p> <p>Description: William [de Bromham] to Joce, son of William de Wathlyngton His entire tenement at Broomham in Catsfield, in lands, buildings, meadows, woods, heaths, pastures, waters, ways, homages, rents, fealties, suits of court, heriots, reliefs, escheats, services and customs. Witnesses: William de Penhurst, W[illiam de Hod]jesdale, Reynold de Beche, Michael de Beche, Joce de Ferne, Nicholas de Cokkefeud, John atte More,, Robert le Bordere, John le Forster, Daniel le Taylur, Stephen Pessonier; at ... Seals: A star: ..MD' BROMA.. Endorsed: Broomham in the park xvij. duplex Cartulary: Vol 29 f111v Notes: The top and bottom left corners of the document have been eaten by mice; of the dating-clause, only St Barnabas (11 June) is visible. For the identity of the grantor, see Box 18, 1449. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V45/9 Ink number: 696</p>
Box 17 Item 718	<p>Licence to alienate by chief lord. 8 January 1310.</p> <p>Description: William de Hasting kt to Joce, son of William de Whatlynton That he may give all the lands and tenements at Broomham in Catsfield, which he has of the gift of William de Bromham and which William held of WH in service, to the abbot and convent of Battle Saving the services owed by the the land to WH; WH also gives the abbot and convent of Battle licence to acquire the land, notwithstanding the statute of mortmain, without being troubled by him or his heirs; at Battle. Seals: Armorial barry, with illegible charge in chief: +S'WILLEL.. DE ...NGES Endorsed: xxviiij. Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111V Reference numbers:</p>

	<p>Original volume/page: V45/14 Ink number: 718 Thorpe page/entry: 59/3</p>
Box 17 Item 725	<p>Licence to alienate by chief lord. 7 January 1310.</p> <p>Description: William de Garlaunde to Joce, son of William de Whalinton That he may give all the lands and tenements at Broomham in Catsfield, which he has of the gift of William de Bromham and which William held of WG, to the abbot and convent of Battle Saving the services owed by the the land to WG; WG also gives the abbot and convent of Battle licence to acquire the land, notwithstanding the statute of mortmain, without being troubled by him or his heirs; at Battle Seals: Seal fragment [repaired at random]. Endorsed: xxx. Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V45/15 Ink number: 725 Thorpe page/entry: 59/4</p>
Box 17 Item 735	<p>Quitclaim for a consideration. 21 April 1309.</p> <p>Description: Alice, widow of Thomas Fukes of Battle, to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the almonry Her right in all the lands and tenements in Battle Town which they hold by the grant of TF.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert le Gardener, Richard le Vannere, Robert de Suthynne, Thomas le Webbe, Stephen Busener, William le Turnur, Reynold ate Velde; at Battle Seals: A star: ..ALI..EL THOM.. Endorsed: From the time of brother J de Eylesford; ..x sol; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V45/7 Ink number: 735 Thorpe page/entry: 57/7</p>
Box 17 Item 781	<p>Conveyance. 13 October 1307.</p> <p>Description: Aubrea and Alice, daughters and heirs of Alice Fukes of Battle deceased, to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the sacristry The moiety of a tenement in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, which formerly belonged to Fulk Cocus, and which they inherited on the death of their mother.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert le Bordere, Robert de Suthinne, John Forester, Thomas Fukes, Richard le Vannere, Robert de Beche, Thomas le Taillur, Ellis Fauconer, Anselm Tutlemund, Daniel le Taillur, Stephen Pessonner, Simon Pykot; at Battle Seals: First seal only: a fleur de lys: legend illegible.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V45/4 Ink number: 781 Pencil number: 30 Thorpe page/entry: 57/4</p>
Box 17 Item 783	<p>Conveyance. 10 November 1308.</p> <p>Description: Sarah, widow of Stephen Sprot, to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the sacristry The moiety of a tenement in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, which formerly belonged</p>

	<p>to her father Fulk Cocus, and which she inherited on his death.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert le Border, Robert de Suthynne, John Forester, Thomas Fukes, Robert de Beche, Thomas le Taillur, Daniel le Taillur, Stephen Pessonner, Simon Pykot, Robert ate Cherche, Stephen ate Cherche, Ralph Copegrey; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V45/5 Ink number: 783 Pencil number: 32 Thorpe page/entry: 58/4</p>
Box 17 Item 845	<p>Conveyance for £1 10s 0d. 8 November 1309.</p> <p>Description: Peter, son and heir of John Curteys, to Jocelin, son of William de Whatlinton All the land he has of the fee of Broomham in Catsfield (N: the Battle to Ashburnham road; E: the land of the abbot of Battle; S: land of David Curteys; W: land of John Page)</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Sneylhamme, Joce de Ferne, William de Hodesdale, John de Smalefeld, Reynold de Beche, John de Lonesford, Michael de Beche, William de Peneherst, William de Ore, Daniel le Taylour, Robert de Southinne, Reynold atte Felde; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Fragment of PETRI... ..RTEIS</p> <p>Endorsed: Broomham in the park xxij.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f111v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V45/10 Ink number: 845 Thorpe page/entry: 58/9</p>
Box 17 Item 938	<p>Deed of exchange. 6 October 1309.</p> <p>Description: Ralph, son of Thomas de Hurst of Sedlescombe, to the abbot and convent of Battle All his lands and tenements in Catsfield, in the fee of Broomham, which one belonged to Alan de Kenes In exchange for: a messuage in Battle which once belonged to Gilbert Hood.</p> <p>Witnesses: Joce de Whatlyngtone, John de Lonesforde, William de Hodesdale, Ralph de Beche, Michael de Beche, William de Ore, Stephen Pessonner, John le Forester, Adam le Mone, Joce le Celer; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A man cutting at a bench within a quatrefoil: *S'RADVLFI FIL THOME DE HER..</p> <p>Endorsed: Broomham by Battle .v.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v</p> <p>Related materials: As Box 17, Item 948, but with slightly different witness list.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V45/11 Ink number: 938 Thorpe page/entry: 58/7</p>
Box 17 Item 944	<p>Confirmation by chief lord. 18 December 1309.</p> <p>Description: William de Garlaunde to Joce, son of William de Whatlinton All the lands and tenements in Catsfield which Joce has by the gift of William de Bromham, which William held of WG To hold of WG, paying 20 shillings for scutage when it runs at 40 shillings, and 5s 3d castleguard for all services; WG releases the tenements from the homage, suit of court, heriot and relief which were formerly due, and charges himself to defend the tenements against any demands for them.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Penehurst, William de Hodesdale, William de Ore, Reynold de Beche, Michael de Beche, Robert le Gardener, Stephen le Pessonner, John le Forester; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: xxix.</p>

	<p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V45/12 Ink number: 944 Thorpe page/entry: 59/4</p>
Box 17 Item 948	<p>Conveyance [as Box 17, Item 938], but to Joce, son of William de Whatlynton; William de Penehurst substituted for Joce in the witness list. 6 October 1309.</p> <p>Endorsed: Broomham by Battle .iiij. [cartulary f 111v].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V45/13 Ink number: 948 Thorpe page/entry: 58/8</p>
Box 17 Item 1015	<p>Covenant for reversion. 17 April 1308.</p> <p>Description: Master Robert Cadel, clerk, with William de Bromham All the lands and tenements which William had at Broomham in Catsfield, which he conveyed to Robert It is agreed that the property will revert to William, without waste of the buildings or sale of woods, on 29 September 1328. Witnesses: William de Sneylham, John de Lundresford, William de Peneherst, William de Hodesdale, John de la Broke, Simon de la Broke, Simon de Bromham; at Broomham Seals: A star and crescent: +S'WILL'I DE BROMHA' Endorsed: Broomham in the park xj. Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V45/2 Ink number: 1015 Pencil number: 24 Thorpe page/entry: 57/2</p>
Box 17 Item 1054	<p>Quitclaim for 20 years by widow. 19 July 1308.</p> <p>Description: Margery, widow of Robert de [Br]omham, to master Robert Cadel, clerk Her right by way of dower or any other reason in all the lands and tenements in Catsfield which belonged to her husband, for 20 years from the date of the deed. Witnesses: William de Sneylham, John de Lunesforde, Simon de Bromham, Adam de Wallia, Gilbert Waleth; at Broomham Endorsed: Broomham in the park xij. Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V45/8 Ink number: 1054 Pencil number: 63 Thorpe page/entry: 58/3</p>
Box 17 Item 1309	<p>Conveyance for £26 13s 4d [mortgage]. 8 April 1308.</p> <p>Description: William de Bromhamme to master Robert Cadel, clerk His entire tenement at Broomham in Catsfield, in lands, buildings, meadows, pastures, woods, waters, ways, rents, suits of court, heriots, reliefs, escheats, services and customs. Witnesses: William de Sneylham, William de Hodesdale, Michael de Beche, Simon de Bromhamme, John de Lonesford, William Garlaund, John de la More; at Battle Seals: A star and crescent: [+S'W]ILL'I DE B[RO]MHA'</p>

	<p>Endorsed: Broomham in the park .x. Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V45/3 Ink number: 1309 Pencil number: 8 Thorpe page/entry: 57/3</p>
Box 17 Item 1356	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 11 October 1307.</p> <p>Description: Grant, with the assent of John de Thanet, abbot of Battle, and the whole convent, to John de Beans A plot in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, (between the plot which belonged to Walter le Marchant and the plot which belonged to Thomas le Mossager), which at one time belonged to Geoffrey Gulyun To hold freely by an annual rent of 2 shillings for all services; JB did fealty and had seisin at the instance of John de Watlycton, steward of Battle. Witnesses: Robert ate Park, Robert le Border, Adam le Mone, Stephen Pessonner, Daniel Taillur, John Forester, John Funtener clerk</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V45/1 Ink number: 1356 Pencil number: 18 Thorpe page/entry: 57/6</p>
Box 17 Item 1452	<p>Quitclaim for £20. 2 July 1309.</p> <p>Description: Robert, son of Robert de Bromham deceased, to Joce, son of William de Whatlinton His right in the entire tenement at Broomham in Catsfield, in lands, buildings, meadows, woods, heaths, pastures, waters, ways, homages, rents, fealties, suits of court, heriots, reliefs, escheats, services and customs, which belonged to his brother William, who sold to Joce.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Penhurst, William de Hodesdale, Reynold de Beche, Michael de Beche, Joce de Ferne, Nicholas de Cokkefeud, John atte More, Simon de Bromham, Robert le Bordere, John le Forester, Daniel le Tailour, Stephen le Pessonner; at Broomham</p> <p>Seals: An eight-petalledflower: +S'ROBERTI DE BROMHAM</p> <p>Endorsed: Broomham in the park vij. Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V45/6 Ink number: 1452 Thorpe page/entry: 58/2</p>
Box 18	Records removed from volume 46
Box 18 Item 639	<p>Surrender of lease and quitclaim. 10 July 1313.</p> <p>Description: William, son of Robert de Bromhamme, to the abbot and convent of Battle The messuage in Battle Town, which belonged to John Yvegod, which William had by the demise of the abbot and convent</p> <p>Witnesses: Daniel le Tayllor, John Forester, Stephen Pessonner, Nicholas de Cokefeld, Gilbert Walet; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: villa de Bello Cxlvij. Cartulary: Vol 29 f110v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/14</p>

	<p>Ink number: 639 Thorpe page/entry: 61/5</p>
<p>Box 18 Item 647</p>	<p>Copy of court roll of the manor of Battle for 16 August 1312. Approximately 1430.</p> <p>Description: Grant by John de Eyelesford, the almoner of Battle, with the consent of the abbot and convent of Battle, to William, son of Peter Croul of Faversham</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">A tenement in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, which formerly belonged to Ralph Aubrii (E: the tenement which belonged to Walter Petit; W: the tenement which once belonged to Geoffrey Morgon; in length S: the road through the middle of the town; N: the almoner's land)</p> <p>To hold of the abbot and convent, paying annual rents of 7s 9d to the use of the almonry, and of 3 pence to the church of St Mary, Battle, for all services except the customary works at Bodiam Mead at Pepperingeye Pond. Enrolled and read in open court, in which seisin was granted and William did fealty.</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/12 Ink number: 647 Thorpe page/entry: 61/2</p>
<p>Box 18 Item 660</p>	<p>Deed of exchange. 24 April 1325.</p> <p>Description: Stephen ate Herst and his wife Gillian [at Boure - see seal] to Stephen Pessonner of Battle</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">All the lands and tenements, in buildings, gardens, lands, hedges and ditches, which once belonged to John ate Bur' of Battle (in length E: road; W: SP's land; N: Domesdayesland and Redeland; S: land of SP, land of Robert Mortymer), with a croft called Norhtrode, which lies between the road from The Bourecruch to Ashburnham</p> <p>In exchange for:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">A messuage which belonged to John Wale, and £10.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas de Co[kef]eld, John Forster, Daniel le Taylur, Gilbert Walet, Thomas de Haddeleghe, Robert Mortymer, Walter Baker, John Cuner; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A six-pointed star: * S' STENI AT' HERST; a fleur de lys: * S' IVLIANE ATE BOVRE</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/30 Ink number: 660 Thorpe page/entry: 64/4</p>
<p>Box 18 Item 676</p>	<p>Quitclaim. 1316-1317.</p> <p>Description: John, son and heir of Anselm Tutlemunde, to Stephen Pessonner of Battle</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">His right in a messuage which he inherited on his father's death, which John earlier gave to SP by charter of feoffment.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas de Cukefeud, Daniel le Taillur</p> <p>Seals: Radiating leaves and branches: * S' IOH'TVLEMVND'</p> <p>Notes: Dated by regnal year only.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/20 Ink number: 676 Thorpe page/entry: 62/5</p>
<p>Box 18 Item 701</p>	<p>Counterpart grant in fee-farm at 13s 4d. 10 June 1313.</p> <p>Description: John [de Northburn], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to Peter son of Osmer atte Doune, and to his heirs in tail</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">A mill in their manor of Bereherst in Burwash</p> <p>The rent payable at Bereherst; the abbot and convent may re-enter the mill, or distrain on all the</p>

	<p>lands which Peter holds on the day of this deed in Turzes (Tyerthesherst) and Gutherst', in whomsoever's hands they be, for non-payment after one year.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir Robert de Passelegh kt, Reynold de Thyreshersch', Geoffrey de Woknoll', Walter atte Halle, Robert de Scharndenne, Ralph de Guttreshole, William de Wythiryndenn', John de Codyng', William de Hodesdale</p> <p>Endorsed: Berhurst mill .xv.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 126v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/12 Ink number: 701 Thorpe page/entry: 60/7</p>
Box 18 Item 710	<p>Grant of an easement of drainage. 9 November 1310.</p> <p>Description: John, son and heir of Hugh de Codynge, to the abbot and convent of Battle That they may sew all their salt (maritimas) and brook lands of their manor of Barnhorn through John's ditch called Meneflete to the sea, and put sluices at the head of Meneflete [facing] to the south, so that the gutter which they have in The Grenewalle be kept of such a size to allow the water entering Meneflete through it to have adequate issue towards the sea (<i>ita quod guttera eorundem abbatis et conventus quam habunt positam in la Grenewalle sit ita moderate magnitudinis ut aqua per eam ingrediens dictum fossatum quod vocatur Meneflete per medium supradicte guttere in capite eiusdem fossati posite competentem habeat exitum versus mare</i>); the abbot and convent may clean Meneflet whenever necessary, placing half the spoil on the lands which they have of the gift of Sir William de Hasting', and half on John's land.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir William de Hasting' kt, Robert de Peplesham, Philip de Bosco, John de Ertham, Walter le Parker, William de Walderne, Andrew de Eston; at Barnhorn</p> <p>Seals: A human head with the body of a bird and a cow's legs: * SIGILLVM SECRETI</p> <p>Endorsed: Barnhorn .xlix.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 135v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/5 Ink number: 710 Thorpe page/entry: 60/2</p>
Box 18 Item 721	<p>Grant of reversion in escrow to protect title. 24 April 1325.</p> <p>Description: Stephen ate Herst and his wife Gillian [at Boure - see seal] to Stephen Pessonier of Battle The messuage and £6 13s 4d [recte £10] which they received from SP in exchange for the lands and tenements which belonged to John ate Bour' [see Box 18, Item 660] The messuage is to revert to SP should he or his heirs be impleaded and lose the property by the inadequate warranty of SH, GH or their heirs; they bind all their real and personal property; at Battle.</p> <p>Seals: A six-pointed star: * S' STENI AT' HERST; a fleur de lys: * S' IVLIANE ATE BOVRE</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/27 Ink number: 721 Thorpe page/entry: 64/5</p>
Box 18 Item 736	<p>Partial release of rents and services. 25 February 1325.</p> <p>Description: John de Shoeswelle to Robert le Rous All the rents and services which Robert owes John for a tenement in Etchingham, which John formerly acquired from Simon ate Strete, except for an annual rent of 4 pence only.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Sir William de Echingham, Nicholas de Bokeshulle, Geoffrey de Berewyk, John de Helde, John Frebody, John his son, Richard Wodye, Hugh de Hundestorre, Reynold de Hundestorre, Simon the clerk; at Udimore</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/31 Ink number: 736 Thorpe page/entry: 64/7</p>
Box 18 Item 756	<p>Quitclaim by widow. 6 April 1325.</p> <p>Description: Beatrice Cordewaner, widow of Roger le Bunch, to Alice, widow of John le Mason of Sheppey Her right in a tenement in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the messuage formerly Robert Redyngeys and Alice's messuage; in length between the road and the abbot's park).</p> <p>Witnesses: John le Forster, Stephen Pesoner, Daniel le Taylur, Gilbert Walet, Thomas de Haddeleghe, John Cuner; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/29 Ink number: 756 Thorpe page/entry: 62/2</p>
Box 18 Item 761	<p>Conveyance of rent for 6s 8d. 30 April 1314.</p> <p>Description: Richard le Vannere of Battle to Stephen le Glovere of Battle An annual rent of 6 pence which Robert Plomor owes for his own messuage.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert de Southynne, William Tornor, Reynold atte Feld, John Lewere, Clement Brembal, Thomas le Webbe</p> <p>Related materials: See also the ca. 1320 quitclaim from Richard's widow to Stephen (Box 11, Item 621).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/14 Ink number: 761 Thorpe page/entry: 61/4</p>
Box 18 Item 772	<p>Grant in free alms. 6 December 1310.</p> <p>Description: Robert atte Park to John [de Whatlington], abbot of Battle, and the convent A tenement in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (N: the tenement which belonged to William de Ponte Roberti; S: the tenement formerly Thomas de Tonebregge; W: road; E: the meadow of Nicholas de Cokefeld)</p> <p>Witnesses: Reynold de Beche, Daniel le Tailour, Nicholas de Cokefeld, Stephen Pessonner, John le Forester, Gilbert Walet, Robert de Suthynne, Reynold atte Feld, Richard le Vannere</p> <p>Seals: Seal gone.</p> <p>Endorsed: villa Lxxxx</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/4 Ink number: 772 Pencil number: 21 Thorpe page/entry: 60/3</p>
Box 18 Item 779	<p>Conveyance for £20. 22 May 1311.</p> <p>Description: Richard, son of John le Vannere of Battle, to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacrist A field of 6 acres 1 rod, enclosed by hedges and ditches, in the borough of Sandlake,</p>

	<p>Battle (E: the sacrist's land; W: Peter Sherreve's land; heading S: the almoner's land; N: road)</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert le Gardiner, Thomas le Webbe, Stephen Bosener, Reynold atte Felde, Robert Humfrey, Robert de Southinne, William le Turnour, Daniel le Taillour, Stephen Pessonier, Gilbert Walet, John le Forster, Joce le Hunte, Joce le Sceler</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/1 Ink number: 779 Pencil number: 28 Thorpe page/entry: 59/6</p>
Box 18 Item 819	<p>Conveyance for £1. 29 December 1310.</p> <p>Description: Nicholas le Queynte of Battle, and his wife Basile, to John, son of William Arnald of Aylsford [?John de Eylesford, the almoner of Battle] A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the messuage of John Bone and the messuage of William Cocus; in length between the road and the land of the almoner of Battle), which Basile inherited on the death of her brother, Gilbert Rodefyn.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Bone, Robert Gardener, Robert de Southynne, Stephen Bosoner, Thomas le Webbe, William Cocus, Richard Forester, Richard le Vannere, Thomas ate Stene, William Stepeso3te, Reynold ate Feld, Stephen Pessonier</p> <p>Seals: Second seal only: radiating leaves and branches: * S' BASIL' ...VIEL'</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/10 Ink number: 819 Pencil number: 88 Thorpe page/entry: 60/5</p>
Box 18 Item 840	<p>Conveyance and quitclaim of rent for 13s 4d. 12 November 1314.</p> <p>Description: Richard, called le Vannere, of Battle, to Stephen Glovere of Battle and his wife Albrede, and to Stephen's heirs An annual rent of 12 pence from the tenement formerly Fulk Cocus, with the escheats.</p> <p>Witnesses: Daniel le Tayllor, Simon Honiman, Robert de Southinne, Stephen Pessonier; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Seal.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/17 Ink number: 840 Thorpe page/entry: 62/1</p>
Box 18 Item 876	<p>Conveyance. 17 June 1318.</p> <p>Description: Agnes, daughter of Roger ate Boure deceased, (<i>filia quondam Roregis ate Boure</i>), to Thomas de Titynghe and his wife Agnes, and to Thomas's heirs A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the messuage which belonged to Richard Tebaud and the messuage of the heirs of Nicholas de Chilleham), which she had in exchange from Robert de Beche for her messuage in the borough of Bremblegh, Battle The consideration is said to be 'a certain sum of money'.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas de Cukefeud, John Forester, Daniel le Taillour, Gilbert Walat, Walter Milys, Thomas de Haddeleghe, Thomas ate Stene, Maurice Faber, Henry Cocus, Robert de Suthynne, Stephen Glovere, Stephen Pessonier; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Seal gone.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/21</p>

	<p>Ink number: 876 Thorpe page/entry: 63/4</p>
Box 18 Item 886	<p>Conveyance. 1317-1318.</p> <p>Description: William Proo of the vill of Stragheton to John Polton of Battle A messuage in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (between the messuage of John de Suttone and JP's messuage; in length between the road and the land called Byrchetlond)</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam le Mone, John Forster, Stephen Pessonner, John de Wenbregge, John Swon, Ellis ate Stepe; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Radiating crescents: ...LL'I PROO</p> <p>Notes: Dated by regnal year only.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/21 Ink number: 886 Thorpe page/entry: 63/5</p>
Box 18 Item 889	<p>Conveyance for £2. 15 May 1315.</p> <p>Description: William le Whyte to Nicholas Haudon, his wife Agnes and his sister Gillian, and to Gillian's heirs 1 seven acres of his land at Grenegore in Westham (E: the Langney-Hailsham road; W: land formerly William de Letherythe; S: the garden of Brene de Thorne; N: Robert Crullyng's land) 2 An annual rent of 6d, with the escheats, from the tenement formerly William de Lethy[yt]he.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Paulyn, Henry Allard, Simon Curtais, Martin Brene, William Alm., William Molyn, Gervais de Fulrythe, Alexander Wygge, Richard Wylkyn, Thomas son of Thomas de [Han]ekeham, Thomas son of Robert de Hanekeham, Simon de Hidenye; at Westham</p> <p>Endorsed: Endorsed, approximately 1400: charter of Sarynglond and of the rent of John Hotherop.</p> <p>Notes: The document is damaged by a vertical tear.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/17 Ink number: 889 Thorpe page/entry: 61/8</p>
Box 18 Item 894	<p>Conveyance. 7 January 1311.</p> <p>Description: Michael de Dene to Gilbert Walet and his wife Margery All that land which Agnes atte Felde once held of [the fee of] Westbeche in Battle, which Michael acquired from Robert le Bordere by charter.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir William de Echingham kt, his brother Sir Robert kt, Sir William de Hastings kt, Roger Doget, William de Penhurst, Reynold de Beche, William de Bromham, John Forestar', Stephen Pessonner, William de Hodesdale, William a Nore, Simon de Werthe; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Crescent and star: + S' MICHAELIS:...ENE</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/3 Ink number: 894 Thorpe page/entry: 60/6</p>
Box 18 Item 959	<p>Grant of rent in free alms for 6 shillings. 15 December 1310.</p> <p>Description: Gervais Pocok, son and heir of William Clericus of Battle, to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the almonry An annual rent of 6 pence from a tenement in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, which Auger Tector of Crowhurst held of GP, with its escheats.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Robert Gardiner, Thomas Webbe, Reynold ate Felde, Stephen Glover, Daniel Tayllour, Stephen Pessonier, John Forester</p> <p>Endorsed: From the time of brother J de Eylesforde, 6s ; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Notes: The date as expressed, Tuesday on the morrow of St Lucy, 4 Edward 2, is incorrect. St Lucy (13 December) fell on a Sunday in 1310; a copying mistake of quarto for quinto would account for a correct date of 14 December 1311.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/10 Ink number: 959 Thorpe page/entry: 60/4</p>
Box 18 Item 961	<p>Conveyance. 1313-1314.</p> <p>Description: Robert le Bordere of Battle to Isabel, widow of Robert Gardener The moiety of a grove standing in RB's field called Byrchetfeld (in length between the land of the heir of Robert ate Park and the grove of Stephen le Glover; N: Byrchetstrete; S: RB's own land) To hold of the chief lord by the service of ½d rent on 29 September; the consideration stated to be 'a certain sum of money'.</p> <p>Witnesses: Joce de Watlintone, Stephen Glover, Robert de Southinne, Stephen Pessonier</p> <p>Notes: Dated by regnal year only.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/16 Ink number: 961 Thorpe page/entry: 61/6</p>
Box 18 Item 962	<p>Grant in fee-farm at 3 pence. 6 January 1317.</p> <p>Description: John de Sidelegh to Reynold atte Noke of Bexhill A rod of his land [in Bexhill] (W: the land of John's brother Clement; E,N: John's own land; S: the way from Sidley to Bexhill church) Reynold performing the services to the chief lords, and paying an annual rent of 3 pence to John.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert de Wertlesham, John de Badessore, John de Bokholt, Robert d'Herchyntone, John Dyn; at Bexhill</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/20 Ink number: 962 Thorpe page/entry: 63/3</p>
Box 18 Item 963	<p>Grant to feoffee. 29 July 1324.</p> <p>Description: John, son and heir of Simon Litelwatte of Hailsham, to James de Cralle of Pevensey All his tenement of The Doune in Hailsham, with the reversion, after the death of his mother Isabel, Simon's widow, of the third part of the same tenement which she holds in dower, with buildings, gardens, lands, meadows and pastures, as fully as John inherited it from his father.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Paulyn, Henry Alard, Simon Curtais, Simon de Hidenie, William Alman, William Molyn, Thomas Wylkyn, John Willard atte Doune, William Crop, John de la Forde, clerk; at The Doune in Hailsham</p> <p>Endorsed: Hankham, belongs to Go'frey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/27 Ink number: 963 Thorpe page/entry: 64/6</p>

<p>Box 18 Item 970</p>	<p>Settlement. 23 September 1324.</p> <p>Description: James de Cralle of Pevensey to John Litelwatte, son of Simon Litelwatte of Hailsham, and James's daughter Gillian, and to their heirs in tail, remainder to John's right heirs All his tenement of The Doune in Hailsham, with the reversion, after the death of his mother Isabel, Simon's widow, of the third part of the same tenement which she holds in dower, with buildings, gardens, lands, meadows and pastures, as fully as John enfeoffed him.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Paulyn, Henry Alard, Simon Curtais, Simon de Hidenie, William Alman, William Molyn, Thomas Wilkyn, John Willard atter Doune, William Crop, John de la Forde, clerk; at The Doune in Hailsham</p> <p>Seals: ?A bird: legend illegible; tag formed from a draft.</p> <p>Endorsed: Hankham, belongs to Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/31 Ink number: 970 Thorpe page/entry: 65/1</p>
<p>Box 18 Item 983</p>	<p>Conveyance. 26 January 1319.</p> <p>Description: Henry Lovecok to Richard Richer A quarter-virgate (quarterium) of his land with a garden, at Westham within the burgage of Pevensey (E: the tenement of the heirs of Ferance Provincial; W: land of Robert de Birche; heading N: road; S: land of the heirs of Gervais ate Fonte), which Henry lately acquired from Gervais ate Fonte.</p> <p>Witnesses: Ellis Clericus, Simon Curtays, William Paul, William at' Doune, Simon de Hidenye, John ate Rede, William Squier, John Rush; at Westham</p> <p>Endorsed: Land in Westham belonging to Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/22 Ink number: 983 Thorpe page/entry: 63/9</p>
<p>Box 18 Item 989</p>	<p>Licence by chief lord to alienate in mortmain. 11 December 1322.</p> <p>Description: Nichola, widow of Baldwin de Aldham, to Robert Allard, son of John Allard of Winchelsea That he may give and assign a messuage and 100 acres at Bestnover (Biastenovere) in Pevensey, which he acquired from Werrina, formerly wife of William de Colverdenne, to the abbot and convent of Battle The abbot and convent may appropriate the land notwithstanding the statute, and will not be troubled by Nichola or her heirs. At Tarring Neville (Torrige).</p> <p>Seals: Seal fragment: a lion's head on a field of fleurs de lys within an engrailled border.</p> <p>Endorsed: Bestnover .vj.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 225v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/26 Ink number: 989 Thorpe page/entry: 64/3</p>
<p>Box 18 Item 1026</p>	<p>Final concord in the king's court at Pevensey before Edmund Maubaunk, bailiff of Pevensey, Henry son of Gervais Alard, Ellis Clericus and other suitors. 4 June 1319.</p> <p>Description: Robert, son of John Alard of Winchelsea, VWerrina, widow of Robert le Mareschal of Westminster A messuage and 100 acres in Bestnover (Beastenovere) in Pevensey. Consideration £100.</p>

	<p>Notes: Slits for two seals; this deed was originally sealed as one unit with Box 18, Item 1027, and they are still attached.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/22 Ink number: 1026 Pencil number: 35 Thorpe page/entry: 63/7</p>
Box 18 Item 1027	<p>Conveyance. 20 May 1319.</p> <p>Description: Werrina, widow of Robert le Mareschal of Westminster, to Robert, son of John Alard of Winchelsea A messuage and 100 acres in Bestnover (Beastenover') in Pevensey, which she had by the grant of Walter de Walepole For greater security, the seal of the community of Pevensey is attached.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Codynge, Henry Paulyn, Simon Curtays, Robert le Wallere, Robert Pechard, Ellis Clericus, Richard de Pevenessee, Robert de Cralle; at Bestnover</p> <p>Endorsed: Bestnover vta duplex</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 225v</p> <p>Notes: Attached to Box 18, Item 1026. Slits for two seals; this deed was originally sealed as one unit with Item 1026, and they are still attached.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/22 Ink number: 1027 Pencil number: 36 Thorpe page/entry: 63/8</p>
Box 18 Item 1039	<p>Indented copy of court roll, manor of Battle. [26 May] 1311.</p> <p>Description: Grant by brother John de Eylesforde, almoner of Battle, with the assent of the whole chapter, to Peter Curtays A piece of land west of Peter's messuage To hold of the abbot and convent of Battle, paying an annual rent of 2 pence to the use of the almonry.</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Notes: The document is badly rubbed along the top edge, obscuring the date, which has been recovered from Volume 5, entry 261. Curtis was presented for a purpresture by his messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, at a place which belonged to the tenement held by the almoner by Beche.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/10 Ink number: 1039 Pencil number: 48 Thorpe page/entry: 59/7</p>
Box 18 Item 1068	<p>Conveyance. 4 June 1317.</p> <p>Description: Agnes, daughter and heir of Henry Elvered of Brockley in Lewisham deceased, to Hugh de Herford, citizen of London 1 Three rods of arable in a field called Knyghttesfeld in Lewisham (S: HH's land; N,W: land of her sister Salerne; E: road) 2 Three rods of land in the field of Holeweye in Lewisham (E: land of her sister Salerne; W,S: HH's land; N: Robert Elvered's land) Which she inherited on her father's death; consideration 'a certain sum of money'.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Elvered, Alexander Payn, Robert ate Forest the elder, Robert ate Forest the younger, Robert ate Hole, Simon Rotholf, Adam de Brockele; at Brockley</p>

	<p>Endorsed: Lewisham xxx. Cartulary: Vol 29 f 224v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/19 Ink number: 1068 Thorpe page/entry: 63/2</p>
Box 18 Item 1150	<p>Quitclaim by widow. 1312-1313.</p> <p>Description: Denise, widow of Robert atte Park, to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the almoner Her right in a croft called Smythesland in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Bromham, Thomas de Haddeleghe, Gilbert Wallet, Simon Pycot, Adam Paviot, Daniel le Taillur, John Brevetour, John le Hunte, Robert le Bordere, Adam le Mone, Peter atte Graung'</p> <p>Seals: Seal fragment.</p> <p>Endorsed: From the time of brother J de Eylesforde; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Notes: Dated by regnal year only.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/13 Ink number: 1150 Thorpe page/entry: 61/3</p>
Box 18 Item 1161	<p>Conveyance. 18 April 1323.</p> <p>Description: John Germeyn, son of Gervais le Couper of Hankham [in Westham], to his brother Geoffrey Germeyn A piece of land with a house built upon it at Hankham in Westham (W: the Pevensey-Hailsham road; E: land formerly William le Sone; S: land formerly John Bumale; N: land formerly Geoffrey le Thecher) Paying an annual rent of 1s 4d to the chief lord for all services, suits of court and reliefs.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon Curtays, William Aleman, William Molyn, William Wilkyn, Thomas de Hanek'; at Westham</p> <p>Endorsed: Hankham, belonging to Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/14 Ink number: 1161 Thorpe page/entry: 61/1</p>
Box 18 Item 1164	<p>Conveyance. 30 March 1326.</p> <p>Description: Robert Baluard to Simon Symere and his wife Margery, and to Simon's heirs A piece of his land with a house built on it, enclosed by hedges and ditches, at Hankham in Westham (between the Pevensey-Hailsham road and the land of Geoffrey Jermayn; between the land of the heirs of Robert Smoke and the land of Geoffrey Jermayn).</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Wilkyne, Thomas de Hankam, Giles de Estmyngton, Henry Eldecherch, Alexander Wygge, Thomas Pistor, John de Iforde; at Westham</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: * S' ROB'I BALVARD</p> <p>Endorsed: Hankham, belonging to Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/32 Ink number: 1164 Thorpe page/entry: 65/2</p>
Box 18 Item 1227	<p>Conveyance. 20 June 1322.</p>

	<p>Description: Stephen le Glover and his wife Albreda to Alan Chesman A piece of land in Battle (between the land of the heirs of Robert Gardener and the way from Hokeham to Donningford (Donyforde), which Stephen formerly acquired from Robert le Border Consideration 'a certain sum of money'. Witnesses: John le Forster, Stephen Pessonner, Daniel le Taylur, Nicholas de Cokefeud, Hnery Lovekoc, John Poltun, Gilbert Walet, John ate Dune, Walter Miles, Robert de Suthinne, Thomas Cuner, John Cuner; at Battle Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/24 Ink number: 1227 Pencil number: 33 Thorpe page/entry: 64/1</p>
Box 18 Item 1366	<p>Conveyance. 9 May 1320. Description: Stephen ate Morsphich to William ate Morsphich and his wife Emma, and to William's heirs Three acres of land in Hooe (heading W: the Pevensey-Battle road; E: William Stake's land; N: lands of Richard Turmille and John Star; S: land of John, heir of John Hubert). Witnesses: John de Uppetonn, Geoffrey de Uptonn, John Bole, William Adam, John ate Brok, Richard Seward, Andrew ate Morsphich, Richard Godwyne, John Roush of Pevensey, clerk; at Hooe Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/22 Ink number: 1366 Thorpe page/entry: 63/6</p>
Box 18 Item 1367	<p>Conveyance for £1. 1313-1314. Description: William de Bernehorne to Adam Coror of Battle and his wife Parnell The moiety of William's messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, which adjoins Adam's messuage, with a moiety of the curtilage according to the meets and bounds assigned by respectable men. Witnesses: Gilbert Walat, Thomas de Haddeleghe, Joce Celer, Walter Milis, Daniel le Tayllor, Stephen Pessonner Seals: Radiating leaves and branches: S' WILL'BERNEHORN'; tag formed from a grant by John ate Holte of Brightling to Adam ate Holte of land in Brightling alongside the road to Burwash, and the street leading to. Notes: Dated by regnal year only. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/16 Ink number: 1367 Thorpe page/entry: 61/7</p>
Box 18 Item 1370	<p>Conveyance of land and rent. 3 May 1316. Description: Joan, daughter of William le Goldsmyth of Battle, to William de Serington clerk, son of John Bertelmew 1 All the lands and tenements in Battle which she inherited on her father's death 2 An annual rent of a quarter of well-winnowed corn paid by John Harding on the tenement which he holds in Willingdon Consideration of 'a certain sum of money'. Witnesses: Joce de Whatlington, Michael de Beche, Stephen Pessener, Robert de Southinne, Daniel le Taylour, Stephen Bosoigner, Walter Miles, Ralph le Cok; at Battle Seals: A star: +S'IOH'A GOLDSMIT</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/19 Ink number: 1370 Thorpe page/entry: 62/4</p>
Box 18 Item 1383	<p>Conveyance for £1. 1316-1317.</p> <p>Description: William de Bernehorne to master William de Horwod The moiety of a messuage and curtilage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the messuage of the heirs of Joce le Seler, and the other moiety, which William has already granted to Adam Curur [Box 18, Item 1367]).</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas de Cukefeud, Thomas de Haddelege, Walter Milys, Gilbert Walat, Daniel le Taillur, Stephen Pessonier</p> <p>Notes: Dated by regnal year only.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/ Ink number: 1383 Thorpe page/entry: 63/1</p>
Box 18 Item 1389	<p>Quitclaim for quitrent, suit of court and relief. 4 October 1320.</p> <p>Description: Thomas de Hasting', son and heir of William de Hasting', to Gilbert Wallet of Battle and his wife Margery</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 His right in a croft at Netherfield in Battle, which William Palmere held in bondage of his father (N: the Battle-Netherfield road; S: the land of Michael de Beche, and land called Assch'; in length E: GW's land; W: the land called Assch') 2 His right in a piece of heath called Aleynslond on the Battle-Netherfield road, heading onto the land of the abbot of Battle at Mileston' <p>Quit of all services except an annual rent of 2 shillings to Thomas, one suit to the court of Netherfield held after Michaelmas and 2 shillings for relief for all other services, homages, wardships and marriages.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Penhurst, ...[1]de Smalfeld, Simon de W.I..., William de Hodesdale, Stephen Pessonier, Adam de la Holte, John Cuner, Thomas de Haddeley; at Northye</p> <p>Notes: The document is badly stained at this point.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/24 Ink number: 1389 Thorpe page/entry: 64/2</p>
Box 18 Item 1437	<p>Quitclaim of rents, with the escheats, in free alms. 2 August 1325.</p> <p>Description: Thomas de Ferne, son of Joce de Ferne, to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 An annual rent of 12 pence paid by William de Bedeford for lands and tenements held of Thomas in Sedlescombe 2 An annual rent of 12 pence paid by Thomas Frere for lands and tenements held of Thomas in Whatlington 3 An annual rent of 4 pence paid by Thomas de Fynhagh the younger for lands and tenements held of Thomas in Whatlington. <p>Witnesses: Sir John, rector of Whatlington, Joce de Watlyntone, John ate Wode, John 3yvegog, William de Watlynton, Stephen Pessonier; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: +S' THOM' DE FERNE X</p> <p>Endorsed: Whatlington xx.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 115v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/32 Ink number: 1437</p>

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Box 18 Item 1439	<p>Conveyance as Box 18, Item 1449, but omitting mention of William de Bromham as vendor and Michael de Beche from the witness list. 5 July 1310.</p> <p>Endorsed: Whatlington xx. duplex. triplex. Cartulary: Vol 29 f 115v Notes: The date is expressed as 'the morrow of St Martin'; 5 July was a Sunday, and has been preferred.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/8 Ink number: 1439</p>
Box 18 Item 1449	<p>Conveyance for £66 13s 4d. 10 September 1310.</p> <p>Description: Joce, son of William de Whatlinton to the abbot and convent of Battle His entire tenement at Broomham in Catsfield, in lands, buildings, meadows, woods, heaths, pastures, waters, ways, homages, rents, fealties, suits of court, heriots, reliefs, excheats, services and customs, which he had of the gift of William de Bromham.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir William de Echingeham kt, Sir William de Hastings kt, Sir Baldwin de Stowe kt, William de Sneyllhamme, William de Penehurst, John de Lonesford, William de Hodesdale, Joce de Ferne, Reynold de Beche, Michael de Beche, John de Smalefeud, William de Ore; at Broomham</p> <p>Seals: Armorial lions rampant 1 and 3 quartering fretty 2 and 4: * S'JOCEI DE WATLINGTON</p> <p>Endorsed: xxj triplex. Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v Related materials: See also Box 18, Item 1439, and Box 18, Item 1450.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/8 Ink number: 1449 Thorpe page/entry: 59/8</p>
Box 18 Item 1450	<p>Conveyance as Box 18, Item 1439 with seal as Box 18, Item 1449, but omitting William de Snailham from the witness-list. 5 July 1310.</p> <p>Endorsed: xxj duplex <triplex> Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46/6 Ink number: 1450 Thorpe page/entry: 60/1</p>
Box 18 Item 1500	<p>Conveyance for £20. 28 October 1322.</p> <p>Description: Simon ate Strete of Etchingham, son and heir of Henry ate Strete, to Robert le Rus, harvestman (messor) of Udimore 1 All the tenement and land which he inherited from his father 2 A piece of land in Etchingham which he bought from John ate Strete To hold in buildings, gardens, curtilages, woods, meadows, pastures, waters, ways, paths and millponds.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir William de Echinghamme kt, Nicholas de Bokeshulle, William de Berewyk, Geoffrey de Berewyk, William de Burghamme, Simon de Burghamme, John de Shoswelle, William ate Watere, Hamo Boltere, Alan Bakere</p> <p>Seals: Radiating leaves and buds: S' SIMONIS:AT' STRE.. Notes: The ink number is duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Original volume/page: V46/27 Ink number: 1500 Pencil number: 14
Box 19	Records removed from volume 47
Box 19 Item 623	Release of an annual payment of candles (exactly as Box 19, Item 759), by John de Twystride. 3 December 1345. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/29 Ink number: 623
Box 19 Item 630	Quitclaim of rent. 20 November 1336. Description: Thomas, called Mone, of Battle, to Alan [de Retling], abbot of Battle, and the convent His claim to an annual rent of 1s 2d from the tenement of John Carpenter in Battle Town. Witnesses: John Loxebeche, John Cuner, Adam ate Holte, William Pessonner, John de Yhame, Richard de Beche, Joce Bakere; at Battle Seals: Fragment of seal. Endorsed: For the sacrist. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/17 Ink number: 630
Box 19 Item 645	Deed declaring the condition of a previous conveyance. 20 January 1343. Description: Adam Goldsmyth of Battle to William, son of Richard de Vynchyngfelde called ate Fermerie All the tenement called Meydynlonde, lately conveyed by William to Adam Adam declares that the deed will be void if Adam may peacefully occupy the tenement for 15 years from 29 September 1342, for an annual payment of 6s 8d. Witnesses: Adam ate Holte, John Remys, Joce Ferur, John de Beche, master John Daniel, William Pessonner; at Battle Seals: Virgin and child under a canopy with a figure in prayer: legend illegible. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/22 Ink number: 645 Thorpe page/entry: 72/3
Box 19 Item 654	Settlement. 15 June 1332. Description: John, parson of Whatlington, to Stephen Pessonner of Battle and his wife Isabel for their lives, remainder to their son Laurence and to his heirs in tail, remainder to his brother William and to his heirs in tail, remainder to Stephen Pessonner's nearest heirs 1 A messuage which formerly belonged to Walter Torold 2 A pond with a small croft stretching from it towards the abbot's park, reserving to the tenants of SP's capital messuage and to the tenants of the messuage between SP's capital messuage and the messuage of Torold the easement of taking water from the pond 3 Two fields called Northrode and Thro.,* a croft called Caldebek and a croft called Wynchestrecroft, with the moiety of a field called [Dome]sdayeslond in Battle Town. Witnesses: Dani[el Ta]jilur, John de Loxebech, John Cuner, Robert Mortemer, Joce Baker, Adam Pessonner; at Battle Notes: *The document is stained at this point.

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/11 Ink number: 654 Thorpe page/entry: 68/7</p>
<p>Box 19 Item 667</p>	<p>Arbitration agreement. 10 September 1341.</p> <p>Description: The abbot and convent of Battle VWilliam de Hodesdale.</p> <p>Recites: WH built a mill and pond on his land, flooded the land and wood of the abbot and convent, and diverted the watercourse between Donningford and Whatlington, which formed the boundary between the land of the abbot and convent and that of the barony [of the rape of Hastings], and drew it into his pond, to the nuisance of the free tenement of the abbot and convent; peace has been established by the intervention of mutual friends on the following terms:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">WH to pay the abbot and convent a tun of wine for their damages and injury; WH to pay 6 pence annual rent for flooding the land, maintaining the present height of the dam of the pond; WH to pay 6 pence annual rent for diverting the watercourse onto his land and into his pond; WH, at his expense, and by the view of the abbot and convent, to establish boundaries, marking both the points where the level of water should reach, and the boundary where the watercourse formerly ran, and to maintain them; should WH raise the level of the dam so that more of the land of the abbot and convent is flooded, they may remove the offending work without contradiction</p> <p>At Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/20 Ink number: 667 Thorpe page/entry: 71/8</p>
<p>Box 19 Item 673</p>	<p>Quitclaim by heir. 29 May 1327.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Bernehorne, son of Gillian Grym deceased, to Adam le Curour and his wife Parnell</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">His right in the moiety of a messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the other moiety which Adam and Parnell hold and the messuage formerly Joce le Seler; stretching between the road and the land of the almoner of Battle), which ought to descend to him on his mother's death.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Pessonier, Daniel le Taillour, Gilbert Walet, Robert Mortimer, Thomas de Haddeleye, Walter Milys, Adam atte Holte, John de Ihamme, Reynold atte Felde, Clement Brembel, Robert Jolyf, Peter Faber; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A six-petalledflower: *S' ROB'TI . B'NEHORNE</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/1 Ink number: 673 Thorpe page/entry: 65/7</p>

Box 19 Item 697	<p>Quitclaim by heir. 28 October 1337.</p> <p>Description: Richard de Ammedene, chaplain, kinsman and heir of master Richard de la Bataille, to Alan [de Retling], abbot of Battle, and the convent His claim in all the tenements, messuages, buildings and curtilages in Battle Town which could come to him on the death of Richard.</p> <p>Witnesses: Gilbert de Berewyk, John de la Roche, Geoffrey le Eyr, Thomas Milis, Geoffrey de Boys; at Devizes</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/18 Ink number: 697 Thorpe page/entry: 71/3</p>
Box 19 Item 703	<p>Counterpart grant of life estate by purchaser. 10 December 1329.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Pessonner of Battle to Adam Corur and his wife Parnell for their lives The messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the messuage formerly Joce Seler and the messuage of Thomas de Haddele), which SP has purchased from Adam and Parnell and from Richard Grym, called Frend [on 5 and 6 June 1329]. To hold of SP by an annual rent of 4 shillings, performing for SP all the service to the chief lord.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir John Wygepirie rector of the church of Battle, Daniel le Taillur, John de Loxebech, Gilbert Walet, John Cuner, Thomas de Haddele, Walter Bakere; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Slits for two seals</p> <p>Endorsed: For the lives of Adam Curur and his wife Parnell.</p> <p>Related materials: For the conveyance from Richard (6 June 1329), see Box 19, Item 857; for the assignment of tenants and rent to purchase (5 June 1329), see Box 20, Item 1473; for the undated settlement of rent and reversion see Box 3, Item 853.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/4 Ink number: 703 Thorpe page/entry: 66/8</p>
Box 19 Item 730	<p>Quitclaim of rent. 25 February 1344.</p> <p>Description: John, son of William de Bothurstgate, to his father His right in an annual rent of 12 pence which William receives from John de Bothurstgate for a tenement in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, which formerly belonged to Fulk Cocus.</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam Goldsmyth, Peter Sherreve, Richard atte Felde, Henry Cocus, Maurice Faber, William Pessonner; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/23 Ink number: 730 Thorpe page/entry: 72/9</p>
Box 19 Item 733	<p>Release of annual payment of candles. 14 July 1345.</p> <p>Description: Peter Fich of Winchelsea to the abbot and convent of Battle His claim to two candles which he received from the sacrist on 2 February, owing for a long time At Glasseye [in Beckley].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/29</p>

	Ink number: 733 Thorpe page/entry: 74/2
Box 19 Item 753	Surrender of life estate. 29 May 1327. Description: Nicholas de Cukefeld to the abbot and convent of Battle His life estate granted by the abbot and convent in a piece of meadow of 3 rods. Witnesses: Stephen Pessonier, John Cuner, John de Loxebeck, Gilbert Walet, Thomas de Haddelee, Walter Myles, Daniel le Tayllour; at Battle Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/3 Ink number: 753 Pencil number: 3 Thorpe page/entry: 65/5
Box 19 Item 757	Copy release of annual payment of candles. 25 January 1343. Description: John de Hokestepe to the abbot and convent of Battle His claim to two candles which he received from the sacrist on 2 February, owing for a long time At Battle Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/12 Ink number: 757 Thorpe page/entry: 72/7
Box 19 Item 758	Release of an annual payment of candles. 2 April 1345. Description: Bartholomew Bartelot of Enham in Udimore to the abbot and convent of Battle His claim to three candles which he used to receive from the sacrist on 2 February, owing for a long time At Battle. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/28 Ink number: 758 (previously identified as 158) Pencil number: 7 Thorpe page/entry: 73/9
Box 19 Item 759	Release of an annual payment of candles. 3 December 1345. Description: Roger de Twystride to the abbot and convent of Battle His claim to a candle which he used to receive from the sacrist on 2 February, owing for a long time by custom At Battle. Related materials: For same release, see Box 19, Item 623. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/27 Ink number: 759 (previously identified as 159) Pencil number: 6 Thorpe page/entry: 74/1
Box 19 Item 762	Conveyance. 25 October 1342. Description: Walter Colman of Rye and his wife Joan to William de Turindenn of Battle The messuage and curtilage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (E: Thomas Symondenn's messuage; W: Richard ate Felde's land; heading S: the road to Crowhurst; N: the road to Hastings), which Joan acquired from John atte Cruche. Witnesses: John Kever, Peter Schereve, William Border, John ate Doune, Thomas Symondenn

	<p>Seals: An eight-petalledflower: + S' ROBERTI BEAVHIS; ?a canopy (fragment)</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/22 Ink number: 762 Thorpe page/entry: 72/6</p>
Box 19 Item 765	<p>Conveyance of rent. 12 August 1333.</p> <p>Description: John de Cattesfeld, parson of the church of Whatlington, to the abbot and convent of Battle to the use of the sacrist An annual rent of 5 pence which John received from Walter le Wilde of Whatlington for a field called Kyngeslond in Whatlington.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Flecher, John Yvegod, William de Sedelescumbe, Stephen Pessonner, Adam atte Holte, John de Luxebeche, John Cuner, Robert Mortimer; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A male head with a crown, helmet or coif: * GRAC * APEI..V</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/12 Ink number: 765 Pencil number: 14 Thorpe page/entry: 69/4</p>
Box 19 Item 774	<p>Conveyance. 6 November 1335.</p> <p>Description: Nicholas Fullere to Walter Delveday and his wife Alice, and to Walter's son John A piece of land from his tenement in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (between the tenement of Thomas Stillago and the rest of NF's tenement; stretching between the road and the lord's park called Plaschschet).</p> <p>Witnesses: John Loxebeche, Adam atte Holte, John Bakere, John Gorynge, Ralph Courtays, John Delveday, Thomas Chitecoumbe; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A six-petalledflower: S' NICOLAI FVLL..</p> <p>Endorsed: a deed of the S..t.r.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/15 Ink number: 774 Thorpe page/entry: 70/2</p>
Box 19 Item 780	<p>Deed of exchange. 22 February 1328.</p> <p>Description: Richard, son and heir of Margery Domesday deceased, to Stephen Pessonner of Battle All Richard's land in a field called Domesdayysland (between the land of Daniel le Taylur in the field and the land of SP; in length between the road and SP's land) In exchange for which, SP has granted to Richard: A messuage in Battle between the messuage of Matthew Pessonner and the messuage of SP.</p> <p>Witnesses: Daniel le Tayllur, Adam ate Holte, John de Loxebech, John Cuner, Gilbert Walet; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/ Ink number: 780 Thorpe page/entry: 66/4</p>
Box 19 Item 797	<p>Conveyance. 23 May 1333.</p> <p>Description: William de Ledeburi, parson of the church of Kingsnorth [in Kent], to the abbot and convent of Battle</p>

	<p>All the land and wood called Droleslond in Battle Town (in length between the street leading from the road into the wood called Kedeke, and the stream dividing the land from a meadow of Beche which belongs to the the abbot and convent; in breadth between the wood of Kedeke and the land and wood of the abbot and convent).</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Pessonner, Daniel le Taillour, John de Loxebeche, John Cuner, Thomas de Haddelegh, Robert Mortimer, Adam atte Holte, Adam Aurifaber, John de Ihamme; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: St George and the dragon.</p> <p>Endorsed: Droleslond; Cxlij</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/12 Ink number: 797 Thorpe page/entry: 69/3</p>
Box 19 Item 839	<p>Conveyance of rent for 13s 4d. 26 February 1344.</p> <p>Description: William de Bothurstgate to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacrist</p> <p>An annual rent of 12 pence which William receives from John de Bothurstgate for a tenement in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, which formerly belonged to Fulk Cocus. The consideration paid by master John de Wy, the sacrist.</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam Goldsmyth, Robert Breman, Joce Ferour, William Pessonner, Peter Sherreve, Richard atte Felde, Maurice Faber, Henry Cocus; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Sun and moon: X S' WILL'EL DE BOTH....GATE</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/22 Ink number: 839 Pencil number: 88 Thorpe page/entry: 72/10</p>
Box 19 Item 844	<p>Conveyance. 27 October 1338.</p> <p>Description: John Meriweder to Ralph de Pesemerche and his wife Maud, and to Ralph's heirs</p> <p>A croft enclosed with hedges called Berecroft by the town of Robertsbridge in Salehurst (E: land called Fayrefeld; S: land of Roger le Wyse; W: Thomas Poynam's garden; N: RP's land), which JM acquired from Peter de Idenne.</p> <p>Witnesses: Roger le Wyse, John de Fynhage, Thomas his brother, John Curtays, Ralph Curtays, Walter de Congherst, Ellis de Westeburne, John Batekoc, Thomas Erkebaud; at Robertsbridge</p> <p>Endorsed: A bear's head.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/18 Ink number: 844 Pencil number: 93 Thorpe page/entry: 70/10</p>
Box 19 Item 856	<p>Conveyance of rent. 25 June [1329].</p> <p>Description: William Gervays of Battle to Stephen le Pessonner of Battle</p> <p>An annual rent of 2s 10d paid by Isabel, widow of Ralph Cocus, for lands and tenements which came to Joan, daughter and co-heir of William le Goldsmyth of Battle, which WG lately had from William de [Whatlyng]ton the younger, clerk, son of John Bertelmeu.</p> <p>Witnesses: Daniel le Tayllur, Gilbert Walat, John de Loxebech, John and Thomas Cuner, Adam ate Holt</p> <p>Seals: A squirrel in a tree: * TERA DEMOTIS</p> <p>Notes: The year and some of the text have been supplied from Thorpe and the endorsement; the deed is now badly damaged by mould</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/5 Ink number: 856 Pencil number: 105 Thorpe page/entry: 67/1</p>
Box 19 Item 857	<p>Conveyance of a rent and a reversion. 6 June 1329.</p> <p>Description: Richard Grym, called Frend, of Battle, to Stephen Pessonier of Battle</p> <p>1 An annual rent of 2 shillings which RG receives from Adam le Curour of Battle and his wife Parnell, for a messuage and adjoining curtilage in Battle Town, which they hold for life by his gift</p> <p>2 The reversion after the deaths of Adam and Parnell as above.</p> <p>Witnesses: Joce de Whatlyntone, John atte Wode, Luke de Bedeford, Daniel le Taillour, Gilbert Walet, John de Luxebeche, John Cuner, Thomas Cuner, Thomas de Haddelegh, Robert Mortimer, Adam atte Holte, Nicholas de Hastinge; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A six-petalledflower: * S' RICARDI FR</p> <p>Related materials: For the assignment of tenants and rent to purchase (5 June 1329), see Box 20, Item 1473.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/4 Ink number: 857 Thorpe page/entry: 66/7</p>
Box 19 Item 862	<p>Conveyance. 4 July 1332.</p> <p>Description: John Coupere, son of William ate Weter of Barnhorn [in Bexhill], to John Coupere, eldest son of John Coupere of Barnhorn</p> <p>A quarter of an acre with a house built upon it, in the vill of Barnhorn (W: the abbot of Battle's land; E: the Barnhorn-Battle road; N: John Meleward's land; S: the land which John de Werthe now holds)</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Sotintone, Richard Nottebrun, Richard ate Hgwelle, John de Herham, Robert Erchentone, John de Bedesore, Stephen Galewey</p> <p>Endorsed: Charter of John son of John Coupere of Barnhorn the elder.</p> <p>Notes: Ink number on dorse 862 (called 862A).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/10 Ink number: 862 Pencil number: 111 Thorpe page/entry: 68/6</p>
Box 19 Item 878	<p>Conveyance for £2. 5 December 1344.</p> <p>Description: John Cuner of Battle to Stephen [?Donnyng] of Battle</p> <p>A plot of land in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between [the land of Parnell Car]penter and the plot of William Cartere; in length between the road and [the street] called Quareyst[ete]), lately acquired by JC from Gilbert Whyt.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Loxebech, Robert Breman, John Remys, Joce Ferour, William de Turyndenne, Richard atte Felde, Maurice Smyth, Ralph de Merele, Peter Smyth</p> <p>Seals: ?a bird perched on a branch</p> <p>Endorsed: [Presented at] a court held at Battle 2 April 1345.</p> <p>Notes: The top left-hand corner of this deed has been eaten by mice; details supplied from Box 21, Item 899.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/24</p>

	<p>Ink number: 878 Pencil number: .2 Thorpe page/entry: 73/2</p>
Box 19 Item 881	<p>Conveyance. 30 March 1346.</p> <p>Description: Alice Fissbourne to John ate Hoke, son of Reynold de Hoke A messuage at Sidley in Bexhill (heading onto the Bulverhithe-Boreham road, and N to the land of John de Sidelegh)</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Sideleghe, Richard Knelle, Reynold de Hoke, John de Wertlysham, Simon Dyne, Thomas Hackewode, Richard ate Bergh, Robert Badesor', William God3ine, William de Wyke; at Bexhill</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/ Ink number: 881 Pencil number: .5 Thorpe page/entry: 74/3</p>
Box 19 Item 891	<p>Conveyance of rent. 24 September 1332.</p> <p>Description: John atte Wod of Whatlington to Sir John de Cattesfeld, rector of Whatlington An annual rent of 5 pence which he received from Walter le Wylde of Whatlington for a field called Kyngesland in Whatlington.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Flecher, John 3ivegod, William de Sedelescumbe, Stephen Pessonier, Adam atte Holte, John de Loxebeche; at Whatlington</p> <p>Seals: A bird in a tree; S' IOH'IS WV...</p> <p>Notes: Ink number on dorse 891 (called 862B).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/10 Ink number: 891 Thorpe page/entry: 74/3</p>
Box 19 Item 893	<p>Conveyance. 24 March 1332.</p> <p>Description: Margery, widow of Gilbert Walet of Battle, to master William de Ledburi, parson of the church of Kingsnorth [in Kent] All the land and wood called Droleslond in Battle Town (in length between the street leading from the road into the wood called Kedeke, and the stream dividing the land from a meadow of Bech which now belongs to the the abbot of Battle; in breadth between the wood called Kedeke and the land and wood which the abbot now has in fee).</p> <p>Witnesses: Daniel le Tayllur, John de Loxebech, John Cuner, Thomas de Haddelegh, Robert Mortemer, Stephen Pessonier; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys: ...RGERIE WALET</p> <p>Endorsed: Droleslond; Cxlj</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/9 Ink number: 893 Thorpe page/entry: 69/2</p>
Box 19 Item 896	<p>Grant in free alms. 23 April 1331.</p> <p>Description: John de la More the elder, of Battle, to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle A messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the tenement of [Robert] Mortimer and his wife Alice, and the tenement which once belonged to Geoffrey Gulion; in length between the road and the park of the abbot and convent called The New Park).</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Stephen Pesshoner, Daniel le Taylour, Gilbert Walet, Robert Mortimer, John de Luxebeche, Adam atte Holte, John le Cuner, Thomas de Haddeleghe, Walter le Bakere, Clement le Turnour, Robert Jolif; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: The messuage of Goliun <T Tayllur Cxxxij></p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110v</p> <p>Notes: The left margin of this deed is damaged; information from Box 20, Item 1011.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/8 Ink number: 896 Thorpe page/entry: 68/2</p>
Box 19 Item 897	<p>Conveyance. 27 September 1331.</p> <p>Description: Gilbert Wallet of Battle to Sir John de Wygepirye, rector of the church of the blessed Mary, Battle A croft of land called The Kedekcroft in Battle Town (between the Battle-Bech road and GW's own wood)</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Pessonner, Daniel le Taylor, John de Loxebech, Adam ate Holte, John de Yham, Robert Mortymer, John Cuner; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: Droleslond by Kedekrech Cxxxix</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/8 Ink number: 897 Thorpe page/entry: 68/3</p>
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Box 20 Item 901	<p>Conveyance of rent for 6s 8d. 11 March 1344.</p> <p>Description: William de Bothurstgate of Battle to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacrist An annual rent of 6 pence which William receives from a tenement in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, which formerly belonged to Robert Plomer The consideration paid by John de Wy, the sacrist.</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam Goldsmyth, Robert Breman, Joce Ferur, William Pessonner, Peter Sherreve, Richard ate Felde, Maurice Faber; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/26 Ink number: 901</p>
Box 20 Item 919	<p>Conveyance without warranty. 10 March 1331.</p> <p>Description: William de Ichintone of Icklesham to John de la More the elder, of Battle A messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the messuage of Robert Mortumer and his wife Alice, and the messuage which once belonged to Geoffrey Golyon; in length between the road and the abbot of Battle's park called The New Park), which belonged to Thomas le Taillur.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Pessonner, Daniel le Taillur, Gilbert Walet, John Cuner, Robert Mortumer, Thomas de Haddeleghe, Adam ate Holte, John de Ihamme, Nicholas de Hastyng', Clement le Turnur; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Eight-pointed star: S' IACOB : D...</p> <p>Endorsed: The messuage of Goliun <T Taillur Cxxviiij>.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/7</p>

	<p>Ink number: 919 Thorpe page/entry: 67/7</p>
<p>Box 20 Item 920</p>	<p>Quitclaim. 17 March 1331.</p> <p>Description: Alice de Ichinton of Icklesham to John ate More the elder Her right in a messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the messuage of Robert Mortumer and his wife Alice, and the messuage which once belonged to Geoffrey Golyon; in length between the road and the abbot of Battle's park called The New Park), which belonged to her uncle, Thomas le Taillur.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Pessonier, Daniel le Taillur, Gilbert Walet, John Cuner, Robert Mortumer, Thomas de Haddelegh, Adam ate Holte, John de Ihamme, Nicholas de Hastyng', Clement le Turnur; at Icklesham</p> <p>Seals: Seal, now damaged: a moon and star: [S'] ALICIE . GEFF[REI].</p> <p>Endorsed: The messuage <of Thomas Taillur villa Cxxix>.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f 110v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/7 Ink number: 920 Thorpe page/entry: 67/8</p>
<p>Box 20 Item 931</p>	<p>Release of rent and services. 28 May 1338.</p> <p>Description: John de Pengeherst and his wife Eloise Handon to Richard Wilkyn and his wife Maud, and to Richard's heirs An annual rent of 16 pence paid by RW for a piece of land called Cotelond in Westham, with the heriots, reliefs, escheats and all the right belonging to it, which Eloise inherited on the death of Joan, daughter of her brother John Handon The seal of the community of Pevensey has been attached for greater security.</p> <p>Witnesses: Alexander Wygg', Thomas Bakere, Robert Donsy, John Pylchere, Robert Hotrop, John ate Toune, clerk; at Westham</p> <p>Seals: ?IHS: ...LESVS.; central seal [of Pevensey] wanting; lamb and flag: ..RIVESVIA..;</p> <p>Endorsed: Belongs to Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/20 Ink number: 931 Thorpe page/entry: 71/4</p>
<p>Box 20 Item 960</p>	<p>Conveyance. 1 December 1344.</p> <p>Description: Isabel, widow of Stephen Pessonier of B[attle] to her son Laurence Pessonier All her lands and tenements in Battle Town.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Beche, Adam Goldsmyth, John de Beche, Joce Bakere, Robert Beche, Richard atte Walle, Joce Copyn; at Battle</p> <p>Notes: An inch of text from the top right-hand corner of this deed has been eaten by mice.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/24 Ink number: 960 Thorpe page/entry: 73/3</p>
<p>Box 20 Item 964</p>	<p>Settlement. 9 May 1338.</p> <p>Description: Robert Mortumer and his wife Alice Schepaye to Isabel de Schepaye [for life], remainder in tail to the heirs of her and her husband William Gerveys A tenement in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (W: the tenement of WG and IS; E: the tenement formerly Roger Champeneys; in length between the road and the park of the abbot and convent of Battle).</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard de Beche, Walter Delvedai, Robert Breman, Joce Pistor, Adam Pessonier,</p>

	<p>Thomas Gillingham, Adam atte Holte, John de Loxebeche, John de lhamme, William Pessonier, John Mone, Joce Ferour</p> <p>Endorsed: Cordewaner.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/19 Ink number: 964 Thorpe page/entry: 71/5</p>
Box 20 Item 1006	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 12 November 1337.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Peter Scotenye to a grant A garden in Battle Town, between a way from the abbey to the Little Park, and the messuage of Gilbert Whyt To hold by the custom of the town, paying 10s annually to the sacrist, and performing the other services which belong by custom to a cottage; fealty; seisin. Related materials: See Volume 5, entry 401.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/18 Ink number: 1006 Thorpe page/entry: 70/11</p>
Box 20 Item 1007	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 10 February 1345.</p> <p>Description: Surrender by Thomas de Wales into the hands of the lord. A garden plot with buildings upon it Recites: grant of the plot by the late sacrist, Stephen de London, to Peter Flechier [on 12 November 1337, Peter referred to as de Scotney; see Box 20, Item 1006], to hold according to the custom of the town; Peter's lease to Thomas by charter against the will of the lord and the terms of the grant [on 15 February 1344; see Box 20, Item 1013]; order to the beadle to seize and respond for the profits.</p> <p>Now TW surrenders and quitclaims the land, and delivers the charter to the abbot, who gives him £2 10s 0d for his expenses and damages, licence to remove the buildings, all the timber, and all his goods and chattels on the plot by 29 September 1345; the abbot grants that the plot revert to the present sacrist, John de Wy, to the use of his office, as previously.</p> <p>Subscribed: [Robert] Sharndenne, [steward].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/28 Ink number: 1007 Pencil number: 16 Thorpe page/entry: 73/11</p>
Box 20 Item 1011	<p>Quitclaim. 19 April 1331.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Pessonier of Battle to John ate More the elder, of Battle His right in a messuage (between the messuage formerly Geoffrey Golyon, and the messuage of Robert Mortemer and his wife Alice).</p> <p>Witnesses: Daniel le Taillur, John de Loxebech, John Cuner, Gilbert Walet, Robert Mortemer, Thomas de Haddelegh, Adam ate Holte; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Armorial seal, now damaged: ?three fish: ...NER . DE . B...</p> <p>Endorsed: The messuage of Golioun <T Tayllour villa Cxxxi>.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f110v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/9 Ink number: 1011</p>

	<p>Pencil number: 20 Thorpe page/entry: 68/1</p>
<p>Box 20 Item 1013</p>	<p>Grant in fee-farm at 5 shillings. 15 February 1344.</p> <p>Description: Peter de Scotenie of Battle to Thomas de Walys That part of his garden in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, which is nearest the way between the road and the abbot of Battle's new park, and is 10 rods 12 feet long, 2 rods 4 feet wide (172 feet x 37 feet) To hold of PS for the fee-farm rent of 5 shillings; warranty against the lord of the fee. Witnesses: Richard de Beche, Gilbert Wyth, Joce Ferur, John Frye, Walter Delvedey, William Cokefelde; at Battle Seals: Seal gone; tag formed from a bond of William Pessonier and John Mone of Battle tonys of Battle in 50s for 10 quarters of good corn bought from him. Related materials: For the surrender of this charter to the abbot, see Box 20, Item 1007.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/26 Ink number: 1013 Pencil number: 22 Thorpe page/entry: 73/5</p>
<p>Box 20 Item 1014</p>	<p>Grant of tenancy pur autre vie at £1 6s 0d. 20 December 1388.</p> <p>Description: William Goldsmith and his wife Joan, of Battle, to Henry Morys and his wife Rose, of Battle Four pieces of land called Westmarlyng with the adjoining wood, Domesday, Kelkecroft and Donyfordeswish, in Battle Town, which came to Joan as dower on the death of her former husband Laurence Peshoner To hold for the life of Joan, paying the rent and the rent and services to the chief lord; power of distraint for non-payment after 8 days. Witnesses: Thomas Ferroure, Stephen Sharsull, Stephen Dalynghton, Stephen Dore, Simon Bakare, draper, Thomas Okherst, John Penbrok, Alan Lonseforde; at Battle Seals: Instruments of the passion: legend illegible; figure of St Laurence with a gridiron [?or St Peter with a gate - ETRVS]. Notes:[Misdated by all to 12 E3.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/20 Ink number: 1014 Thorpe page/entry: 71/6</p>
<p>Box 20 Item 1028</p>	<p>Release of reversion. 1 January 1344.</p> <p>Description: Adam le Goldsmyth of Battle to his lord, the abbot of Battle, and the convent, to the use of the sacristy His right in a piece of land in Battle Town, next to the land of the abbot and convent at Caldebek, which they hold of AG for a term of 50 years [granted on 26 December 1343-Box 20, Item 1044]. Witnesses: John Remys, Robert Breman, Joce Ferour, Adam atte Holte, John de Ihame, John Ipres; at Battle Seals: Seal gone.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/23 Ink number: 1028 Pencil number: 37 Thorpe page/entry: 72/5</p>
<p>Box 20</p>	<p>Quitclaim. 15 March 1332.</p>

Item 1035	<p>Description: John, son of Gilbert Walet of Battle, parson of the church of Chedendon [?Chittenden, Kent], to master William de Ledburi, parson of the church of Kingsnorth His right in land and wood called Droleslond in Battle Town, which GW and his wife Margery acquired from Parnell, daughter of Ralph Hyvegod, and which William later acquired from her in her widowhood</p> <p>At Battle.</p> <p>Endorsed: Droleslond. Cxliij</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f110v</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/10 Ink number: 1035 Pencil number: 44 Thorpe page/entry: 69/1</p>
Box 20 Item 1037	<p>Quitclaim. 14 November 1330.</p> <p>Description: William, son and heir of Geoffrey Goliun of Battle, to Sir John de Cattesfeld, rector of Whatlington</p> <p>His right in the tenement in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the tenement of John 3ivegod and the tenement which once belonged to Thomas le Tailur; stretching from the abbot and convent's park to the road), which GG once had of the grant of the abbot and convent of Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Pessonier, Daniel le Tailur, Adam atte Holte, William Teyntener, John de lhamme, John Cuner; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: Golion; villa. Cxxxv.</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f110v</p> <p>Related materials: The same property was conveyed by William to John in an undated deed (Box 11, Item 895) and granted to the abbey by another undated deed (Box 3, 941).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/6 Ink number: 1037 Pencil number: 47 Thorpe page/entry: 67/6</p>
Box 20 Item 1044	<p>Lease for 50 years from 26 December 1343. 26 December 1343.</p> <p>Description: Adam le Goldsmyth of Battle to his lord, the abbot of Battle, and the convent, to the use of the sacristy</p> <p>His right in a piece of land in Battle Town, next to the land of the abbot and convent belonging to the sacristy at Caldebek</p> <p>The abbot and convent to do the service to the chief lords.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Remys, Joce Ferour, Robert Breman, Adam atte Holte, John de lhamme, John lpres; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/23 Ink number: 1044 Pencil number: 53 Thorpe page/entry: 72/4</p>
Box 20 Item 1055	<p>Final concord, morrow of Martinmas 1309. 1309</p> <p>Description: Joce, son of William de Whatlyngton VWilliam de Bromham</p> <p>A messuage, 60 acres of land, 20 acres of wood, 200 acres of heath and 10 shillings annual rent, in Catsfield, whereof a plea of warranty of charter was summoned between them.</p> <p>Justices: William de Bereford, Lambert de Trikyngham, Hervey de Stanton, John de Bensted,</p>

	<p>Henry le Scrop. Endorsed: Bromham in parco xx. duplex Cartulary: Vol 29 f 111v Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/4 Ink number: 1055 Pencil number: 6 Thorpe page/entry: 59/1</p>
Box 20 Item 1120	<p>Conveyance. 11 May 1345. Description: John, son and heir of Robert Gardiner of Battle, deceased, to Laurence son of Stephen Pessonner of Battle His principal messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the tenement of Richard ate Feld and the tenement which belonged to Alice Ferour), which John inherited on his father's death. Witnesses: John Cuner, Peter Schereve, Richard ate Feld, William Pessonner, Richard de Bech, John de Bech; at Battle Seals: A six-petalledflower: S' IOH'IS GAR.. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/29 Ink number: 1120 Thorpe page/entry: 73/8</p>
Box 20 Item 1337	<p>Quitclaim. 8 December 1344. Description: Isabel, widow of Stephen Pessonner, and Laurence Pessonner of Battle, to William Pessonner of Battle Their right in: 1 The principal messuage in which WP lives (between the tenement which belonged to John Forester, and the messuage called Fryehous) 2 The messuage called The Friehouse (bounded from the <i>duretrowe</i> which separates The Middelhou from The Fryehous, straight to the willow-tree, and from the willow-tree straight to the abbot of Battle's park) 3 Fields called Wynchestrecroft, Fifacres, The Gore, Grantdamebirschette, The Hothdoun, The Borderesbirschette and 1 acre of meadow in Donyforde. 4 The whole rent of assize belonging to the principal messuage - 3¼d from the tenement which belonged to John Forester, 12 pence from the tenement which belonged to Robert Alkyn, 7 pence from the tenement which Stephen atte Herst now holds, ½d from the tenement which belonged to Thomas Cuner, 1 penny from the tenement which belonged to Simon Goldhauk, and 2 pence [from the tenement] which belonged to Robert Campion. Witnesses: John Loxebeche, John Cuner, Richard Beche, Adam Goldsmyth, John Beche; at Battle Seals: A six-petalledflower: S' IOH'IS GARDINER; a praying figure with a hand appearing from above, IHC MARIA: *S' GRA.DEL.SVA.IT.ADDSVM [?]; tags formed from a lease for life of property in Cambridgeshire and Huntingdonshire Notes: For the contract of 12 November which precedes this conveyance, see Box 20, Item 1470. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/26 Ink number: 1337 Thorpe page/entry: 73/4</p>
Box 20 Item 1393	<p>Copy conveyance of 17 January 1342. Approximately 1470. Description: James, son of Gervais Alard of Winchelsea, to Richard Mory of Winchelsea, and his wife Joan</p>

	<p>A plot of land 17¼ rods and 1 foot [square], in Winchelsea St Thomas (E: John Rode's messuage; S: road; W: James's own messuage; N: messuage of the heirs of Henry, son of Nicholas Alard)</p> <p>To hold of James, paying 2s annual rent.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen de Padham, mayor of Winchelsea, John Glynde bailiff of Winchelsea, Reynold Alard; at Winchelsea</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/21 Ink number: 1393 Thorpe page/entry: 72/2</p>
Box 20 Item 1414	<p>Release of an annual payment of candles. 29 April 1335.</p> <p>Description: Bartholomew de Enham to the abbot and convent of Battle His claim to three candles, according to a measure of five to one pound of wax, which he used to receive from the sacrist on 2 February.</p> <p>Witnesses: Adam Pessonier, John de Loxebeche, Richard de Beche, John son of Robert Atte [Cher]che, Thomas de la Thornne, clerk; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A six-petalled flower: ..NHA..</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/14 Ink number: 1414 Thorpe page/entry: 70/4</p>
Box 20 Item 1443	<p>Quitclaim by widow. 1 May 1345.</p> <p>Description: Isabel, widow of Stephen Pessonier of Battle, to her son John Gardiner Her right in the messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, which she held for life as dower by the gift of Robert Gardiner.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Cuner, Richard ate Feld, Richard de Bech, John de Beche, William Pessonier; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: The baptism of Christ: LAV. A...</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/27 Ink number: 1443 Thorpe page/entry: 73/7</p>
Box 20 Item 1445	<p>Deed of exchange for 4s 2d. 23 October 1347.</p> <p>Description: Gerard Mareschand, called Weyte, of Battle, to Walter Delvedey of Battle, his wife Alice and their son John Part of his curtilage in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, and 4s 2d, in exchange for a like part of their curtilage, and for a daywork [of land] (<i>una dieta</i>) in the same borough, according to the metes and bounds now set out by the nearest neighbours.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Loxebech, John de Ihame, Thomas Walet, John Remys, Joce Ferur, John Goryngh, William Pessonier; at Battle</p> <p>Related materials: For the counterpart, see Box 21, 635.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/29 Ink number: 1445 Thorpe page/entry: 75/2</p>
Box 20 Item 1448	<p>Release of an annual payment of candles. 29 April 1335.</p> <p>Description: Isabel Bartelot of Enham [in Udimore] to the abbot and convent of Battle Her claim to three candles, according to a measure of five to one pound of wax, which she used to receive from the sacrist on 2 February.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Robert atte Cherche, clerk, John his son, Walter Parker, Stephen atte Cherche, Walter de Horrewode; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: ?A praying figure: legend illegible.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/13 Ink number: 1448 Thorpe page/entry: 70/3</p>
Box 20 Item 1470	<p>Contract for the division of an inheritance. 12 November 1344.</p> <p>Description: Isabel, widow of Stephen Pessonner, and Laurence Pessonner, with William Pessonner</p> <p>Isabel and Laurence to have:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 a messuage called Toroldeshous 2 a messuage called Middelhous 3 a messuage which lies between Toroldeshous and Middelhous 4 a messuage which belonged to John Swon 5 fields called Marlyngbichette, Redyngbichette with the adjoining wood, Westmarlynge with the adjoining wood, and 1 acre of meadow in Donyforde which Isabel holds in dower 6 an annual rent of 3s 4d with the reversion of the tenement which John Wymond and his wife Alice hold for their lives 7 an annual rent of 2s 10d from lands and tenements which belonged to Joan Goldsmyth <p>William to release to Laurence, with a clause of warranty:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8 the lands and tenements which Sir John, formerly parson of Whatlington, granted to Laurence in remainder after the deaths of Stephen and Isabel, except The Wynchestrecroft <p>William to have:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 9 the principal messuage (between the tenement which belonged to John Forster, and The Middelhous, and stretches to the abbey's park) 10 The whole rent of assize belonging to the principal messuage - 3½d from the tenement which belonged to John Forster, 12 pence from the tenement which belonged to Robert Alkyn, 7 pence from the tenement which Stephen atte Herst now holds, ½d from the tenement which belonged to Thomas Cuner, 1 penny from the tenement which belonged to Simon Goldhauk, and 2 pence [from the tenement] which belonged to Robert Champion 11 fields called Wynchestrecroft, Fifacres, The Gore, Grantdamebichette, The Hothdoune, The Borderesbichette and 1 acre meadow in Donyforde, at the head of the land of John atte Forde, with a right of way to it through the acre of Isabel and Laurence, and also the strip of ground (le fil de lewe) between The Westmarlynge and The Gore <p>Laurence to execute a release of the above to William with a clause of warranty; so that no man of law should ever intervene between them they bind themselves to each other in £100 to perform the terms of the agreement; they agree to levy a fine in the court to be held at Battle on 3 December 1344.</p> <p>Seals: St Peter with a key.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/25 Ink number: 1470 Thorpe page/entry: 73/6</p>
Box 20 Item 1473	<p>Assignment of tenants and rent to purchaser. 5 June 1329.</p> <p>Description: Richard Grym, called Frend, of Battle, to Stephen Pessonner of Battle</p>

	<p>Adam Corur of Battle and his wife Parnell, and the annual rent of 2 shillings which they pay for a messuage in Battle Town which they hold from Richard for their lives.</p> <p>Seals: A six-pointed star: * S' RICARDI FR</p> <p>Related material: For the conveyance of a rent and a reversion, see Box 19, Item 857.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/2 Ink number: 1473 Thorpe page/entry: 66/6</p>
Box 20 Item 1486	<p>Bond in £10. 9 August 1330.</p> <p>Description: William Gerveys, John de Ihamme, William Polener, Walter Parker, Ralph de Merlee, Robert de Gillyngham, Maurice Faber, John le Mone, Walter Delveday, Ralph Corteys, John de Sutton, John Faber, Adam Sherreve, Henry Cocus, William Teynturer and William Cropier, to the abbot of Battle</p> <p>To have Roger de Notynggham, lockyer, indicted before Robert de Sharndenn, bailiff of the liberty of Battle, at the next gaol delivery</p> <p>The penal sum payable to the abbot or to Robert de Sharndenn on 29 September after the gaol delivery.</p> <p>Seals: Eight seals survive on two tags en queue; two more are wanting. The first four are in red wax, the second black: crossed swords: * ITINA.. ?Adam and Eve with an apple: * S' AESMOI..VC' ..ENT Fragment A masted ship: I....V</p> <p>?a woman spinning A porpoise: illegible legend IHC: MA..ENVS Two coifed facing heads: * ...VMEA..N'RE</p> <p>Notes: Roger, as Roger le Lockyer, was indicted before Sharnden of the theft of two horses from Stephen Pessonner at Birchette in Battle Town on 27 December 1329 and of two sheep from the cellarer of Battle at Wynyard on 8 December 1329; he put himself on a jury and was acquitted at the Battle gaol delivery on 7 March 1331 (see BA 895).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/5 Ink number: 1486 Thorpe page/entry: 67/5</p>
Box 20 Item 1490	<p>Letters of attorney. 9 March 1334.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Pessonner of Battle to John de Loxebech</p> <p>To deliver seisin to SP's daughter Joan of an annual rent of 4 shillings paid by Adam Corur and his wife Parnell for a tenement which they hold from SP for their lives, and of the reversion of the tenement, according to a charter to Joan</p> <p>At Battle.</p> <p>Seals: Armorial seal, showing two fish, with an illegible charge in chief.</p> <p>Notes: The conveyance to Joan is almost certainly that listed by Thorpe after the present deed; in both, Joan is misread John (Thorpe 69/9); it is no longer present in the archive.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/13 Ink number: 1490 Thorpe page/entry: 69/8</p>
Box 20	Grant of an annuity and land. 24 January 1484.

<p>Item 1491</p>	<p>Description: John [Newton], abbot of Battle, proprietor of the church of Great Sampford, Essex, to John Tropnell, vicar of Great Sampford</p> <p>1 land in Sampford called The More</p> <p>2 an annuity of £1 8s 4d</p> <p>3 four yards of linen of the abbot's livery (or 6s 8d) at Christmas, at the election of the abbot, every other year</p> <p>To be held by JT during his vicariate, to relieve to poorness of the living. JT undertakes to perform the office of ... (<i>..torium</i>) in the deanery of Sampford during his vicariate, taking an annual fee of ..s 4d and cloth for his livery every 25 December.</p> <p>Notes: About an inch of text has been lost from the left margin of this deed.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Original volume/page: V47/1</p> <p>Ink number: 1491</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 66/3 [misdated to 1327 by Thorpe]</p>
<p>Box 20 Item 1525</p>	<p>Licence to crenellate (letters patent). 9 June 1338.</p> <p>Description: The crown to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>That they may build and crenellate a wall of stone and lime around the site of the abbey</p> <p>By writ of privy seal; witness the king himself at Lopham.</p> <p>Endorsed: Edwardi tercii iiija</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f43v</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Original volume/page: V47/19</p> <p>Ink number: 1525</p> <p>Pencil number: 218</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 67/3</p>
<p>Box 21</p>	<p>Records removed from volume 48</p>
<p>Box 21 Item 635</p>	<p>Deed of exchange for 4s 2d. 23 October 1347.</p> <p>Description: Walter Delvedey of Battle, his wife Alice and their son John, to Gerard Mareschand, called Weyte, of Battle</p> <p>Part of their curtilage in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, except for a daywork [of land] (<i>una dieta excepta</i>), in exchange for a like part of his curtilage in the same borough, according to the metes and bounds now assigned by the nearest neighbours.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Loxebech, John de Ihame, Thomas Walet, John Remys, Joce Ferur, John Goryngh, William Pessonier; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: God the father enthroned, scales behind his head, surmounting a praying figure: SI .. OM VICARI .. VADOTE; a flower at the centre of an eight-pointed star; two human figures, legend illegible; tags formed from the testament of Thomas a Nore of Battle, Friday ..., to be buried in the cemetery of Battle St Mary, to the [?high altar] of which he leaves 12 pence, to the beneficiar' of the same church 6 pence, ... for saying the psalms 2 shillings, to 24 widows ... to John the thresher (tricturator), to Sir John Lagheman a cloak, ... to a chaplain to celebrate for his soul and ..., to John Scheperd...</p> <p>Related materials: For the counterpart, see Box 20, Item 1445.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Original volume/page: V48/2</p> <p>Ink number: 635</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 75/1</p>
<p>Box 21 Item 640</p>	<p>Conveyance. 10 February 1348.</p> <p>Description: William Pessonier of Battle to Gerard Mareschant of Battle</p>

	<p>The moiety of his croft, enclosed by hedges and ditches, in a field called Borderesbyrchet in Battle (W: John Goryng's land; S: WP; E: Robert Breuman's land; N: road).</p> <p>Witnesses: Joce Ferour, John de Beche, John Goryng, John Poltone, Joce Copyn, Richard Schepherde, Laurence Pessonier; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Seal fragment; tag formed from writing exercise.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/3 Ink number: 640 Thorpe page/entry: 75/3</p>
Box 21 Item 657	<p>Conveyance. 2 January 1352.</p> <p>Description: William de Suthinne the younger to his brother Richard de Suthinne, and to his heirs in tail, remainder to their brother Thomas</p> <p>1 part of his land called Shortforlang with the adjoining wood and brookland, in Guestling (in length SW: land of the almoner of Battle; NE: land of the heirs of Robert de Kunifonte; in breadth from the stream flowing from Langhers to Doleham Bridge to [incomplete])</p> <p>2 two acres of WS's land called Longhstrat, which lies in Barlesse, heading onto the road from Doleham Bridge to Guestling church</p> <p>Holding of WS, and performing the services to the chief lords.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Cressi, Thomas Cressi, John Langherst, Alan Fogheling, Richard Kny3t; at Guestling</p> <p>Seals: A squirrel: legend illegible.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/5 Ink number: 657 Thorpe page/entry: 76/1</p>
Box 21 Item 714	<p>Counterpart assignment of a lease. 15 August 1360.</p> <p>Description: Walter Cheppeman and his wife Gillian to Gerard Marechant <called Wayte></p> <p>1 all the term they have in <the moiety of> a messuage which formerly belonged to Gilbert le Wyth, with an adjoining garden, in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, (in length and breadth by the messuage of Joce le Ferour)</p> <p>2 an annual rent of 4 pence paid by Robert le Wyth</p> <p>GM to roof the messuage during the term, and enclose half the garden, for a reasonable allowance of rent, at his own costs (<i>suis costagiis propriis suo termino durante</i>); GM to pay 2 shillings annually to WC and GC, and the ancient rent and custom to the chief lord, without any other suit or service.</p> <p>Witnesses: Joce Ferour, William Goldesmeth, Gilbert Elyse, John Pydi, Stephen Londer'; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A spread eagle; tag formed from a deed mentioning William Rawlyne of Peasmarsh and William Sadeler.</p> <p>Endorsed: Henry Chytecumbe</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/12 Ink number: 714 Thorpe page/entry: 79/4</p>
Box 21 Item 786	<p>Grant in free alms. 26 March 1305.</p> <p>Description: Walter, son of Henry le Tanner, to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the almonry</p> <p>1 a croft of his land in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the messuage which belonged to John de Nortone, and a way leading to the land of Thomas Fukes; heading</p>

	<p>onto the road to Hastings, and onto the land of Thomas Fukes) 2 an annual rent of 8 pence from the tenement which belonged to Adam de Breggeselle and from the tenement which belonged to John de Nortone.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert ate Park, Robert le Bordere, Adam le Mone, Stephen Pessonier, John Forster, Daniel le Taillur, William Aurifaber, Thomas Fuke, Richard le Vannere, Peter Shereve, Robert Gardener, Thomas le Webbe, Reynold ate Felde, William le Bole, Ellis Baterel</p> <p>Endorsed: From the time of brother J de Eylesforde, almoner; first charter; 9s <40s>; [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/10 Ink number: 786 Pencil number: 35 Thorpe page/entry: 78/</p>
Box 21 Item 799	<p>Conveyance. 3 October 1372.</p> <p>Description: John atte Crouche of Hooe, and his wife Eve, to Richard Picard of Hooe, and his wife Maud, for their lives, remainder to their son John A piece of land called Manerysdene, in Hooe.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Edrith, John Parker, John Edrith, John Martyn, William Jan; at Hooe</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/18 Ink number: 799 Pencil number: 40 Thorpe page/entry: 82/4</p>
Box 21 Item 800	<p>Conveyance. 29 June 1364.</p> <p>Description: John, son and heir of William Toringdenne, to Richard Smyth of Battle All the messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the messuage of William Apuldram and a plot which formerly belonged to James le Hunte), which formerly belonged to Gilbert Telham.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Werreve, Robert Donnyng, William Apuldram, John Denys, Stephen Donnyng, Stephen Wylkyn, Thomas Clerk; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/9 Ink number: 800 Thorpe page/entry: 77/4</p>
Box 21 Item 818	<p>Conveyance for £1 17s 0d. 13 June 1305.</p> <p>Description: Robert Mortemer to John le Ferur Part of RM's tenement in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, with the moiety of the curtilage belonging to it, namely the part which lies against the tenement of Ralph, son of Thomas de Hurst, in length, [and] to the land of Peter Sherreve, as the two posts of the same tenement make the said part clear Paying 6 pence annually to the abbot and convent of Battle for all services, customs, gifts, aids and suits of court.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Fuke, Peter Sherreve, Thomas ate Stene, Richard le Vannere, Robert Funtener, William Turnur, Robert Gardener, Stephen le Glovere, Thomas le Webbe, William le Bole, Ralph Cocus, Ellis Baterel</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/10 Ink number: 818 Pencil number: 67 Thorpe page/entry: 78/12</p>

<p>Box 21 Item 822</p>	<p>Conveyance of rent. 12 March 1348.</p> <p>Description: Peter Scherreve of Battle to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the office of sacrist An annual rent of 1 penny paid by William de Bothurstgate for a cottage called Jekelottesous.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert de Scharendenne, Joce Ferroure, William Pessonier, Robert Breman, John de Beche, Maurice Faber; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A figure with a key: SAVLUTE PETREO</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/3 Ink number: 822 Thorpe page/entry: 75/4</p>
<p>Box 21 Item 849</p>	<p>Settlement. 28 August 1356.</p> <p>Description: Robert Umfray and his wife Margery, and John Walet, rector of Sedlescombe, to William Mordaunt of Battle and his wife Joan, and to their heirs in tail, remainder to the heirs of WM, remainder to the grantors and their heirs All that croft of land by the messuage in which WM lives, in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the land of John Felder, and the land held by Stephen Bette) To hold of RU, MU and JW, paying 3 shillings annual rent, with power of distraint for non-payment.</p> <p>Witnesses: Joce Ferour, Robert Donnyng, William Salman, William Tornour, John Denys, Thomas Clerk; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Third seal only: a praying figure: * COSVS DICI; tags formed from deed involving rents payable at Netherfield [in Battle] to Vincent [Finch].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/11 Ink number: 849 Pencil number: 90 Thorpe page/entry: 77/9</p>
<p>Box 21 Item 858</p>	<p>Reconveyance by feoffee. 8 October 1361.</p> <p>Description: Giles Schepherd of Battle to Richard Menier of Battle All the messuage in which he was lately enfeoffed by RM.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Donyng, Robert Umfrey, William Apulderham, John Denys, William Tornour, Stephen Donyng, Thomas Clerk; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/13 Ink number: 858 Pencil number: 107 Thorpe page/entry: 79/10</p>
<p>Box 21 Item 867</p>	<p>Settlement. 7 November 1373.</p> <p>Description: William Not of Herstmonceux to Richard Pycard of Hooe and his wife Maud for life, remainder to their son John and his heirs in tail, remainder to John's sister Isabel and her heirs in tail, remainder to her sister Joan and her heirs in tail A messuage and 3 acres in Hooe (E: the road from Battle to the court of Hooe; S: John Parker's land; N: John atte Cherche's land; W: land of the heirs of Geoffrey Optone) Paying 12 pence annual rent to the lords of Wartling.</p> <p>Witnesses: Gilbert Adam, Geoffrey Palmere, Richard Godewyne, Stephen Ederith, John Thomas; at Hooe</p> <p>Seals: A crossbow bolt; * S' PIETER VAR.MI.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/19 Ink number: 867 Thorpe page/entry: 82/3</p>
Box 21 Item 870	<p>Settlement. 1 August 1349.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Mulston to John Gardyner of Westham and his wife Margery, and to their heirs in tail, remainder to the eldest son John and to his heirs in tail, remainder to John's eldest sister Agnes and to her heirs in tail, remainder to Agnes's younger brother John and to his heirs in tail, remainder to his younger brother Philip and to his heirs in tail, reversion to the next heir of JG</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">A piece of land, enclosed by hedges and ditches, in [the furlong called] Golyas in Westham, with free ingress and egress (N: land called Gaugyeslond; W: land of John de Remeching; S: RM's land in the same furlong).</p> <p>Witnesses: Philip Allard, Roger Porter, [?Robert] Pelyng', John Lad, John Tut, Henry Pelyng', John Vacher, Edmund Soutere; at Westham</p> <p>Seals: Four-petalledflower: S' DELDMIC V..</p> <p>Endorsed: charter of Gawgys...; Godfrey's chantry</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/4 Ink number: 870 Thorpe page/entry: 75/5</p>
Box 21 Item 875	<p>Counterpart conveyance. 28 January 1374.</p> <p>Description: William de Nortone and his wife Margery to Roger Scharsell Their tenement in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (in breadth from the house of William Bakere, tailor, to the house of Stephen Dalintone, tailor; in length between the road and William Bakere's land).</p> <p>Witnesses: William Goldsmeth, Thomas Okerst, Thomas Ferour, Walter Uffintone, Peter Cuner, Robert Wallere, James Goringe, John Page; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Cross with a circle at its centre on a shield, within an engrailled border: .. Johannis : Welimo :</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/20 Ink number: 875 Thorpe page/entry: 83/3</p>
Box 21 Item 879	<p>Conveyance. 22 February 1353.</p> <p>Description: John Delveday, son of Walter Delveday of Battle, to Alice, widow of Adam Goldsmit, of Battle</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">His messuage in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (N,S: Gerard Mareschant's messuage; stretching between the road and the abbot's park called Plaschet).</p> <p>Witnesses: Gerard le Wayte, Robert Breman, William Goldsmit, Roger Scharesnull, Richard Frend; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/9 Ink number: 879 Pencil number: 1 Thorpe page/entry: 77/2</p>
Box 21 Item 892	<p>Conveyance. 24 February 1358.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Malyn of Battle to Robert Donnyng of Battle</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">The two messuages in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the messuage formerly William Toryngden and the messuage of John atte Hope), in which SM was</p>

	<p>enfeoffed by John Mileward and Alice Kempe.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Denys, Stephen Donnyng, William Tornur, William Mordaunt, John Berglynde, Richard Croppe; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A human head in an engrailled border;</p> <p>Endorsed: Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/12 Ink number: 892 Thorpe page/entry: 78/6</p>
Box 21 Item 899	<p>Conveyance. 7 February 1352.</p> <p>Description: Gerard le Wayte of Battle, and his wife Alice, to Stephen Donnyng of Battle A plot of land in [the borough of Sandlake, Battle], (between the land formerly Parnell Carpenter, and the land of William, formerly carter; in length between the road and the street called Quarresstrete).</p> <p>Witnesses: Joce le Ferour, Robert Berman, Peter Cuner, ... Mordaunt, Robert Donnyng, John atte Felde, John Gautron; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A spread eagle, legend illegible; two humand heads within an engrailled border, legend illegible; tags formed from a deed of Gerard le Wayte to ...ano de Bello [?the dean of Battle].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/5 Ink number: 899 Thorpe page/entry: 76/7</p>
Box 22	Records removed from volume 48
Box 22 Item 929	<p>Conveyance. 11 November 1371.</p> <p>Description: William de Northone and his wife Margery, of Battle, to John ate Wode and his wife Joan All the lands at Mylestone in Battle, held of the heirs of Vincent Fynch and of John de Beche, which came to them as Margery's inheritance.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Frer', William Goldsmyth, Thomas Ferroure, Gilbert Elis, Richard de Beche; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/17 Ink number: 929 Thorpe page/entry: 82/1</p>
Box 22 Item 932	<p>Release of reversion. 1 March 1348.</p> <p>Description: Master John Daniel of Battle to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy A field called Nywefee, enclosed by hedges and ditches (S: the land of John Rolf of Battle; N,W: land of the abbot and convent; E: along the road from Mylestone to Battle) Free of all service, except 4 pence annually to the chief lords.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Scharndenne, William Pessonier, Adam Goldsmyth, Joce Ferroure, John de Beche, master Peter de Horsye, Robert Berman; at Battle</p> <p>Related materials: For the lease, 29 September 1347, see Box 22, Item 1023.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/3 Ink number: 932 Thorpe page/entry: 74/7</p>
Box 22	Conveyance. 6 April 1357.

<p>Item 945</p>	<p>Description: William Jervais of Battle, son and heir of William Jervais, to Roger Scharesnull of Battle</p> <p>A messuage called Cordewaner in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (E,W: WJ's messuage; 110 feet in length from the road to the boundary).</p> <p>Witnesses: Joce le Ferour, William Goldsmit, Peter Cuner, Nicholas Rolf, Gilbert Elys, John Pydy, Thomas Clerk; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A pelican in her piety: * SVM PELICANVS; tag formed from quitclaim by Thomas Smyt of Battle, with a further instrument drafted above it</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/11 Ink number: 945 Thorpe page/entry: 78/3</p>
<p>Box 22 Item 958</p>	<p>Conveyance. 5 March 1361.</p> <p>Description: Peter, son and heir of William Carter of Battle, to William, son of Maud Goldsmyth, called Rabel, of Battle</p> <p>A messuage in Battle Town (between the messuage of William Rabel and the messuage of Stephen Donnyg)</p> <p>Witnesses: William Goldsmyth, Gilbert Elys, Nicholas Rolf, William Tornur, Stephen Donnyng, John Denys, Thomas Clerk; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: [centre:] COMITATUS SVSSEX [edge:] * HVNDR' DE [foliage] BATAYll'</p> <p>Notes: Charter leads with EST sign [= Thomas Clerk]; seal-tag formed from draft beginning: Pateatgat' Hamo prior claustr' ... monasterii eiusdem</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/4 Ink number: 958 Thorpe page/entry: 75/9</p>
<p>Box 22 Item 965</p>	<p>Conveyance. 29 June 1368.</p> <p>Description: Richard Swon of Battle to William Clerk of Battle and his wife Agnes</p> <p>A messuage in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (between the land of the abbot of Battle and the land of Robert Pyryer), which RS lately purchased from Rose Mortemer.</p> <p>Witnesses: Alan Mone, Thomas Wodeman, Thomas Curtays, Richard Schirewode, Thomas Clerk; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Fragment of a small seal in white wax.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/17 Ink number: 965 Thorpe page/entry: 80/3</p>
<p>Box 22 Item 972</p>	<p>Counterpart conveyance. 2 January 1374.</p> <p>Description: William Gregori of Westham to John ??Aylward of Westham, and his wife Helen, and to John's heirs</p> <p>A cottage and 1 acre at Hankham [in Westham] (W: land of Michael de Pelynges; S: land of the rector of Westham; E: a drove leading from the rectory; N: a road from Hankham to Grenegore [?Gregory Lane])</p> <p>paying the appropriate service to the chief lords, and 2 shillings annually to Robert Bocher of Rye and his wife Benedicta; JA and HA to maintain the cottage and land at their own expense, without waste.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Sley3hond, bailiff [of Pevensey], John Lowes, John Gardyner, Philip Alard; at Westham</p> <p>Seals: A stag's head, legend illegible; ?a fleur de lys, legend illegible.</p> <p>Endorsed: Godfrey's chantry.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/19 Ink number: 972 Thorpe page/entry: 82/7</p>
Box 22 Item 998	<p>Quitclaim. 27 May 1352.</p> <p>Description: John Mileward, son of Thomas Mileward of Battle, with his wife Maud, to Stephen Malyn of Battle Their right, including dower rights, in a tenement or messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the messuage of Alice Kempe and the messuage of the heirs of William Toringdenne; in length between the road and the almoner's land) JM and MM bind themselves in £5 against impleading SM or disturbing his possession. Witnesses: Joce le Ferour, Robert Donnyng, John Gautron, John Denys, John atte Felde; at Battle Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/6 Ink number: 998 Pencil number: 7 Thorpe page/entry: 76/2</p>
Box 22 Item 1023	<p>Lease for 40 years from 29 September 1347 for £1. 29 September 1347.</p> <p>Description: Master John Danyel of Battle to the abbot and convent of Battle, to the use of the sacristy A field called Newefee, enclosed by hedges and ditches (S: the land of John Rolf of Battle; N,W: land of the abbot and convent; E: along the road from Milestone to Battle) The abbot and convent to perform the services to the chief lords. Witnesses: William Pessonier, Adam Goldsmyth, Joce Ferur, Robert Breman, John de Beche; at Battle Seals: Six radiating branches: * S' IOH'IS : DANIEL Related materials: For John Daniel's release, 1 March 1348, see Box 22, Item 932.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/2 Ink number: 1023 Pencil number: 3 Thorpe page/entry: 74/6</p>
Box 22 Item 1033	<p>Grant of a rentcharge. 6 April 1357.</p> <p>Description: William Jervais of Battle to Roger Scharesnull of Battle An annual rent of 2 pence payable by WJ from that part of the land of a messuage called Cordewaners which is nearest to the abbot of Battle's park called The Plasschet. Witnesses: Joce le Ferour, William Goldsmit, Peter Cuner, John Denys, William Cole, Richard atte Walle, Thomas Clerk; at Battle Seals: A six-petalled flower: .IGILL' ..</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/12 Ink number: 1033 Pencil number: 42 Thorpe page/entry: 78/4</p>
Box 22 Item 1038	<p>Quitclaim of dower estate by widow. 27 February 1361.</p> <p>Description: Ida Carter, widow, to William Rabel of Battle Her right in part of a messuage, in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, (between the messuage of Stephen Donnyng and 'our own' messuage; in length between the road</p>

	<p>and Quarreystrete), which she holds for life in dower At Battle. Seals: A crouching lion and two peacocks, surmounted by a human head: legend illegible. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/13 Ink number: 1038 Pencil number: 47 Thorpe page/entry: 79/12</p>
Box 22 Item 1052	<p>Arbitration award. 13 April 1365. Description: Walter Schapman and his wife Gillian v Stephen Donnyng and his wife Parnell The moiety of a messuage, held as dower Recites litigation in the king's court (unspecified); it is settled that the moiety was granted by Stephen and Parnell to Walter and Gillian as dower, for Gillian's life; Walter and Gillian grant it to Stephen and Parnell for a year at 2s 6d rent, with a power of re-entry for Gillian's life after a month's non-payment; Stephen and Gillian to pay all the charges relating to the messuage for Walter and Gillian. Witnesses: Master John Torkeseye dean of Battle, William Goldsmyth, Richard Faber constable of Battle, William Tornour, William Parson, Thomas Clerk; at Battle Endorsed: Chytecumbe Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/16 Ink number: 1052 Pencil number: 61 Unidentified numbers: 39 Thorpe page/entry: 80/11</p>
Box 22 Item 1228	<p>Conveyance. 12 June 1352. Description: Stephen Donnyng of Battle to Thomas le Webbe of Battle All SD's messuage in Battle Town (between the land of John Cuner and the land of the heirs of William Carter; stretching between [the road and] the land of the sacrist of Battle) Witnesses:, ... Breman, Robert Donnyng, Solomon Neuman, William Tornour,, Thomas Clerk; at Battle Notes: About an inch of text from the witness list has perished on the left margin of this deed. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/5 Ink number: 1228 Pencil number: 34 Thorpe page/entry: 76/3</p>
Box 22 Item 1303	<p>Quitclaim. 29 September 1352. Description: John Vynch of Battle and his wife <Alice> to Stephen Malyn of Battle Their right in a tenement which formerly belonged to Alice Kempe of Battle JV and AV bind themselves in £5 to secure SM's quiet possession, and have taken a corporal oath before the witnesses. Witnesses: Joce Ferour, Robert Donnyng, William Mordaunt, John Denys, Thomas Clericus; at Battle Seals: Seals gone; one tag formed from a writ. Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/7 Ink number: 1303</p>

	<p>Pencil number: 3 Thorpe page/entry: 76/5</p>
<p>Box 22 Item 1318</p>	<p>Settlement. 21 July 1354.</p> <p>Description: Joce Ferour of Battle to Walter de Offynton and JF's daughter Alice, and to their heirs in tail, remainder to JF and his wife Gillian and to their heirs in tail, remainder to JF's right heirs</p> <p>1 All his lands, tenements and rents, with buildings, gardens, meadows, pastures, woods and services at Hemmingfold in Battle, which JF purchased separately from John Wyndere of Whatlington and John Gardyner, rector of Whatlington</p> <p>2 A piece of land called The Coumbe in Battle, which JF purchased from Robert de Blakebroke.</p> <p>Witnesses: John de Ore, John Cressy, Alan Foghelyng, William Martyn, John Symon; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: ..IGILL' JOC...</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/9 Ink number: 1318 Thorpe page/entry: 77/5</p>
<p>Box 22 Item 1324</p>	<p>Conveyance in free alms. 10 February 1363.</p> <p>Description: Robert le Vynour of Southwark to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>A chamber, 21 feet long and 13 feet wide, which is joined to a chamber of the abbot and convent called The Stywardischaumbre, in Southwark (N: the the abbot and convent's ditch; S: RV's garden; heading W: RV's garden)</p> <p>To hold without rent or service.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Mockyng, William de Molton, Philip Bailley, Thomas de Lyncolnia, citizen and goldsmith of London, Walter de Offynton; at Southwark</p> <p>Seals: ?A bird; legend illegible.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/14 Ink number: 1324 Thorpe page/entry: 80/8</p>
<p>Box 22 Item 1348</p>	<p>Conveyance. 20 July 1352.</p> <p>Description: John atte Doune and his wife Agnes to John Berkynge, chaplain</p> <p>A watercourse 3 feet wide, along the stream and usual descent of water, from the spring called ...<i>[the deed is damaged at this point]</i> to the land of the almoner of Battle called Southdoune, and thence westward following the course of the ditch and of Southdoune on the south, and a perch of their meadow or wish called Holewysch, with an adequate space to plant a hedge on the outer side for a boundary (<i>cum pede competenti unius sepis ex eadem parte externis pro clausura</i>)</p> <p>JD and AD bind themselves in £5 to secure JB's quiet possession.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Tykenerst, John Oliver, Thomas atte Forde, John Gautron, William Gil, John Berglynde, Richard Smyt, John Denys, John atte Felde, Peter Border; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: [symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary]</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/8 Ink number: 1348 Pencil number: 10 Thorpe page/entry: 76/4</p>
<p>Box 22 Item 1363</p>	<p>Conveyance. 29 September 1364.</p> <p>Description: John, son and heir of William Thoringdenne of Battle, to Thomas Clerk of Battle</p> <p>A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the messuage of Giles</p>

	<p>Schepherd and the land of the heirs of John ate Felde)</p> <p>Witnesses: William Goldsmyth, Peter Cuner, Richard Smyth, Robert Donnyng, John Denys, William Apuldram, John Werreve; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/15 Ink number: 1363 Pencil number: 38 Thorpe page/entry: 80/9</p>
Box 22 Item 1373	<p>Quitclaim of rents. Approximately 1240.</p> <p>Description: Robert Cementarius to his lords, the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>1 all the annual rent and homage which he has from the heirs of Hilda Arde in Battle Town</p> <p>2 an annual rent of 1 penny from land called Caldebec in Battle Town, which Clemence, widow of Robert's brother Adam, is accustomed to pay.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael de Bech', Luke de Swinham, Richard de Bech', Joce Cementarius, Nicholas Cocus, Richard Bachelor, Richard Braciator, John Clericus</p> <p>Endorsed: villa .xv. ; ÷ = symbol indicating that the document bore a seal when enrolled in the cartulary, Volume 29, circa 1290 .</p> <p>Cartulary: Vol 29 f ???</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/16 Ink number: 1373 Pencil number: 41 Thorpe page/entry: 11/3</p>
Box 22 Item 1413	<p>Conveyance. 3 March 1362.</p> <p>Description: Rose Mortimer, daughter and heir of Richard Mortimer of Battle, deceased, to Richard Swon of Battle and his wife Joan</p> <p>All her messuage in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (between the messuage 'ate Pirie' and the messuage of Dogeride; heading onto the road).</p> <p>Witnesses: Alan Mone, John Curiel, Robert Blak', William Marche, Thomas Curtais, John Seman, Thomas Clerk; at Battle, at the court held on 3 March 1362</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/14 Ink number: 1413 Thorpe page/entry: 80/2</p>
Box 22 Item 1453	<p>Settlement. 20 April 1376.</p> <p>Description: John Litelwatte of Hailsham, son of John Lytelwatte, to Maud, daughter of John Elys of Barcombe, deceased, for life with remainder to their heirs in tail, remainder to JL the settlor and his right heirs</p> <p>All his lands and tenements, meadows, pastures, rents and services in Pevensey and Westham.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Flour, William Bartelot, William Hogh, Richard Paye, Philip Allard of Pevensey, John Lytelwatte the elder of Pevensey, Thomas Clerk, Thomas Gryselyn of Barcombe, John Meller of Wellingham [in Ringmer], William Ferroure, Ralph Philpot of Isfield, clerk; at Barcombe</p> <p>Seals: Seal gone.</p> <p>Endorsed: Hankham, Godfrey's chantry</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/20 Ink number: 1453</p>

	Thorpe page/entry: 83/6
Box 22 Item 1456	<p>Quitclaim. 7 February 1361.</p> <p>Description: Thomas de Southynne of Westfield to Richard de Northynne and his wife Margaret and to their sons Stephen and Henry His right in lands and woods called Shorteforlonge and Barlesh in Guestling, which RN lately purchased from TS's brother Richard de Southynne.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Crecy, Thomas Crecy, John de Southynne, Alan Fogelynge, William Martyn, William Clerk; at Westfield</p> <p>Seals: A flower: legend illegible.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/13 Ink number: 1456 Thorpe page/entry: 79/11</p>
Box 22 Item 1464	<p>Grant in fee farm. 6 May 1372.</p> <p>Description: Thomas de Hoo, kt, and his wife Isabel, to William Notte of Herstmonceux A messuage and 3 acres called Nottyslond in Hooe Performing the services to the chief lords on behalf of TH and IH, and paying 12 pence annual feefarm to TH and IH, with right of distraint for non-payment.</p> <p>Witnesses: Gilbert Adam, Geoffrey Palmer, John Thomas, Richard Godewyne, John Edryth; at Hooe</p> <p>Seals: Seal of arms of Hoo, surmounted by a crested helm confronting a parrot: . SIGI..VM . THOME DE HOO; juxtaposed shields bearing the arms of Hooe and St Leger: ISABELLE DE HOO</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/18 Ink number: 1464 Pencil number: 46 Thorpe page/entry: 82/2</p>
Box 22 Item 1476	<p>Settlement. 18 November 1347.</p> <p>Description: John Walet, rector of Sedlescombe, to his brother Thomas Walet for life, remainder to Thomas's son John All his land called Palmereslond at Netherfield in Battle, which JW inherited on the death of his parents Gilbert Walet and his wife Margery, of Battle</p> <p>Witnesses: John Danyel, John Remys, John Bakere of Iham, Adam Goldsmyth, William de ..xele, Thomas de Falgh', John Martyn, Thomas a Nore; at Netherfield</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V48/1 Ink number: 1476 Pencil number: 3 Thorpe page/entry: 74/9</p>
Box 23	Records removed from volume 49
Box 23 Item 631	<p>Conveyance. 24 June [1378].</p> <p>Description: John Elfrith of Hooe to John Baker of Bexhill A piece of land called Brokreslee in Hooe.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Bertyn, Gilbert Adam, John Palmer the younger, John Bole, John Thomas, John Parker; at Hooe</p> <p>Notes: About an inch has been eaten away from the right of this deed. Of the three available years in which the nativity of St John the Baptist fell on a Thursday - 1378, 1389 and 1395 (2, 13 and 19 R2), the first has been chosen since the tail of a descender, for <i>secundo</i>, is visible.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/36 Ink number: 631 Thorpe page/entry: 86/10</p>
Box 23 Item 665	<p>Lease for 10 years from 29 September 1379. 2 October 1379.</p> <p>Description: John Lytelwatte of Pevensey to Simon Anneys of Westham All the lands and tenements, with buildings, gardens, curtilages, rents and services, in Hailsham, which JL inherited on the death of his father John Lytelwatte SA has paid JL a sum of money in hand; JL will repair the hall and all the chambers joined to it, in timber, walling and roofing, by 25 December 1379; SA will maintain them during the term; SA will acquit the tenement against all men during the term, and pay all the outgoings; if SA is elected to the office of beadle, which is called Portreeve, JL will perform the office and indemnify SA. At Hailsham.</p> <p>Related materials: For the counterpart, see Box 24, Item 1412.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/ Ink number: 665 Thorpe page/entry: 84/10</p>
Box 23 Item 669	<p>Conveyance. 17 March 1392.</p> <p>Description: Margery Dunnyng, widow of Robert Dunnyng of Battle, to Alice Bevys of Battle A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the messuage of William Motte and the messuage of Thomas Hynde)</p> <p>Witnesses: Walter Offyngton, Stephen Dalyngton, Richard Dymmok, Robert Hymfray, William Grene clerk</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/18 Ink number: 669 Thorpe page/entry: 88/7</p>
Box 23 Item 684	<p>Conveyance. 18 May 1383.</p> <p>Description: William Haylman of Hastings to John Wodelond and John Bacon of Pevensey All the lands and tenements in Manxey, within the lowey of Pevensey, which WH lately bought from Richard Dunsye and his wife Alice.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Salerne, John Cleve, Richard Bannok of Hastings, William Bartelote, Henry Bertyn, William Hokeby, John Reder</p> <p>Seals: A human head; illegible legend.</p> <p>Endorsed: Land in Westham belonging to Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/6 Ink number: 684 Thorpe page/entry: 85/2</p>
Box 23 Item 706	<p>Conveyance. 21 April 1384.</p> <p>Description: John Fynhawe, bastard son of John Fynghawe of Whatlington, to William ate Wode of Westfield and Richard Wilde of Mountfield The messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (W,E: Roger Scarshulle's tenement; N: the park of the abbot of Battle called Plaschet; S: the road from Battle marketplace to Hastings), which he was given by his uncle, Simon Fynghaghe.</p> <p>Witnesses: Walter Uffynton, Thomas Ferur, William Goldsmyth, William Lad, Simon Bakere; at</p>

	<p>Battle</p> <p>Seals: Virgin and child within a canopy surmounting a praying figure.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/6 Ink number: 706 Thorpe page/entry: 85/8</p>
Box 23 Item 790	<p>Conveyance. 15 August 1396.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Smyth of Catsfield to Maud Polstede, daughter of Thomas Polstede of Boxted in Essex A messuage in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (between the land and tenement of John Seman and the land and tenement of John Penbrok; in length between the road and the abbot of Battle's park).</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Sharselle, Stephen Dalynton, Thomas Ferroure, Alan Lonsford, Thomas Okherst, William Fraunceys, William Gerold; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A head; IE VOYS DEV</p> <p>Endorsed: The house [called] Styllago, between Robert Feyreman and John Penbroke.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/28 Ink number: 790 Pencil number: 39 Thorpe page/entry: 90/7</p>
Box 23 Item 816	<p>Conveyance. 6 October 1381.</p> <p>Description: Robert atte Grene of Bexhill to John Gyle and his wife Maud, and to John's heirs The land called Northbodynham and Holmcroft in Bexhill (N: the land of Godecoumbe; S: the Bulverhithe-Hooe road; in breadth E: land of Bexhill church; W: the land of Lechemere), which was all the land which John atte Grene bought from Thomas Fraunceys Paying 12 pence annually to the heirs of Nicholas Parker for all services except heriot and reasonable relief.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Bakere, William Brecklesham, John Snow, William Hony, Thomas Ferkthe; at Bexhill</p> <p>Seals: ?An owl.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/4 Ink number: 816 Pencil number: 65 Thorpe page/entry: 85/1</p>
Box 23 Item 874	<p>Counterpart settlement. 9 March 1394.</p> <p>Description: Robert Borgrove of Hastings to Robert Knyght of Battle and his wife Joan and to their heirs in tail, remainder to RK's daughter Margery in tail, remainder to Margery's sister Isabel in tail, remainder to Isabel's sister Margaret in tail, remainder to RB A messuage in Battle (E: the street at the marketplace; S: the lane called Schyteborglane; W,N: the messuage formerly John Lyndregge) Paying 1 penny to RK annually on 21 December.</p> <p>Witnesses: Alan Lunsford, Simon Bakere, draper, Stephen Dalington, Thomas Ferroure, Thomas Okherst, Alan atte Melle, Henry Morys; at Battle</p> <p>Notes: Slits for two seals; surviving tag formed from a deed mentioning William Busch and his wife Isabel and reserving a rent of 8s.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/22</p>

	<p>Ink number: 874 Thorpe page/entry: 90/1</p>
<p>Box 23 Item 884</p>	<p>Conveyance. [11 April 1394].</p> <p>Description: William Pesemerssh to Henry Morys and his wife Rose for the life of the longer liver, reversion to WP 7 acre land, 1 acre meadow and 2 acre wood in Battle, in which HM and RM were lately enfeofed [on 3 July 1389] by William Frere and his wife Joan (by the name of a moiety of a field called Westmarlyngs with the adjoining wood, the moiety of a field called Domesday, the moiety of a field called Kelkecroft and the moiety of a meadow called Donyfordeswyssh), and by Adam Grym in another charter [on 31 October 1387], which lands and tenements WP recovered against HM and RM in the court of the abbot of Battle on 9 April 1394</p> <p>Paying 3 shillings annually to WP, with power of distraint, and of re-entry after 13 weeks; if HM and RM be impleaded by WP in any court in England by any writ (except of waste), WP to forfeit the reversion to their heirs.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Dalyntone, Thomas Ferour, Stephen Sharshulle, Thomas Okherst, Simon Drapier, Alan Lonceforde, John de York, Robert de Tame</p> <p>Seals: A merchant's mark on a shield within an engrailed border; * SIGILL' NICHOLAI ALARD</p> <p>Notes: The deed is badly stained and the date obscured; Saturday ... Palm Sunday is visible, and 1[1] April is the eve of that feast.</p> <p>Related materials: For 3 July 1389 conveyance from William Frere and his wife, see Box 23, Item 1050; for 31 October 1387 conveyance from Adam Grym, see Box 24, Item 1475.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/24 Ink number: 884 Thorpe page/entry: 88/1</p>
<p>Box 23 Item 908</p>	<p>Settlement. 1 December 1398.</p> <p>Description: Maud Picard of Hooe, widow, to William Pesemerssh and his wife Isabel, and to their heirs in tail, remainder to the right heirs of Isabel All her lands and tenements in Hooe</p> <p>Paying 18 shillings annually to MP, with power of distraint, and of re-entry after three months.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Palmere, John Burel, Adam Edrith, John Palmere, Richard Saltcote, William Caperon, John Picard; at Hooe</p> <p>Seals: A crowned W.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/37 Ink number: 908 Thorpe page/entry: 91/10</p>
<p>Box 23 Item 909</p>	<p>Conveyance. 8 April 1398.</p> <p>Description: John Felder of Battle to John Bryd of Battle A piece of land in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (11 feet wide against the road and one inch wide at the upper end, and 24 feet long), with a building [also referred to as a messuage] called The Preshous built upon it by JB</p> <p>Paying 1½d annually to JF, who warrants against the lord of the fee.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Sharselle, Stephen Dalyngton, John Swantone, Thomas Okherst, Alan atte Melle, John Sneppe; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A hare; * SIGILL' THO... ESTLY.G</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/34 Ink number: 909</p>

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Box 23 Item 922	<p>Conveyance. 29 September 1397.</p> <p>Description: John atte Parc and his wife Maud, of Robertsbridge [in Salehurst], to James Bole and his wife Alice, of Battle A messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the land and tenement of Stephen Sharselle and the land of the abbot and convent of Battle, in length between the road and the abbot's park called The Plashet)</p> <p>Witnesses: Walter Offyntone, Thomas Ferrour, Stephen Sharselle, Thomas a Nore, Robert at Tame, John Whyte, William Spaldyng; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Radiating thistles: * IH..ANLAR.DYS; a human head: IE VOYS DEV</p> <p>Related materials: For the deed declaring the conditions of the conveyance, 1 October 1397, see Box 23, Item 1045.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/36 Ink number: 922 Thorpe page/entry: 91/4</p>
Box 23 Item 947	<p>Conveyance. 8 October 1386.</p> <p>Description: John Bakere, son of Robert Baker of Bexhill, to Richard Pycard of Hooe and his wife Maud, and to Richard's heirs A piece of land in Hooe (E: land called John Elfridesle; S: John Body's land; W: Hennestrete; N: land called John Pycardesle)</p> <p>Witnesses: William Jan, Geoffrey atte Broke, John Shirrelok, Robert Clauregg', William Bertyn, John Palmere; at Hooe</p> <p>Seals: A T with palm-leaves.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/ Ink number: 947 Thorpe page/entry: 86/9</p>
Box 23 Item 975	<p>Settlement by feoffees. 6 July 1396.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Dalyngton and Stephen Love of Battle to John ate Park and his wife Maud, of Salehurst A messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (S: the abbot of Battle's land; N: Stephen Sharshull's land), in which they were enfeoffed by John.</p> <p>Witnesses: Walter Offynton, Thomas Ferrour, Thomas a Nore, Robert Tame, Stephen Kyver; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: I within a six-pointed star; a shield, charge illegible.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/30 Ink number: 975 Thorpe page/entry: 90/6</p>
Box 23 Item 981	<p>Conveyance. 29 January 1389.</p> <p>Description: Henry Chittemcombe of Battle to Walter Offinton and Thomas Ferrour of Battle A messuage and adjoining garden in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the tenement of WO and the tenement late Richard Cordelion), which HC inherited from his uncle Gilbert White.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Sharshell, Stephen Dalyngton, William Goldesmith, John Pennebroke, John Ceman; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A winged heart pierced by an arrow.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	<p>Original volume/page: V49/10 Ink number: 981 Thorpe page/entry: 87/7</p>
Box 23 Item 982	<p>Conveyance. 25 February 1395.</p> <p>Description: Alice Bevys of Battle, widow, to Walter de Offynton and Thomas Ferrour of Battle A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the messuages of William Motte and Thomas Hynde; stretching between the road and the land of the almoner of Battle called Rodefennescroft).</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Dalyngton, Henry Fynhawhe, Richard Dymmokk, Nicholas Smyth, Richard atte Broke; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/27 Ink number: 982 Thorpe page/entry: 90/4</p>
Box 23 Item 987	<p>Conveyance. 6 May 1390.</p> <p>Description: William Boneknolle to John Bacon and his wife Denise Two acres in the marsh of Hankham, in Westham (E: land of the duchy of Lancaster; W: land of John Alman and William Baker; heading S: Hankehamistrow; N: JB's land).</p> <p>Witnesses: John Wodelond, William Hokeby, John Alman, John Reder, Richard Hankeham, Michael Heryot, John Nortonne; at Westham</p> <p>Endorsed: Charter of 2 acres in the marsh of Hankham which I acquired from John Wylmysone; Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/12 Ink number: 987 Thorpe page/entry: 87/8</p>
Box 23 Item 999	<p>Quitclaim by heir. 26 June 1386.</p> <p>Description: Adam Gryym, son of Robert Gryym of Hailsham, to Alan atte Melle of Battle His right in a messuage and adjoining croft called Turrold, in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between land called Passener and a lane called Schytebournlane; in length between the road and the abbot of Battle's park).</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Ferur, Thomas Okherst, Stephen Dor', Alan Lonsford, Stephen Dalynton; at Battle</p> <p>Related materials: For lease <i>pur autre vie</i> to Alan for Turrold, see Box 24, Item 1349.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/8 Ink number: 999 Thorpe page/entry: 86/5</p>
Box 23 Item 1036	<p>Grant of an easement. 11 January 1386.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Sharsell of Battle to John Fynhage An easement of waterdropping of a gutter, 2 feet wide and 22 feet long from the end of the principal messuage of JF in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, on the northern side, which is now held by John Alkyn (<i>a limite principalis messuagii predicti Johannis in Middilborg quod modo tenet Johannes Alkyn ex parte borialis ad longitudine, xxij pedum ad latitudinem duorum pedum</i>).</p> <p>Witnesses: William Goldsmith, Thomas Ferrour, Richard Dimok; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Seal gone.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	<p>Original volume/page: V49/8 Ink number: 1036 Pencil number: 45 Thorpe page/entry: 86/3</p>
Box 23 Item 1045	<p>Deed declaring the conditions of a conveyance. 1 October 1397.</p> <p>Description: John atte Park and his wife Maud, of Robertsbridge [in Salehurst], to James Bole and his wife Alice, of Battle A messuage in Battle Recites the 29 September 1397 conveyance (Box 23, Item 922); the purchase price of £4 is to be paid in six annual instalments of 13s 4d, in default of which John and Maud may re-enter. Witnesses: Walter Offynton, Thomas Ferroure, Stephen Sharsell, Robert Tame, Thomas a Nore, John Whyte; at Battle Seals: Two seals on one tag: radiating thistles: * IH..ANLAR.DYS; a human head: IE VOYS [DE]V Related materials: For counterpart, see Box 24, Item 1350.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/35 Ink number: 1045 Pencil number: 54 Thorpe page/entry: 91/5</p>
Box 23 Item 1047	<p>Quitclaim. 8 March 1394.</p> <p>Description: Robert Knyght of Battle to Robert Borgrove of Hastings 1 His estate in a messuage by the marketplace in Battle, which formerly belonged to Walter le Blake, called Parker, of Battle 2 All the lands, tenements and rents at Crowham in Westfield which belonged to Thomas le Breman and his wife Alice of Battle, daughter and heir of John le Funtener of Westfield.</p> <p>Witnesses: Alan Lunsforde, Simon Bakere, draper, Thomas Okherst of Battle, Richard Levet of Hastings St Mary, John Levet, John Hunte of Hollington, Oliver Southynne of Westfield; at Battle Seals: A crowned R.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/22 Ink number: 1047 Pencil number: 56 Thorpe page/entry: 89/10</p>
Box 23 Item 1050	<p>Conveyance of a reversion. 3 July 1389.</p> <p>Description: William Frere and his wife Joan to Henry Moris and his wife Rose, and to Henry's heirs The reversion of the moiety of a field called Westmarlyng with the adjoining wood, the moiety of a field called Domesday, the moiety of a field called Kolkecroft and the moiety of a meadow called Donyfordeswysshe, in Battle, expectant on the death of Joan, wife of William Goldsmyth, which should be inherited by Joan Frere.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Ferour, Stephen Dalynnton, Stephen Sharsulle, Simon Bakere, draper, Thomas Okhurst; at Battle Seals: I within a six-pointed star; figure of St Laurence with a gridiron. Endorsed: Enrolled in the court held at Battle 2 August 1389.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/15 Ink number: 1050 Pencil number: 59</p>

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Box 24 Item 1305	<p>Conveyance. 28 December 1390.</p> <p>Description: William Barun, vicar of Crowhurst, and John Wodye of Battle, to Margery Dunnyng of Battle</p> <p>A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the messuages of William Motte and Thomas Hynde), which they purchased from Robert Dunyng of Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: Walter Offyntone, Richard Smyth, Robert Umfrey, Thomas ..wen, John Lambe, William Apultram</p> <p>Seals: Second seal only: ?lamb and flag.</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/16 Ink number: 1305 Pencil number: 4 Thorpe page/entry: 89/1</p>
Box 24 Item 1307	<p>Conveyance. 14 September 1377.</p> <p>Description: John Lecche and his wife Paulina to John Bacon of Westham, in tail, reversion to John and Paulina</p> <p>All their lands and tenements, with buildings, gardens, curtilages, meadows, pastures, rents and escheats, at Hankham in Westham</p> <p>Paying JL and PL £1 2s 0d annually at Litlington, with power of re-entry after six days' non-payment until the sum be discharged; JB and his heirs in tail to perform the services due to the chief lords, <and [discharge the land] against all others, both lay and ecclesiastical>; JB and his heirs in tail to maintain the property.</p> <p>Witnesses: Philip Alard, bailiff of Pevensey, William Bertelot, John Lowyis, William Flour, John Gardiner, William Telyng; at Westham</p> <p>Endorsed: Godfrey's chantry</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Box 24, Item 1411.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/1 Ink number: 1307 Pencil number: 6 Thorpe page/entry: 83/12</p>
Box 24 Item 1317	<p>Conveyance. 28 September 1389.</p> <p>Description: Robert Scot and his wife Parnell, of Winchelsea, to John Bonglescherte and his wife Goda, of Winchelsea</p> <p>Their messuage and adjoining curtilage in Winchelsea St Thomas (E: Robert Turnour's plot; S: John Sallow's messuage; W: road; N: plot of the heirs of Robert Tigheler)</p> <p>Sealed with the seals of RS and, at PS's instance, of the mayoralty of Winchelsea.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Skele, mayor of Winchelsea, John Treverbyn, bailiff of Winchelsea, John Pulham, John Herde, John Peyntour, Robert Geffrey</p> <p>Seals: E with a palm-leaf; three lions passant guardant dimidiated with the hulk of a ship (Winchelsea); SIGILL' ... MAIORATVS . DE . WINCH...</p> <p>Endorsed: A tenement in The Butchery, formerly Bulsherte, belonging to Godfrey's chantry; [Phillipps] 27619 <i>[deleted]</i>.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/14 Ink number: 1317</p>

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Box 24 Item 1340	<p>Copy conveyance. 19 November 1396.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Love of Battle to John Turnor, Peter Gawteyr and his wife Margery 1 A field in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (alongside the road to Dunningford, heading onto the lane to the windmill at one end and to land formerly John Berkyng at the other) 2 A part of a messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (W: JT's messuage), which formerly belonged to John ate Park In which SL was enfeoffed by John ate Park. Witnesses: Stephen Dalynghton, Thomas Okherst, Alan ate Melle, John Swanton, John Sadeler; at Battle Notes: The deed has no signs of a turnup or seal.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/29 Ink number: 1340 Pencil number: 2 Thorpe page/entry: 91/1</p>
Box 24 Item 1345	<p>Conveyance. 16 August 1388.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Wylkyn of Battle to Richard Shepherde of Battle and his wife Clemence A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (S: Alexander Hamon's messuage; N: Robert Mordant's messuage; heading W: road) Paying 2½d annually to the chief lords. Witnesses: Richard Smyth, John Bonyg, John Fysshere, John Baldeslowe, Thomas Chesman, Robert Humfrey, John Salyndine; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/10 Ink number: 1345 Pencil number: 7 Thorpe page/entry: 87/5</p>
Box 24 Item 1349	<p>Lease <i>pur autre vie</i> from 29 September 1385. [24 June 1386].</p> <p>Description: William Goldsmyth and his wife Joan, of Battle, to Alan ate Melle of Battle A messuage called Turrold in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, in which AM lives For the life of Joan, paying 10 shillings annually; AM to pay the rent and service to the chief lords, and maintain the buildings, except that WG and JG will find and deliver great timbers when necessary; AG may neither take nor cut timber on their land except by their delivery; if AG have any disturbance or damage from WG and JG, they will restore it. Witnesses: Thomas Ferour, Thomas Hokherst, Alan Lonsford, Stephen Dalynghton, Simon Baker, draper; at Battle Notes: The date, Sunday in the feast of Saints Marcus and Marcellianus the martyrs, 10 Richard 2, is impossible; 18 June 1387 was a Tuesday. Sunday after the feast in the same regnal year would produce a date of 24 June 1386, two days before the heir to the property quitclaimed to Alan at Melle (see Box 23, 999). Within the reign, 18 June was a Sunday in 1391 and 1396.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/ Ink number: 1349 Pencil number: 11 Thorpe page/entry: 86/6</p>
Box 24 Item 1350	<p>Counterpart deed declaring the conditions of a conveyance. 1 October 1397.</p> <p>Description: Counterpart of deed from John atte Park and his wife Maud, of Robertsbridge [in</p>

	<p>Salehurst], to James Bole and his wife Alice (Box 23, Item 1045).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/32 Ink number: 1350 Pencil number: 12 Thorpe page/entry: 91/6</p>
Box 24 Item 1362	<p>Conveyance. 16 March 1391.</p> <p>Description: Sarah Thorndenne of Battle to Thomas Chesman and his wife Joan, of Battle A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (W,N: land of the almoner of Battle; E: TC's land; heading S: the Battle-Hastings road) Paying a farthing annually to the chief lords. Witnesses: Richard Smyth, Richard Dymmok, Robert Humfray, John Salendyne, John Fysshere, Stephen Love, William Mot; at Battle Seals: H with a palm-leaf; * . I . CVL . LE . ADA Notes: The ink number is duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/18 Ink number: 1362 Thorpe page/entry: 88/6</p>
Box 24 Item 1365	<p>Settlement by feoffees. 31 January 1395.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Scharnfolde and John Byrchet the elder, of Ticehurst, to Parnell, widow of Geoffrey Taleho, and to her son Richard Taleho, of Ticehurst A messuage and 24 acres in seven pieces of land and wood called Stretynge, in Etchingham (E: John Hykke's land; S: the Etchingham-Ticehurst road; W: land of William atte Wetere, land of the abbot of Bayham; N: land of the heirs of Robert Passele, kt). Witnesses: John Schosewelle, William atte Wetere, William Warde, John Berewerthe, John Gardele; at Etchingham Seals: A crowned W; a I pierced with swords.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/26 Ink number: 1365 Thorpe page/entry: 90/3</p>
Box 24 Item 1390	<p>Conveyance. 6 June 1391.</p> <p>Description: Sir John Lytlyngtone, rector of Catsfield, to Richard Stokke, William Flemyng and Thomas Smyth A tenement called Styllago in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (between the land and tenement of John Seman and the land and tenement of John Penbrok; in length between the road and the abbot of Battle's park). Witnesses: Stephen Sharsell, Alan Lonseforde, William Fraunceys, William Gerold, Robert atte Lane, John Seman, Simon Longe, Henry Downer; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/ Ink number: 1390 Thorpe page/entry: 88/8</p>
Box 24 Item 1399	<p>Conveyance of a reversion. 5 February 1380.</p> <p>Description: Simon Porter of Winchelsea to John Gardiner of Westham The reversion of a tenement in the vill of Westham and in the burgage of Pevensey, which formerly belonged to his uncle Roger Porter (E: William Pelynge's tenement; N: William Pelynge's land; S: road; W: land of the hospital of St John, Pevensey),</p>

	<p>contingent on the death of Agatha Fisch of Westham.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Pelynge, Simon Auneys, John Scleghond, John Tut, John Batelman; at Westham</p> <p>Seals: An illegible device within an engrailed border.</p> <p>Endorsed: A house in Pevensey belonging to Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/2 Ink number: 1399 Thorpe page/entry: 84/6</p>
Box 24 Item 1403	<p>Conveyance. 1 February 1399.</p> <p>Description: Richard Bery of Battle to Alexander Benfeld of Battle A messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the land and tenement of RB and the land and tenement of the almoner of Battle; in length between the road and a pit belonging to Richard, at which point it is 7 feet wide), with the easement of taking water at the pit Paying 2d annually to RB; RB will warrant against the lord of the fee.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Ferroure, Stephen Sharsell, Stephen Dalynghone, Robert Tame, Thomas a Nore; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Radiating thistles.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/38 Ink number: 1403 Thorpe page/entry: 91/12</p>
Box 24 Item 1411	<p>Counterpart lease. 14 September 1377.</p> <p>Related materials: For lease, see Box 24, Item 1307.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/1 Ink number: 1411 Thorpe page/entry: 83/13</p>
Box 24 Item 1412	<p>Counterpart lease sealed <i>sur simple queue</i>. 2 October 1379.</p> <p>Related materials: For lease see Box 23, Item 665.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/ Ink number: 1412</p>
Box 24 Item 1418	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 7 May 1380.</p> <p>Description: Robert Dunning of Battle to Sir William Baron, vicar of Crowhurst, and John Wodye of Crowhurst A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the messuages of William Motte and Thomas Hynde), which he purchased from Stephen Malyn of Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: Walter Offyngtone, Richard Smyth, John Bothurst, John Tulle, Robert Humfray, John Lombe; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A cat; * PA DHVE SA PV; the seal has been attached to one of the leaves of the tag by a cord.</p> <p>Endorsed: [Symbol indicating enrolment in a lost almoner's cartulary].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/2 Ink number: 1418 Thorpe page/entry: 84/7</p>

<p>Box 24 Item 1420</p>	<p>Conveyance. 23 June 1397.</p> <p>Description: Edward Marthamme of Hastings to Alice, widow of Stephen Donnyng the younger of Battle, for life, without waste, remainder to Richard, son of Stephen and Alice A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, in which he was lately enfeoffed by Stephen Donnyng the father and his wife Parnel.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Sharesshelle, Stephen Dalynghton, Richard Dymmok, John Fysshere, Robert Tame, Thomas Okherst, Robert Cokschete; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A woman holding a cup or mirror; ..ISINAS..</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/33 Ink number: 1420 Thorpe page/entry: 91/3</p>
<p>Box 24 Item 1421</p>	<p>Conveyance and maintenance agreement. 1 March 1383.</p> <p>Description: John Bodeherst of Battle to John Godgrome the younger of Mayfield, and his wife Laurencia A messuage and garden in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (N: the tenement of John at the Feld; S: the tenement of Maud Beuvylham; heading E: road; W: the land of the sacrist of Battle), except a chamber of the messuage, called schoppe, which JB reserves for his own use for life, with free ingress and egress JB will deliver all the profits arising from his work to JG and LG, who will care for JB during his life, and find him victuals appropriate to his estate, and a dwelling with adequate fire, paying him 3s 4d annually for his clothing for as long as he is able to work; when his powers fail (<i>cum autem fuerit viribus destitutus</i>), JG and LG to find these benefits at their own expense, with power of re-entry by JB should they fail.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Ferour, Stephen Dunnyng, William Tournour, John Kayworth, John Kucko; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A hare.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/5 Ink number: 1421 Thorpe page/entry: 85/3</p>
<p>Box 24 Item 1427</p>	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 13 July 1392.</p> <p>Description: Richard Smyth of Battle to Thomas ate Downe and Robert Humfray of Battle A tenement in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (S: the messuage which belonged to John Bonyng; N: John Fyssher's messuage; in length between the road and the dean of Battle's land).</p> <p>Witnesses: John Fyssher, William Apultram, John Selyndyne, Richard Dymmok, John Petlee; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: H with a palm-leaf</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/20 Ink number: 1427 Thorpe page/entry: 89/4</p>
<p>Box 24 Item 1431</p>	<p>Settlement by feoffees. 15 December 1392.</p> <p>Description: Thomas ate Downe and Robert Humfray of Battle, feoffees of Richard Smyth, to his widow Alice Smyth of Battle for life, remainder to their son Nicholas Smyth A tenement in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (W: John Fyssher's messuage; E: the messuage which belonged to John Bonyng; in length between the road and the dean of Battle's land).</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Dymmok, John Fyssherr, Simon Selde, John Salyndine, Stephen Love; at</p>

	<p>Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/19 Ink number: 1431 Thorpe page/entry: 89/5</p>
Box 24 Item 1444	<p>Conveyance. 4 October 1389.</p> <p>Description: Walter Geffray and his wife Isabel to John Bacon and his wife Denise for the life of the longer liver, remainder to their grandson John Frensche, son of John Frensche the younger and his wife Alice, the daughter of John and Denise</p> <p>1 A messuage and 20 acres at Hankham in Westham (W: the street of Hankham; E: land called Hegelond; N: JB's land; S: John Lot's land), which formerly belonged to John Hunte</p> <p>2 An annual rent of 18 pence paid by John Lot.</p> <p>Witnesses: Philip Gardiner bailiff [of Pevensey], John Gardiner, William Bertelot, John Wodelond, Philip Alard; at Westham</p> <p>Seals: The seal of the community of Pevensey has been added for greater security [not present].</p> <p>Endorsed: Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/12 Ink number: 1444 Thorpe page/entry: 88/4</p>
Box 24 Item 1462	<p>Conveyance to feoffee. 25 August 1392.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Donnyng and his wife Parnell, of Battle, to Edward Mertham of Hastings</p> <p>A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (N: John Leche's messuage; S: Stephen Dalynton's messuage; in length bewteen the road and the sacrist of Battle's land).</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Dymmok, John Cokcu, Robert Cokshete, Roger Fycheth, John Fyssherr; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Jacob's ladder; H with a palm-leaf - * I . CVL . LI . ADA</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/19 Ink number: 1462 Thorpe page/entry: 89/6</p>
Box 24 Item 1463	<p>Conveyance. 28 January 1392.</p> <p>Description: William Clerke of Battle to Thomas Knythe the elder of Battle and his son William</p> <p>A messuage in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (between the land of the abbot of Battle and the tenement formerly Robert Pyryer), which WC purchased from Richard Swone.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Swone, John Feldder, John Copyn, John Beddeforth, Robert Swone; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A lion crouching in front of a tree: ..E.ECETEN</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/17 Ink number: 1463 Thorpe page/entry: 89/2</p>
Box 24 Item 1475	<p>Conveyance of a reversion. 31 October 1387.</p> <p>Description: Adam Grym to Henry Moris of Battle and his wife Rose</p> <p>The reversion of a moiety of a field called Westmarlyng with the adjoining wood, the moiety of a field called Domesday, the moiety of a field called The Kelkecroft and the moiety of a meadow called Donifordiswishe, in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, expectant on the death of Joan Goldsmyth.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Thomas Ferour, Stephen Sharsull, Stephen Dalyngton, Simon Bacare, draper, Alan Lonseforde, Stephen Dore, William Lad; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: I within a six-pointed star.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/9 Ink number: 1475 Pencil number: 5 Thorpe page/entry: 87/1</p>
Box 24 Item 1480	<p>Quitclaim between feoffees. 24 June 1396.</p> <p>Description: Richard Stokke and William Flemyng to Thomas Smyth of Catsfield Their right in a messuage in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (between the tenements of John Seman and John Penbrok), in which they were all enfeoffed by Sir John Lytlyngtone, rector of Catsfield At Catsfield.</p> <p>Seals: A human head: * IE VOYS DEV; three objects within an engrailld oval border.</p> <p>Endorsed: Styllago.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/31 Ink number: 1480 Thorpe page/entry: 90/5</p>
Box 24 Item 2001	<p>Conveyance. 29 June 1388.</p> <p>Description: Alice, daughter and heir of William Webster of Lockington [Yorkshire East Riding], in her full power, to John Herynge of Southburton and his wife Joan, and to the longer liver A plot of land with buildings, in Lockington (E: the road from Thorp; W: William Warde's land; in breadth S: William Warde's land; N: the land of Isabel, widow of Roger Somonour) Paying 2 pence annually to William Warde for suit of court and other services.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Abell of Lockington, William Warde, Henry Tailliour of Lockington, Adam de Rygeton of Southburton, John Baxter of Southburton; at Lockington</p> <p>Notes: No ink number on dorse; number assigned. This deed is almost certainly an antiquarian purchase by a member of the Webster family.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V49/ Ink number: 2001 (Note: numbers 2000-2005 were added in 1993 to six deeds which lacked ink numbers) Thorpe page/entry: 87/3</p>
Box 25	Records removed from volume 50
Box 25 Item 904	<p>Conveyance. 2 February 1404.</p> <p>Description: Margery, widow of Peter Gawter of Battle, to John Ceman and his wife Helen, of Battle A field in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (alongside the street leading to Donningford, and heading onto a lane leading to the windmill at one end, and to land formerly John Berkyng at the other).</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Dalyngton, John Copin, William Spaldynge, Stephen Kyver, John Goldynge; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/8 Ink number: 904 Thorpe page/entry: 94/6</p>

Box 25 Item 912	<p>Reconveyance by feoffees. 19 January 1413.</p> <p>Description: John Okle and Roger Fichett of Battle to John Bregger and his wife Alice A messuage in Battle, in which they were lately enfeofed by JB and AB.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Stapelide, Richard Stapelide, Peter Colett, John Fisser, Richard Bertelot; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Two seals on one tag: a stag's head surmounted by a cross; a human head, inscription illegible.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/24 Ink number: 912 Thorpe page/entry: 98/9</p>
Box 25 Item 916	<p>Conveyance. 15 August 1408.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Vowglesle of Salehurst and John Menaunt of Battle to John Tameworthe of Winchelsea The tenement called Styllago in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (in breadth between the lands and tenements formerly John Seman and the lands and tenements of John Penebrok, in length between the road and the abbot's park).</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Dalynghton, John Copyn, Simon Longe, Alan Lonsforde, Laurence Chyvoler, Peter Porter, William Golenge; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A crowned W; a masted ship , ... DE BOLOYN</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/15 Ink number: 916 Thorpe page/entry: 96/7</p>
Box 25 Item 917	<p>Conveyance. 29 September 1404.</p> <p>Description: John Seman and Simon Longhe of Battle to Maud Polstede of Battle A tenement called Stillago in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (in breadth between the lands and tenements of JS and the lands and tenements of John Penybrok, in length between the road and the park of the abbot of Battle).</p> <p>Witnesses: John Copyn, Alan Lonsforde, William Waller, William Gerold, Robert ate Lane; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Second seal only: ?ihs</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/7 Ink number: 917 Thorpe page/entry: 94/9</p>
Box 25 Item 918	<p>Conveyance. 12 November 1409.</p> <p>Description: John Swanton of Canterbury, glasier, to John Chaure and his wife Isabel, John Pycard and Robert Redyng All his estate in all the lands and tenements, rents and services within the free burgage of the vill of Battle, formerly William Pesemerssche.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Dalynghton, Laurence Chyvaler, Alan Lonsforde, John Bryd, his son Richard; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/20 Ink number: 918 Thorpe page/entry: 97/5</p>
Box 25 Item 949	<p>Conveyance. 21 July 1402.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Parker of Essex to William Caperoun of Hooe</p>

	<p>A piece of land with a house built upon it, and a garden, in Hooe (E: the road from the court of Hooe to Battle; W: John Borell's land; S: the land of Edredystenement; N: William Pesemerssh's land).</p> <p>Witnesses: Geoffrey Broker, Richard Palmere, William Pesemerssh, John Borell, Gilbert Lytell; at Hooe</p> <p>Notes: A tag too narrow for the slit, with the fragment of a seal in white wax, has been attached to this deed.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/4 Ink number: 949 Thorpe page/entry: 93/9</p>
Box 25 Item 967	<p>Conveyance. 29 October 1402.</p> <p>Description: William Caperon of Hooe to William Pesemerssch of Hooe and his wife Isabel A piece of land with a house built upon it, and a garden, in Hooe (E: the road from the court of Hooe to Battle; W: John Borell's land; S: the land of Edrythystenement; N: WP's land).</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Palmere, John Potard, John Borell, Adam Edryth, John Edryth, Gilbert Lytell; at Hooe</p> <p>Seals: A stag's head surmounted by a cross; IESVS MERCI</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/7 Ink number: 967 Thorpe page/entry: 93/10</p>
Box 25 Item 977	<p>Conveyance. 27 April 1413.</p> <p>Description: Vincent Fynche of Netherfield esq to William Watcumbe of Battle A piece of land in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (E: land of the abbot of Battle called Longereche; W, S: land of John Foxhonte; heading [N]: the Battle-Hastings road), in which and other lands he was lately enfeofed by John Humfrey.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Dalynghton, Laurence Chevalier, William Spaldyng, John Fysshier, John Stapelheith; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Two objects within a heart-shaped rope border.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/1 Ink number: 977 Thorpe page/entry: 92/10</p>
Box 25 Item 979	<p>Conveyance. 25 February 1408.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Dalynghton and his wife Margery, of Battle, to William Crowchere and his wife Alice A messuage and adjoining garden in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (S: Stephen and Margery's own messuage; N: the messuage of William and Alice; E: road; W: land called Quarreye) Paying 6 pence quitrent to the chief lord.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Dymmok, John Okle, Roger Fytchet, John Stapelide, Richard Batelot; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A six-pointed star with I at the centre; tag formed from a draft.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/16 Ink number: 979 Thorpe page/entry: 96/8</p>
Box 25 Item 988	<p>Conveyance. 26 January 1405.</p>

	<p>Description: Bartholomew Marle of Winchelsea and his wife Alice to Walter Seman of Winchelsea and his wife Gillian</p> <p>A piece of land in the 18th quarter of Winchelsea, in the parish of St Thomas (E: William Scharp's plot; S: John Elys's plot; W: road; N: plot of BM), in which BM and AM were lately enfeoffed by Robert Scharp of Hastings</p> <p>Alice examined before the mayor and jurats of Winchelsea in the manner of a fine in the king's court, and the common seal of Winchelsea attached.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Helde mayor of Winchelsea, Robert Fyschelake bailiff of Winchelsea, John Salerne, Thomas Thondyrr, Robert Geffray, John Barbour, Robert Holdenn, Adam Bocher, William Tebbe; at Winchelsea</p> <p>Endorsed: Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/8 Ink number: 988 Thorpe page/entry: 95/9</p>
Box 25 Item 995	<p>Quitclaim. 24 April 1406.</p> <p>Description: Richard Donnyng, son of Stephen Donnyng of Battle, to William Crowchere and his wife Alice, of Battle</p> <p>His right in a messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the messuages of John Felder and Stephen Dalyngton), which belonged to SD.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Dymmok, William Smyth, John Okle, Roger Fytchet, Robert Cokshette; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A diagonal scroll.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/13 Ink number: 995 Thorpe page/entry: 95/11</p>
Box 25 Item 1010	<p>Quitclaim. 29 April 1409.</p> <p>Description: Master John Crane, rector of Hawkhurst, and his brother Nicholas Crane, to John Tammeworth of Battle</p> <p>Their right in a messuage called Stonehall, in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (S: the messuage late John Ceman; N: the messuage of John Penbroke the elder).</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Dalyngton, Peter Porter, John Copin, Alan Lonceford, John Kyngesmill; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Two seals on a single tag: six-pointed star with I at the centre and other letters round the edge; MR monogram.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/18 Ink number: 1010 Pencil number: 19 Thorpe page/entry: 97/1</p>
Box 25 Item 1025	<p>Lease for 7 years from 29 December 1408 at £1. 29 December 1408.</p> <p>Description: John Swanton of Canterbury, glasier, to Peter ... of Battle</p> <p>A tenement, cellar and garden by the marketplace in Battle</p> <p>Power of distraint for non-payment after 15 days; JS to repair.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edmund Herne, John Broun, Thomas Mullyng, John Marache, Thomas Sale; at Canterbury</p> <p>Seals: MR monogram.</p> <p>Notes: At least three words missing following the name "Peter"; the top right-hand corner of the</p>

	<p>deed has been eaten by mice.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/17 Ink number: 1025 Pencil number: 34 Thorpe page/entry: 96/6</p>
Box 25 Item 1034	<p>Commission of assize (letters patent). 17 October 1427.</p> <p>Description: The crown to John Juyn and William Paston To hear an assize of novel disseisin between Thomas [de Ludlow], abbot of Battle, and Gervaise Alard and others, concerning a tenement in Guestling Attestation: Prestwyk. Seals: Remains of seal. Endorsed: ... W Preston, sheriff ... the issues are worth 30 shillings a year.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/10 Ink number: 1034 Pencil number: 43 Thorpe page/entry: 103/9</p>
Box 25 Item 1049	<p>Letters of attorney. 22 December 1404.</p> <p>Description: Helen Ceman of Battle, widow of John Ceman, to Simon Longe of Battle To deliver seisin of a field in the borough of Middleborough, Battle, to Robert Cartestrete, William Cordelay and John Parrok, in accordance with 20 December 1404 conveyance. Notes: The deed has been trimmed after the endorsement of approximately 1800. Related materials: For 20 December 1404 conveyance to RC, WC, and JP, see Box 26, Item 1405.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/10 Ink number: 1049 Thorpe page/entry: 94/10</p>
Box 25 Item 2003	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Marley. Approximately 1480.</p> <p>Description: Admission of William Parker on the recent grant by the lord Two fields containing 13 acres called Chauncez Paying the old farm of 7 shillings as a quitrent, 1s 8d for a heriot after every alienation and death, and 1s 8d for a fine, and suit of court, for all the other services, as it was granted to him in the time of Thomas Kyngeswell, late treasurer, and as appears by the new rental; he gave fine as appears in the court roll, had seisin and did fealty.</p> <p>Steward: John Bokelond.</p> <p>Endorsed: Parker. Notes: No ink number on dorse; number assigned.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/ Ink number: 2003 (Note: numbers 2000-2005 were added in 1993 to six deeds which lacked ink numbers)</p>
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Box 26 Item 1313	Conveyance. 20 November 1401.

	<p>Description: James Bole and his wife Alice, of Battle, to John Ceman and his wife Helen, and to Simon Longe, of Battle</p> <p>A messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the land and tenement of Stephen Sharsshell and the land of the abbot and convent of Battle), in which James and Alice were lately enfeoffed by John atte Parke and his wife Maud.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Sharsshell, Stephen Dalyngton, John Copin, John Pennbrok, William Spaldynge; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/5 Ink number: 1313 Thorpe page/entry: 93/4</p>
Box 26 Item 1343	<p>Conveyance. 25 April 1410.</p> <p>Description: John Tameworthe of Winchelsea to Thomas Vowglesle of Salehurst</p> <p>The tenement called Stillago in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (in breadth between the land and tenement formerly John Seman and the land and tenement of John Penybroke the elder; in length between the road and the park of the abbot of Battle), which JT lately purchased from TV and John Menaunt of Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Dalyngton, John Copyn, Alan Lonsforde, Simon Longe, Laurence Chyvoler, Peter Porter, William Golenge; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A merchant's mark.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/19 Ink number: 1343 Thorpe page/entry: 97/8</p>
Box 26 Item 1360	<p>Conveyance. 12 March 1402.</p> <p>Description: John Swanton of Battle, glazier, to William Pesmersch of Hooe</p> <p>The tenement in Battle (N, S: WP's tenement; E: the marketplace; W: the park of the abbot and convent of Battle), in which he was lately enfeoffed by WP.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Sarcell, Stephen Dalyngton, Alan Lunsforth, Richard Dymmoke, Thomas Okherst of Battle; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/5 Ink number: 1360 Thorpe page/entry: 94/3</p>
Box 26 Item 1385	<p>Conveyance and quitclaim. 20 April 1406.</p> <p>Description: William Cordelay of Framfield to Robert Rolfe of Battle</p> <p>A field in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (alongside the road to Donningford, and heading onto the lane to the windmill at one end, and the land late John Berkynge at the other).</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Dalyngton, Alan Lonceford, John Penbroke, William Waller, Stephen Kyver; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A crowned W.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/13 Ink number: 1385 Thorpe page/entry: 95/10</p>
Box 26 Item 1387	<p>Counterpart conveyance. 1 May 1420.</p> <p>Seals: Seal a monogram.</p> <p>Related materials: For conveyance, see Box 27, Item 1321.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/14 Ink number: 1387 Thorpe page/entry: 96/5</p>
Box 26 Item 1396	<p>Conveyance. 23 June 1400.</p> <p>Description: Maud Polstede of Battle to John Semon of Battle and Simon Longe of Battle A tenement called Styllago in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (in breadth between the land and tenement of John Semon and the land and tenement of John Penbrok; in length between the road and the park of the abbot of Battle).</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Scharshulle, Stephen Dalynnton, Laurence Chevaler, John Copyn, Alan atte Mulle, Robert Tame, John Penbrok; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: The house of Thomas Yong, weaver; Stillago.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/3 Ink number: 1396 Thorpe page/entry: 93/1</p>
Box 26 Item 1397	<p>Conveyance. 6 September 1406.</p> <p>Description: Maud Polstede of Battle to Thomas Vowglesle of Salehurst and John Menaunt of Battle A tenement called Styllago in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (in breadth between the land and tenement formerly John Semon and the land and tenement of John Penbrok; in length between the road and the park of the abbot of Battle).</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Dalynnton, Laurence Chyvaler, John Copyn, Alan Lunsforde, William Waller, John Penbrok; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A masted ship; S' IOH.. OLOGN..</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/12 Ink number: 1397 Thorpe page/entry: 95/12</p>
Box 26 Item 1405	<p>Conveyance. 20 December 1404.</p> <p>Description: Helen Ceman of Battle, widow of John Ceman, to Robert Cartestrete, William Cordelay and John Parrok A field in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (alongside the road to Donningford, heading onto a lane leading to the windmill at one end, and to land formerly John Berkyng at the other) Clerk's name in turnup: Huchon'.</p> <p>Witnesses: Alan Lonsford, Thomas Kyngesmelle, William Waller, William Garold, John Felder, carpenter; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A squirrel in a tree; IORM ... OTIS</p> <p>Related materials: For related 22 December 1404 letters of attorney, see Box 25, Item 1049.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/11 Ink number: 1405 Thorpe page/entry: 94/10</p>
Box 26 Item 1407	<p>Conveyance. 15 November 1411.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Foglesle of Battle to John Duchman and his wife Joan A tenement called Stillago in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (in breadth between the tenement of Robert Fayreman and the messuage which belonged to John Penybrok the elder; in length between the road and the park of the abbot of Battle).</p>

	<p>Witnesses: John Copyn, Peter Porter, Stephen Dalynghton, Thomas Kynggesmell, Simon Longe; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A crowned W.</p> <p>Endorsed: The house of John Joynour (N: Robert Fayreman; S: John Penbroke), called Stillago.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/21 Ink number: 1407 Thorpe page/entry: 97/13</p>
Box 26 Item 1422	<p>Quitclaim by widow. 3 February 1404.</p> <p>Description: Maud ate Park, widow of John ate Park of Salehurst, to James Bole of Battle. Her right in the messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the land of Stephen Sharselle and the land of the abbot of Battle), which JB purchased from her and her husband.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Dalynghton, John HwYTE, John Penebrok, William Spaldyng, William Lad; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/7 Ink number: 1422 Thorpe page/entry: 94/12</p>
Box 26 Item 1425	<p>Conveyance. 28 June 1400.</p> <p>Description: Peter Cartere of Alkham in Kent to Peter Baldewyn and his wife Benedicta of Battle, and to Peter's heirs All the lands and tenements in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (N: William Smyth's land; S: the lane by the Spitele Gardyn; in length W: road; E: land of the almoner of Battle), which PC inherited on the death of his brother Walter Cartere.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Sharsell, William Smyth, John Fisscher, Stephen Love, John Selyndyne, John Stapillide, Richard Bertelot; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A W with palm-leaves</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/2 Ink number: 1425 Thorpe page/entry: 92/11</p>
Box 26 Item 1477	<p>Bond in £3 3s 4d. 12 November 1409.</p> <p>Description: John Chaure of Hooe to John Swanton of Canterbury, glazier To pay the sum at Hooe on 11 May 1410.</p> <p>Seals: A crowned W.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/20 Ink number: 1477 Thorpe page/entry: 97/6</p>
Box 26 Item 1484	<p>Counterpart lease for 60 years from 29 September 1412 at 8 shillings. 20 September 1412.</p> <p>Description: William [Marsh], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to Alan Kynton of Winchelsea A plot of land with all the buildings upon it in Winchelsea St Thomas (E: tenement late John Salerne; S: tenement formerly Robert Londenays; W: road; N: Thomas Pydell's plot) AK to pay the services and charges owed by whatever right; AK to repair and thereafter maintain the hall, the solars at its north and south ends, and a kitchen; power of distraint for non-payment of rent, with power of re-entry after a year and 15 days, or if distraint be withheld.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tounstall mayor of Winchelsea, Roger atte Gate, John Wartone, Simon Martyn, John Portour, bowyer</p>

	<p>Seals: Sealed in the chapterhouse at Battle; given at Winchelsea.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V50/23 Ink number: 1484 Thorpe page/entry: 98/2</p>
Volume 51	<p>Records remaining in volume 51.</p> <p>Description: Volume containing early deeds, mostly dismantled; contents in Box 27, but three deeds remain in the volume.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9894</p>
Volume 51 Item 651	<p>Counterpart lease for 10 years from 2 February 1415 at 12 shillings. 2 February 1415.</p> <p>Description: Brother John Wallere, sacrist of Battle, to John Rucke of Alciston All the lands in Alciston which belong to the office of sacrist JR to pay any other charges which may incumber the land; power of distraint on all JR's land for non-payment of rent; at Battle.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/1 Ink number: 651 Thorpe page/entry: 99/8</p>
Volume 51 Item 905	<p>Conveyance to feoffees and quitclaim. 28 May 1421.</p> <p>Description: Richard Rakle, Thomas atte Wode and John Frenssh to Geoffrey Lander, Adam Ywode, William Fynch, Thomas Knolles, John Alman, William Alard and Henry Bertyn A piece of land called Wellondes in Westham (E: the Westham-Hailsham road; W: Richard Coupere's land; S: land called Lytebyte).</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Baker, John Alard, Richard Burgeys, Henry Nortoune, William Carstrete; at Westham</p> <p>Endorsed: Land in Westham, Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/21 Ink number: 905 Thorpe page/entry: 102/1</p>
Volume 51 Item 1315	<p>Conveyance by surviving feoffees. 4 December 1420.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Rok, dean of Battle, Adam Ywode, John Burton, William Quynteyn and Roger Martyn to John Thamworth the elder and Richard Ryshton All the lands and tenements, rents and services called Feldereslond in Battle, in which they, with John Cordeley, lately rector of Braham, were enfeofed by John Foxhunte of Canterbury.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Downe, Richard Bartheloth, John Okle, Thomas Natele, Thomas Spaldyng; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: M</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/17 Ink number: 1315 Thorpe page/entry: 101/7</p>
Box 27	Records removed from volume 51
Box 27 Item 652	<p>Counterpart conditional conveyance to secure payments. 17 April 1419.</p> <p>Description: John Lowe esq, master Thomas Roc [dean of Battle], William Bery and Thomas</p>

	<p>Vestynden to William Harmere of Etchingham A toft with two crofts adjoining it, at The Herst in Etchingham, which they lately purchased from WH To be void if WH fail in the annual payment of £2 13s 4d rent reserved in a 20-year lease of lands and tenements in Salehurst made to him by JL, TR, WB and TV. Witnesses: Robert Brabon, Robert Carstrete, William Halle, John Tiersershe, John Clerk Seals: Fragment of a single seal. Endorsed: Harmer. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/12 Ink number: 652 Thorpe page/entry: 100/5</p>
Box 27 Item 882	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 7 April 1414. Description: William Pilchere of Herstmonceux to Thomas Seytleger, Adam Ywode, John Burton and Geoffrey Boweton The fourth part of an acre at Herstmonceux (W: the Cowbeech-Boreham road; N: a way from Rye Crouche to Onyngham; E: WP's land). Witnesses: Thomas atte Berghe, Thomas Pulle, Thomas Gyldelegge, Robert Motte, John Skipper; at Herstmonceux Seals: Only a fragment of the seal remains; 'W' has been written on the turn-up by a former hand. Endorsed: Concerning the granary at Lyme Crouche. Related materials: For the grant in free alms to William Merssh, see Box 27, Item 883; for counterpart, see Box 27, Item 1332. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/2 Ink number: 882 Pencil number: 11 Thorpe page/entry: 99/4</p>
Box 27 Item 883	<p>Grant in free alms. 9 April 1414. Description: Thomas Seytleger, Adam Ywode, John Burton and Geoffrey Boweton to William Merssh, abbot of Battle, and the convent The fourth part of an acre at Herstmonceux (W: the Cowbeech-Boreham road; N: a way from Rye Crouche to Onyngham; E: William Pilcher's land), in which they were enfeoffed by William Pilcher. Witnesses: Thomas atte Berghe, Thomas Gyldelegge, Robert Motte, Thomas Pulle, John Skipper; at Herstmonceux Seals: Branches of trees: SIGILL' IOHANNIS ..WOD'; a maple leaf charged with a Y; a monk praying to a standing figure; a four-leaved flower Related materials: For the conveyance to William Pilcher, see Box 27, Item 882. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/4 Ink number: 883 Thorpe page/entry: 99/6</p>
Box 27 Item 915	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 13 May 1419. Description: John Frenshe of Winchelsea to Richard Rakkele of Willingdon and John Forest the elder of Westham 1 All the lands and tenements in which he was lately enfeoffed in fee simple by John Wymark of Sandwich and his wife Joan 2 All the lands and tenements, rents and services which JF lately inherited on the death</p>

	<p>of his mother Agnes.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Bakar, Richard Burgeys, John Mershar the elder, Roger Sherfold, William Carstrete; at Westham</p> <p>Seals: A bell flanked by moon and sun: S' IOHAN' DE...</p> <p>Endorsed: Godfrey's chantry, Hankham.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/12 Ink number: 915 Thorpe page/entry: 101/1</p>
Box 27 Item 1188	<p>Settlement. 16 March 1422.</p> <p>Description: John Lowe of Battle esq to Thomas Roc, clerk [dean of Battle], Hamo Offynton, clerk, Adam Iwode, Richard Ryxton, John Tampworthe the elder, Gilbert Germain, Roger Martyn, Thomas Vestynden and Thomas Gerveys</p> <p>Lands and tenements in the borough of Iridge in Salehurst, in which, with Thomas Rok, Thomas Vestynden and William Bery (who released to him on 9 February 1422 [see Box 27, Item 1354]), he was enfeoffed by William Harmere</p> <p>On condition that they regrant to JL and his wife Margaret and to the longer liver for life without impeachment of waste, and after their deaths sell for the best price, and spend the money, by the view of the abbot of Battle for the time being, on the new works in the cloister; if the cloister be fully built before the lands are sold, then the money to be spent on the fabric of the nave in the abbey church.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Cartstrete, William de Halle, William Braban, William atte Red, Thomas Frend, William Donne, Peter Porter, Thomas Kyngesmeil, John Duchman, John Copyn; at Salehurst</p> <p>Seals: lhs; tag formed from a quitclaim relating to the same transaction.</p> <p>Endorsed: Tenement of Harmer.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/19 Ink number: 1188 Thorpe page/entry: 102/5</p>
Box 27 Item 1321	<p>Conveyance. 1 May 1420.</p> <p>Description: Richard Londenays of Brede, son of Robert Londenays formerly of Winchelsea, to John Gyles of Winchelsea, miller</p> <p>A plot of land with the site of a mill, in Winchelsea St Giles (E: land of the heirs of John Pulham; S: road; N: Simon Martyn's land; W: road)</p> <p>Paying 4s 4d annually to Richard; RL may distrain for non-payment, and re-enter after a year and 15 days.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Thundir the younger, mayor of Winchelsea, Roger atte Gate, John Tamworht, William Alard, Roger Dawe; at Winchelsea</p> <p>Seals: A stag's head.</p> <p>Endorsed: A mill in Winchelsea, belongs to Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Box 26, Item 1387.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/15 Ink number: 1321 Thorpe page/entry: 101/4</p>
Box 27 Item 1322	<p>Conveyance. 6 November 1415.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Reynold of Winchelsea and his wife Joan to John Coket of Winchelsea and his wife Alice</p> <p>A messuage in Winchelsea St Thomas (E: road; S: a plot formerly Benedict Cely; W: a</p>

	<p>plot belonging to the heirs of John Bunghelsherte; N: William Sharp's plot) Joan Reynold examined before the mayor of Winchelsea by way of a fine in the king's court; she has procured the common seal of the town to be attached.</p> <p>Witnesses: Roger atte Gate mayor of Winchelsea, John atte Doune, William Whytyng, Alexander Benle, Thomas atte Noke; at Winchelsea</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/ Ink number: 1322 Thorpe page/entry: 100/1</p>
Box 27 Item 1329	<p>Conveyance by feoffees. 1 April 1420.</p> <p>Description: Richard Rakkele of Willingdon and John Forest the elder of Westham to John French of Westham and his wife Isabel, and to John's heirs All the lands and tenements in which they were lately enfeoffed by John French of Winchelsea [on 13 May 1419, see Box 27, Item 915].</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Hendy, Richard Bourgeys, John Mersshe the elder, William Alman, Richard Donnygh, Laurence Salman, Thomas atte Wode; at Westham</p> <p>Seals: Seals on a single tag: a wheatsheaf; I</p> <p>Endorsed: Godfrey's chantry; Hankham.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/16 Ink number: 1329 Thorpe page/entry: 101/3</p>
Box 27 Item 1332	<p>Counterpart conveyance. 7 August 1416.</p> <p>Description: Counterpart of conveyance from William Pilchere of Herstmonceux to Thomas Seytleger, Adam Ywode, John Burton and Geoffrey Boweton as Box 27, Item 882, but dated 7 August 1416 and sealed with the seal of Adam Iwood.</p> <p>Seals: A maple leaf charged with a Y.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/8 Ink number: 1332 Thorpe page/entry: 99/5</p>
Box 27 Item 1342	<p>Quitclaim. 24 May 1419.</p> <p>Description: William Joynour of Southwark, butcher, and his wife Agnes, daughter and heir of John Wodeman of Whatlington and his wife Joan, to Richard de Beche of Battle and his wife Agnes Their right in a piece of land of 36 acres called Waletteslond in Battle (W: land called The Assh; E: land of the abbot of Battle; S: RB's land; N: along the Netherfield-Battle road), which ought to descend to Agnes by her mother's death At Battle.</p> <p>Seals: Second seal only: an engrailled cross.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/14 Ink number: 1342 Pencil number: 4 Thorpe page/entry: 101/2</p>
Box 27 Item 1354	<p>Quitclaim by feoffees. 9 February 1422.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Rok, Thomas Vestynden and William Bery to John Lowe of Battle, esq Their right in lands and tenements in the borough of Iridge in Salehurst in which, with JL, they were enfeoffed by Thomas Harmere.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: William Doune, Peter Porter, Thomas Kyngesmele, John Duchman, John Copyn</p> <p>Seals: First two seals only: a pelican in her piety; a fleur de lys.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/20 Ink number: 1354 Thorpe page/entry: 102/6</p>
Box 27 Item 1357	<p>Conveyance. 3 April 1418.</p> <p>Description: William Watcombe of Battle to Thomas Hobil of Battle A piece of land in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (E: land of the abbot of Battle called Longereche; W, S: John Foxhonte's land; heading [N] onto the Battle-Hastings road).</p> <p>Witnesses: Peter Porter, William Golenge, John Stapelide, Richard Bartelot, John Okle; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A crowned H; tag formed from a conveyance of three fields called Bodegrave, Longf... and Brok..ygh, by ... Gardener and Thomas V.. to William ..ngton</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/10 Ink number: 1357 Thorpe page/entry: 100/2</p>
Box 27 Item 1388	<p>Conveyance. 2 December 1420.</p> <p>Description: Richard Rakkele of Willingdon, Thomas atte Wode of Hailsham and John Frenssh of Westham to Alice Morefot</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 All the lands and tenements called Penkehurst, Sunte and the tenement formerly Henry Man, in Westham 2 Five pieces of land called The Seelond, Estlondes, Stokwelle, Brembylfeld and Cotelond, in Westham 3 A piece of land of 5 acres, in Manxey. <p>Witnesses: William Sleyhond, John Merssher, Henry Nortowne, James Alman, William Carstrete; at Westham</p> <p>Seals: Seals, two on the first tag: illegible monogram; ?two fishes; illegible.</p> <p>Endorsed: Godfrey's chantry, Hankham.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/18 Ink number: 1388 Thorpe page/entry: 101/6</p>
Box 27 Item 1419	<p>Conveyance. 4 February 1420.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Brembell of Battle to Thomas Nateley of Battle All his lands and tenements, rents and services in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, which he inherited on the death of his father, John Brembell.</p> <p>Witnesses: William atte Doune, John Stapelith, John Whytberde, Peter Porter, William Reve, Thomas Kyngesmele, Richard Stapelith; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Lamb and flag.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/14 Ink number: 1419 Thorpe page/entry: 101/8</p>
Box 27 Item 1454	<p>Quitclaim to feoffees. 2 May 1415.</p> <p>Description: William Warbulton, lord of Warbleton, to Richard Rakle, Thomas atte Wode, John Frenssh the elder and John Forest the elder His right in all the lands and tenements, rents and services at Hankham in Westham, late John Penkherst, and in a rent of 13s 6d, called forrent, issuing from them</p>

	<p>At Westham.</p> <p>Seals: Armorial lozengy [or and azure]; Sigillum Willelmi de Warbelton.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/5 Ink number: 1454 Thorpe page/entry: 99/10</p>
Box 27 Item 1494	<p>Letters of attorney. 19 May 1421.</p> <p>Description: William Morfote of Winchelsea to John French of Westham To deliver seisin of all the lands and tenements, rents and services which WM and his wife Alice, widow of John French of Winchelsea, have within the liberty of Pevensey, according to a charter in fee simple lately made to Richard Rakkele of Willingdon, Thomas atte Wode of Hailsham, William Skyll and Alexander Beneley of Winchelsea. Sealed with the seal of the mayoralty Winchelsea, because WM's seal is unknown to many; at Winchelsea.</p> <p>Seals: Two seal on one tag: illegible; three leopards passant gardant dimidiated with the hulks of ships, [SI]GILLVM . MAIORATVS . DE . W...</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V51/21 Ink number: 1494 Pencil number: 3600 Thorpe page/entry: 102/2</p>
Volume 52	<p>Records remaining in volume 52.</p> <p>Description: Volume containing early deeds, mostly dismantled; contents in Boxes 28-30, but 12 deeds remain in the volume</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9895</p>
Volume 52 Item 910	<p>Copy conveyance of 31 October 1470. Approximately 1490.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Fychet of Battle to William Staple smith, John Gaderman of Hastings, John Gyles and Richard Tovy All his lands and tenements in Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Staple yeoman, John Horden, Thomas Staple dyer, William a Bery, John Elpherd; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/66 Ink number: 910 Pencil number: 49 Thorpe page/entry: 118/7</p>
Volume 52 Item 914	<p>Conveyance by feoffee. 25 November 1431.</p> <p>Description: John Betenersshe of Ticehurst to John Roser of Beckley His share of all the lands and messuages with meadows and free woods (17 acres in Ticehurst and Etchingham) in which he, with Thomas Gybbe, was lately enfeofed by Guy Byrchet and Richard atte Wode [on 10 May 1428].</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Echyngnam kt, William Shooswelle, John Harlessay, John Oxenbregge, Thomas Graylyng; at Ticehurst</p> <p>Related materials: For 10 May 1428 conveyance from GB and RW, see Box 30, Item 1398.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/16 Ink number: 914</p>

Thorpe page/entry: 105/6	
Volume 52 Item 1316	<p>Conveyance by feoffee. 4 April 1433.</p> <p>Description: John Thamworth the elder to William Arnold and Thomas Gerveys The lands and tenements, rents and services called Feldereslond in Battle in which JT, with Richard Ryshton deceased, was enfeoffed by Thomas Rok dean of Battle, Adam Ywode, John Burton, William Quynnteyn and Roger Martyn.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Natele, John Penbroke, Richard Bridde, Richard Bartheloth, William Bery; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: O</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/1 Ink number: 1316 Pencil number: 12 Thorpe page/entry: 106/1</p>
Volume 52 Item 1384	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 15 February 1435.</p> <p>Description: John Thamworth the elder to Thomas Echyngnam kt, Richard Wakeherst, Adam Ywode, Roger atte Gate, John Parker, Thomas Carpenter and Thomas Gerveys All his lands and tenements, rents and services called Feldereslond otherwise Foxhundeslond, and a piece of land by Longreche, late Thomas Hobil, in Battle</p> <p>Witnesses: William Arnold, Richard Bartheloth, Thomas Natelegh, Thomas Spaldyng, John Penbroke; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: R</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/33 Ink number: 1384 Pencil number: 23 Thorpe page/entry: 108/4</p>
Volume 52 Item 1400	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 20 September 1443.</p> <p>Description: Alice widow of Thomas Natelegh of Battle to Thomas Broun of Battle, William Heneworth of Arlington, John Turnour of Mayfield and John Feld of Mayfield The tenement called Brembllys with the tenants, rents and services, in Battle, in all 12 acres, consisting of: 1 The messuage and two gardens lie together in the borough of Sandlake (in length S: the garden of Isabel Fox called Perygardyn, and the land of William Fynch formerly Robert Humfray; N: the road called Parkstrete; W: Thomas Stapelede's land) 2 Three pieces of land lie together in the borough of Sandlake (in length S: John Downe's land called Capenore; N: Parkstrete; W: John Elfrede's land called Stephynlond; E: land of Robert Hogge, late John Okle) 3 All her lands and tenements, rents and services in the borough of Middleborough (between the land and tenement formerly William Spaldyng and the land and tenement of Robert Fayrman, and in length between the road and the land of the almoner of Battle), late TN and Isabel Breteyne.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Eyr, Thomas Hokstepe, John Melle, William Stapelede tanner, William Stapelede smith; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/45 Ink number: 1400 Pencil number: 30 Thorpe page/entry: 110/8</p>

<p>Volume 52 Item 1401</p>	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 10 April 1455.</p> <p>Description: John Roos to John Bokelond, John Draper, Robert Nuton, John Upton, Richard Love and Vincent atte Well</p> <p>His messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (S: tenement of William Staplegh, tanner; N: tenement late Alice a Lane; stretching from the street to the garden of William Staplegh, tanner, which adjoins the land of the sacrist of Battle).</p> <p>Witnesses: John Baker, John Kyngeswell, John Miller, John Fyssher, William Staplegh, smith; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/56 Ink number: 1401 Pencil number: 40 Thorpe page/entry: 113/4</p>
<p>Volume 52 Item 1468</p>	<p>Articles of agreement to maintain litigation and to convey. 15 November 1458.</p> <p>Description: John Gloucestre, clerk of the pipe in the exchequer, with Thomas Hyngesworth, citizen and woodmonger of London, cousin and lineal heir of Nicholas Hyngesworth, citizen and pewterer of London</p> <p>Messuages, lands and tenements in Fleet Street in the parishes of St Bride in the suburbs of London and St Martin by Ludgate, formerly NH, which TH claims by inheritance</p> <p>In consideration of the release of a debt he owes to JG, TH covenants to sue for the recovery of the property as the counsel of JG shall advise, and at his expense, and to convey to him once the property is recovered in the form that his counsel shall dictate; whereupon TG covenants to make an estate to TH and his wife Joan and the longer liver of one of the messuages, in St Martin's parish, worth £2 6s 8d a year; recites bond in £200 of even date, TH to JG, to protect covenants.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/65 Ink number: 1468 Pencil number: 48 Thorpe page/entry: 114/6</p>
<p>Volume 52 Item 1604</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 15 years from 29 September 1457 at £3 13s 4d. 29 September 1457.</p> <p>Description: [Richard Dartmouth], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to Thomas Grenewey of Clenche in Wiltshire, husbandman</p> <p>The manor of Clenche near Wyke, with all its rents, farms, meadows ..., reserving the heriots and reliefs of the tenants and the free warren and all that belongs to it, together with ...</p> <p>the rent payable at the abbot's manor of Broomham; the abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent after 15 days, and re-enter after one month, or should the tenant forfeit [his belongings] in any way to the king; TG to maintain the new barn and one other building, and pay all ordinary and extraordinary charges; not to assign or underlease without licence; TG may only fell wood for housebote and haybote by the assignment of the abbot and convent's [surveyor] or his deputy; he must accommodate and feed three famuli of the abbot and convent, for one day and one night twice a year, and take them to the abbot and convent's manor of Brightwalton; declares that the bond of TG, John W..ston of Wotton Ryvere husbandman, John Upton of Milcote husbandman and Nicholas Rede of Wyke husbandman to the abbot and convent in £13 6s 8d, 16 May 1457, is to support the covenants in this lease.</p> <p>Given in the chapterhouse of Battle.</p> <p>Notes: The ink number is duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	<p>Original volume/page: V52/61 Ink number: 1604 Pencil number: 46 Thorpe page/entry: 113/11</p>
Volume 52 Item 1613	<p>Counterpart lease for 80 years from 25 April 1455 at 3 shillings. 24 April 1455.</p> <p>Description: Richard [Dartmouth], abbot of Battle, to John Pudlond of Icklesham, tanner A piece of land called Morewell (7½ acres) in Icklesham (E: John Oxenbregge; S: John Danyell; W: Rachellyslond; N: a water called The Ree) Rent to be paid to the office of the almoner; power of distraint reserved after 15 days' non-payment and of re-entry after three months' non-payment; given at the chapterhouse, Battle.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/52 Ink number: 1613 Pencil number: 36 Thorpe page/entry: 112/8</p>
Volume 52 Item 1631	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 24 June 1451 at £10. 20 June 1451.</p> <p>Description: Richard [Dartmouth], abbot of Battle, to William Smyth of Great Sampford, [Essex] The rectory of Sampford with the lands, rents and tithes with [the value of] the dead stock (£4 4s 2½d), reserving to the abbot the tithes, rents and land of Hempstead with all the wood and underwood, and the small oaks and ashes growing in the rectory land The rent payable at the abbot's inn at Southwark; WS to maintain all roofs, houses and buildings and the banks, hedges and enclosures, both in rammyng and plastering (damage by sudden storms excepted), with a penalty of 6s 8d for non-performance; WS to store all the crops in the rectory barns, and to use all the manure on the land; he may take sufficient wood to repair carts, ploughs and waggons; WS not to assign or underlease without licence; WS to pay all ordinary and extraordinary charges, except tenths to the king the value of which, should they be charged, may be allowed from the rent; the abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent after 15 days, and re-enter after one month, or should the tenant forfeit [his belongings] in any way to the king; WS must accommodate and feed the surveyor of Battle, with two servants and three horses, for two nights and two days twice a year; in the last year of the term WS not to sow more than 40 acres, which he may then occupy until the end of harvest, paying the abbot and convent accordingly; if the abbot happens to grant a general livery, WS shall have a groom's gown (roba de secta valectorum) during the term; declares that the bond of WS to the abbot and convent in £20, 18 June 1451, is to support the covenants in this lease.</p> <p>Given at the chapterhouse at Battle.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/53 Ink number: 1631 Pencil number: 37 Thorpe page/entry: 112/9</p>
Volume 52 Item 1648	<p>Copy notarial instrument of Robert Dunnyng, clerk of the diocese of Bath and Wells, embodying the sentence of Henry [Chicheley], archbishop of Canterbury, relating to a tithe cause moved between the abbot and convent of Battle and Vincent Finch of Battle. 13 December 1429.</p> <p>Description: Recites the cause in the archbishop's court of audience before Mr Thomas Brouns, LLD, concerning the non-payment of the tithes of sheaves of corn from a field called Symondesfeld, belonging to VF's manor of Netherfield; the libel of the the abbot and convent, stating that in August 1427 VF impeded the collection of the great tithes in Netherfield in the parish of Battle, which belong to the abbot and convent, (which became a matter of notoriety in</p>

	<p>the diocese of Chichester and province of Canterbury), and seeking VF's excommunication and costs; letters of Thomas Brouns to VF, declaring his wrongdoing to be manifest and requiring his appearance; [VF's submission before Brouns, 29 October 1429, see below]; that it appeared from the depositions that VF impeded the collection of seven stacks of wheat, each of ten sheaves, in a cart with four oxen and a horse.</p> <p>The sentence orders the excommunication of VF, and orders the payment of £5 expenses by VF to the abbot and convent by 2 February 1430; VF to do penance at Battle parish church, his head and feet bare, going round the churchyard in front of the procession, and to offer a wax candle of 3 pounds weight on the high altar together with the value of the tithes, and leave the cart, oxen and horse or their value at the entry to the churchyard for the the abbot and convent; the curate to publish the details of the case to the people in English (<i>in vulgari</i>).</p> <p>Given at the manor of Lambeth.</p> <p>At the foot: record of the personal appearance and submission of VF before Thomas Brouns at St Paul's, in the presence of Reynold Kentwode dean of St Paul's, John Snel archdeacon of London, William Hoper LLD and Robert Dunnyng, chaplain and notary public, 29 October 1429. Endorsed: Endorsements indicating re-use as wrapping for patents of Godfrey's chantry of Edward 6 and Elizabeth; approximately 1680.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/9 Ink number: 1648 Pencil number: 7 Thorpe page/entry: 105/3</p>
Volume 52 Item 2005	<p>Copy letters of Thomas [Ludlow], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to [Thomas Polton], bishop of Chichester, or his vicar general, nominating his monk brother Stephen Feveresham his proctor in the bishop's visitation, according to the composition made between Battle and Chichester; given in the chapterhouse of Battle. 4 August 1423.</p> <p>Notes: No ink number on dorse; number assigned.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/1 Ink number: 2005 (Numbers 2000-2005 were added in 1993 to six deeds which lacked ink numbers) Pencil number: 1 Thorpe page/entry: 103/4</p>
Box 28	Records removed from volume 52
Box 28 Item 686	<p>Quitclaim by heir. 21 May 1433.</p> <p>Description: John Frensch of Winchelsea, son and heir of John Frensch late of Winchelsea and formerly of Pevensey and his wife Alice, daughter and heir of John Bacon, to William Morfot of Winchelsea</p> <p>His reversion of all the lands and tenements, rents and services in the liberty of Pevensey, formerly JB, which ought to descend to JF on the deaths of his parents JF examined in the open court of Winchelsea before the mayor, bailiff and jurats, whose seal is affixed, by way of levying a fine (<i>nomine finis levati</i>).</p> <p>Witnesses: John Godfrey then mayor of Winchelsea, William Pope bailiff of Winchelsea, Thomas Thundir, John More, Goddard Pulham</p> <p>Seals: Three slits for seals; the one remaining shows a monogram.</p> <p>Endorsed: Godfrey's chantry.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/15 Ink number: 686 Pencil number: 10 Thorpe page/entry: 106/3</p>
Box 28 Item 726	<p>Quitclaim by widow. 8 January 1431.</p> <p>Description: Katherine Brembell widow of Thomas Brembell of Battle to Thomas Nateley of Battle</p> <p>Her right, by virtue of dower or any other reason, in all the lands and tenements, rents and services in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, in which TN was enfeoffed by TB.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Gerveys, Thomas Spaldyng, John Penbroke, Richard Bartheloth', William Stapelith; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Seal showing the crucifixion; AVE MARIA</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/13 Ink number: 726 Thorpe page/entry: 105/7</p>
Box 28 Item 869	<p>Conveyance. 5 April 1428.</p> <p>Description: Henry Midherst and William Tebbe of Winchelsea to John Godefrey of Winchelsea and his wife Joan, and to John's heirs</p> <p>All the tenement which belonged to John Bongilschirte and his wife Goding, in Winchelsea St Thomas (E: Simon Fletcher's messuage, formerly John Coket; S: WT's messuage; W: road; N: Isabel Ellis's messuage)</p> <p>Witnesses: William Worthe then mayor of Winchelsea, William Catton bailiff of Winchelsea, Roger at Gate, Thomas Thondir, Goddard Pulham, John Porter, William Alard; at Winchelsea</p> <p>Seals: Slits for two seals; the second remains, showing an eagle displayed.</p> <p>Endorsed: Charter of a tenement in The Butchery belonging to Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/5 Ink number: 869 Thorpe page/entry: 104/2</p>
Box 28 Item 911	<p>Conveyance. 12 January 1433.</p> <p>Description: John Ducheman to Richard Boorder of Catsfield</p> <p>All his tenement in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, which was formerly in two messuages (between the messuage and garden of Robert Fayrman and the messuage and garden of Richard Page, and abutting the Lesser Park)</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Gerveys, John Penbroke, John Mille, Robert Fayrman, William Gateman; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Seal showing a crowned R.</p> <p>Endorsed: The house of Yong the weaver of Mountjoy.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/17 Ink number: 911 Pencil number: 14 Thorpe page/entry: 106/6</p>
Box 28 Item 913	<p>Conveyance. 5 April 1425.</p> <p>Description: Goding Bongylschert of Winchelsea to Henry Medehirst and William Tebbe of Winchelsea</p> <p>Her messuage in Winchelsea St Thomas (E: Simon Flecher's messuage, formerly John</p>

	<p>Koket; S: WT's messuage; W: road; N: Isabel Elys's messuage).</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Thondir the younger, mayor of Winchelsea, William Catton, bailiff of Winchelsea, William Ponte, Richard Spycer, Robert Sybbe, Robert Bocher, Thomas Mone; at Winchelsea</p> <p>Seals: Seal showing a praying figure surmounted by a head of Christ; tag formed from the draft of a will.</p> <p>Endorsed: In The Butchery, Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/1 Ink number: 913 Thorpe page/entry: 104/1</p>
Box 28 Item 925	<p>Conveyance. 11 September 1446.</p> <p>Description: John Eston and his wife Alice to Thomas Yonge of Battle, weaver All their tenement in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, which was formerly in two messuages (between the messuage and garden late Robert Fayrman and the messuage of Richard Page; heading E: The Lesser Park; W: road)</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Love, John Mille draper, Richard Page, Nicholas Okherst, Vincent atte Welle; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A crowned R and a P with palm leaves; tags formed from a bond, Gerard Spayn, rector of ..., to Thomas ...</p> <p>Endorsed: The houses of Thomas Yong, weaver.</p> <p>Notes: The ink number is duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/50 Ink number: 925 Pencil number: 33 Thorpe page/entry: 111/6</p>
Box 28 Item 926	<p>Conveyance. 1 May 1427.</p> <p>Description: John Rukke of Alciston to Richard Stapelith of Battle and his wife Edith, and to Richard's heirs A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (W: the sacrist's land; E: RS's land; in length N: Richard Donne's land; S: road)</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Gerveys, Richard Bartheloth, John Stapelith, Richard Bournier, Richard Smyth; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Seal showing a squirrel; * L'ORDRE NOTIS [?].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/3 Ink number: 926 Pencil number: 2 Thorpe page/entry: 104/4</p>
Box 28 Item 928	<p>Conveyance. 20 February 1439.</p> <p>Description: William Pakwode of Battle and his wife Alice to Thomas Fychet of Battle A garden in Battle (S: messuage and garden of John Bregger; N: messuage and garden of Roger Fichet; W: land of William Stapelyde, tanner)</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Bartheloth, William Stapelyde tanner, John Bregger, Nicholas Whiteberde, John Elfreede</p> <p>Seals: Seals on a single tage; a cross pattern, + S' NOVU... ; illegible letter.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/40 Ink number: 928</p>

Thorpe page/entry: 109/6	
Box 28 Item 934	<p>Conveyance subject to rentcharge. 22 October 1434.</p> <p>Description: John Hyll clerk and John Downe to William Werthe and his wife Isabel A piece of land with a building on it in Winchelsea St Thomas, (E: land of WW and IW; S: land of the rectory of St Thomas; W: the road and the land of Thomas Grevt, formerly John Walsch; N: Thomas Grevt's land, and John Gater's land) Paying 5 shillings annually to JH and JD with powers of distraint and re-entry for non-payment, notwithstanding this charter and livery of seisin. Witnesses: William Fynch then mayor of Winchelsea, Roger at Gate, Thomas Grevt, John Gater, John Pynwell; at Winchelsea Seals: Seals showing merchants' marks; tags formed from a deed mentioning Thomas Taylour and Margery. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/29 Ink number: 934 Pencil number: 21 Thorpe page/entry: 107/4</p>
Box 28 Item 950	<p>Conveyance. 18 October 1432.</p> <p>Description: William Cooke and his wife Joan, daughter and co-heir of John Northyn, to Stephen att Feld of Guestling Ten acres wood and heath, lying together in various pieces in Guestling (W: watercourse from Maxfield to Doleham Bridge; N: land called Conyfound; E: street from Seyriscrouch to Lidham; S: land called Barlesse, which Thomas Lydham holds of the almoner of Battle, and to the almoner's land). Witnesses: Thomas Stonlynke, Robert Arnold, John Sudyngton, Robert Gyles, Thomas Lydham of Guestling; at Guestling Seals: W in a heart and a crowned W. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/17 Ink number: 950 Pencil number: 13 Thorpe page/entry: 105/8</p>
Box 28 Item 966	<p>Conveyance. 30 September 1438.</p> <p>Description: Richard Bordere of Battle to John Eston of Catsfield and his wife Alice and to John's heirs His tenement with buildings upon it, formerly in two messuages, in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (between the messuage and garden of Robert Fayrman and the messuage of Richard Page; heading E: The Lesser Park; W: the road). Witnesses: George Eyr, John atte Melle, Richard Love, John Hobill, John Frend; at Battle Seals: Seal showing St Laurence with gridiron. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/38 Ink number: 966 Thorpe page/entry: 109/2</p>
Box 28 Item 971	<p>Conveyance by feoffees. 10 August 1430.</p> <p>Description: Thomas at Wode, Richard Burgois, Henry Baker and William Almon to Alice Morefote, widow of John Frensche the younger, for life, remainder to their son and heir John Frensche 1 A messuage called Byngelyes in the vill of Westham (E: Richard Dunnyng's messuage;</p>

	<p>S: William Slyhand's land; W: Alice Forest's land; N: Westham Street) 2 A piece of land called Gulyas in Westham (E: John Gardiner the elder's land; S,W: Alice Forest's land; N: Alice Forest's land, AM's land)</p> <p>Witnesses: John Alard bailiff of Pevensey, Thomas at Lever, John Portour, John Merscher the elder, John Forest, William Foxhill, John Carpenter; at Westham</p> <p>Seals: Seals showing an R with palms; a fleur de lys; an M; ?a head with the legend ...TRA...</p> <p>Endorsed: Land in Westham belonging to Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/11 Ink number: 971 Thorpe page/entry: 105/5</p>
Box 28 Item 976	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 26 February 1434.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Hobil of Robertsbridge [in Salehurst] to John Thamworth the elder, Adam Ywode, William Arnold and Daniel Aleyn A piece of land in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (E: the abbot's land called Longreche; W, S: land late John Foxhunte; heading onto the Battle-Hastings road).</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Bartheloth, Richard Curteys, Richard Smyth, Stephen Parker, Richard Bourner; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Seal showing a bird sitting on a crescent.</p> <p>Related materials: For 10 February 1435 quitclaim by feoffees, see Box 29, Item 1057.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/23 Ink number: 976 Pencil number: 17 Thorpe page/entry: 107/6</p>
Box 28 Item 978	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 2 July 1446.</p> <p>Description: William Morfot of Winchelsea to John Godfrey of Winchelsea, John Tamworth of Hastings and Thomas Grevt of Winchelsea All his lands and tenements, rents and services in the liberties of Winchelsea and Pevensey.</p> <p>Witnesses: Goddard Pulham, mayor of Winchelsea, Thomas Thundyr the elder, William Alard, Thomas Sylton, Thomas Thundir the younger, all jurats of Winchelsea, Richard Porter, Giles Asshemunston of Pevensey; at Winchelsea</p> <p>Seals: Seal of a merchant's mark.</p> <p>Endorsed: Relates to Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/46 Ink number: 978 Pencil number: 31 Thorpe page/entry: 111/4</p>
Box 29	Records removed from volume 52 (continued)
Box 29 Item 980	<p>Conveyance to new feoffees. 11 September 1446.</p> <p>Description: John Godfrey of Winchelsea, John Tamworth of Hastings and Thomas Grevt of Winchelsea to Edmund Myller, John Mychelgrove, Bartholomew Bolney [and Thomas Grevet <i>deleted</i>] All the lands and tenements, rents and services in the liberty of Pevensey in which, with other lands and tenements, rents and services, they were enfeoffed by William Morfot late of Winchelsea [Box 28, Item 978].</p>

	<p>Witnesses: William Hampton bailiff of Pevensey, Ralph Schosewell, Richard Porter, Thomas att Lever, William Telyng, William Foxhull, John Forest; at Hankham [in Westham]</p> <p>Seals: Seals showing merchants' marks.</p> <p>Endorsed: Hankham, belonging to Godfrey's chantry</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/48 Ink number: 980 Pencil number: 32 Thorpe page/entry: 111/5</p>
Box 29 Item 991	<p>Power of attorney. 4 July 1435.</p> <p>Description: John Pesemersche of Sussex esq to Adam Iwode, William Ingram of Hooe, John Lucas, Richard Fynche of Battle, William atte Croche and Richard Shirlok of Hooe To receive seisin from John Chawry and John Palmer of lands and tenements, rents and services in Sussex, in which they were enfeofed by JP.</p> <p>Seals: Fragment of armorial seal.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/29 Ink number: 991 Thorpe page/entry: 107/9</p>
Box 29 Item 996	<p>Quitclaim by heir. 12 April 1430.</p> <p>Description: Richard Dunnyng, son and heir of Stephen Dunnyng deceased, to John Bregger and his wife Alice His right in a tenement, curtilage and adjoining garden in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, which belonged to SD (N: tenement late John Felther; S: William Downe's land; W: Richard Stapelith's croft)</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Bartheloth, John Okle, Richard Smyth, William Stapelith, Roger Fichet; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Seal showing an M with a border of palms; tag formed from grant by Laurence de Dalynghton.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/11 Ink number: 996 Pencil number: 8 Thorpe page/entry: 105/4</p>
Box 29 Item 1017	<p>Quitclaim by feoffees. 20 July 1443.</p> <p>Description: Richard Alman of Westham and John Loth of Pevensey to William Morefot of Westham Their right in land at Hankham in Westham (S: Westham-Hailsham road; W: Peelings-Rickney road [both in Westham], and the land of William Fonell; N: WM's land called Besselfeld; E: land called Heghlond), which WM lately purchased from Joan Love widow of Alexander Love.</p> <p>Seals: Seals showing a clover leaf and a W.</p> <p>Endorsed: Hankham, belonging to Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/42 Ink number: 1017 Pencil number: 28 Thorpe page/entry: 110/7</p>
Box 29 Item 1018	<p>Release by feoffee. 21 February 1455.</p>

	<p>Description: John Buklond of Battle to John Durdant Messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the land of William Staplegh, tanner, and the messuage of JD, formerly Alice Alane, and stretching from the road to the land of the sacrist of Battle called The Quarry), in which he was lately enfeofed by JD.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Staplegh tanner, William Staplegh smith, John Miller, Richard a Nassh, Thomas Staplegh butcher; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Seal showing a bird; tag formed from a deed of land bounding E,S: ..oklane; W: Stoklond.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/58 Ink number: 1018 Pencil number: 43 Thorpe page/entry: 113/9</p>
Box 29 Item 1029	<p>Conveyance by feoffee. 10 March 1459.</p> <p>Description: Bartholomew Bolne to John Morle and Richard Leghe All the lands and tenements, rents and services in Westham, Hailsham and Manxey which formerly belonged to William Morfott of Winchelsea.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas at Lever, William Telyng, William at Stone, John Cook, Thomas Mabele; at Westham</p> <p>Seals: Fragment of armorial two estoiles in chief over a crescent.</p> <p>Endorsed: Hankham, Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Related materials: For warrant of attorney, see Box 29, Item 1030.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/63 Ink number: 1029 Pencil number: 38 Thorpe page/entry: 114/9</p>
Box 29 Item 1030	<p>Warrant of attorney. 10 March 1459.</p> <p>Description: Bartholomew Bolne to John Rodes To deliver seisin to John Morle and Richard Legh according to conveyance (Box 29, Item 1029).</p> <p>Seals: Seal as Box 29, Item 1029.</p> <p>Endorsed: Hankham, Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/63 Ink number: 1030 Pencil number: 39 Thorpe page/entry: 114/10</p>
Box 29 Item 1042	<p>Deed declaring the conditions of a conveyance. 11 November 1455.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Smyth and his feoffees William Staplegh of Battle, smith and Stephen Adam of Crowhurst, with William Fayrman and his wife Alice A messuage and adjoining garden in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (W: messuage late TS; E: land of the almoner of Battle; N: Seintmaricroft; S: the road to Hastings) Recites: conveyance by WS and SA to WF and AF, 10 November 1455; to be void if WF and AF fail to pay TS £2 in annual instalments of 6s 8d.</p> <p>Seals: The fragment of one seal remains; the tag formed from the draft of a quitclaim to John Jakelyng otherwise ...</p> <p>Related materials: ?Counterpart deed (Box 30, Item 1591).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/60</p>

	<p>Ink number: 1042 Pencil number: 45 Thorpe page/entry: 113/7</p>
Box 29 Item 1043	<p>Conveyance to new feoffees. 20 March 1459.</p> <p>Description: John Morle and Richard Leghe to Bartholomew Bolne, Henry Hall, Robert Oxenbregge, Simon Farnecombe, Thomas Thunder, Thomas Bayen, Thomas Onsty, Henry Fisshere, Thomas Marthame, William Allard of Westham and William Jamys of Eastbourne All the lands and tenements, rents and services in Westham, Hailsham and Manxey, which belonged to William Morfott of Winchelsea.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas at Lever, William Telyng, William at Stone, John Cook, Thomas Mabele; at Westham</p> <p>Seals: A winged lion, S' M[arcus]; a crowned l.</p> <p>Endorsed: Hankham, Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/64 Ink number: 1043 Pencil number: 43 Thorpe page/entry: 114/11</p>
Box 29 Item 1057	<p>Quitclaim by feoffees. 10 February 1435.</p> <p>Description: Adam Ywode, William Arnold and Daniel Aleyn, feoffees of Thomas Hobil, to John Thamworth the elder Their right in a piece of land by Longreche in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, in which they, [with JT], were lately enfeoffed by TH.</p> <p>Seals: Seals two and three remain: a shield ?with the instruments of the passion; a W.</p> <p>Related materials: For 26 February 1434 conveyance to feoffees by Thomas Hobil, see Box 28, Item 976.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/31 Ink number: 1057 Pencil number: 22 Thorpe page/entry: 108/2</p>
Box 29 Item 1308	<p>Conveyance by feoffee. 24 January 1433.</p> <p>Description: William Gateman of Battle to William Stapelyth of Battle, tanner, and his wife Joan, and to William's heirs 1 A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (W: land of the sacrist of Battle; E: the new dwellinghouse of WS's father Richard Stapelyth, which formerly belonged to Thomas Gylderegge; in length N: Richard Downe's land; S: road) 2 The reversion of the new dwellinghouse above on the death of Richard Stapelyth and his wife Edith, who are tenants for life under WG's grant.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Downe, Thomas Natleghe, Thomas Gervays, Richard Bertelot, Richard Smyth; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A crowned W.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/19 Ink number: 1308 Pencil number: 15 Unidentified numbers: 7 Thorpe page/entry: 107/1</p>
Box 29	Quitclaim. 7 March 1434.

<p>Item 1323</p>	<p>Description: Thomas Natele of Battle to William atte Downe of Battle His claim to a piece of land in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (S: the messuages of Richard Stapelith and William Stapelith tanner; W: the land which William Stapelith tanner holds of the sacrist of Battle; N: John Bregger's garden; E: road).</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Curteys, Richard Bartheloth, Richard Bournier, John Bregger, William Hogge; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Seal showing ?a bird.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/23 Ink number: 1323 Pencil number: 18 Thorpe page/entry: 107/7</p>
<p>Box 29 Item 1334</p>	<p>Conveyance. 20 June 1443.</p> <p>Description: Alice Lyndrigge of Winchelsea to John Godfrey of Winchelsea A cottage in Winchelsea St Thomas, (E: land late William Werthe, land of Thomas Corlyng and land of Simon Fletcher; S: JG's land; W: road; N: Hugh Couper's land).</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon Sylton mayor of Winchelsea, William Pope bailiff of Winchelsea, William Tebbe, Geoffrey Williamson, Robert Sybbe</p> <p>Seals: Seal showing a rose.</p> <p>Endorsed: Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/42 Ink number: 1334 Pencil number: 27 Thorpe page/entry: 110/6</p>
<p>Box 29 Item 1344</p>	<p>Conveyance. 1 April 1452.</p> <p>Description: William Stapley of Battle, tanner, to John Miller Two messuages lying together in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (S: WS's lands and tenements; W: the land of the sacrist of Battle called The Quarry; N: Thomas Fychet's garden; E: road), which formerly belonged to John Brygger of Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Stapley smith, Peter Lawe, Thomas Stapley butcher, John Horden, Richard Miller; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Seal showing a cross.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/54 Ink number: 1344 Pencil number: 38 Unidentified numbers: 46 Thorpe page/entry: 112/11</p>
<p>Box 29 Item 1351</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 3 years from 24 June 1434 at £50. 12 April 1435.</p> <p>Description: William [Waller], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to John Lacy of Exning [in Suffolk]</p> <p>The rectory of Exning with all its lands, tithes, obventions, rents and services, with the live and dead stock listed in a schedule [see below]</p> <p>The rent payable at the abbot's inn at Southwark, or elsewhere in London at his election; JL to maintain the fences, and roofing and daubing of all the buildings, [except for damage by sudden storms inserted], and at the end of the term deliver up the stock or its value, at the election of the abbot and convent; JL must store all the crops in the rectory barns, and use all the manure on the land, and discharge all ordinary and extraordinary charges; JL must admit and support the steward of Battle, or any other person the the abbot and convent chose to send, with two</p>

	<p>servants and three horses, for two nights and a day twice a year; declares that the bond of JL and John Gladwyn to the abbot and convent in £66 13s 4d, 9 July 1435 [recte 1434], is to support the covenants in this lease.</p> <p>Inventory of stock passed to JL on the day of the lease: 4 horses (£4), 1 gander, 2 unmated geese (mariol'), 4 capons, 2 carts bound with iron with all their gear (£2 13s 4d), 2 ploughs with all their gear (4s 0d), 2 harrows (8d), 2 cart-ropes (8d), 1 fork (2d), 2 short tables, 1 table, 3 forms and 2 pairs of trestles (3s 0d), 2 mouldingboards and 1 dresser (12d), 1 basin with a jug (12d), 1 chair (12d), 1 banker (4d), 2 leads (13s 4d), 1 brass pot of 4 gallons (4s 0d), 1 pitcher (1s 6d), 1 tub (12d), 2 riddles (6d), 1 fork for hay (6d) with 1 shovell, a ladder (12d), 3 rakes (12d), 2 cooking vessels (12d), an iron vat (4d), 1 knife (1d), a bushel bound with iron (18d)</p> <p>7 acres sown with wheat, 10 acres with mixtur', 10 acres 20 perches with vegetables, 33 acres with dredge, 3 acres with peas; 1 trough for salting meat, 1 chest, 1 old drenxele.</p> <p>Seals: Seal showing a heart surmounted by a cross.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/35 Ink number: 1351 Pencil number: 24, 25 Thorpe page/entry: 107/8</p>
Box 29 Item 1362	<p>Conveyance. 9 April 1440.</p> <p>Description: John Eston and his wife Alice, of Battle, to Thomas Yonge of Battle, weaver The moiety of a tenement, formerly in two messuages, in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, (next to Richard Page's messuage and abutting the Lesser Park), in which they were enfeoffed by Richard Bourder of Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Mille, Richard Love, Simon Martyn, William Yonge, John Pechard; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: St Lawrence; a crowned R.</p> <p>Notes: The ink number is duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/42 Ink number: 1362 Thorpe page/entry: 109/7</p>
Box 29 Item 1392	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 21 January 1440.</p> <p>Description: Joan Bery, widow of William Bery of Battle, to Thomas Rok rector of Brame, and Thomas Yong of Battle A messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (S: John Fysscher's messuage; N: John Pessemersche's messuage; in length E: road; W: the meadow of the almoner of Battle)</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Northlong, John Cresy, Richard Bowle, John Jacman, Robert Fayrman; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A crowned T</p> <p>Endorsed: the messuage on the south side of Luke Pylcher's messuage.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/40 Ink number: 1392 Pencil number: 26 Thorpe page/entry: 109/11</p>
Box 30	Records removed from volume 52 (continued)

<p>Box 30 Item 641</p>	<p>Copy of court roll of the hallmoot of Barnhorn [in Bexhill]. 5 March 1451.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Simon Eston on the surrender of Henry Jane and his wife Denise and Parnell, wife of John a Neston</p> <p>A tenement and 30 acres called Grenelond, late Richard Grene, in Barnhorn</p> <p>No heriot as appears in the roll; fine 5 shillings only because the tenement is ruinous - he has until the next court to repair it; fealty.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/51 Ink number: 641 Pencil number: 34 Thorpe page/entry: 112/10</p>
<p>Box 30 Item 1398</p>	<p>Conveyance by surviving feoffees. 10 May 1428.</p> <p>Description: Guy Birchet of Ticehurst and Richard atte Wode of Mayfield to Thomas Gybbe and John Betenersshe</p> <p>All the lands and messuages, meadows and woods in Etchingham and Ticehurst in which they, with John Beggebery deceased, were enfeofed by Richard Thalo.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Bakere, William Goteshole, John atte Wode, Geoffrey Keneward, Thomas Keneward; at Ticehurst</p> <p>Seals: An R between palms; sacred monogram with illegible legend.</p> <p>Related materials: For 25 November 1431 conveyance from John Betenersshe for his share of the land, see Volume 52, Item 914.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/7 Ink number: 1398 Thorpe page/entry: 104/9</p>
<p>Box 30 Item 1406</p>	<p>Conveyance by feoffees. 17 October 1505.</p> <p>Description: Richard Reygate and John Frensshe to Nicholas Morant, Matthew Hardys and Marmaduke Ode</p> <p>A messuage and garden in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the dwelling late John Fyssher and William Love's tenement, late John Bokelond; stretching from the road to the meadow of the almoner of Battle), in which they were enfeofed by John Bokelond and Stephen Igoldenden</p> <p>Warranty by RR only; at Battle.</p> <p>Seals: A; tag only.</p> <p>Endorsed: The messuage of Luke Pylcher by the messuage of William Frenshe.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/44 Ink number: 1406 Pencil number: 29 Thorpe page/entry: 132/6</p>
<p>Box 30 Item 1408</p>	<p>Release of reversion. 4 March 1438.</p> <p>Description: John Thamworthe the elder to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>The reversion of a 60-year lease of the lands and tenements, rents and services called Foxhundeslondes, and a piece of land by Longhereche formerly Thomas Hobyl, all in Battle, recently granted by JT to them</p> <p>Seals: Armorial 3 objects 2 and 1 separated by a horizontal bar, crest a peacock in its pride, Sigillum Johannis Tamworthe; counterseal of a merchant's mark.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/37</p>

	<p>Ink number: 1408 Thorpe page/entry: 109/3</p>
<p>Box 30 Item 1415</p>	<p>Quitclaim by heir. 3 November 1458.</p> <p>Description: Robert Londenays, son and heir of Richard Londenays formerly of Brede, to Simon Farnecombe of Winchelsea and his wife Maud His estate in a piece of land with the site of a mill built upon it, in Winchelsea St Giles, (E: land of the heirs of John Pulham; S: street; N: Simon Martyn's land; W: road) At Winchelsea. Seals: Armorial 2 stars, bar, 2 stars, bar, one star; * SIGILL... Endorsed: Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/64 Ink number: 1415 Thorpe page/entry: 114/5</p>
<p>Box 30 Item 1417</p>	<p>Reconveyance by surviving feoffees. 30 May 1433.</p> <p>Description: Richard Rakele of Willingdon, Thomas atte Wode of Hailsham and William Skele of Winchelsea to William Morfot of Winchelsea All the lands and tenements, rents and services in Hailsham, Westham and Manxey within the lowey of Pevensey, except three pieces called Selond in Westham (12 acres), Rykenye in Manxey (5 acres) and Brembilfeld in Westham (3 acres), as fully as they, with Alexander Beule now deceased, were enfeoffed by WM and his wife Alice. Witnesses: John Porter bailiff of Pevensey, William Alman, John Alard, Richard Burgeys, John Forest, Thomas atte Levere, John Petchyngh; at Westham Seals: An L between plants; animal with illegible legend; tag only. Endorsed: Hankham, belongs to Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/21 Ink number: 1417 Pencil number: 16 Thorpe page/entry: 106/4</p>
<p>Box 30 Item 1423</p>	<p>Quitclaim by feoffees. 29 July 1455.</p> <p>Description: John Lucas, Richard Fynche of Battle, William Ingram and William atte Crowche of Hooe, all husbandmen, to John Pesemerssh esq. All their right in all the lands and tenements, rents and services in Sussex in which they were enfeoffed by JP's feoffees Robert Redyng of Wartling, Richard Brydde of Battle and John Chawry of Hooe. Seals: Four seals on two tags: a crowned I; a wheatsheaf; R; illegible</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/56 Ink number: 1423 Pencil number: 41 Thorpe page/entry: 113/5</p>
<p>Box 30 Item 1424</p>	<p>Quitclaim by feoffee. 10 April 1434.</p> <p>Description: Robert Potter of Winchelsea to John Godfrey of Winchelsea His right in a plot of land with the site of a mill, and in the mill, in Winchelsea St Giles; (E: land of the heirs of John Pulham; S, W: streets; N: Simon Martyn's land), in which and other lands RP, with John Wyltyng now deceased, was enfeoffed by John Gyles of Winchelsea, miller. Witnesses: William Alard, Roger Dawe, Robert Sybbe, Gervaise Alard, Richard at Grove; at Winchelsea Endorsed: Belongs to Goldfrey's chantry.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/25 Ink number: 1424 Pencil number: 19 Thorpe page/entry: 107/3</p>
Box 30 Item 1428	<p>Conveyance. 9 April 1434.</p> <p>Description: John Gylis of Winchelsea, miller, to John Godfrey of Winchelsea, merchant A plot of land with the site of a mill, in Winchelsea St Giles; (E: land of the heirs of John Pulham; S, W: streets; N: Simon Martyn's land).</p> <p>Witnesses: William Fynch mayor of Winchelsea, William Pope bailiff of Winchelsea, Roger at Gate, William Alard, Simon Martyn; at Winchelsea</p> <p>Seals: A cross.</p> <p>Endorsed: Belongs to Godfrey's chantry.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/27 Ink number: 1428 Pencil number: 20 Thorpe page/entry: 107/2</p>
Box 30 Item 1430	<p>[?Counterpart] conveyance. 14 February 1455.</p> <p>Description: John Dordaunt of Rye to John Buklond A messuage in which JD used to live in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (S: land and tenement of William Stapley; W: land of the sacrist of Battle called The Quarry; N: JD's messuage formerly Alice Lane; E: road) which, with the adjoining messuage, JD purchased from John Myller.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Stapley, John de Myll, Richard Bowley, Peter Lawe, Thomas Stapley; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: JB monogram.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/58 Ink number: 1430 Pencil number: 42 Thorpe page/entry: 113/8</p>
Box 30 Item 1432	<p>Quitclaim. 20 April 1433.</p> <p>Description: George Eyre and his wife Joan of Battle to Richard Bourder of Catsfield Their right in a tenement in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, (between the messuage of Robert Fayrman and the messuage of Richard Page), which RB lately purchased from John Ducheman.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Penbroke, Thomas Natele, Thomas Hokestepe, Robert Fayrman, Richard Page; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Arms of horizontal bar with star above; ?pomegranite; tags formed from deed of Thomas Elynden of Wye in Kent, husbandman, Sep ...H6.</p> <p>Endorsed: The house of Thomas Yong, weaver.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/15 Ink number: 1432 Pencil number: 11 Thorpe page/entry: 106/2</p>
Box 30 Item 1460	<p>Conveyance. 25 March 1451.</p> <p>Description: John Brigger to William Staplegh, tanner All his lands and tenements in Battle.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: William Staplegh smith, John Miller, John Frenssh, Solomon Roote, John a Beche; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: M in a border of palms.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/51 Ink number: 1460 Pencil number: 35 Thorpe page/entry: 112/7</p>
Box 30 Item 1488	<p>Grant and confirmation of an easement. 11 February 1435.</p> <p>Description: John Thamworthe to the abbot and convent of Battle The right to enter Feldereslond to repair the conduit pipe which carries water to the abbey, and to dig and remove stones from their quarry there to construct and repair the monastery, which right they have enjoyed time out of mind At Battle.</p> <p>Endorsed: Grant of the repair of the aqueduct in Foxhunt.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/ Ink number: 1488 Thorpe page/entry: 108/3</p>
Box 30 Item 1492	<p>Lease for 15 years from 29 September 1428 at 2s 6d. 25 August 1428.</p> <p>Description: William Samewell of Hastings, goldsmith, and his wife Joan, to Stephen at Felde of Maxfield [in Guestling] and his wife Agnes A piece of land called Schortforlange otherwise Barlych in Guestling (S: Maxfield land; W: a stream from Maxfield to Doleham Bridge; N: Thomas Stonlyngke's land called Conifounte; E: the Lidham-Winchelsea road) SF and AF to pay the rent of 12d to the chief lords;</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Stonlyngke; at Guestling</p> <p>Seals: A crowned T; blank.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/3 Ink number: 1492 Pencil number: 3 Thorpe page/entry: 104/10</p>
Box 30 Item 1591	<p>Deed declaring the conditions of a conveyance. 11 November 1455.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Smyth and his feoffees William Staplegh of Battle, smith, and Stephen Adam of Crowhurst A messuage with adjoining garden in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (W: messuage late Thomas Smyth; E: land of the almoner of Battle; in length N: from the land called Seintmaricroft; S: the road to Hastings) Recites: conveyance by WS and SA to WF and AF, 10 November 1455; to be void if WF and AF fail to pay TS 40s in annual installments of 6s 8d.</p> <p>Seals: A hart; a squirrel ...ERARAM [?]; tags formed from a quitclaim involving an abbot and convent, 10 .. 3. H[6]</p> <p>Related materials: ?Counterpart of deed (Box 29, Item 1042).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/59 Ink number: 1591 Pencil number: 44 Thorpe page/entry: 113/6</p>

Box 30 Item 1632	<p>Counterpart lease for 20 years from 29 September 1452 at 9 shillings. 29 September 1452.</p> <p>Description: Richard [Dartmouth], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to John Convers of Winchelsea esq The tenement in Winchelsea St Thomas (E: Thomas Thounder's land; S: land of William Longe and JC; W: road; N: Thomas Pedell's land) If JC erect any new houses within the first ten years of the term, the abbot and convent will find sufficient timber and cart it to the tenement, the timber to be felled, squared and trimmed at JC's expense; JC to maintain the roofs, houses and buildings now on the tenement in as good as state as when he received them or better, to maintain any new buildings, and surrender them all at the end of the term. Given in the chapterhouse.</p> <p>Seals: A merchant's mark between plant; tag formed from the draft of a letter to Walter [Lyhert], bishop of Norwich [1446-1472].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/55 Ink number: 1632 Pencil number: 39 Thorpe page/entry: 113/1</p>
Box 30 Item 2004	<p>Reconveyance by feoffee. 1437-1438.</p> <p>Description: William Stapely of Battle ... and ... to John [Bregger] and his wife Joan... Messuage in Battle ... (W: John Bregger formerly John Felder; S: land of the said William [?Stapely], in which WS and ... were lately enfeoffed by John Br[egger].</p> <p>Seals: The instruments of the passion; a crowned P.</p> <p>Notes: The right-hand third of this document is wanting. No ink number on dorse; number assigned; the date could be 6 or 16 H 6 [between 1 September 1427 and 30 August 1428 or between 1437 and 1438], but the latter has been preferred by comparison with a 7 March 1434 quitclaim (Box 29, Item 1323).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V52/5 Ink number: 2004 (Note: numbers 2000-2005 were added in 1993 to six deeds which lacked ink numbers) Thorpe page/entry: 104/8</p>
Volume 53	<p>Records remaining in volume 53.</p> <p>Description: Volume containing early deeds, mostly dismantled; contents in Boxes 31 and 32, but 11 deeds remain in the volume.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9896</p>
Volume 53 Item 880	<p>Conveyance. 2 April 1482.</p> <p>Description: James Pesemerssh, son and heir of John Pesemerssh kt, to John Baret esq All the lands and tenements in the hundred of Battle which he inherited on his father's death, and the reversion of all his father's lands in the hundred held in dower by his mother Joan, after her death.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Love, John a Melle, John Wisshe, John Hay, Nicholas Greneway; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/37 Ink number: 880 Pencil number: 36 Thorpe page/entry: 124/1</p>
Volume 53	<p>Licence to alienate in mortmain (letters patent). 27 November 1478.</p>

Item 1064	<p>Description: The crown to Maline Farnecombe of Winchelsea, widow, to alienate to John Hunte, chaplain of Godfrey's Chantry in the chapel of St Mary in the church of St Thomas, Winchelsea</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1 Four messuages, a mill and 3s 4d rent in St Thomas and St Giles Winchelsea, within the liberty of the Cinque Ports, held in chief2 Two messuages, 175 acres of land and 14 shillings rent in Westham, Horsey, Manxey, Hailsham and Langley [recte Langney], within the liberty of the Cinque Ports, held of others [of the Duchy of Lancaster (see Volume 56, Item 1072 for the licence to alienate)]. <p>Recites: patent licencing MF to found the chantry for one chaplain, saying divine service daily for the good estate of the king and queen and of MF and their souls after death, and for the souls of Simon Farnecombe, MF's late husband, John Godfray and his wife Alice, Simon Godfray and his wife Joan, of all the faithful departed and of any who in future sustain or maintain it; the chaplains to be fit and of legal capacity, have perpetual succession, have the right to sue and be sued in real and personal actions in secular or spiritual courts; they may acquire land of the annual value of £8 3s 4d after outgoings; order for an inquisition ad quod damnum to be returned into Chancery; 27 November 1477; inquisitions before Philip Lewes esq, lieutenant of William [Fitz Alan] earl of Arundel, constable of Dover castle, admiral and warden of the Cinque Ports, valuing the property at £8 3s 4d, [1477].</p> <p>Clerk's name in turn-up: Broun.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/26 Ink number: 1064 Pencil number: 23 Thorpe page/entry: 121/6</p>
Volume 53 Item 1146	<p>Grant of rents for the maintenance of two monks. 21 September 1480.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Hoo esq to John [Newton], abbot of Battle, and the convent</p> <p>To maintain two monks to celebrate daily for the souls of Thomas Hoo kt late Lord Hoo and Hastings and his family, for the good estate of TH and his wife Alice and for their souls after death, for the souls of TH's [late] wife Alice and her parents Walter Urrey and his wife Wilhelmina, to fulfill the last will of Thomas Hoo kt [for which see <i>Sussex Archaeological Collections</i> 8 119], and according to an agreement of even date, TH grants rents amounting to £6 13s 4d from the following property:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1 The manor of Roffey in Horsham and Rusper, with lands and tenements called Malerbys, Hurstlond, Gebelottes and Fosters in Rusper, all of which belonged to Walter Urrey esq2 A messuage and 10 acres called Edwardis in Horsham, purchased from Thomas Hertle and John Cloterwyn3 Lands called Mascotes in Horsham purchased from William Cloterwyn4 Lands called Gawtron in Horsham purchased from John Gawtron5 Ten acres in Horsham purchased from William Waller6 Lands and tenements with groves and a garden (10 acres) in Horsham purchased from James Bonewike7 Three acres in Horsham purchased from John Mighell8 Land and a grove (12 acres) in Horsham purchased from the feoffees of John a Deane9 Seven acres meadow called Turnours and Aylewyns in Horsham purchased from William Waller the elder and William Waller the younger10 Ten acres meadow called Eliottis, 12 acres of land called Cokhuntisgrove, 40 acres of land with a wood, called Hothland, and 5 acres called Segrymes, all at Roffey, purchased from the feoffees and executors of Henry Boteler11 A messuage and garden at Roffey purchased from Robert Stanys12 A messuage and garden called Oldecloterwyns at Roffey purchased from Thomas

	<p>Hertle</p> <p>13 Lands at Roffey purchased from William Lower son of Walter Lower</p> <p>14 Lands and tenements at Roffey purchased from Alice Reyner</p> <p>15 Lands and tenements called Langherst at Roffey purchased from George Brykis</p> <p>16 Six acres land called Redynsmore and Bryncheleismede and the moiety of lands and tenements called Oldepark and Homepark at Roffey</p> <p>17 One hundred acres of land called Coldestaple and 8 acres called Alkesbornefeld at Roffey, the manors of Shopwyke Eagle, Compton [and] Westmarden, land called Croftelond in Boxgrove and Wattislond in Fairlight, all purchased from John [Mowbray], duke of Norfolk, by fine [in 1468, see Sussex Record Society 23 3182]</p> <p>Right of distraint on the property and on TH's manor of Burghunt in Hampshire if the rents are unpaid for 15 days, with the right to take £3 6s 8d in addition by way of penalty.</p> <p>Subscribed by TH.</p> <p>Endorsed: Memorandum that on the delivery of the charter, TH placed the abbot and convent in possession by the livery of 4d; signed by TH, and witnessed by John Bokelond, Richard Bowle, Richard Colman and Thomas Gotle; 21 September 1480.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Original volume/page: V53/33</p> <p>Ink number: 1146</p> <p>Pencil number: 31</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 123/6</p>
Volume 53 Item 1311	<p>Conveyance by surviving feoffee. 10 October 1477.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Marthame of Winchelsea to Maud Farnecombe, widow of Simon Farnecombe of Winchelsea</p> <p>1 All the lands and tenements, rents and services called Hankham in Westham, Hailsham, Manxey and Horsey, which belonged to William Morfott of Winchelsea, in which, with Henry Halle esq, Robert Oxenbrigge esq, Henry Fisshere and others, he was enfeofed by John Morley and Richard Liegh</p> <p>2 A windmill in Winchelsea and two tenements in The Butchery, in which, with Henry Halle esq, Robert Oxenbrigge esq, Henry Fisshere and others, he was enfeofed by MF</p> <p>Richard Feret appointed attorney to deliver seisin.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Basele mayor of Winchelsea, John Cowpyldyke bailiff of Winchelsea, John Godard, William Hampton bailiff of Pevensey, Clement Hyppes, Richard Wyllard, William a Lieghe; at Winchelsea</p> <p>Endorsed: Godfrey's chantry - Hankham.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Original volume/page: V53/23</p> <p>Ink number: 1311</p> <p>Unidentified numbers: 20</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 120/11</p>
Volume 53 Item 1346	<p>Petitions of John Colcell, late sacrist, on his last two accounts, the last ending at 25 December 1462. [1463].</p> <p>Description: Consists entirely of uncollected rents, giving reasons for their non-collection, including the robbery of the collector.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Original volume/page: V53/2</p> <p>Ink number: 1346</p> <p>Pencil number: 2</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 116/3</p>
Volume 53	Conveyance. 21 June 1481.

Item 1479	<p>Description: John Halle of Ticehurst to Robert Crotyn den of Ticehurst A tenement called Stretyn ges in Etchingam and a piece of land (40 acres) called The Daylehell in Ticehurst, held of the manors of Shoyswell and Turzes, which JH and Agnes, wife of Robert Crotyn den, held jointly by the feoffment of John Hykkys.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Honte, John Ryngden, John att Nasche; at Ticehurst</p> <p>Endorsed: S</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/34 Ink number: 1479 Pencil number: 32 Thorpe page/entry: 123/4</p>
Volume 53 Item 1607	<p>Counterpart lease for 6 years from 29 September 1482 at £10 3s 4d. 12 August 1482.</p> <p>Description: John [Newton], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to William Poke The manor of Anstye in Alton, Hampshire, with the rents, profits of court, hundreds, amercements of tenants, waifs and strays, <and the stock specified in the endorsement [see below]>, except woods and underwoods, [?reliefs] and escheats, and certain other liberties granted by royal charters the abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent, and re-enter after two months; WP to pay the wages and fees of the steward of the court of [the manor of] Anstye; WP to maintain all houses and buildings and the hedges and enclosures of the manor, in roofing, walls <and timber>, any new building to be at the expense of the abbot and convent; WS to have sufficient timber for repairs and haybote and ploughbote for the cultivation of the manor; WS must accommodate and feed the receiver of Battle, with his servants and three horses twice a year; WP to store all the crops in the manor barn, and to use all the manure on the land; if the abbot happens to grant a general livery during the term, WP shall have a groom's gown (toga de secta valectorum); WP to live within the manor during the term; lease to be forfeit if WP forfeit [his belongings] in any way to the king for treason, felony or outlawry, or underlease without special licence.</p> <p>Given in the chapterhouse of Battle.</p> <p>Endorsed: Memorandum of the delivery to WP of £4 in various goods as the late farmer William Budde held, to be returned to the abbot and convent at the end of the term.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/36 Ink number: 1607 Pencil number: 35 Thorpe page/entry: 123/5</p>
Volume 53 Item 1616	<p>Surrendered lease for 40 years from 24 June 1468 at 12 pence. 24 June 1468.</p> <p>Description: John [Newton], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to Gervaise Shepard A piece of land of 2 acres called Hothfeld otherwise The Sede at Broad Street in Icklesham the abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent after 15 days, and re-enter after one month; GS to maintain all ditches, hedges and enclosures; GS may not underlease without special licence.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/7 Ink number: 1616 Pencil number: 6 Thorpe page/entry: 117/7B</p>
Volume 53	Counterpart lease for 99 years from 3 May 1471 at 8 shillings. 3 May 1471.

<p>Item 1625</p>	<p>Description: John [Newton], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to Richard Sheperd</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The site of an old watermill by Teltonesbath in Sedlescombe, to rebuild a mill there 2 All the watercourses, streams, ditches, bays, watergangs with the banks and walls belonging to the old mill 3 A piece of land of 1½ acres, late part of the land of Michael de la Ree, which he surrendered into the abbot's hands (E: the Sedlescombe-Hastings road; S: a watercourse; W: bondland held of the abbot and convent by Michael de la Ree; N: land of John Boteherst, and land in his occupation) <p>the abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent after 15 days, and re-enter after one year; RS may clean, build, enlarge, alter, repair and keep all the watercourses, bays, ditches, walls and banks within the precinct of the abbot and convent's manor of Marley, and take earth and clay in the nearest convenient places within the manor, by the delivery and assignment of the abbot and convent, to apply to the banks, bays and slopes; RS may not block up any of the watercourses to the nuisance of the abbot and convent or their farmer of the manor of Marley; RS to have a cartload of firewood annually from Petley Wood, paying for the cutting and cartage; RS may cut the underwood growing on the banks, walls and slopes; warranty excludes tithes.</p> <p>Seals: Sealed in the chapterhouse.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/10 Ink number: 1625 Pencil number: 9 Thorpe page/entry: 119/1B</p>
<p>Volume 53 Item 1628</p>	<p>Surrendered lease as 1625, endorsed: he released the term after his death to the abbot and convent. 3 May 1471.</p> <p>Description: Endorsed, approximately 1800: expired leases granted by sundry abbots of Battle.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/12 Ink number: 1628 Pencil number: 11 Thorpe page/entry: 119/1B</p>
<p>Volume 53 Item 1629</p>	<p>Surrendered lease for 5 years from 29 September 1479 at £26 13s 4d. 12 September 1479.</p> <p>Description: John [Newton], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to Robert Brampton of Brampton gent, <William Vergeons gent>, Robert Wattys otherwise Walters of Aylesham, <and John Barker of Aylesham></p> <p>The rectory of Aylesham called Netherhall with all its tithes</p> <p>the abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent, and re-enter after three months; the abbot and convent to pay all tenths due to the king and repair all the buildings, unless damaged by the lessees or their animals; the farmers to store the tithe corn in the rectory barns during the term and for a year after, and find the communion of the parishioners at Netherhall annually as is the custom; the farmers to pay all the rents and services issuing from the rectory; if the abbot and convent grant a general livery during the term, the farmers are [each] to have a gown, the first being a gentleman's gown (de secta generosorum); the lease to be void if any of the lessees commit felony or treason, forfeit [their property] in any way to the crown, or be outlawed; declares that the bond of the lessees to the abbot and convent in £40, 20 August 1479, is to support the covenants in this lease.</p> <p>Given in the chapterhouse of Battle.</p> <p>Notes: broad slit for a single seal. The two names interlined in the second line of this lease have, by its end, been accommodated into the text; that of John Barker is, however, entered into a gap.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/31 Ink number: 1629 Pencil number: 28 Thorpe page/entry: 122/4</p>
Box 31	Records removed from volume 53
Box 31 Item 659	<p>Conveyance by surviving feoffee. 6 April 1478.</p> <p>Description: Richard Bowle to Thomas Staple, son of William Staple, tanner All the lands and tenements, rents and reversions in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, in which RB (with Stephen Dogreth now deceased, William Staple, smith and William Gateman, who all released to him), was enfeoffed by John Yeldyng of Catsfield, John a Melle of Battle, draper, William Staple, tanner and his wife Joan.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Staple yeoman, William Smyth, Thomas Staple butcher, Richard Tovy, Stephen Benet; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A merchant's mark; seal formed from a deed of Alan a Melle of Battle, husbandman.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/25 Ink number: 659 Pencil number: 22 Thorpe page/entry: 121/4</p>
Box 31 Item 688	<p>Settlement by surviving feoffee. 9 October 1471.</p> <p>Description: John Gyls of Bexhill to Maud, widow of John Worstlysham late of Bexhill, for life without waste, remainder to JW's son Simon Worstlysham in tail, remainder to Parnel and Elizabeth, the daughters of JW's firstborn son John Worstlysham in tail, remainder to Joan Gyls, daughter of John Worstlysham the elder All the lands and tenements, rents and services in Bexhill in which JG, with John Kneller deceased, was enfeoffed by John Worstlysham.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Almon, Thomas Shosmyth, Simon Welhelde, William Acrowche, Simon Hucket; at Bexhill</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/13 Ink number: 688 Pencil number: 12 Thorpe page/entry: 119/4</p>
Box 31 Item 900	<p>Mortgage for £1 10s 0d. 31 January 1482.</p> <p>Description: Margaret Kyngeswell widow to William Cressy Her messuage and adjoining garden in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, (between the messuage of William Longe and the messuage of Adam Faireway) To be repaid at 10 shillings every 29 September for three years.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Longe, Nicholas Grenehill, John Stamford, John Lucas, Richard Loll; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Illegible motif.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/34 Ink number: 900 Pencil number: 33 Thorpe page/entry: 124/2</p>
Box 31 Item 952	<p>Settlement by surviving feoffee. 5 April 1479.</p> <p>Description: John Gyles to Joan Worsham and Parnel Worsham, daughters of Simon Worsham</p>

	<p>deceased</p> <p>All the lands and tenements, rents and services in Bexhill in which JG, with John Kneller deceased, was enfeofed by John Worsham.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon Welhill, Thomas Shoosmythe, William Sayer; at Bexhill</p> <p>Seals: Concentric triangles and fabric impression.</p> <p>Notes: The ink number was previously identified as a duplicate for Item 925.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/27 Ink number: 952 Pencil number: 24 Thorpe page/entry: 122/2</p>
Box 31 Item 992	<p>Quitclaim. 6 April 1470.</p> <p>Description: John Meller to Thomas Staple</p> <p>His estate in a piece of land called Capenore in the borough of Telham in Battle (S: the road from the hospital of Battle to Telham; N: TS's land called Brembles; E: land of the almoner of Battle; W: Richard Bruscombe's land called Ordenwell), in TS's full possession.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Staple, smith, John Horden, Thomas Staple, dyer, Richard Tovy, Richard Colman</p> <p>Seals: A face.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/9 Ink number: 992 Pencil number: 8 Thorpe page/entry: 118/3</p>
Box 31 Item 1019	<p>Contract for dower. 30 June 1480.</p> <p>Description: Dame Jane, widow of John Pesemerssh kt, with his son and heir James Pesemerssh</p> <p>Of all the lands and tenements in Battle which belonged to Sir John, Jane is to hold the following as her dower:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The Fyve Acres and The Middylfeld lying together in Battle (N: Pesemersshlane; S: The Great Park) 2 A piece of land called Domysday, in Battle (adjoining Nestons Barn and the road) 3 A piece of land called Domysday adjoining Hukstepes Barn on the other side of the road 4 A piece of land called Horspettes in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle 5 A piece of land and meadow (7 acres) at Donningford, Battle <p>Jane to pay the rents to the chief lords.</p> <p>Seals: [Blank].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/32 Ink number: 1019 Pencil number: 29 Thorpe page/entry: 123/1</p>
Box 31 Item 1021	<p>Letters of attorney to receive seisin. 11 October 1477.</p> <p>Description: Maud Farnecombe, widow of Simon Farnecombe of Winchelsea, to John Convers of Winchelsea</p> <p>To receive seisin from Thomas Marthame of all the lands and tenements, rents and services called Hankham in Westham, Hailsham, Manxey and Horsye which belonged to William Morfot of Winchelsea, and of a windmill and two tenements in Winchelsea,</p>

	<p>according to Thomas Marthame's charter to her At Winchelsea. Seals: A butterfly. Endorsed: Godfrey's chantry, Hankham</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/21 Ink number: 1021 Pencil number: 19 Unidentified numbers: 30 Thorpe page/entry: 121/1</p>
Box 31 Item 1310	<p>Conveyance. 10 August 1477.</p> <p>Description: Master Richard Mayhew, rector of Winchelsea St Thomas, to Maline Farnecombe of Winchelsea, widow A small piece of land 7 feet 4 inches long and 3 feet 3 inches wide North of the rectory garden in Winchelsea St Thomas Paying RM and his successors 2 pence at Easter. Witnesses: John Copuldyke, Robert Basele, Richard Davy, John Rodys, Richard Feret; at Winchelsea Seals: An angel with a sword. Endorsed: Godfrey's chantry</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/22 Ink number: 1310 Pencil number: 9 Thorpe page/entry: 120/9</p>
Box 31 Item 1312	<p>Conveyance by feoffees. 20 November 1473.</p> <p>Description: Robert a Crowche of Rye, William Staple, smith, and John Meller the elder of Battle, feoffees of John Durdaunt, to Thomas Tovy and his wife Margaret, and to Thomas's heirs A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the messuage late John Rose and the garden late Thomas Fychet, and stretching from the road to the garden of William Staple, tanner, to the W), in which, with other property, they were enfeofed by John Durdaunt. Witnesses: Thomas Staple [dy]er, Richard Tovy, Stephen Benet, John Longe, Richard Colman; at Battle Seals: R; [wanting] (both on one tag); RC; tags formed from deed of William Yeldyng, John Adam, John Kyn[geswell], William Milward, son and heir of John Milward, to ... Staple yeoman, Thomas a Grove ..., Richard Staple, Richard Colm[an] and ... of a tenement called The Tenement ...Forde in the borough of Telham, Battle, in which they, with William ..., John Milward, father of William Milward, were enfeofed by William Staple, tanner.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/17 Ink number: 1312 Pencil number: 17 Unidentified numbers: 11 Thorpe page/entry: 119/9</p>
Box 31 Item 1352	<p>Quitclaim to new feoffees. 17 March 1474.</p> <p>Description: Bartholomew Bolne, Thomas Bayan, William Allard of Westham, Thomas Onsty and William Jamys of Eastbourne to Henry Hall esq, Robert Oxenbregge esq, Henry Fysshere and Thomas Marthame of Winchelsea Their right in all the lands and tenements, rents and services called Hankham in</p>

	<p>Westham, and all their other land in Westham, formerly John Frensshe, late William Morfot</p> <p>At Westham.</p> <p>Seals: Armorial Bolne; head of Christ vir dominum ...tida; W; ?a tree; I within a trefoil and triangle</p> <p>Notes: The ink number is duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/18 Ink number: 1352 Pencil number: ?17 Thorpe page/entry: 120/3 [T confuses the descriptions of 1352 and 1394; they are counterparts]</p>
Box 31 Item 1353	<p>[?Counterpart] quitclaim. 11 April 1474.</p> <p>Description: John Bokelond of Battle to John [Newton], abbot, and the convent of Battle His right in lands and tenements called Barlich otherwise Litolbarliche in Guestling, part of the land of the abbot and convent called Barliche in Guestling.</p> <p>Seals: ?A cross; on tag: John Nuton.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/20 Ink number: 1353 Pencil number: 18 Unidentified numbers: 15 Thorpe page/entry: 119/10</p>
Box 31 Item 1358	<p>Conveyance. 12 May 1462.</p> <p>Description: John Pesemerssh esq to William Ame Messuage with adjoining garden in Battle (between John Fisser's dwelling and John Bokelond's tenement; stretching from the road to the meadow of the almoner of Battle)</p> <p>Witnesses: John Bokelond, Richard Bowley, John Fisser, John Kyngeswell, John a Lye; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A stag sitting behind a fence.</p> <p>Endorsed: The messuage of Luke Pylcher by the messuage of William Frenshe.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/2 Ink number: 1358 Thorpe page/entry: 115/10</p>
Box 32	Records removed from volume 53 (continued)
Box 32 Item 1394	<p>Quitclaim to new feoffees. 17 March 1474.</p> <p>Description: Bartholomew Bolne, Thomas Bayan, William Allard of Westham, Thomas Onsty and William Jamys of Eastbourne to Henry Hall esq, Robert Oxenbregge esq, Henry Fysshere and Thomas Marthame of Winchelsea Their right in all the lands and tenements, rents and services called Hankham in Westham, and all their other land in Westham, formerly John Frensshe, late William Morfot</p> <p>At Westham.</p> <p>Seals: Armorial Bolne; head of Christ vir dominum ...tida; W; ?a tree; I within a trefoil and triangle.</p> <p>Endorsed: Godfrey's chantry; Hankham</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/19 Ink number: 1394</p>

	<p>Thorpe page/entry: 120/4 [Thorpe confuses the descriptions of 1352 and 1394; they are counterparts]</p>
<p>Box 32 Item 1391</p>	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 5 April 1479.</p> <p>Description: Joan Worsham and Parnel Worsham, daughters of Simon Worsham deceased, to John Fenys kt, John Barette esq, Richard Colman, William Lunsford, Richard Olyver, Simon Scotte and John Gyles, to fulfill the last will of John Worsham All their lands and tenements in Bexhill which they had by the demise of John Gyles [Box 31, Item 925].</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon Wellhille, Thomas Shoosmythe, William Sayer, Roger Tyman, William Potwell; at Bexhill</p> <p>Seals: A star; W.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/28 Ink number: 1391 Pencil number: 25 Thorpe page/entry: 122/3</p>
<p>Box 32 Item 1395</p>	<p>Conveyance by surviving feoffees. 8 July 1480.</p> <p>Description: William Staple, smith, and Richard Tovy, to Thomas Staple, yeoman A garden in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (E: road; W: land of Thomas Staple, dyer; S: messuage and garden of William Whyte; N: messuage and garden of Thomas Benynden), in which and other property they, with John Baderman and John Gyles deceased, were enfeoffed by Thomas Fychet.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Westburn of Battle, John Horden, William Whyte; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Fragment; squirrel.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/32 Ink number: 1395 Pencil number: 30 Thorpe page/entry: 123/2</p>
<p>Box 32 Item 1402</p>	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 26 April 1470.</p> <p>Description: William Ame to John Bokelond, John Fyssher, Thomas Eston and Stephen Igolenden Messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the dwelling of JF and a tenement of JB; stretching from the road to the meadow of the almoner of Battle).</p> <p>Witnesses: John Love, John Kyngiswell, Thomas Gotle, John Hore; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A merchant's mark; tag formed from draft court roll.</p> <p>Endorsed: The messuage of Luke Pylcher by the messuage of William Frenshe.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/8 Ink number: 1402 Pencil number: 7 Thorpe page/entry: 118/4</p>
<p>Box 32 Item 1404</p>	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 1 February 1462.</p> <p>Description: John Worsham of Bexhill to John Kneller and John Gyls of Bexhill All his lands and tenements, rents and services in Bexhill.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Baker, Thomas Corveser, Robert Petejon, Richard Motard, Stephen Kyngeswode; at Bexhill</p> <p>Seals: ?R</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/1</p>

	<p>Ink number: 1404 Pencil number: 1 Thorpe page/entry: 116/4</p>
Box 32 Item 1409	<p>Conveyance. 4 June 1471.</p> <p>Description: John Ode of Battle to John Horden A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (N: land formerly William Smyth; S: land of the almoner of Battle called Spetilgardyn; in length W: road; E: land of the almoner of Battle called Sayintmaricroft)</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Staple yeoman, William Staple smith, Robert Hoigge, John Dyne, Robert Coke; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A clover leaf; tag formed from letters of attorney of John Sekyll, feoffee (withnes deceased) of his brother, to ... Bourder, to deliver seisin of a messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, to ...</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/11 Ink number: 1409 Pencil number: 10 Thorpe page/entry: 119/2</p>
Box 32 Item 1433	<p>Conveyance. 1 April 1467.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Fychet and John Draper of Battle to John Grenell A messuage in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (N: land formerly William Smyth; S: land of the almoner of Battle called Spitilgardyn; in length W: road; E: land of the almoner of Battle called Saintmaricroft), in which they were enfeoffed by William Staple tanner and William Staple smith.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Staple yeoman, Robert Hoige, John Horden, Richard Bruscombe, Walter Walet; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Seals on one tag: IHS; W; tag formed from a lease of a piece of land by John Parker.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/6 Ink number: 1433 Pencil number: 5 Thorpe page/entry: 117/4</p>
Box 32 Item 1436	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 13 December 1479.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Draper of Uxbridge (Woxbrugge), Middlesex, yeoman, grandson and heir of John Makelat of Staines, yeoman, deceased, to Thomas [Rotherham] bishop of Lincoln, chancellor of England, John [Morton], bishop of Ely, Humphrey Hawardyn, LLD, Richard Charlton kt, John Nicols groom of the crown, Richard Grotomore gent and his son and heir William Draper All his messuages, lands and tenements, rents, reversions and services in Staines, which descended to him on the death of JM Walter Kynton and William Harrys attorneys to take and deliver seisin. Clerk's name in turn-up: Leget.</p> <p>Seals: A crowned T.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/29 Ink number: 1436 Pencil number: 26 Thorpe page/entry: 122/6</p>
Box 32 Item 1457	<p>Quitclaim by feoffees. 6 April 1472.</p> <p>Description: John a Melle the younger, Thomas Neston and Thomas Bisshop, feoffees of Richard Bruscombe, on the instructions of RB, to Thomas Staple yeoman</p>

	<p>Their estate in two pieces of land called Ordenwell and Busnerismarlyng, lying together in the borough of Telham, Battle (in length S: a lane called Amnerstret; N: land of TS called Brembilisland, and land called Stephynlond; W: land called Pokeholes), in which and other land, with John Boys now deceased, they were enfeoffed by RB on 1 December 1470.</p> <p>Seals: Seal (second tag only): RA.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/15 Ink number: 1457 Pencil number: 14 Thorpe page/entry: 119/5</p>
Box 32 Item 1458	<p>Conveyance. 29 April 1466.</p> <p>Description: John Turnoure of Mayfield to Richard Gybbe and Thomas Relfe of Mayfield 1 A tenement called Fysshersplace in the borough of Sandlake, Battle 2 A messuage, two gardens, three pieces of land and a meadow adjoining the messuage, 13 acres in all, called Bramhels in the borough of Sandlake, Battle in which JT, with John Henward now deceased and John atte Feld who has released to him, were enfeoffed by his mother Alice Turnoure.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Benett, John att Melle, William Staple, Richard Durrant, Thomas Duffeld; at Mayfield</p> <p>Seals: R</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/5 Ink number: 1458 Pencil number: 4 Thorpe page/entry: 116/12</p>
Box 32 Item 1478	<p>Counterpart grant of wardship and marriage. 12 January 1479.</p> <p>Description: John [Newton], abbot of Battle, to Simon Stephen The wardship and marriage of John Petyr, who became the ward of JN on the death of his father Richard Petyr, who held by military service three pieces of land in Whatlington, part of the tenement of The Wode. SS to pay the rents and services due to the office of the sacrist of Battle.</p> <p>Seals: A merchant's mark.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/24 Ink number: 1478 Pencil number: 21 Thorpe page/entry: 122/8</p>
Box 32 Item 1495	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 20 February 1474.</p> <p>Description: Maud, widow of Simon Farnecombe of Winchelsea, to Henry Halle esq, Robert Oxenbrigge esq, Henry Fysshere and Thomas Marthame A windmill and two tenements in The Butchery, Winchelsea, bequeathed to her in the will of SF, 13 December 1473.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Davy mayor of Winchelsea, John Cowpyldyk bailiff of Winchelsea, Robert Basele esq, John Sylton, John Rodys common clerk of Winchelsea; at Winchelsea</p> <p>Seals: A butterfly.</p> <p>Endorsed: Godfrey's chantry - Winchelsea.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/17 Ink number: 1495</p>

	<p>Pencil number: 16 Thorpe page/entry: 120/1</p>
<p>Box 32 Item 1567</p>	<p>Quitclaim. 20 April 1472.</p> <p>Description: Richard Bruscombe to Thomas Staple yeoman His estate in Ordenwell and Busnersmarlyng as 1457 Recites 1457. Witnesses: John Love, John Dougreth, Thomas Staple dyer, John Longe, Stephen Benet; at Battle Seals: ?A shield.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/14 Ink number: 1567 Pencil number: 13 Thorpe page/entry: 119/6</p>
<p>Box 32 Item 1605</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for ten years from 29 September 1474 at £4 13s 4d. 1 March 1474.</p> <p>Description: John [Newton], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to Thomas Carpenter of Ore The manor of Maxfield [in Guestling], except rents and services, suits, heriots and reliefs, all the wood and underwood, and all the buildings inside the moat, with free entry and exit TC to find a horse and servant to bring victuals from Winchelsea, Hastings and Battle whenever the abbot and convent take their recreation at Maxfield, and carriage for firewood, to be cut, bound and carried at TC's expense during their stay, and rushes to spread in the hall and chambers <and straw to make beds> against their stay; TC to carry a tun of wine from Winchelsea or Hastings to the monastery at Battle annually when required; TC to pay the rents and services due from the manor of Maxfield to the court of Hoselond annually; TC may have sufficient firewood, and sufficient wood for husbandry; the abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent after 8 days, and re-enter after 6 weeks; within the first two years of the term, TC to clean and ditch the stream of Maxfield, from the bridge by the site of the manor as far as the common stream at the end of the manor lands; TC to store all the crops in the manor barns, and to use all the manure on the land; TC may not underlease; the abbot and convent to maintain all the buildings, unless damaged by TC; TC to have the chamber beneath the chapel within the moat, and the easement of the kitchen when the convent shall not be in residence; the lease to be void if TC forfeit [his belongings] to the king during the term. Seals: Sealed in the chapterhouse of Battle.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/16 Ink number: 1605 Thorpe page/entry: 120/2</p>
<p>Box 32 Item 1615</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 40 years from 24 June 1468 at 12 pence. 24 June 1468.</p> <p>Description: John [Newton], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to Gervaise Shepard A piece of land of 2 acres called Hothfeld otherwise The Sede at Broad Street in Icklesham the abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent after 15 days, and re-enter after one month; GS to maintain all ditches, hedges and enclosures; GS may not underlease without special licence. Seals: A spread eagle.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V53/7 Ink number: 1615 Thorpe page/entry: 117/7A</p>
<p>Volume 54</p>	<p>Records remaining in volume 54.</p>

	<p>Description: Volume containing early deeds, mostly dismantled; contents in Boxes 33 and 34, but 14 deeds remain in the volume.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9897</p>
Volume 54 Item 666	<p>Letters of presentation. 23 April 1486.</p> <p>Description: John [Newton], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to James [Goldwell], bishop of Norwich.</p> <p>Dominus [replacing magister, <i>deleted</i>] John Bennys, chaplain, presented to the rectory of Braham otherwise Brantham [Brantham in Suffolk], with the chapel of Berkholt [East Bergholt], vacant by the death of John Brown.</p> <p>Reserves an annual pension of £1 6s 8d and accommodation for the abbot for two nights a year.</p> <p>Endorsed: Sampford presentation.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/7 Ink number: 666 Thorpe page/entry: 126/3</p>
Volume 54 Item 723	<p>Counterpart conditional conveyance. 8 August 1488.</p> <p>Description: Robert Crotyn den of Ticehurst to William Roper the elder of Ticehurst A messuage and 38 acres of land in 7 pieces called Str[etynges] in Etchingham (E: land called Burkham; S: the Etchingham [- Ticehurst] road; W: land of the abbot and convent of Bayham, land of John Brikynden; [N: land of the manor of] P[ashley])</p> <p>Of the consideration, £7 6s 8d already paid; WR to pay the remainder in two installments of £3 6s 8d within 8 days of 29 September for the next two years, or the conveyance to be void.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Ryngden, John Brykynden, John Randolph, William Frankewell, William Roper the younger; at Ticehurst</p> <p>Endorsed: F</p> <p>Related materials: For conditional conveyance, see Box 33, Item 907.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/10 Ink number: 723 Thorpe page/entry: 127/3</p>
Volume 54 Item 827	<p>Counterpart lease of wardship land during the minority at £1. 15 November 1502.</p> <p>Description: Richard [Tovy], abbot of Battle, to William Peny Land called Gretecowlond in Whatlington, held in chief by military service by Thomas Hukstepe of Whatlington deceased, whose son and heir Nicholas Hukstepe was seized as the abbot's ward by his servant John Hore</p> <p>WP to pay the rents and charges due from the land, and to maintain the barn built there.</p> <p>Notes: The ink number is duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/27 Ink number: 827 Thorpe page/entry: 122/8</p>
Volume 54 Item 836	<p>Grant. 12 May 1504.</p> <p>Description: William Whyte of The Gardynghous of Battle to his wife Joan Two messuages with a garden in the borough of Sandlake, Battle</p> <p>Witnesses: John Goday, chaplain, William Hollok, porter of the monastery, John Eston, John</p>

	<p>Why3te shoemaker; at Battle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/29 Ink number: 836 Pencil number: 85 Thorpe page/entry: 132/4</p>
Volume 54 Item 906	<p>Conditional conveyance for £2 13s 4d. 6 September 1488.</p> <p>Description: John Lucas to John Bullard A messuage and garden, late Thomas Yong, in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (between the dwelling of Thomas Yong and the tenement late Adam Feirwey, stretching from the road to the park called The Plesschet), in which, with other lands and tenements, he was lately enfeofed by John Mill and John Horden the consideration to be paid in eight annual installments of 6s 8d at Whitsun. Witnesses: John Buklond the elder, William Love, Nicholas Grenehill, John Dogered, John Hay Endorsed: The house of John Joynour called Stillago.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/14 Ink number: 906 Thorpe page/entry: 127/8</p>
Volume 54 Item 1060	<p>Quitclaim. 30 April 1492.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Igolenden of Battle and his son John Igolenden to John Beche and his wife Marion, and to their feoffees Thomas Grove and William Hamond of Birling [in Eastdean or Birling, Kent] Their right in two messuages and gardens in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the tenement of SI and the tenement of John Gotele), in which they were lately enfeofed by Richard Colman, John a Myll and William Love [Box 33, Item 1059].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/16 Ink number: 1060 Thorpe page/entry: 128/7</p>
Volume 54 Item 1319	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 12 May 1491.</p> <p>Description: William Roper the elder of Ticehurst to John Bokelond, Richard Markeham, John Gotle, Edward Morant, Richard Staple and Robert Crotyn den A messuage and 38 acres of land in 7 pieces called Stretyn ges in Etchingham (E: land called Burkeham; S: the Etchingham-Ticehurst road; W: land of the abbot and convent of Bayham, land of John Brekynden; N: land of [the manor of] Pashley).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/15 Ink number: 1319 Thorpe page/entry: 127/6</p>
Volume 54 Item 1355	<p>Confirmation and quitclaim. 20 June 1491.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Staple the elder of Battle to William Whyte His right in a garden in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the tenement of Thomas Bodynden and the tenement of WW), conveyed to WW by TS's feoffee William Staple, smith.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/15 Ink number: 1355</p>

	<p>Pencil number: 47 Thorpe page/entry: 128/4</p>
Volume 54 Item 1435	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 20 February 1488.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Relfe of Mayfield to John Higham, William Levet, John a Melle and Thomas Staple</p> <p>Lands and tenements called The Ostrie and Bremle in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, in which, with Richard Gybbes now deceased, he was enfeoffed by John Turnour late of Hadlow Down in Mayfield (Hadle)</p> <p>Richard Tovy [?the future abbot of Battle] appointed attorney to deliver seisin.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Horden, Thomas a Feld, John Smalewod</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/12 Ink number: 1435 Thorpe page/entry: 127/11</p>
Volume 54 Item 1459	<p>Release of payment of candles. 25 January 1488.</p> <p>Description: William Lonceford of Burwash, gent, lord of the manor of Estbeche, to John [Newton], abbot of Battle, and the convent</p> <p>The annual payment of three candles, one weighing 1 pound and the others ½ a pound each, on 2 February, which WL and his ancestors have received by the hand of the sacrist.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Bokelond, John Gotley, Richard Colman, Edward Morant, John Mondy</p> <p>Endorsed: Release of three candles from Westbeche, purchased by Richard Tovy, sacrist.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/13 Ink number: 1459 Thorpe page/entry: 127/10</p>
Volume 54 Item 1469	<p>Release of payment of a candle. 18 August 1486.</p> <p>Description: John a Beche late of Sedlescombe to the abbot and convent of Battle</p> <p>The annual payment of a candle on 2 February, which JB and his predecessors have received by the hand of the sacrist</p> <p>Endorsed: Release of a small candle.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/6 Ink number: 1469 Thorpe page/entry: 126/5</p>
Volume 54 Item 1627	<p>Counterpart lease for 5 years from 25 March 1496 at £3. 2 April 1496.</p> <p>Description: Richard [Tovy], abbot of Battle, and Robert Key, almoner, to Thomas Stephyn</p> <p>1 A close within the office of the almoner, with the barns and buildings within it which relate to husbandry, and all the lands, meadows, feedings and pastures in Battle belonging to the almonry, with all the live and dead stock listed in the attached schedule [wanting], reserving the lands called Weners and Rudfyn, the rents belonging to the almonry, the wellhouse, the standing for one horse belonging to the almoner in a little stable within the close, and the crop of an acre of meadow in the middle of the meadow called Seynt Marycrofte</p> <p>2 The apples in the great garden of the almonry, with the easement to enter to pick them and to turn waggons there as is the custom</p> <p>The rent payable to the almoner; the abbot and almoner may distrain for non-payment of rent after 15 days, and re-enter after one month; the almoner, at his own expense and with his own seed, to sow a field called Gretedown with oats by 19 April, and deliver it to TS; the almoner may have 16 bushells of the best apples annually; TS to provide carriage to The Lyme [the garner at</p>

	<p>Lime Cross, Herstmonceux] to collect the crops there and return them to the monastery, the carriage of the monies of the brothers assigned to manors (pro munitis confratrum dicti monasterii ad maneria assignatis), taking the customary bread and beer as is the ancient custom, the carriage of firewood cut by the almoner, the carriage of hay from the reserved acre of meadow to the almonry; TS to carry the old straw and the waste from the cloister, as is accustomed; whenever TS can conveniently spare straw the almoner shall have it for 12 pence the waggonload, for lack of which, TS to carry straw from the sacrist's barns to the almonry to repair the buildings there; the almoner to find the table of TS's chief husbandry servant in the almonry daily, as is the custom; TS to surrender the stock or its value, at the abbot and almoner's election at the end of the term, with the 18 acres sown with oats; if TS die within the term, his executor may occupy until the following 29 September only.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/18 Ink number: 1627 Thorpe page/entry: 129/3</p>
Volume 54 Item 1633	<p>Counterpart lease for ten years from 29 September 1484 at £4 13s 4d. 20 September 1484.</p> <p>Description: John [Newton], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to Henry Hall of Ore, esq The manor of Maxfield [in Guestling], except rents and services, suits, heriots and reliefs, all the wood and underwood, and all the buildings inside the moat <and the garden>, with free entry and exit HH to find a horse and servant to bring victuals from Winchelsea, Hastings and Battle whenever the abbot and convent take their recreation at Maxfield, and carriage for firewood, to be cut, bound and carried at TC's expense during their stay, and rushes to spread in the hall and chambers, and straw to make beds, against their stay; HH to carry a tun of wine from Winchelsea or Hastings to the monastery at Battle annually when required, or pay 2 shillings; HH to pay the rents and services due from the manor of Maxfield to the court of Hoselond annually, for which he will have an allowance; HH may have sufficient firewood, and sufficient wood for husbandry; the abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent after 8 days, and re-enter after 6 weeks; within the first two years of the term, HH to clean and ditch the stream of Maxfield, from the bridge by the site of the manor as far as the common stream at the end of the manor lands; HH to store all the crops in the manor barns, and to use all the manure on the land; HH may not underlease; the abbot and convent to maintain all the buildings, unless damaged by HH; HH to have the chamber beneath the chapel within the moat, and the easement of the kitchen when the convent shall not be in residence; the lease to be void if HH forfeit [his belongings] to the king during the term.</p> <p>The lease has been annotated for a renewal to John Hollock for 12 years at £5 6s 8d; the garden within the moat is excluded, the allowance for tenants' rents deleted, and the repair clause altered to make the tenant liable for repairs to buildings outside the moat.</p> <p>Seals: Sealed in the chapterhouse of Battle.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/3 Ink number: 1633 Thorpe page/entry: 125/6</p>
Volume 54 Item 1635	<p>Counterpart lease for 20 years from 25 December 1497 at £11 6s 8d. 25 December 1497.</p> <p>Description: Richard [Tovy], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to William Peny The site of the manor of Marley as John Fayrman lately held it, with the following demesne lands, meadows, feedings and pastures: Chesehousefeld, Blossomfeld, Rolvysfeldes, Grete Ukham, Wellond, Cornore, Bowlundmedow, Velondfeld, Shepelond, Forstalfeld, Shepynfeld, The Oldehaw and The Buttes below Northboteherst, with the pasture in Petley and Velond Woods</p>

	<p>reserving all the other lands of the manor, the Treasurer's orchard, the chamber above the great gate, the warren of the leased lands, waifs, strays, ponds, fisheries, mills, and the horseway from Shepelondbryge beyond Volondfeld and the wood as far as Iltons bath mill whenever necessary, and the right of way across the leased land.</p> <p>WP to carry to Battle all the shingles made for the monastery in the woods of Marley, and all the timber, clay and other things necessary for repairs at the manor and to the bay of the pond there; the abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent after 15 days, and re-enter after six weeks, or should WP forfeit [his belongings] in any way to the king for treason or felony, or be outlawed, or assign without special licence; the abbot and convent to maintain all the buildings, unless damaged by WP or his stock; WP to store all the crops in the manor barns, and to use all the manure on the land; WP to clean and maintain all the enclosures and hedges, and all the ditches around the meadows leased to him; WP to eradicate all the trees, thorns, heath, gorse and broom growing in the fields leased to him, sufficiently to allow the fields to be ploughed and sown up to the <ancient> hedges, taking the resulting wood; WP to have sufficient firewood and wood for agriculture within the manor, by the delivery of the treasurer or his deputy; the treasurer may keep his court within the manor whenever it shall be summoned.</p> <p>Given in the chapterhouse at Battle.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/21 Ink number: 1635 Thorpe page/entry: 129/7</p>
Box 33	Records removed from volume 54
Box 33 Item 724	<p>Conveyance to widow by feoffees. 3 August 1501.</p> <p>Description: Richard Vynagh the elder of Battle, Edward Morant, John Eston and Nicholas Morant, (feoffees of Thomas Staple of Battle, dyer, deceased), to TS's widow Isabella Staple, according to his will</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Freehold messuage and garden in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, in which TS lately lived, in which, with other lands and tenements in Battle, they were lately enfeoffed by TS</p> <p>Given at Battle.</p> <p>Seals: Three seals, all illegible, survive on two tags; tags formed from conveyance by Robert Lydham to Thomas Asshebornham <gent> of lands and tenements abutting TA's land, the lane from Pulton ... to Wymhuse, in Guestling.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/25 Ink number: 724 Thorpe page/entry: 131/5</p>
Box 33 Item 902	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 20 November 1491.</p> <p>Description: William Lonceford to John Bokelond, John Gotley, Stephen Iglynden and Edward Morant</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">All the lands and tenements, rents and services in Battle and Penhurst which he inherited on the death of his father John Lonceford.</p> <p>Seals: A bird.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/16 Ink number: 902 Thorpe page/entry: 128/5</p>

<p>Box 33 Item 903</p>	<p>Conveyance. 25 August 1487.</p> <p>Description: William Lonceforde, lord of the manor of Westbeche in Battle, to John Bokelond the elder, Richard Markham, John Gotle and Stephen Igolenden All his lands and tenements called Westfyld, Pyndwod and Estmerlyng (30 acres of wood and pasture), in Battle (E: land of the abbot of Battle, land of John a Myll; S: a stream; W: road; N: land of the heirs of John Eston) paying 4 pence on 29 September for all services; given at Battle. Seals: An illegible letter.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/ Ink number: 903 Thorpe page/entry: 126/8</p>
<p>Box 33 Item 907</p>	<p>Conditional conveyance for £14. 8 August 1488.</p> <p>Description: Robert Crotyn den of Ticehurst to William Roper the elder of Ticehurst A messuage and 38 acres of land in 7 pieces called Stretyn ges in Etchingham (E: land called Burkham; S: the Etchingham-Ticehurst road; W: land of the abbot and convent of Bayham, land of John Brikynden; N: land of [the manor of] Pashley) Of the consideration, £7 6s 8d already paid; WR to pay the remainder in two instalments of £3 6s 8d within 8 days of 29 September for the next two years, or the conveyance to be void. Witnesses: John Ryngden, John Brykynden, John Randolf, William Frankewell, William Roper the younger; at Ticehurst Seals: A lattice. Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 54, Item 723.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/11 Ink number: 907 Thorpe page/entry: 127/2</p>
<p>Box 33 Item 990</p>	<p>Conveyance by surviving feoffees. 31 August 1488.</p> <p>Description: John Myll and John Horden to John Lucas Two messuages lying together in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle, in which they, with Thomas Eston now deceased, were enfeoffed by Thomas Yong. Given at Battle. Seals: I; illegible, seemingly a scatter of characters. Endorsed: The houses of Thomas Yong, weaver.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/14 Ink number: 990 Thorpe page/entry: 127/7</p>
<p>Box 33 Item 1005</p>	<p>Quitclaim to feoffees. 21 January 1500.</p> <p>Description: Edmund Standen of Hawkhurst to John Bokelond, Richard Markham, John Gotley, Richard Staple and Edward Morant His right in a messuage and 34 acres of land in 7 pieces called Stretyn ges in Etchingham (E: land called Burkham; S: the Etchingham-Ticehurst road; W: land of the abbot and convent of Bayham, land of John Brikynden; N: land of [the manor of] Pashley). Seals: ?A shield.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/23 Ink number: 1005 Thorpe page/entry: 131/1</p>

<p>Box 33 Item 1009</p>	<p>Settlement. 29 June 1497.</p> <p>Description: John Ode and his feoffees Richard Wodeman of Hooe and John Fayrman the younger of Marley [in Battle], to Edward Jonson and his wife Martina Part of a messuage with the garden, which belonged to John Roos, mason, before John Bregger and once Stephen Dunynge, in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (between the tenement and garden of William Whyte, late Thomas at Lane, and the rest of the messuage and garden; 11 feet in breadth along the road, and stretching 170 feet from the road, past the pit at the end of the garden to the hedge; in breadth along the hedge to William White's land 15 feet)</p> <p>Paying 3 pence annually to JO, RW and JF to the use of JO and his wife Joan, during her life; warranty by JO only.</p> <p>Seals: ?TO; no tag; tag only.</p> <p>Endorsed: Part of a messuage late Edward Johnson, glazier.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/20 Ink number: 1009 Thorpe page/entry: 129/5</p>
<p>Box 33 Item 1020</p>	<p>Quitclaim. 20 August 1483.</p> <p>Description: Roger Philpot to Richard Leukenore esq, Henry Kyghle esq and Henry Asshborn His estate in the manors of Shopwyke Eagle, Compton and Westmarden, and in land called Croftlond in Boxgrove.</p> <p>Seals: A figure with a sword.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/2 Ink number: 1020 Pencil number: 29 Thorpe page/entry: 125/2 [goes with the Hoo chantry]</p>
<p>Box 33 Item 1046</p>	<p>Warrant of attorney. 14 December 1499.</p> <p>Description: John Barrett esq to John Bukelonde, Thomas Stapeler of Battle and John Callowe of Lambeth Marsh To take seisin of his place and lands in the hundred of Battle and elsewhere in Sussex and deliver it to his daughter Barbara Barrett and her heirs in tail, according to a charter of even date.</p> <p>Seals: A tree.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/23 Ink number: 1046 Thorpe page/entry: 130/9</p>
<p>Box 33 Item 1048</p>	<p>Quitclaim to feoffees. 26 April 1484.</p> <p>Description: John Fissher, son of Thomas Fissher late of Battle, to Richard Colman, John a Melle and William Love His estate in two messuages lying together in Battle (between the dwelling of Stephen Igolenden and the dwelling of John Gotley and the land of the almoner of Battle), late John Fissher the elder.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Bokelond, John Goteley, Richard Vynagh; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: R.; tag formed from draft of deed ofmersshe of Benston to the abbot and convent of Battle.</p> <p>Related materials: For the feoffees of John Fisher the elder, see Box 33, Item 1059.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	<p>Original volume/page: V54/1 Ink number: 1048 Pencil number: 57 Thorpe page/entry: 125/5</p>
Box 33 Item 1059	<p>Conveyance by feoffees. 20 April 1492.</p> <p>Description: Richard Colman, John a Myll and William Love to John Beche and his wife Marion, and to their feoffees Thomas a Grove and William Hamond of Birling [in Eastdean or Birling, Kent]</p> <p>Two messuages and gardens lying together in Battle (between the tenement of Stephen Iglenden and the tenement of John Gotele), in which they were enfeoffed by John Fyssher the elder.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Boklonde gentleman, John Gotele, William Parker, Richard Vynawe, Henry Colyn; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A crowned letter; ?a dog; fragment.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/16 Ink number: 1059 Pencil number: 68 Thorpe page/entry: 128/6</p>
Box 34	Records removed from volume 54 (continued)
Box 34 Item 1302	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 16 November 1495.</p> <p>Description: John Dougreth the elder of Battle to Thomas Staple, dyer, John Hay, Richard Staple and John Eston, to fulfill JD's last will</p> <p>1 All the lands and tenements in Battle which belonged to John Baker 2 All the lands and tenements in Battle which belonged to his father Stephen Dougreth</p> <p>Richard Colman appointed attorney to deliver seisin.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Vynagh, William Parker, John Parker, John Kyngeswell, Thomas Awake</p> <p>Seals: A camel; tag formed from a document relating to an indulgence of 5000 [?days], 1486.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/19 Ink number: 1302 Thorpe page/entry: 129/1</p>
Box 34 Item 1314	<p>Conveyance by surviving feoffees. 18 February 1500.</p> <p>Description: John Bokelond and Stephen Igolenden to Richard Reygate and John Frensshe</p> <p>A messuage in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (between the dwelling late John Fyssher and the former tenement of John Bokelond, and stretching from the road to the meadow of the almoner of Battle), in which, with John Fyssher and Thomas Eston now deceased, they were enfeoffed by William Ame.</p> <p>Given at Battle.</p> <p>Seals: Seal gone.</p> <p>Endorsed: The messuage of Luke Pylcher by the messuage of William Frenshe, once freehold now bondhold tenure.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/24 Ink number: 1314 Thorpe page/entry: 131/2</p>
Box 34 Item 1320	<p>Conveyance by widow to feoffees. 8 July 1502.</p> <p>Description: Isabella Staple, widow of Thomas Staple, dyer, to John Wyldgose, Thomas Infeld</p>

	<p>and John Langregge, and to the heirs of JW All the freehold lands and tenements in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (E, S: the road; W: bondhold land held of the sacrist of Battle; N: land of John Hode, formerly John Bregger), occupied by TS throughout his life, and delivered to IS by TS's feoffees Richard Vynagh the elder, Edward Morant, John Eston and Nicholas Morant [see Box 33, Item 724] according to the last will of TS.</p> <p>Warranty against JW, TI and JL and JW's heirs.</p> <p>Seals: Ihs</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/7 Ink number: 1320 Thorpe page/entry: 131/7</p>
Box 34 Item 1328	<p>[Mortgage]. 31 August 1506.</p> <p>Description: Richard Staple, son and heir of Thomas Staple late of Battle, yeoman, to Nicholas Morant, William Boys and William Rubery All the lands and tenements, rents and services in Battle which belonged to TS Given at Battle.</p> <p>Seals: Illegible.</p> <p>Related materials: For the terms of the mortgage, see Box 34, Item 1611.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/30 Ink number: 1328 Thorpe page/entry: 132/8</p>
Box 34 Item 1429	<p>Confirmation and quitclaim to feoffees. 20 December 1487.</p> <p>Description: William Lonceforde, lord of the manor of Westbech in Battle, to John Bokelond the elder, Richard Markham, John Gotley and Stephen Igolenden Their estate in lands and tenements called Westfyld, Pyndwood and Estmerlyng (30 acres) in Battle, conveyed to them [on 25 August 1487]. Saving the reserved rent of 4 pence on 29 September for all services.</p> <p>Seals: An illegible letter</p> <p>Related materials: For the conveyance, see Box 33, Item 903.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/11 Ink number: 1429 Thorpe page/entry: 127/1</p>
Box 34 Item 1434	<p>Quitclaim to feoffees. 12 March 1506.</p> <p>Description: Barbara Baret, daughter and heir of John Baret late of Lambeth Marsh, esq, to John Gotley, Thomas Ode the elder, Nicholas Morant and William Boys Her right in the place in the vill of Battle and in all the lands and tenements in Battle, which descended to her on her father's death.</p> <p>Seals: A dog.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/29 Ink number: 1434 Thorpe page/entry: 132/10</p>
Box 34 Item 1441	<p>Quitclaim to mortgagees. 12 January 1508.</p> <p>Description: Richard Staple, son and heir of Thomas Staple late of Battle, [dyer], to Nicholas Morant, William Boys and William Rubery His estate in lands and tenements called Capenore, Brembylles, The Reylez and The</p>

	<p>Hothes in Battle, which John Wodeman lately held to farm from RS.</p> <p>Seals: A crowned T.</p> <p>Related materials: For the mortgage, 31 August 1506, see Box 34, Item 1611.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/32 Ink number: 1441 Thorpe page/entry: 133/3</p>
Box 34 Item 1451	<p>Counterpart grant. 6 October 1500.</p> <p>Description: Richard [Tovy], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to their servant John Bokelond Lands called Watelliswyshe in the borough of Sandlake within, Battle (S: land of the dean of Battle, and land of the heirs of Thomas a Feld called Cookysfeld; W: a lane leading into the land of the heirs of Thomas a Feld; N: the road; heading E: the garden of the heirs of Thomas a Feld)</p> <p>Paying 12d annually and fealty; William Rubery appointed attorney to deliver seisin; given in the chapterhouse of Battle.</p> <p>Seals: Fragmentary a monogram within a shield.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/25 Ink number: 1451 Thorpe page/entry: 130/9</p>
Box 34 Item 1461	<p>Conveyance. 20 April 1487.</p> <p>Description: William a Crowche, son of Robert a Crowche the elder, late of Hooe, to John Gyles All the freehold lands and tenements in Bexhill which descended to him on the death of RC, who had inherited on the death of his father Richard a Crowche.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Shosmyth, William Cote, William Crowche of Sidley, John Walton, William Knyght; at Bexhill</p> <p>Seals: An illegible monogram.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/7 Ink number: 1461 Thorpe page/entry: 126/7</p>
Box 34 Item 1465	<p>Conveyance of rents by surviving feoffees. 5 August 1486.</p> <p>Description: Robert Oxonbregge esq, Henry Hall esq and John Smyth clerk, surviving feoffees of Thomas Echyngnam kt, to TE's daughters and heirs Margaret widow of John Elryngton kt and Elizabeth widow of Roger Fenys esq</p> <p>The annual rent of 20 shillings from 70 acres land and marsh called Highfeldys in Bexhill, held of them by Edward Borough in the right of his wife Ann, daughter and heir of Thomas Cobham kt deceased, in which, with other lands and with others now deceased, they were enfeofed by TE</p> <p>Given at Bexhill.</p> <p>Seals: Second seal only: a bird in flight.</p> <p>Endorsed: Hyghefeldes by Barnhorn</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/5 Ink number: 1465 Thorpe page/entry: 126/4</p>
Box 34 Item 1483	<p>Warrant of attorney. 12 May 1504.</p> <p>Description: William Whyte of The Gardynghous of the monastery of Battle to John Eston, to deliver seisin according to grant.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: John Goday, chaplain of the cure <and parish> of Battle, William Hollok, porter of the monastery, John Why3te; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: A crowned letter.</p> <p>Related materials: For grant, see volume 54, Item 836.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/29 Ink number: 1483 Thorpe page/entry: 132/5</p>
Box 34 Item 1485	<p>Warrant of attorney to recover a debt. 20 October 1507.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Dogered of Battle, shoemaker, to John Igolenden and John Adams To recover £15 from the executors, administrators or heirs of Thomas Stevyn the elder of Battle, yeoman, deceased, owed to TD in respect of the purchase of three messuages and land in Battle, and secured by bonds dated 30 May 1505, which TD has delivered to JI and JA; TD gives power to arrest, put in exigent and plead, to prosecute in all courts before any judge, and to seal such acquittance as the law requires.</p> <p>Seals: Fragment of seal</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/31 Ink number: 1485 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Box 34 Item 1497	<p>Quitclaim. 5 October 1484.</p> <p>Description: Margaret Kyngeswell of Battle, widow, to Richard Cresy, son and heir of William Cresy late of Mountfield Her right in a messuage with adjoining garden in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (between the messuage of William Longe and the messuage of Adam Fayreway), [conditionally] conveyed by MK to WC on 31 January 1482.</p> <p>Given at Battle.</p> <p>Seals: I</p> <p>Related materials: For 31 January 1482 mortgage, see Box 31, Item 900.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/4 Ink number: 1497 Thorpe page/entry: 125/4</p>
Box 34 Item 1609	<p>Counterpart lease for 8 years from 23 April 1493 at £5. 20 September 1492.</p> <p>Description: Richard [Tovy], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to Thomas Asssheerst and Simon Tewessnoth The dairy of East Kingsnorth, [Kent], with 14 cows and a bull, and the buildings and lands belonging to it of old - The Barne Crofte adjoining the buildings, The Cowlese, Pyxsyde, Castylmerle, Lawdeans, Baldewynsbrokys, The Fleyden, 16 acres meadow in Stakyn Mede with pasture in The Frythwode The abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent after 15 days, and re-enter after three months; the abbot and convent to maintain the buildings, unless damaged by the lessees, their servants or animals; lessees to maintain all enclosures and ditches, except the common sewer; the lessees to surrender the bull, and the cows or 9 shillings a head at the election of the abbot and convent, at the end of the term, or sooner if it be forfeited; lease to be void if the lessees forfeit or are outlawed for felony or treason.</p> <p>Given in the chapterhouse at Battle.</p> <p>Seals: The first seal has been removed [? in cancellation]; a fragment only of the second remains.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/28 Ink number: 1609 Thorpe page/entry: 131/8</p>
<p>Box 34 Item 1611</p>	<p>Deed declaring the condition of a conveyance. 31 August 1506.</p> <p>Description: Richard Staple, son and heir of Thomas Staple late of Battle, yeoman, to Nicholas Morant, William Boys and William Rubery Lands and tenements called Capenore, Brembylles, The Reylez and Hothes in Battle, which John Wodeman holds to farm from RS, which belonged to TS, conveyed to them by deed of even date [See Box 34, Item 1328]. The conveyance to be void if RS pays £20 to NM, WB and WR on 29 September 1507; if he fail, the land to vest in them and RS to execute a release. Seals: Illegible.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/30 Ink number: 1611 Thorpe page/entry: 132/9</p>
<p>Box 34 Item 1614</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 20 years from 29 September 1492 at 13s 4d. 20 October 1492.</p> <p>Description: Richard [Tovy], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to William Wade of Eastbourne Lands called Monkynlond (16 acres) in Pevensey Marsh (SW: land called Blibore; NE: land of Ralph Colbrond; and abutting the Wartling-Pevensey road) The rent payable to the use of the sacristy; the abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent after 15 days, and re-enter after two months, or if WW forfeit or are outlawed for felony or treason; WW to maintain the enclosures, and pay all the charges relating to the land. Given in the chapterhouse at Battle. Seals: Fragment of a seal.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/17 Ink number: 1614 Thorpe page/entry: 128/8</p>
<p>Box 34 Item 1622</p>	<p>Copy of court roll of the hallmoot of Battle. 19 March 1502.</p> <p>Description: Admission of John Wyldgose on the out-of-court surrender of Isabel Staple, widow of Thomas Staple, dyer, and on the release of Richard Staple and of John Staple of Waldron Land called Stephynlond, containing three parts of a tenement, in the borough of Telham, Battle, late TS Fealty by JW.</p> <p>Endorsed: Rents and services owed by the land, as appears at the hallmoot held 27 March 1490: 15 shillings to the bailiff of Battle and 4 pence for Romescot on 24 June 2s 6d to the cellarer for garden works 5 pence to the cellarer for ploughing half an acre 2½d to the cellarer for carrying 2½bushells of salt on 29 September 4 pence to the cellarer for carrying wine and manure on 29 September He does not need to perform or pay for the carriage of hay.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V54/ Ink number: 1622 Thorpe page/entry: 132/1</p>
<p>Volume 55</p>	<p>Records remaining in volume 55.</p>

	<p>Description: Volume containing early deeds, mostly dismantled; contents in Box 35, but 13 deeds remain in the volume</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9898</p>
Volume 55 Item 843	<p>Conveyance by heir of surviving feoffee. 20 April 1525.</p> <p>Description: John Gotley, son and heir of John Gotley of Battle deceased, to John Addams, William Frensshe, Christopher Wygsell and Luke Pylcher All the lands and tenements, rents and services in Battle and Penhurst in which his father, with John Bokelond, Stephen Iglynden and Edward Morant now deceased, was enfeoffed by William Lonceford, who had inherited them from his father, as appears by a charter of 20 November 1491.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Fynche gent, Edward Fynche gent, James Vaghan, Leonard Morant</p> <p>Related materials: For the charter of 20 November 1491, see Box 33, Item 902.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/13 Ink number: 843 Thorpe page/entry: 137/10</p>
Volume 55 Item 885	<p>Conveyance. 13 August 1522.</p> <p>Description: Nichola Ode, widow, formerly widow of Thomas Whiterowe, to John Wylegose and Nicholas Morant, to the use of the monastery of Battle A messuage and adjoining garden in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (N: messuage and garden of John Bateherst, late Richard Reygate; S: toft and garden late John Frensshe of Sandlake; W: the road; E: land of the sacrist of Battle called Lydcokkes) At Battle.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/10 Ink number: 885 Thorpe page/entry: 137/1</p>
Volume 55 Item 974	<p>Conveyance. 15 June 1509.</p> <p>Description: Barbara Baret, daughter and heir of John Baret of Lambeth Marsh, esq, deceased, to Edmund Francke, John Pyx the elder, Thomas Pulton and John Adams Her place in the vill of Battle, and all lands and tenements, meadows, feedings and pastures, in Battle, which BB inherited on her father's death.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Love, John Dogered, Matthew Hardys, William Huntley; at Battle</p> <p>Endorsed: Memorandum that Agnes Hopkyn, who was nurse to BB, deposed that BB was 22 on 16 March 1509</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/1 Ink number: 974 Thorpe page/entry: 133/5</p>
Volume 55 Item 1087	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 14 April 1545.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Edward Wyldegose for life, remainder to Richard Porter the elder of Battle, yeoman, on an out-of-court surrender made by EW into the hands of the bailiff Ambrose Comporte, in the presence of Chistopher Wygsell and John Wygsell, tenants A stable, half a gate near it, a garden called The Long Garden, a tenement called Stephenland and a meadow called The Parke Medowe No heriots, since the stable, half gate and garden are within the borough, and since EW has no animal.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/20 Ink number: 1087 Thorpe page/entry: 142/4</p>
Volume 55 Item 1467	<p>Final concord, octave of Hilary 1549.</p> <p>Description: Richard Porter v Katherine Delwood, widow A messuage, garden, 13 acres land, 10 acres meadow and 1 acre wood in Battle.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/19 Ink number: 1467 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 55 Item 1487	<p>Bond in £40. 15 June 1509.</p> <p>Description: Barbara Barette of Cambridge, singlewoman, to Edmund Francke, John Pyx the elder, Thomas Pulton and John Adams To protect the title of a houseplace, lands and tenements, pastures, meadows, rents and services called Pesemersshes Lond, in Battle, late BB's father John Barette, esq, against claims by third parties and against former sales and leases</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/1 Ink number: 1487 Thorpe page/entry: 133/6</p>
Volume 55 Item 1597	<p>Counterpart lease for 20 years from 25 December 1522 at £5 13s 4d. 9 July 1522.</p> <p>Description: Laurence [Champion], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to Hamo Maye The watermill at Wye [in Kent], the meadow called Cokkishmede belonging to it, the fishery at the floodgate there and in the stream from the mill to the land of the abbot and convent called Blikemedede The abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent [after 15 days omitted in error?], and re-enter after three months; HM to built an adequate new malt-mill during the term at his own expense, the abbot and convent finding timber and tiles; HM not to underlease without special licence, except during the first four years; the abbot and convent to maintain the mill buildings, unless damaged by HM or his servants, and HM to maintain the malt-mill, and surrender it at the end of the term; warranty clause. Given at the chapterhouse at Battle. Endorsed: Hamo Mayo</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/16 Ink number: 1597 Thorpe page/entry: 136/10</p>
Volume 55 Item 1598	<p>Counterpart lease for 10 years from 29 September 1520 at £2. 14 January 1521.</p> <p>Description: Lawrence [Champion], abbot of Battle, to John Trewe. The abbot's tilery, with the buildings and closes anciently relating to it, a close called The Buttesclose between the tilery and the Great Park, the land in the park for digging clay and sand as was done (excepting plainland there called The Laundes), and pasture for six oxen and two stallions or mares in the Great Park between 23 April and 29 September The abbot may distrain for non-payment of rent after one month, and re-enter after three months, or if JT forfeit to the the king or be outlawed; JT to find all the tiles, clay and other materials necessary for repairs to the tilery buildings and the oven called the kiln (le kyllle), the</p>

	<p>abbot finding the workmen and the necessary timber; JT to have sufficient firewood in the abbot's woods within the leuga of Battle to burn six hearths called kilns of tiles, to be felled and carried by JT by the delivery of the abbot's ministers; within the term, JT may take in the following year any shortfall from the last; JT may have the easement of the tilery until 1 November after the end of the term; the abbot shall have as many bricks and tiles as are required for repairing the buildings of the monastery, delivered at the tilery at 3s 4d the thousand.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/9 Ink number: 1598 Thorpe page/entry: 136/7</p>
Volume 55 Item 1601	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 25 March 1510 at 13s 4d. 9 November 1509.</p> <p>Description: Lawrence [Champion], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to Richard Turke the elder of the town of Wadhurst</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">The lands called Snape in Wadhurst</p> <p>The abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent after 15 days, and re-enter if unpaid for 2 months, or if TW forfeit to the king or be outlawed; RT to maintain ditches and enclosures; to clear three crofts of land of 6 acres lying at the north ... and prepare them for ploughing, provided that no valuable oak, ash or beech trees are felled and removed without licence.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/3 Ink number: 1601 Thorpe page/entry: 134/1</p>
Volume 55 Item 1603	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 25 March 1527 at £11. 22 October 1526.</p> <p>Description: Laurence [Champion], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to John a Lye, William Boys and Richard a Lye</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">The manor of Marley in Battle, with all the live and dead stock listed in an attached schedule [no longer present] reserving the lands called Bryggesell, Wygbemys and Brondes, and the wood called Boteherst, all wood and underwood, all the lands, meadows, rents and buildings belonging to the office of treasurer, waters and fisheries, free warren, waifs and strays</p> <p>Lessees to pay <i>farina ancuarum</i> [goose flour] sufficient for the needs of the monastery, the convent and the abbot, to be delivered at the abbey kitchen, and six pigs worth 2s 6d each (according to two indifferent men) on 11 November; lessees to perform the customary services owed by the manor - lactage worth £3 8s 0d between 3 May and 14 September (at 10 gallons of milk a week and two pieces of butter each weighing 4 pounds), and milk on 4 July and 11 November (the feasts of St Martin), and for making the damus of the convent [meaning unclear] according to the old portion, to be delivered at the monastery, and the carriage of a tun of wine from Winchelsea to Battle when warned; the abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent after 15 days, and re-enter after two months, or should the lessees forfeit in any way to the king, or assign without licence; the abbot and convent to maintain all roofs and buildings, unless damaged by the lessees; the lessees to store all the crops in the manor barns, and to use all the manure on the land; the lessees to carry to Battle all the shingles made for the monastery in the woods of Marley, and all the timber, clay and other things necessary for repairs at the manor; the lessees to have sufficient firewood and wood for agriculture within the manor, by the delivery of the treasurer; the lessees to have pasture in Petley Wood for their animals; at the end of the term, the lessees to deliver the stock or its value, at the abbot and convent's election. Given in the chapterhouse at Battle.</p> <p>Notes: The schedule, now BA 966, was still present in 1835 when the document was catalogued</p>

	<p>by Thomas Thorpe.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/12 Ink number: 1603 Thorpe page/entry: 138/6</p>
<p>Volume 55 Item 1634</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 10 years from 24 June 1512 at £7 13s 4d. 16 August 1512.</p> <p>Description: Lawrence [Champion], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to John Iglynden and Richard Reygate</p> <p>The sacristy of Battle, with all the buildings, lands, meadows and pastures belonging to it, both within and without the abbey walls, <in Battle and Whatlington>, with all the live and dead stock listed in an attached schedule [wanting], the tithes of sheaves of the parish of Battle which the sacrist takes, and the custom of bread and beer for the carriage [of ...] to the accustomed place</p> <p>reserving a piece of land by John Whyte's garden in Sandlake, a piece of land called Tannerswisshe by Petley Wood, the rents of the tenants, profits of court, heriots, forfeitures, escheats, reliefs, free warren and other liberties</p> <p>The rent payable to the use of the office of the sacrist; the lessees to find the carriage of the monies of the convent to manors (<i>munitorum conventus ad maneria</i>) on reasonable warning, and the carriage of 24 waggonloads of firewood out of the lands to the sacrist's chamber in the monastery cemetery between 24 June and 29 September annually, and to deliver sufficient straw to the parish church according to the ancient custom; the abbot may distrain for non-payment of rent or non-performance of carrying services after 15 days, and re-enter after six weeks; the abbot and convent to maintain all the buildings of the sacristy, and the gates and fencing by the sacristy barn, unless damaged by the lessees, their servants or stock; the lessees to maintain all the hedges, ditches and enclosures; the lessees to store a third of the tithes of sheaves, all the crops grown on the land and a third of the hay, in the sacristy barns, and use all the manure on the land; they may not plough or sow the land during the last two years of the term, nor agist or crop the land called Calbek, the two upper fields of the land called Lydcokkes, nor the 3 acres of meadow in Estlond, after 2 February in the last year; the lessees not to underlease without special licence; the lessees to surrender the stock or its value, at the election of the abbot and convent, at the end of the term; the lease to be void if the lessees forfeit to the king or are outlawed; [<i>the rest of the deed continued in a different hand</i>] declares that the bond of JI, RR, John Kyngeswell and Richard Porter to the abbot in £20, 16 August 1512, is to support the covenants in this lease.</p> <p>Given in the chapterhouse, Battle.</p> <p>Notes: The ink number is duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/4 Ink number: 1634 Thorpe page/entry: 134/7</p>
<p>Volume 55 Item 1606</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 30 years from 25 March 1526 at 6 shillings. 15 February 1526.</p> <p>Description: Laurence [Champion], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to John Mores of Bodiam</p> <p>A piece of land called Snapyswyshe otherwise Snapysmede (5 acres) in Bodiam (E, S: a meadow called Legh, part of Batelmedow; W: land of the abbot of Robertsbridge; N: a stream called The Mylryver)</p> <p>Rent payable to the office of the sacrist; the abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent after 15 days, and re-enter after three months; JM to maintain the ditches, hedges and enclosures; JM may not underlease without licence; lease to be void if JM forfeit to the king for treason or felony, or be outlawed.</p> <p>Given in the chapterhouse at Battle.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/13 Ink number: 1606 Thorpe page/entry: 138/7</p>
Volume 55 Item 1608	<p>Surrendered lease for 16 years from 25 March 1522 at £2. 4 October 1522.</p> <p>Description: Lawrence [Champion], abbot of Battle, and John Hamond, sacrist, to Alan Drynker Land called Estlond and Raselond, lying together in Battle and Whatlington, except wood and underwood and the easements of entry and exit The rent payable to the sacristy, along with 12 waggonloads of firewood between 1 November and 2 February annually; the abbot and sacrist may distrain for non-payment of rent after 15 days, and re-enter after three months; AD to clear a meadow in the north part of the lands of wood, gorse and thorn, and keep it fit for hay-mowing; AD to maintain the ditches, hedges and enclosures; AD may not underlease without special licence, nor plough or sow in the last two years of the term; AD to clear all the thorn and gorse now growing on the land, and make it plain; the lease to be void if AD forfeit to the the king or be outlawed. Notes: Identified as a surrender on account of two seal-slits and a lack of the usual endorsement.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/11 Ink number: 1608 Thorpe page/entry: 137/4</p>
Box 35	Records removed from volume 55
Box 35 Item 833	<p>Conveyance. 25 April 1513.</p> <p>Description: John Whyte of Battle to John Wyldgose and Nicholas Morant A ruinous messuage with two gardens in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (S: a cottage and garden late Edward Johnson, glasier; N: messuage and garden of John a Water, cooper; E: road; W: land of JW) At Battle. Seals: Seal fragment.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/6 Ink number: 833 Pencil number: 82 Thorpe page/entry: 135/1</p>
Box 35 Item 923	<p>Conveyance to feoffees. 10 June 1526.</p> <p>Description: John Iglynden of Battle, yeoman, to John Adams, William Frensshe and Robert Trollop 1 Two messuages with a barn, gardens, and kitchens in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (S, N: the almoner's land and the road; E, W: the dwelling of David Lewys and the dwelling of William Eston the younger) 2 A croft called Loxbeche in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (S, N: the Lesser Park and the road; E, W: Procession Felde and John Parker's garden) John Godwyn, clerk, rector of Limpsfield [in Surrey], appointed attorney to expel the farmers and occupiers and deliver seisin. Seals: Seal fragment</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/14 Ink number: 923 Thorpe page/entry: 138/4</p>

Box 35 Item 924	<p>Conveyance. 3 April 1520.</p> <p>Description: Richard Staple, son and heir of Thomas Staple late of Battle, yeoman, and Christopher Wygssell, to Stephen Cutlaff and John Iglynden</p> <p>A tenement, barn and 80 acres of land, meadow and wood in seven pieces of land, called The Down, formerly William Down, in the borough of Telham, Battle (E: bondhold land of Robert Brabson; S: bondhold land of Edward Feld; W: bondhold land of John Kempe; W, N: lane from Spetylhill to Telham, and the land of the almoner of Battle)</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Morant, William Boys, Robert Trollop, John Pett, Edward Ode; at Battle</p> <p>Seals: Fragment of second seal.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/8 Ink number: 924 Thorpe page/entry: 136/1</p>
Box 35 Item 1062	<p>Arbitration award by the crown. 24 April 1542.</p> <p>Description: Roger Lewkenour kt and his [second] wife Elizabeth VWilliam Barantyne kt, [and his wife] Jane, widow of Arthur Pole kt, one of the daughters of RL.</p> <p>Recites: the crown, to avoid indefinite strife and debates, caused the titles, answers and replications of the parties to be examined by certain learned counsel who have reported; the parties bound each to the other by recognizances in chancery in £6000, made 33H8; the crown, pondering the evidence and the report of learned counsel, awards:</p> <p>RL to enjoy in tail male, remainder to RL and EL in tail, remainder to RL's right heirs: 1 The manors of Bodiam, Camois Court, Warningore, Dallingridge and Iford, with land and pastures called The Old Park at Roffey WB and JP to make an estate, at RL's expense, by 25 March 1543, and deliver muniments by 25 December 1542.</p> <p>RL and EL to enjoy to them and to RL in tail male, remainder to RL and EL in tail, remainder to RL's right heirs: The manors of Trotton, Dumpford, Elsted, Didling and Ludley WB and JP to make an estate, at the expense of RL and EL, by 25 March 1543, and deliver muniments by 25 December 1542.</p> <p>RL to hold for life, remainder (one moiety) to Jane Pole for life, remainder to her daughters Ann wife of Henry Knyvet kt, Mary Pole, and Margaret Pole, and to Ann Knyvet in tail, remainder to RL's right heirs, and (the other moiety) to Ann Knyvet, Mary Pole and Margaret Pole and to Ann Knyvet in tail, remainder to RL's right heirs: 1 The manors of Itford, Radynden, Bolebrook amd Hamsey 2 The manors of South Mimms, Stewkley and Greteworth in Mx, Northamptonshire, Leicestershire and Huntingdonshire 3 Other property in Itford, Radynden, Preston, Worth, Wapsbourne, Hyde, Bolebrook, Hartfield, Hamsey, South Mimms, Stewkley, Greteworth and Long Watton in Sussex, Middlesex, Northamptonshire, Leicestershire and Huntingdonshire RL, WB and JP to deliver deeds to Henry Knyvet and Ann by 25 December 1542, and make estate at their expense by 25 March 1543.</p> <p>RL to hold for life, remainder to WB for life, remainder to his son Drew Barantyne in tail, remainder to his son Charles Barantyne in tail, remainder to the right heirs of RL: The manors of Chislehampton, Kyngsey and Chakendene in Oxfordshire, and property</p>

	<p>in Iden, Sussex</p> <p>WB to hold for life, remainder to his son Drew Barantyne in tail, remainder to his son Charles Barantyne in tail, remainder to the right heirs of RL</p> <p>The manors of Broadhurst and Horsted Keynes</p> <p>RL to make an estate to WB, DB and CB at their expense by 25 March 1543, RL & JP to deliver muniments by 25 December 1542.</p> <p>WB to pay JP for the life of RL an annuity of £15, and to secure it by a grant, including clauses of distress in the manor of Broadhurst, by 29 September 1542.</p> <p>All parties discharged of acts of trespass and personal actions having being or cause before 1 July 1541.</p> <p>Superscribed: Sign manual of Henry 8.</p> <p>Subscribed: Your grace's award and determination, ..., examined by the master of the rolls [Sir Robert Southwell], Mr [William] Whorwood [the attorney-general] and Sir John Baker knight.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/19 Ink number: 1062 Thorpe page/entry: 142/2</p>
Box 35 Item 1330	<p>Conveyance. 16 May 1513.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Stephyn, son and heir of Thomas Stephyn of Battle deceased, to John Iglynden and John Addams</p> <p>1 Two messuages with gardens and closes lying together in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (E: the road; S: messuage late Thomas Pylcher; W: the meadow of the almoner of Battle; N: messuage late John Bokelond)</p> <p>2 A messuage with a garden and close in the borough of Middleborough, Battle (W: the road; N: messuage late John Dogrede; E: land late William Burder; S: messuage of Nicholas Mylward)</p> <p>3 A croft called Loxbeche in the borough of Mountjoy, Battle (N: the road; NE: Processionfeld; SE: the Lesser Park; W: garden late William Hakwode) which TS inherited on his father's death.</p> <p>Given at Battle.</p> <p>Seals: A cross.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/5 Ink number: 1330 Thorpe page/entry: 135/2</p>
Box 35 Item 1341	<p>Quitclaim. 16 June 1509.</p> <p>Description: Barbara Baret, daughter and heir of John Baret of Lambeth Marsh, esq, deceased, to Edmund Francke, John Pyx the elder, Thomas Pulton and John Adams</p> <p>Her right in a place of land in the vill of Battle, and all the land belonging to it, which BB inherited on her father's death.</p> <p>Seals: A dog.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/2 Ink number: 1341 Thorpe page/entry: 133/7</p>
Box 35	<p>Settlement (deed to lead the uses of a fine and recovery). 13 April 1558.</p>

<p>Item 1558</p>	<p>Description: William Morgan, esq, and his wife Katherine to Thomas Walsyngham, esq, and Robert Eyer, gent</p> <p>1 A third of the manor of Bodiam, and of lands and tenements in Bodiam, Ewhurst, Icklesham, Hawkhurst, Iden, Battle, Salehurst, Wartling, Enfyld [recte Ninfield], Cattestrete [Cade Street in Heathfield or Catsfield], Bexhill, Benenden [in Kent], Westfield and Playden, of which WM and KM are seised in her right</p> <p>2 The moiety of the reversion of further third part, subject to the life of Anthony Stapeley gent, tenant by the courtesy of England, which belongs to KM</p> <p>Recites: writs of entry sur disseisin in le post, and of covenant, 7 April 1558, obtained by TW and RE; once the fine is levied and the recovery suffered, TW and RE will hold to the use of WM and KM for life, remainder to their heirs in tail, remainder to KM.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Ellyott, Thomas Combez, Edward Sayer, William Prestall, Thomas Saunders</p> <p>Endorsed: Signed by my father Morgan and his wife; 4.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/21A Ink number: 1558 Thorpe page/entry: 144/4</p>
<p>Box 35 Item 1596</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 9 years from 25 March 1529 at £5. 1 December 1528.</p> <p>Description: Lawrence [Champion], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to John Iden</p> <p>All their tenement called Estbeche with the buildings and lands adjoining (E, S: watercourse running from Westbeche to Kelkbrig; W: lane called Procession Lane and land in the hands of William Love; N, E: land in the hands of William Love, land in the hands of Thomas Pulton, and heath in the hands of William Colbrond)</p> <p>The abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent after 15 days; the abbot and convent to maintain the buildings in timber and roofing, unless damaged by JI, his servants or stock; JI to clear the field lying 'in lake', north of the tenement, as far as the beech trees (lentiscos) on its upper side; to be void if JI forfeit to the king, be outlawed, or underlease without special licence.</p> <p>Given at the chapterhouse at Battle.</p> <p>Seals: A stag's head.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/17 Ink number: 1596 Thorpe page/entry: 139/4</p>
<p>Box 35 Item 1610</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 20 years from 29 September 1515 at 13s 4d. 3 July 1516.</p> <p>Description: Lawrence [Champion], abbot of Battle, and the convent, to Thomas Wydyres</p> <p>40 acres of land and wood called Brodegrove and Hollyslond, in Icklesham (E: the lane from Alondcrosse to Broke; S: the old lane leading from the last lane to the land of the prior of Hastings; W: land of the prior of Hastings; N: land of Goddard Oxenbregge kt)</p> <p>The abbot and convent may distrain for non-payment of rent after 15 days, and re-enter if unpaid for 6 months, or if TW forfeit to the king, be outlawed, or underlease without special licence; TW not to interfere with any forfeitures, waifs and escheats, unless to the profit of the abbot and convent; the rest of the deed continued in a different hand, and the term and rent inserted into blank spaces in the original TW to clear three pieces of land lying by the lane from Alondcrosse to Broke of trees and thorns, convert them to arable, and to sow them in the last three years of the term.</p> <p>Seals: A fleur de lys.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V55/7 Ink number: 1610</p>

	Thorpe page/entry: 135/7
Box 36	<p>Robertsbridge estate separated deeds</p> <p>16 deeds related to the Robertsbridge estate that were separated from volumes: volume 36 (1498, 1505, 1519); volume 37 (1221, 1502, 1520); volume 38 (1524); volume 41 (1510); volume 42 (1230); volume 43 (1528); volume 44 (1523); volume 47 (727, 808, 820); volume unidentified (662, 1504)</p>
Box 36 Item 662	<p>Quitclaim. 12 January 1337.</p> <p>Description: Rose de Idenne to John Meriwede Her right in an acre called Berecroft, in Salehurst (E: Robert de Tunstalle's land; W: Thomas Poynant's land; S: Roger le Wyse's land; N: Ralph de Pesemerche's land), enclosed by hedges and boundaries.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas de Wynekeham, Robert de Wynekeham, John Parkur, Walter Burel, John de Ferregge, Peter Otes, John de Wynekeham, Peter Browere; at Robertsbridge</p> <p>Endorsed: A bear's head.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V- Ink number: 662 Thorpe page/entry: 70/7</p>
Box 36 Item 727	<p>Defeasance of an annual rent as security for quiet tenure. 5 January 1337.</p> <p>Description: Peter de Idenne, son and heir of Adam de Idenne, to John Meriweder That Peter should be free of an annual payment of 20 shillings from all his lands and tenements in Salehurst and Mountfield in which he is bound to John, if John may quietly hold an acre called Berecroft, lately granted to him by Peter.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Berewyke, Simon Fitte, Roger le Wyse, Ralph Fi3, John Curtays, John de Fynhage, Thomas de Fynhage, John ate Cumbe, Robert Westefelde, John Batekoc, Ellis de Westeburne; at Robertsbridge</p> <p>Seals: A stylised flower: +S'DIONISIE MERS</p> <p>Endorsed: A bear's head.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/16 Ink number: 727 Thorpe page/entry: 70/8</p>
Box 36 Item 808	<p>Conveyance. 29 December 1336.</p> <p>Description: Peter, son and heir of Adam de Idenne, to John Meriweder An acre called Berecroft, in Salehurst (E: Robert de Tunstalle's land; W: Thomas Poynant's land; S: Roger le Wyse's land; N: Ralph de Pesemerch's land), enclosed by hedges and boundaries.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas de Bokeselle, William de Ferregge, William Berewyke, Roger le Wyse, John de Fynhag', John Curtays, Ralph Curtays, Thomas de Wynekeham, his brother Robert de Wynekeham, Ralph de Pesemerch, Thomas Erkebaud; at Robertsbridge</p> <p>Endorsed: A bear's head.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V47/15 Ink number: 808 Pencil number: 57 Thorpe page/entry: 70/6</p>
Box 36 Item 820	<p>Grant of an annual rent of 20s. 29 December 1336.</p> <p>Description: Peter, son and heir of Adam de Idenne, to John Meriweder and his wife Isabel</p>

	<p>An annual rent of 20 shillings from his lands and tenements in Salehurst and Mountfield, with the power of distraint for non-payment.</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Berewyk, John Curtays, Thomas de Wynekehame, John le Hunte, John Vinhaghe; at Salehurst</p> <p>Seals: A six-pointed star: ..ADE DE IDENE*</p> <p>Endorsed: A bear's head.</p> <p>Notes: A draft of the deed appears under the turnup.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V34/17 Ink number: 820 Pencil number: 69 Thorpe page/entry: 70/9</p>
Box 36 Item 1221	<p>Grant of land in exchange. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Richard Venator, son of William de Wicham, to the abbot and convent of Robertsbridge</p> <p>1 All his land in Wickham (Wicham), from which he pays them an annual rent of 2s 6d 2 His claim in the rest of the tenement of Wickham, in woodland and plainland, lands and waters, fields and hedges, meadows, brooklands and feedings</p> <p>For which they have given him the land of Pokelesersch' in exchange.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert de Glotingeh', Osbert de Haremere, Thomas de Haremere, Seffrid de Legha, Thomas de Herst, Alan de Robertsbridge, Giles de Pesselegh', John de Sedelescumbe, Adam de Schoswelle, Adam son of Robert de Glotingeh', Ralph de Ferne, Walter Folet, his brother Thomas</p> <p>Endorsed: Richard Venator .C.xj. [Robertsbridge]; Wickham; exchange between us and the house of Robertsbridge [Battle]; for a similar endorsement, see BA 42/1230.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/ Ink number: 1221 Pencil number: 27 Thorpe page/entry: 36/5</p>
Box 36 Item 1230	<p>Grant. Approximately 1220.</p> <p>Description: James, rector of Sedlescombe (Sedelescumbe), to the abbot and convent of Robertsbridge</p> <p>Three acres and three quarters of brookland called Seggesbroc, in Wickham (Wicham) Paying an annual rent of 2 pence at Easter on the tenement to the heirs of Wickham, and an annual rent of ½d to Walter le Bover on 30 November, for all services.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert de Glottingeh' kt, Robert de Sedelescumbe kt, John de Peplesh', Thomas de Haremere, Alan de Robertsbridge, Richard de Wicham, Geoffrey le Bodere, Henry de Padiham, Walter Folet, his brothers Thomas and Gilbert, Ralph de Ferne</p> <p>Seals: A star: S'IAC..</p> <p>Endorsed: James Capellanus .C.xij. [Robertsbridge]; Wickham [Battle]; for a similar endorsement, the result of an exchange between the two houses, see BA 47/1221.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V42/12 Ink number: 1230 D number: D72 Unidentified numbers: 36 Thorpe page/entry: 23/5</p>
Box 36 Item 1498	<p>Grant for alms. Approximately 1200.</p> <p>Description: Robert de Hocham to the abbot and convent of Robertsbridge</p>

	<p>The pond through which the water of the Rother (Limenel) runs to the mill of Redreland, which pond lies between the pier and the long bridge (inter pirum et longum pontem)</p> <p>Paying Robert an annual rent of 3 pence for all service; the monks have granted him the common benefit of their house, and have received the souls of his ancestors into the brotherhood of their house.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Clericus and Walter Clericus of Burwash (Burg'), Michael de Thorneh', Samson de Gestl', Ralph le Borne, Hugh de Lund', Robert de Walil', Alan de Lund'</p> <p>Seals: A leopard: +SIGILLVM:ROBERTI:DE:OKHAM</p> <p>Endorsed: B [.. above] XXVa; the water of Lym.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/ Ink number: 1498 Pencil number: 1 D number: D86 Thorpe page/entry: 28/5</p>
Box 36 Item 1502	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1230.</p> <p>Description: Walter de Rundenne to the abbot and convent of Robertsbridge</p> <p>A yearly rent of 3 pence which the monks are accustomed to pay him from their fishing-weir (de gorhto suo quod habent ad piscandum) which they have for fishing between their abbey and Udiam (Udyhamme)</p> <p>Witnesses: William de Sokenasse, Robert de Sedelescumbe, Robert de Glotingeham, his son Adam, Michael de Beche, Osbert de Harmere, Ralph Forestarius, John de Sedelescumbe, Alan de Ponte Roberti, Ralph de Ferne, his brother Alan, Henry de Padihamme</p> <p>Seals: Green wax seal showing eight radiating nails; +S' WALTER DE RVMDEN</p> <p>Endorsed: A surmounted with one dot; .IIa.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/15 Ink number: 1502</p>
Box 36 Item 1504	<p>Confirmation by chief lord and grant in free alms. 9 February 1315.</p> <p>Description: John de Britannia, earl of Richmond, lord of the rape of Hastings, to the abbot and convent of Robertsbridge</p> <p>1 All the lands and tenements, services and rents, throughout the rape of Hastings, given by William de Echyngnam, as the charters which they have from him bear witness</p> <p>2 The water of Poukheldebok and the course of the water, and the right to lead it to the pond of their mills of Willingford (Wynhamford) [in Brightling], with all the other waters descending to the mills, provided that the bay (calcetum) is raised no higher than at present</p> <p>3 All actions he has against them for diverting the water of Poukheldebok, now or in future.</p> <p>Witnesses: His knights Sir Robert de Hastang, Sir Peter de Grauntsoun and Sir Robert de Felton, his steward John de Stykeneye, his bailiff of the rape of Hastings Robert de Kersebrok, his chamberlain Matthew de Sancto Egidio, the marshall of his household Oger de Podeyns</p> <p>Seals: Equestrian red wax seal with counterseal protected by a read leather pouch; obverse: mounted figure with heraldic charge on shield and caparison of horse: S' IO ... NIE; reverse: counterseal of arms within a quatrefoil supported by wyverns.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V46 Ink number: 1504 Thorpe page/entry: 62/*</p>

<p>Box 36 Item 1505</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1270.</p> <p>Description: Stephen de Ocham to the abbot and convent of Robertsbridge All the watercourse which runs from his mill of Ockham (Ocham) [in Salehurst]u So that they might make the water run to their abbey as they please and appears to be useful to them, provided that the running of the wheel of his mill is not impeded by the superabundance or reflux of the water running to the abbey. To hold of SO free of all service.</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir Matthew de Hasting', Sir William de Northya, William de Sywelle, his brother Henry, Reynold de Burhasse, Simon de Lunesford, William de Ferrugge, Nicholas Lurdun, Roger de Sokenasse, Hugh de Codyng, John le Funtener, Alan Lambyn, William Venator, Henry Luggere</p> <p>Seals: Red wax vesical-shaped seal showing a bird on a branch surmounted by a crescent; .. STEPhA. .. OChA..</p> <p>Endorsed: Capital B.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V39/30 Ink number: 1505 Thorpe page/entry: 28/*</p>
<p>Box 36 Item 1510</p>	<p>Grant in free alms. Approximately 1210.</p> <p>Description: Simon de Echingham to the monks of Robertsbridge for his own soul and that of his wife Alice 1 the watercourse between Simon's fee of Salehurst (Saleherste) and Ockham (Hocham) and the fee of the monks, about which there was a dispute between the parties 2 the fishery which they hold of the heirs of Robert de Ruenden paying 3 pence a year to the heirs of Ruenden 3 Simon shall retain a moiety of the fish from the other fisheries which have been established or shall be established upon his land and theirs and contribute a moiety of the whole cost 4 the land which they have in alms from Bartholomew Cumin as his charter bears witness.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert abbot of Boxley, Alexander Capellanus, Hugh de Lunesford, Thomas de Echingham', [William de Echingham'] William de Haremer, Robert de Welil', Robert son of Alan</p> <p>Seals: Green wax seal showing a mounted knight; + SIGILL' : SIMVN : ... E ...INGEhAM</p> <p>Endorsed: B surmounted with one dot; .XXVa.; Simon de Echingham'</p> <p>Notes: Robert occurs as abbot of Boxley in 1197 and his death was recorded in 1214: <i>Victoria History of the Counties of England Kent 2</i>, p. 155.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V41/1 Ink number: 1510</p>
<p>Box 36 Item 1519</p>	<p>Confirmation. Approximately 1210 [?1220 in calendar].</p> <p>Description: Adam de Hocham to the abbot and convent of Robertsbridge the grant which his father Robert de Hocham made to the monks of Robertsbridge concerning the water which runs from the Rother (Limenel) to the mill of Retreland [Box 36, Item 1498].</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen de Esburneham, Simon de Wigesell, Robert son of Alan, Ellis Folet, Ralph de Ferne, his brother Simon</p> <p>Seals: White wax seal showing a fleur de lys; +S.. ... OChAM</p> <p>Endorsed: B surmounted with three dots; XXVa; Adam de Hocham</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V36/14</p>

	<p>Ink number: 1519 Thorpe page/entry: 28/4A</p>
<p>Box 36 Item 1520</p>	<p>Inspeximus and confirmation. Approximately 1245.</p> <p>Description: Simon de Echingham to the monks of Robertsbridge for his own soul and that of his wife Alice</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The watercourse between Simon's fee of Salehurst (Saleherste) and Ockham (Ocham) and the fee of the monks, about which there was a dispute between the parties 2 The fishery which they hold of the heirs of Robert de Runden paying 3 pence a year to the heirs of Ruenden 3 Simon shall retain a moiety of the fish from the other fisheries which have been established or shall be established upon his land and theirs and contribute a moiety of the whole cost 4 The land which they have in alms from Bartholomew Cumin as his charter bears witness. <p>Witnesses: Robert abbot of Boxley, Alexander Capellanus, Hugh de Lunesford, Thomas de Echingham', [William de Echingham] William de Haremer, Robert de Welil', Robert son of Alan</p> <p>Witnesses to the confirmation: Sir Fulk Peynfrer, Sir William Aguulun, Sir Thomas Aucher, Sir William de Sokenesse, Ellis de Udimere, Michael de Beche, Ralph de Grestune, Osbert de Haremere, Daniel de Kechenh', Walter de Bernherste, Alan de Ponte Roberti, Walter de Cungherste, Thomas de Wygeselle</p> <p>Seals: Red wax seal showing a star above a crescent; + S'SIMONIS:DE ECHINGGEAM</p> <p>Endorsed: Capital B.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/17 Ink number: 1520</p>
<p>Box 36 Item 1523</p>	<p>Inspeximus and confirmation. 1302-1303.</p> <p>Description: William de Echingham knight, son and heir of William de Echingham, inspects the charter of Stephen de Ocham [Box 36, Item 1505] and its confirmation by his father William [Box 36, Item 1524].</p> <p>Witnesses: Sir Robert de Borghersse, Sir Robert de Passelegh, his brother Sir Robert de Echyngham, Sir Henry Wardedu, Sir William de Hastyngges, Sir John Heryngaud, knights, Simon de Wigeshell, John de Ore, John de Peplisham, Roger Docket, Reynold le Hore, William de Lundesford, John de Belherst, William de Harmere</p> <p>Seals: Green wax seal showing four radiating shields of arms; *: S' WILL'I : DE : ECHINGHAM</p> <p>Endorsed: B</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V44/11 Ink number: 1523 Thorpe page/entry: 54/7</p>
<p>Box 36 Item 1524</p>	<p>Inspeximus and confirmation. Approximately 1277 [between 1275 and 1278].</p> <p>Description: William de Echingham, kt, son and heir of Simon de Echingham, inspects the charter of Stephen de Ocham to the abbot and convent of Robertsbridge: all the watercourse which runs from his mill of Ockham (Ocham) [in Salehurst] [Box 36, Item 1505].</p> <p>William accepts and confirms the grant, granting expressly that they may reinforce with a stone wall as in the heads or extensions of the sills (<i>ut in capitibus seu extromittatibus sullivarum</i>) formerly placed and now being in the water, and construct it as far as the solid ground opposite their sills, at each end of each sill (<i>sulliva</i>), provided that the running of the wheel of the mill of Ockham is not impeded by such building, as is contained in Stephen's charter; should there in future be any hollowing out (<i>concauatio</i>) by the force or use of the water or otherwise by the</p>

	<p>bad workmanship or act of anyone, the monks may repair the dams and enclose as far as the solid land; they may do this standing, dwelling and working in William's land without interference; the monks are not to be impeded by John de Snaves, to whom William intends to demise the adjoining lands for life, but he shall observe all these things; William makes this grant at the instance of Master Ralph de Frenigham by whom they have implored William's grace.</p> <p>Witnesses: Master Ralph de Frenigham the king's justice, Sir Richard le Waleys, Nicholas Wacelin, Simon de Sancto Leodegario, Henry de Bodiham, his brother Geoffrey, Simon de Lundreford</p> <p>Seals: Green wax seal on green silk threads; arms of Etchingham, = S' WILL'I.DE.EChINGEhAM</p> <p>Endorsed: B; super aquam de Ockam tres cartas.</p> <p>Notes: Master Ralph of Farningham occurs as a justice of the common bench between Trinity 1275 and Trinity 1278: Selden Society Supplementary Series 10.59; he was rector of Northiam and appointed the abbot of Robertsbridge his proctor to deal with its temporalities on 14 August 1268: HMC De Lisle 1.113; for his service as a justice, see Paul Brand, 'Courtroom and schoolroom: the education of lawyers in England prior to 1400'; <i>Historical Research</i> 60 147-65 at 162 and note 81. If his hand can be seen in the compromise recorded by Box 36, Item 1528, which considers both the civil and common law aspects of the dispute, then this charter can perhaps be assigned to the same year, 1277.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V37/17 [duplicate number] Ink number: 1524</p>
Box 36 Item 1528	<p>Compromise of disputes. 10 August 1277.</p> <p>Description: Roger abbot of Robertsbridge and Sir William de Echingham Neither party shall proceed against the other in an ecclesiastical or civil court The abbot remits to William and his people the disputes which have arisen between them as a result of the carrying off by Adam de Hokham and Thomas Alan of the hay of four acres of meadow, by which the abbot considers himself, his monks, men and servants aggrieved, in their persons and in their goods.</p> <p>The agreement to be without prejudice to any real actions.</p> <p>Recites: disagreements between their predecessors; considering their nearness the parties think that peace between them would benefit both.</p> <p>Enacted at Robertsbridge.</p> <p>Endorsed: B</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V43 Ink number: 1528 Thorpe page/entry: 49/6</p>

II. Post-Dissolution Papers

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Battle (volumes 15-22)	
Volume 15	Manor of Battle, draft court baron court books, 1631-1678, with memoranda of leases, 1560-1591. 1560-1678. Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9922/1
Volume 15 Part 1	Manor of Battle, draft court baron courtbook. October 1631-March 1639.
Volume 15 Part 2	Copy of a grant to Christopher Wigsell of woodland called Kelkwood in Middleborough, quitrent 13s 4d, heriot and fine each 1 shilling certain for all services, fine 3s 4d; further perpetual sale of the wood and underwood on the tenement, fine 31; copy certified by John Turner, 7 October 1656. 24 January 1538.
Volume 15 Part 3	Manor of Battle, draft court baron courtbook. October 1639-July 1645. Description: On cover: bond in £40 of Thomas Jones of Mountfield, carrier, and John Wilson of Salehurst, innholder, to Thomas Cradock of Battle, carrier, to pay £20 on 29 September at 7½%.
Volume 15 Part 4	Memoranda of leases granted by Lord Montague, and of certain admissions to copyholds. 1560-1591. Description: Barn, yard and the tithes of Castle parish Hastings to John Downton for 21 years at £4 3s 4d; windmill, 60 acres called Hothnock on Fairlight Down, tenement called Betmorris in Hailsham, old churchyard called St Leonards churchyard (1 rod) in Winchelsea, all part of the manor of Brede, to John Downton for 21 years at 16s 8d and six capons, JD to build a cottage for the miller within six years, with memorandum that the lease was signed but not sealed by Magdalen Browne and examined by Roger Bringborne, 27 November 1578; memorandum that John Downton also has without lease Iltonsbath Mill and a piece of land called Eastland paying 32 wethers or 8s 0d a wether at her ladyship's choice; Peperingeye Mill and Park Mill in Battle to his servant John Morryes for 21 years at £10, 27 November 1578; 30¼ acres of marsh called Mydledampfelses, part of Southye in Bexhill, and 34 acres called Hillydampfelses in Bexhill, to John Morryes for 21 years at £12 for Mydledampfelses and 32 fat wethers or 8s 0d a wether for Hillydampfelses, subject to a rent of £2 to the bailiff and jurates of Hastings, 29 March 1586; 20 acres 0 roods 14 perches called North Dam Fields part of the manor of Northye in Bexhill, to John Alfray for 21 years at £8, 1 May 1582 <John Morrys hath the possession>; messuage or cottage called Northye House and two closes or land or marsh (11½ acres), piece of land called The Trade (3½ acres) and 7 acres called The Longfield all in Bexhill to John Graunt at £8, 1 May 1582; manor of Battle admissions of Thomas Gilmore, 7 May 1560, Philip Gilmore and Richard Gilmore, 8 April 1589, Anthony Brythurst, 16 October 1582, John Bournier, 15 December 1579, Anthony Lowe, 8 October 1589 and 8 April 1589; 48 acres marsh called Highfield at Northye in Bexhill to Thomas Wykes for 21 years at £20 16s 0d, 27 November 1578; 3 acres called Little Well Marsh at Barnhorn in Bexhill, lately occupied by John Morbred, to Anthony Loe of Battle for

	<p>21 years at 18s 0d, 16 March 1575; 10 acres called Upper Tegges Marsh at Northye in Bexhill to Anthony Loe of Battle for 21 years at £3, 16 March 1575; land called Milestone in Battle to William Roberthe for 21 years at £1 2s 8d, 21 March 1575; manor of Battle admissions of Anthony Byne 4 April 1581, Richard Aylerd 14 April 1573, 5 April 1569 and 4 June 1577, Edward Feld 16 October 1576, Thomas Baker 26 April 1587, Michael Baker and his wife Jane daughter of John Morbred 6 April 1590, Michael Baker 13 April 1591, Thomas Foster 8 October 1589, Katherine Stempte 27 April 1574, William Heward and his wife Ann 14 April 1573, Thomas Wooddys 21 October 1578, Stephen Humphrey and his wife Margaret 11 April 1571, William Oode otherwise Duke 14 April 1573; lease of 10 acres called The Middle Tegges at Northye in Bexhill to John Spencer for 21 years at 10 fat wethers, 3 July 1575; 14 acres called Further Old Town and Upper Plean at Barnhorn in Bexhill to Richard Frenche for 21 years at £3 13s 4d, 16 March 1575; site and mansion house of the manor of Brede and land, to his servant Ralph Hunt on surrender of a former lease and £160 for 21 years at £7 1s 8d, 31 December 1584; licence to assign the last lease to Ralph Hunt's widow Margaret Hunt, 30 November 1587; six closes of land and marsh (79 acres) part of the manor of Northie in Bexhill to Thomas Mawdesley for 21 years at £13, 1 May 1582 <George Bishop of Northiam occupies this by assignment as he says and has two copyholds in Battle>; The Eleven Acre Brook and Brakey Bothurst otherwise Little Bothurst (30 acres), part of Marley Farm in Battle, to William Saunder for 7 years at £5, 1 April 1589.</p> <p>Begins in the middle of a lease.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Formerly numbered 87</p>
Volume 15 Part 5	<p>Manor of Battle, draft court baron courtbooks interleaved with court papers. October 1656-January 1678.</p> <p>Description: This section of the volume consists of a number of draft minutes, in booklet form, of individual courts, interleaved with presentments signed by the homage, original surrenders and stewards' papers.</p>
Volume 16	<p>Manor of Battle: draft court baron and high court court books. 1677-1689.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9922/2</p>
Volume 16 Part 1	<p>Manor of Battle, draft court baron courtbooks interleaved with court papers. September 1677-September 1689.</p> <p>Description: This section of the volume consists of a number of draft minutes, in booklet form, of individual courts, interleaved with presentments signed by the homage, original surrenders and stewards' papers includes a misfiled court of 22 September 1715, and two gatherings of minutes of the high court, listed as Volume 16, Parts 2-3.</p>
Volume 16 Part 2	<p>High Court minutes interleaved with Volume 16, Part 1, October 1679-October 1680 (out of order). October 1679-October 1680.</p>
Volume 16 Part 3	<p>High Court minutes interleaved with Volume 16, Part 1, July 1682-July 1683 (out of order). July 1682-July 1683.</p>
Volume 16 Part 4	<p>High Court minutes. September 1685-March 1686.</p> <p>Notes: Includes a misfiled minute of a High Court of 1 March 1698.</p>
Volume 17	<p>Manor of Battle: draft court baron and high court court books. 1686-1705.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9922/3</p>
Volume 17 Part 1	<p>Manor of Battle: High Court minutes. October 1686-December 1705.</p>

Volume 17 Part 2	<p>Manor of Battle, draft court baron courtbooks interleaved with court papers. October 1686-October 1696.</p> <p>Description: This section of the volume consists of a number of draft minutes, in booklet form, of individual courts, interleaved with presentments signed by the homage, original surrenders and stewards' papers.</p>
Volume 18	<p>Manor of Battle: draft court baron and high court court books. 1708-1721.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9922/6</p>
Volume 18 Part 1	<p>Manor of Battle: high court court book. October 1711-October 1716.</p> <p>Description: At end: signed by John Cochran, master [? in Chancery], 19 October 1716.</p>
Volume 18 Part 2	<p>Manor of Battle: draft court baron courtbooks interleaved with court papers. September 1708-May 1721.</p> <p>Description: This section of the volume consists of a number of draft minutes, in booklet form, of individual courts, interleaved with presentments signed by the homage, original surrenders and stewards' papers.</p> <p>The booklet for the court of 13 June 1718 endorsed 'the bundle is from 1631 [meaning what is now Volume 15].</p>
Volume 19	<p>Manors of Barnhorn, Swineham and Agmerhurst: draft court book; manor of Barnhorn stewards' papers. 1547-1728.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9922/7</p>
Volume 19 Part 1	<p>Manors of Barnhorn, Swineham and Agmerhurst: draft court book. October 1547-September 1598.</p>
Volume 19 Part 2	<p>Manor of Barnhorn: draft court baron courtbooks interleaved with court papers. November 1636-October 1728.</p> <p>Description: This section of the volume consists of a number of draft minutes, in booklet form, of individual courts, interleaved with presentments signed by the homage, original surrenders and stewards' papers the booklet for the courts beginning 1701 is endorsed by Ralph Stapler: in hisce intrationibus exscribendis, vide si ne annuales redditus omittantur quos si mihi innotuissent, inferni, si forte aliquos non bene calleas sustrahineum censale, tibi auxilio erit.</p>
Volume 20	<p>Manors of Battle and Barnhorn: draft court baron courtbooks; manor of Battle: high court court books. 1689-1714.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9922/4</p>
Volume 20 Part 1	<p>Manor of Battle, draft court baron courtbooks interleaved with court papers. September 1697-September 1707.</p> <p>Description: This section of the volume consists of a number of draft minutes, in booklet form, of individual courts, interleaved with presentments signed by the homage, original surrenders and stewards' papers.</p>
Volume 20 Part 2	<p>Manor of Barnhorn: draft court baron courtbooks interleaved with court papers. March 1689-September 1700.</p> <p>Description: This section of the volume consists of a number of draft minutes, in booklet form, of individual courts, interleaved with presentments signed by the homage, original surrenders and stewards' papers.</p>
Volume 20 Part 3	<p>Manor of Battle, draft court baron courtbooks interleaved with court papers. September 1708-October 1714.</p>

	<p>Description: This section of the volume consists of a number of draft minutes, in booklet form, of individual courts, interleaved with presentments signed by the homage, original surrenders and stewards' papers.</p>
Volume 20 Part 4	<p>Manor of Battle: high court court book. January 1706-September 1711.</p>
Volume 21	<p>Manors of Battle and Barnhorn: draft court baron courtbooks and stewards' papers, with other documents concerning the Battle and Essex estates. Approximately 1620-1766.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9922/5</p>
Volume 21 Part 1	<p>Manor of Battle: draft court baron courtbooks interleaved with court papers. March 1721-October 1737.</p> <p>Description: This section of the volume consists of a number of draft minutes, in booklet form, of individual courts, interleaved with presentments signed by the homage, original surrenders and stewards' papers at end: extensive presentment by Arthur Darrel, Robert Braban, R Welsh, William Eldredge and John Colget of timber felled and 'bowed' [having boughs removed] without assignment on copyholds of the manor of Battle, approximately 1735.</p>
Volume 21 Part 2	<p>Undated stewards' papers, manors of Battle and Barnhorn. 1680s.</p>
Volume 21 Part 3	<p>Draft lease for 21 years from 29 September last at £[blank]. Approximately 1623 [between 1623 and 1631].</p> <p>Description: Robert Brooke of Hertford, kt, Francis Plowden of Shiplake in Oxfordshire, esq, and John Southcott of Merstham in Surrey, esq and Thomas Stitche, gent, to Robert Miller of Dunmow Priory in Essex, yeoman</p> <p>Capital messuage or mansion called Ongar Park Hall in Stanford Rivers, and fields called The Dovehouse Mead (4 acres 3 roods 36 perches), Pond Field (12 acres 0 roods 20 perches), Great Reddreux (29 acres 3 roods), Little Reddreux (18 acres 0 roods 26 perches), Hill Field (13 acres 0 roods 32 perches), Cow Leaze and Cow Leaze Mead (23 acres 3 roods 20 perches), Dennnis Bottom (13 acres 2 roods), Dennis Field (22 acres 3 roods 24 perches), Dennis Mead (8 acres 2 roods), Stackfield (20 acres 1 roods 10 perches), The Great Mead (23 acres 3 roods), Night Lease (13 acres 0 roods 29 perches), The Conny Earth (14 acres 3 roods), New Field (13 acres 2 roods), Gravelly Field (12 acres 1 roods 7 perches), Seven Acres (9 acres 0 roods 15 perches), Little Park with the adjoining Hoppett (8 acres 2 roods), The Walk Hoppett (2 acres 0 roods 5 perches), The Hill (4 acres 1 roods), The Lower Park <Farm Field> (13 acres 3 roods 27 perches), Pond Field (10 acres 1 roods 14 perches), The Cartehouse Field (16 acres 3 roods 14 perches), The Lower Park (25 acres 2 roods 20 perches), Heardsfield (20 acres 1 roods 36 perches), Playstalls (19 acres 3 roods 30 perches), Sheltons Close and Bushfield <Gibbens Field and Birds Field> (13 acres 2 roods 53 perches), in all 400 acres in Stanford Rivers and High Ongar, occupied by RM, except a tenement called The Dayrie House and the Upper Barn, occupied by Andrew Wigge</p> <p>Wood, underwood, timber and trees reserved; <fowling, hawking, hunting and fishing of the great pond near the house and the New Pond in the park, unless it be within 10 rods of the coney earths or burrows already cast up and planted on the land adjoining that occupied by Andrew Wigge>; penalty of £2 an acre for ploughing meadow without licence; lessors to provide sufficient timber to build an addition to a small tenement, house or building called The Lodge, consisting of three lower rooms 28 feet x 18 feet, and two upper rooms or chambers of the same dimensions, to make it a convenient dwelling-house; [clause charging Mary countess of Buckingham with liability for the costs of tithe-suits <i>deleted</i>].</p> <p>Endorsed: [Mary countess of Buckingham <i>deleted</i>]; all of Hall Farm with some of Lodge Farm, no rent expressed.</p> <p>Related materials: In the reign of James 1 the lessors were plaintiffs in a Chancery action</p>

	relating to the manor of Ongar Park: The National Archives C 2/Jasl/B35/39
Volume 21 Part 4	<p>Correspondence of Sir Whistler Webster with John Churchill of Hints in Staffordshire, concerning a lease of Robertsbridge furnace and forge. November 1753-May 1754.</p> <p>Description: JC has heard from John Botton of Duffield in Derbyshire that WW has a furnace and forge to let; JC rents a forge at Hints from Robert Lawley bt who lives in Cavendish Square and a furnace at West Bromwich from Samuel Clarke esq of Great Ormond Street; requests details of WW's works; 14 November 1753.</p> <p>Now that he is no longer in negotiations with a prospective tenants, WW sends details of the furnace and forge, and the cost and availability of wood and mine; 27 January 1754.</p> <p>Notes for a reply to a prospective tenant of the furnace and forge; [1753-1754].</p> <p>Copy letter from WW to GW [George Worge] to transmit to Mr Cotton, with details of the furnace and forge, now tenanted by Mr [George] Jukes, who with his brothers [William and George Jukes] have been tenants for a great many years; 'this is a very deep country in the winter and that this furnace has the aadvantage of all others in this neighbourhood by having he convenience of water carriage to Rye Harbour by which means the guns etc made there can be got to the market sooner and cheaper than from the others'; [1754].</p> <p>Copy letter as the last from WW to Thomas Braxton at Titchfield near Fareham, Hampshire, with details of the furnace and forge; 'I saw you an application [sic] from another person desirous of treating for the works'; Battle Abbey 20 November 1753.</p> <p>Notes for replies to prospective tenants; [1753-1754].</p> <p>JC, Hints, to WW, Battle Abbey; has heard from George Jukes that WW considers a meeting at Robertsbridge is necessary to settle the affair, but he is happy to leave it to them; 8 April 1754.</p> <p>JC, Hints, to WW, Battle Abbey; proposes a meeting at Robertsbridge on 17 June when he will be in Sussex; George Jukes told JC in London that he hoped WW had the inventory safe, as his was destroyed by fire; 'I hope there will be no dispute about puttin up another finery, as John Lavender tells me that there was always two, til one was pulled down by Mr Jukes's order and an air furnace built in the place, which is since taken away'; would prefer the chacoal shed to be moved further from the furnace to lessen the risk of fire; 20 May 1754.</p> <p>WW, Battle Abbey, to JC; report of his meeting with George Jukes and encourages him to come to Robertsbridge to see if he wants any of the stock; should the coal house be repaired?; 8 May 1754.</p>
Volume 21 Part 5	<p>Copy of customal of Battle Manor, allowed by Anthony [Browne] Viscount Montague and his tenants at a court held on Wednesday in Palm Week in the presence of John Skinner, esq, high steward, John Jeffery, esq, one of the lord's council and William Denton, gent, surveyor, 29 March 1564. Approximately 1720.</p>
Volume 21 Part 6	<p>Bond in £40 on a conditional surrender for £20, manor of Battle. 26 September 1766.</p> <p>Description: John Benden of Battle, yeoman, to William Easton of Battle, gent Messuage in two dwellings in the borough of Mountjoy occupied by George Philcox and Robert Frank.</p> <p>Witnesses: Joseph Acton, Robert Wakeling</p> <p>Endorsed: receipts for interest, 1767-1768.</p>
Volume 21 Part 7	<p>Abstract of Mrs Frances Newington's title to property in Battle, [purchased by Thomas Webster 24-25 July 1723]. [July 1723].</p>

	<p>Description: Chaunces (18 acres), copyhold of the manor of Battle (Richard Boys - William Langham - Elizabeth Smith - Joseph Newington and his wife Alice - Thomas Austen and his wife Frances - Joseph Newington - Goddard Newington - Samuel Newington - his daughter Frances Newington), 1620-1694.</p> <p>Freehold barn and 52 acres called Watteses in Battle (John Boys - John Thatcher - William Langham - Alice Newington - Joseph Newington - Samuel Newington - his daughter Frances Newington), 1603-1714.</p> <p>Drawn by [George] Tilden, approved by Nathaniel Pigot [of counsel for the purchaser Thomas Webster], left by Mr [Thomas] Frewen for Sir Thomas Webster.</p> <p>Related materials: For documents relating to these properties, 1559-1723, including the conveyance to Thomas Webster, see Volume 67, Items 2A-B, Volume 68, Items 20A-C and Item 25, Volume 69, Item 34, Volume 70, Items 8-9, Volume 76, Item 2, and Volume 76, Items 3A-B.</p>
Volume 22	<p>Manor of Battle view of frankpledge: draft minutes, original presentments and estreats. September 1700-October 1727.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9922/8</p>
Agmerhurst (volume 26)	
Volume 26	<p>Manor of Agmerhurst: draft court baron court book interleaved with presentments, original surrenders and steward's papers. May 1627-October 1723.</p> <p>Description: A gathering after the first court is a transcript by the steward Thomas Jenkin, approximately 1710, of the courts for 1627-1709; it also includes courts for the manor of Barnhorne, October 1656, and Stone by Hastings, September 1709 and (in a different hand) September 1710.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9925</p>
b. Accounts and rentals (volumes 3-25)	
Volume 3	<p>Accounts of the Webster family at Copthall in Essex and Battle and East Grinstead in Sussex. 1710-1739.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9917</p>
Volume 3 Part 1	<p>Receipts for wages signed by servants [at Copthall in Essex]. January 1711-November 1722.</p> <p>Description: Includes Anne Pennington 29 January 1711 who by 18 April 1712 had married [John] Wilton, and Elizabeth Whitney, 20 May 1711, who by 18 April 1712 had married Thomas Johnson.</p>
Volume 3 Part 2	<p>Receipts by tradesmen for sums received on account; includes servants' wages from 1723. November 1710 -June 1730.</p>
Volume 3 Part 3	<p>Account of receipts (rent, with allowances, and stock) and payments, including expenses attendant on the purchase of the Battle Estate. November 1720-December 1723.</p> <p>Description: Includes rental income from Essex and London; expenditure includes shipping and trading activities, and paid Lord Mountague for all the goods in Battle Place', 11 February 1721, and £2920 paid Viscount Montague, 21 February 1721, £4080 23 February 1721; Nelmes tradesmen paid in full 18 April 1721; paid the churchwardens of St James [Piccadilly] for my gallery £40 and for trouble £5 5s 0d; Lord Montague for the stock at Battle £565; Lord Montague £104376, 24 May 1721; Nathaniel Pigot esq for fine he disbursed to the Crown for the Battle Estate £45 15s 0d; carried with me to Battle £50 4 July 1721; paid for livery buttons Mr Tuthill £1</p>

	<p>8s 0d, 6 September 1721; paid Mrs Bluck for boxes for the orange trees painting etc £5 17 October 1721; Mr [Richard] Budgen surveyor on account £15 15s 0d 8 June 1722; Mr Trumbald [Anthony Trumble] undersheriff the post-fine for Battle £33, 27 November 1722; Lord Montague on account of interest £516 15s 0d 13 December 1722; carried down with me to Battle to pay for land bought of Mrs Newington £360 15 August 1723; taken down to Battle £72; paid Mr [Richard] Budgen surveyor £15 15s 0d 4 December 1723.</p>
Volume 3 Part 4	<p>Receipts for rent, East Grinstead estate, with allowances to tenants. October 1739-January 1748.</p> <p>Description: Includes details of new leases to Mary Langridge and her son Richard Martin for the land at The Cat and The Limes, the house to be pulled down, 6 October 1740; George and Richard Tapsell for Norris's farm and Richard Austin's farm, Austin's house to be pulled down but the barn repaired, 6 October 1740; horse-hire for carrying live rabbits to Battle, 5 October 1741 followed by the same information presented in ledger form by tenant to 1745 only, with an index of tenants' names.</p> <p>Related materials: For a settlement of the East Grinstead estate, 1760, naming most of the tenants listed here as occupiers, see East Sussex Record Office WHL 107,</p>
Volume 4	<p>Accounts of the Webster family at Copthall in Essex and Battle in Sussex. 1724-1737.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9918</p>
Volume 4 Part 1	<p>Account of receipts (omitted after April 1730) and payments, foliated 1-115. January 1724-December 1734.</p> <p>Description: Income for rent from properties in Essex, London, Hampshire, Somerset and Hertfordshire, and from mercantile and commercial activities; expenses include rates and taxes, business expenditure including iron, and personal expenditure, including Battle tradesmen.</p>
Volume 4 Part 2	<p>Furnace memoranda. 1728-1737.</p> <p>Description: At front: memorandum of the receipt of six heriots on the deaths of Mr Lake, Lord Ashburnham and Wood of Barnhorn, approximately 1730.</p> <p>Estimate of the quantity of wood felled in 1728.</p> <p>Memorandum blowed in at Robertsbridge Furnace 24 October 1728 at 2 oclock afternoon'.</p> <p>Alum plates weighed at Beech Furnace [in Battle], 'the blow begun as above', 7 November 1728. List of alum plates weighed 16 November 1728.</p> <p>Plates, hammers and pigs cast at Beech [in Battle], 9 November 1728.</p> <p>Lists of fish taken from Old Powder Mill Pond, the Furnace Pond at Robertsbridge, the New Pond at Robertsbridge, and placed in other named ponds including the moat at Bodiam Castle; November 1735-March 1737.</p>
Volume 4 Part 3	<p>Furnace and estate memoranda and accounts. 1726-1733.</p> <p>Description: Memorandum of the carriage of Cowland and the Duke of Dorset's wood to Robertsbridge Furnace [by] Mr Davis, Mr Foster and Mr Caley [by boat]; John Bean maltster at Alfriston; 23 December 1731.</p> <p>Calculation of charges of wages etc at a furnace 'when she goes on sand work'; memoranda regarding wood-cutting, observations about moulders work when on guns and loom work, other memoranda about casting; [1726].</p> <p>Charges of the forge and river at Robertsbridge, charge of the Redland and Abbey floodgates built by the wagons; 1726.</p> <p>Costed specification for repairs to Beech Farmhouse and furnace; account with Joseph Snapp for</p>

	<p>ironworking and equipment; account of various expenditure, including a year's salary to Grayling of Hastings, purchase of a piece of land near Bodiam Castle, to [William] Foord the night before he went into Monmouthshire, Bennet for building my boat, wages of Richard Latham coachman, William Page for purchase of a copyhold at Robertsbridge called Applemills, Foord on account of Robertsbridge Works; August-October 1726.</p> <p>Robertsbridge and Beech Furnace expenditure account, February 1728-December 1733, including [Bodiam and Ewhurst] rent account, 12 July 1728.</p>
Volume 5	<p>Extracts from Battle court rolls, 1247-1580. 1538-1591.</p> <p>Description: This volume was compiled by five hands; entries 1-2965 (to 8 August 1538); 2966-3739 (to 11 April 1570); 3740-3941 (to 16 October 1576); 3942-4038 (to 28 April 1579) and 4039-4068 (to 12 April 1580).</p> <p>At front: 15 entries numbered 9-14, 28-29E3; it is clear from the cross-reference later in the book at entry 574 that there were originally two pages, of which this is the second.</p> <p>At rear: notes, mostly in hand 4 (see above) of precedents from the preceding entries; text of the abjuration of Thomas Smalwode of Peasmarsh before John Bokeland, coroner, 4 January 1486; inquest before John Wyldgose, coroner, on the body of Nicholas Baker, an alien, 4 July 1507; expansion of the text of entry 1013, the challenge by the bailiff of Battle of unsealed cloth seized by the sub-ultnager of the Rape of Hastings, 1403; proofs that alehouse licences, fines and common recoveries take place in the Battle court, citing precedents 1576-1591.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Originally numbered 82</p>
Volume 6	<p>Accounts of the Browne family at Poynings and Battle, and yearly accounts of the Battle Estate. 1657-1711.</p> <p>Description: Part 3 onwards is all Battle.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps 9920/1</p>
Volume 6 Part 1	<p>Accounts of Paul Adams for the Browne family at Poynings, London and Cowdray. 1657-1658.</p> <p>Description: Account of extraordinary disbursements in going to Poynings and at Poynings during the time of my lords being here; includes servants' wages with signatures; 18 July-2 October 1657.</p> <p>Beginning the extraordinary accounts for the house here at London when we came from Lodg; expenditure only; includes servants' wages with signatures; 17 October 1657-9 July 1658.</p> <p>List of receipts of cash for the use of the house here at Poynings, 19 July 1657-10 July 1658.</p>
Volume 6 Part 2	<p>Account of extraordinary receipts and disbursements at Battle, tabulated by type of expenditure, including annuities and pensions. 1674-1675.</p>
Volume 6 Part 3	<p>Rental of farms of demesne land in the manors of Battle and Barnhorn. 25 March 1676-25 March 1677.</p> <p>Description: Includes an account by Ralph Stapler of the corn taken from George Christopher for rent due on 29 September 1679, 1 October 1680.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Originally numbered 81</p>
Volume 6 Part 4	<p>Account [of James Richardson] of disbursements at Battle, tabulated by types of expenditure, including annuities and pensions, and receipts. 1677-1678.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Originally numbered 83</p>

Volume 6 Part 5	<p>Account [of James Richardson] of disbursements at Battle, tabulated by types of expenditure, including annuities and pensions, and receipts, including heriots. 1678-1679.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Originally numbered 70</p>
Volume 6 Part 6	<p>Account [of James Richardson] of disbursements at Battle, tabulated by types of expenditure, including annuities and pensions, and receipts, including heriots. [?1680-1681].</p>
Volume 6 Part 7	<p>Account [of James Richardson] of disbursements at Battle, tabulated by types of expenditure, including annuities and pensions, and receipts, including heriots and other manorial revenue. 1679-1680.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Originally numbered 69</p>
Volume 6 Part 8	<p>Account [of James Richardson] for work (carriage, ploughing and harrowing) done since October 1680. 1680-1681.</p> <p>Description: With calculation of the cost of cutting Little Brands Wood at 1s 3d a cord, and a voucher of George Jones for thatching.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Originally numbered 71</p>
Volume 6 Part 9	<p>Account [of James Richardson] of disbursements at Battle, tabulated by types of expenditure, including annuities and pensions, and receipts, including heriots and other manorial revenue. 1681-1682.</p> <p>Description: Includes a voucher of Alexander Puxty for £2 10s 8d for goods for James Richardson, 4 May 1682.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Originally numbered 73</p>
Volume 6 Part 10	<p>Account [of James Richardson] of disbursements at Battle, tabulated by types of expenditure, including annuities and pensions, and receipts, including heriots and other manorial revenue. 1682-1683.</p> <p>Description: Includes vouchers of Goodman Badcock for fencing and William Watson [dean of Battle] for his pension, 29 September 1682.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Originally numbered 68</p>
Volume 6 Part 11	<p>Account of Thomas Coolstock for cutting and coaling in Little Brands Wood [Battle]. 1681-1684.</p> <p>Description: With details of sales of charcoal and cordwood.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Originally numbered 75</p>
Volume 6 Part 12	<p>Account of disbursements at Battle, tabulated by types of expenditure, including annuities and pensions, and receipts, including heriots and other manorial revenue. 1685-1686.</p> <p>Description: Includes voucher of Ralph Stapler for thatching done by George Jones on the Park Barn and Sextry Barn, 16 September 1682; account for £27 10s 8d spent on 'taking down timber, stone, leads etc' at Battle house, including pulling down the chimneys in the old kitchen, October 1685, March 1686, with an account of sales of the materials for £71 4s 8d, October 1685-October 1686; annotated, approximately 1835 'the old abbey kitchen'.</p>
Volume 6 Part 13	<p>Account of disbursements at Battle, tabulated by types of expenditure, including annuities and pensions, and receipts, including heriots and other manorial revenue. 1686-1687.</p>

Volume 6 Part 14	Account of receipts, including arrears of rent, tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines, heriots and tolls of the market and fair; with duplicate. 1699-1701.
Volume 6 Part 15	Summary of Ralph Stapler's accounts of receipts and expenditure. 25 March 1700-25 March 1701. Description: Including arrears of rents (divided by Battle, Barnhorn and Battle tithes).
Volume 6 Part 16	Account of receipts and disbursements, including arrears of rent, tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines, heriots and tolls of the market and fair. 1700-1701.
Volume 6 Part 17	Account of receipts and disbursements, including arrears of rent, tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines, heriots and tolls of the market and fair. 1701-1702. Description: Includes payments to Robert Clarke the founder at Beech Furnace for making equipment for Poppinghole Hammer, May 1702, and Richard Hay for sow iron, hammer and anvils for Poppinghole Hammer, September 1702.
Volume 6 Part 18	Account of receipts and disbursements, including arrears of rent, tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines, heriots and tolls of the market and fair. 1702-1703.
Volume 6 Part 19	Account of receipts and disbursements, including arrears of rent, tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines, heriots and tolls of the market and fair. 1703-1704.
Volume 6 Part 20	Account of receipts and disbursements, including arrears of rent, tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines, heriots and tolls of the market and fair. 1704-1705.
Volume 6 Part 21	Account of receipts and disbursements, including arrears of rent, tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines, heriots and tolls of the market and fair. 1705-1706.
Volume 6 Part 22	Account of receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines, heriots and tolls of the market and fair. 25 March-29 September 1709.
Volume 6 Part 23	Farm rentals. 25 March and 29 September 1710.
Volume 6 Part 24	Account of receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines, heriots and tolls of the market and fair. 29 September 1710-25 March 1711. Description: Includes £222 5s 0d for building work at Battle Place.
Volume 7	Half-yearly accounts of the Battle Estate. 1711-1720. Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9920/2
Volume 7 Part 1	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1711. Description: Between folios 10-11: summary of charge and discharge of the account of James Ashenden, 25 March-29 September 1709, allowed by Nicholas Jackson 15 November 1709, and a list of rents due 25 March 1709 includes £340 5s 4d for building work at Battle Place.

Volume 7 Part 2	<p>Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1711-March 1712.</p> <p>Description: At end: rental, 25 March 1714; tithe 'as it was agreed for' July 1711; summary of charge and discharge of the account of James Ashenden, 29 September 1710-25 March 1711, allowed by Nicholas Jackson 15 October 1712; rentals, 25 March 1713, 29 September 1713.</p>
Volume 7 Part 3	<p>Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1714.</p> <p>Description: Between folios 7-8: rentals, 25 March and 29 September 1714.</p>
Volume 7 Part 4	<p>Account [of James Ashenden] for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1714 - March 1715.</p> <p>Related materials: Volume 7, Part 5 is a duplicate.</p>
Volume 7 Part 5	<p>Account [of James Ashenden] for receipts and disbursements [Duplicate of Volume 7, Part 4]. September 1714-March 1715.</p> <p>Description: At end: summary of charge and discharge of the account of James Ashenden, 25 March 1715-29 September 1715; rentals, 25 March 1715, 29 September 1715; list of stock in hand 29 September 1717, stock bought and sold since, stock in hand 29 September 1718.</p>
Volume 7 Part 6	<p>Account [of James Ashenden] for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1715.</p> <p>Description: Inserted at end: summary of charge and discharge of the account of James Ashenden, 29 September 1715-25 March 1716.</p>
Volume 7 Part 7	<p>Account [of James Ashenden] for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1715-March 1716.</p> <p>Description: At end: rentals, 25 March 1716 and 29 September 1716.</p>
Volume 7 Part 8	<p>Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1716.</p> <p>Description: Allowed by Nicholas Jackson, 30 September 1717 at end: rental, 25 March 1716.</p>
Volume 7 Part 9	<p>Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1716-March 1717.</p> <p>Description: Allowed by Nicholas Jackson, 30 September 1717.</p>
Volume 7 Part 10	<p>Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1717.</p> <p>Description: Allowed by Nicholas Jackson, 3 October 1718 at end: rentals, 25 March 1717, 29 September 1717.</p>
Volume 7 Part 11	<p>Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1717-March 1718.</p> <p>Description: Allowed by Nicholas Jackson, 3 October 1718.</p>
Volume 7 Part 12	<p>Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1718.</p> <p>Description: Building account includes Joseph Griffin, plumber, for healing part of the chancel [of Battle church], £26 11s 6d at end: rental, 29 September 1718.</p>

Volume 7 Part 13	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1718-March 1719. Description: At front: summary account and rental, 25 March 1718.
Volume 7 Part 14	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1719. Description: Inserted at end: summary of charge and discharge of the account of James Ashenden, 25 March 1718-28 September 1718, allowed by Nicholas Jackson, 27 July 1719.
Volume 7 Part 15	Account of timber delivered and measured to Mr Osbourn and Mr Bine, listing number of trees and quantity of timber. Approximately 1720.
Volume 7 Part 16	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1719-March 1720. Description: Between folios 17-18: rentals, 25 March 1719 and 29 September 1719.
Volume 7 Part 17	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1720-March 1721. Description: At end: rental, 29 September 1720.
Volume 8	Half-yearly accounts of the Battle Estate, 1721-1725, furnace accounts, 1723-1729, tithe lists and rentals. 1721-1729. Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9920/3
Volume 8 Part 1	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots, with duplicate. March-September 1721. Related materials: For duplicate, see Volume 8, Part 2.
Volume 8 Part 2	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 8, Part 1]. March-September 1721. Description: At end: Battle tithe as it is agreed for, 1721; rentals, 25 March 1721, 29 September 1721.
Volume 8 Part 3	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1721-March 1722. Related materials: For duplicate, see Volume 8, Part 5.
Volume 8 Part 4	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March 1721-January 1728.
Volume 8 Part 5	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate account as Volume 8, Part 3]. September 1721-March 1722. Description: At end: summary of charge and discharge of the account of James Ashenden, 25 March 1721-28 September 1721; rentals, 25 March 1722 and 29 September 1722; summary for this account and for the next.
Volume 8 Part 6	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1722. Description: Building account includes building the new house in the park, including bringing deals from Brede Bridge. Related materials: For duplicate, see Volume 8, Part 8.

Volume 8 Part 7	<p>Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1722-March 1723.</p> <p>Description: Building account includes further work on the new house, pulling down the mill and buying an old mill from John Michell for £23 1s 0d.</p> <p>Related materials: For duplicate, see Volume 8, Part 9.</p>
Volume 8 Part 8	<p>Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 8, Part 6]. March-September 1722.</p> <p>Related materials: Volume 8, Part 14 is a duplicate.</p>
Volume 8 Part 9	<p>Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 8, Part 7]. September 1722-March 1723.</p> <p>Description: At end: rentals, 25 March 1723 and 29 September 1723.</p>
Volume 8 Part 10	<p>Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1723.</p> <p>Description: Building account includes James Roads and John Page for building the windmill, William Danes for building Master Tassell's malt-house, and stones for the chancel [of Battle church].</p>
Volume 8 Part 11	<p>Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1723-March 1724.</p> <p>Description: Building account includes Ambrose Galloway for two Collin millstones, and carriage of materials to the malthouse, wainhouse and barn in the park.</p> <p>Related materials: For duplicate, see Volume 8, Part 12.</p>
Volume 8 Part 12	<p>Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 8, Part 11]. September 1723-March 1724.</p> <p>Description: Inserted at end: lists of Battle tithes, 1723 and 1724, rentals 25 March 1724 and 29 September 1724, in duplicate.</p>
Volume 8 Part 13	<p>Furnace receipt and expenditure account. October 1723-September 1727.</p> <p>Description: The accounts cover the establishment of Beech Furnace in Battle but also include the carriage of materials to Ashburnham Furnace, and to Robertsbridge Furnace from November 1726.</p> <p>Related materials: For a draft for this account, with signatures of receipt for payments, October 1723-March 1729, see Volume 8, Part 20; Volume 8, Part 15, includes data from this account.</p>
Volume 8 Part 14	<p>Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 8, Part 8]. March-September 1723.</p>
Volume 8 Part 15	<p>Furnace receipt and expenditure ledger by activity. September 1724-January 1725.</p> <p>Description: Includes data from Volume 8, Part 13; includes expenditure 'when Mr Hussey was at the furnace to see what things should be left', and [Samuel] Brewer for drawing the articles with Mr [Richard] Hay.</p>
Volume 8 Part 16	<p>Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1724.</p> <p>Description: At front: summary account, March-September 1724.</p> <p>Related materials: For duplicate, see Volume 8, Part 17.</p>
Volume 8 Part 17	<p>Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 8, Part 16]. March-September 1724.</p>

Volume 8 Part 18	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1724-March 1725. Related materials: For draft of this account, see Volume 8, Part 19.
Volume 8 Part 19	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [draft for Volume 8, Part 18]. September 1724-March 1725.
Volume 8 Part 20	Draft furnace receipt and expenditure journal, with signatures of receipt for payments for wood, mine, coaling, and carriage. October 1723-March 1729. Description: Includes data from Volume 8, Part 13. Related material: For its successor, see Volume 10, Part 2.
Volume 8 Part 21	[Battle] tithe 'as it is agreed for the year 1725'. 1725
Volume 9	Half-yearly accounts of the Battle Estate, tithe lists and rentals. 1725-1729. Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9920/4
Volume 9 Part 1	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1725-March 1726. Description: At front: summary account, September 1725-March 1726. Related materials: Volume 9, Part 2 is a duplicate.
Volume 9 Part 2	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 9, Part 1]. September 1725-March 1726. Description: At end: rentals, 25 March 1725, 29 September 1725, in duplicate.
Volume 9 Part 3	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1725. Description: At front: summary account, March-September 1725. Related materials: Volume 9, Part 4 is a duplicate.
Volume 9 Part 4	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 9, Part 3]. March-September 1725. Description: At end: summary accounts, March-September 1726, September 1725-March 1726; rentals, 25 March 1726, 29 September 1726, in duplicate; [Battle] tithe as it was agreed for in 1726.
Volume 9 Part 5	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1726. Description: Building account includes work at Robertsbridge Forge quitrents of the manors of Ewhurst and Bodiam included from this account onwards. Related materials: For a duplicate, see Volume 9, Part 8.
Volume 9 Part 6	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1726-March 1727. Description: Building account includes William Danes and Thomas Croft for building the forge at Robertsbridge Forge, repairs by order of [the previous owner] John Sambrooke, treenails for the boat. Related materials: For a duplicate, see Volume 9, Part 9.
Volume 9 Part 7	Account of receipts and payments for Udimore Park Wood. October 1726-October 1727. Description: At rear, in reverse: account of receipts and disbursements for Mr Hussey, Udimore Park Wood, May-July 1726.

Volume 9 Part 8	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 9, Part 5]. March-September 1726. Description: At end: rentals, 25 March 1726 and 29 September 1726.
Volume 9 Part 9	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 9, Part 6]. September 1726-March 1727. Description: At end: list of receipts and payments not in the account, September 1727, December 1727; [Battle] tithe as it is agreed in 1727; rental, 29 September 1727.
Volume 9 Part 10	Journal of receipts and payments. April 1727-March 1730. Related materials: Volume 9, Part 13 duplicates the entries of this journal.
Volume 9 Part 11	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1727. Related materials: Volume 9, Part 14 is a duplicate.
Volume 9 Part 12	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1727-March 1728. Description: Building account includes work at Robertsbridge Furnace and Forge including stonework for three pairs of floodgates inserted between pages 19-20: list of kiln faggots supplied by Robert Bures, Peter Weaver, Thomas Crowhurst, James Purple and Edward Elregge, 22 May 1732. Related materials: For a duplicate, see Volume 9, Part 15.
Volume 9 Part 13	Journal of receipts and payments. April-September 1727. Description: Duplicate of the entries in Volume 9, Part 10.
Volume 9 Part 14	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 9, Part 11]. March-September 1727.
Volume 9 Part 15	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 9, Part 12]. September 1727-March 1728. Description: At end: Battle tithe as agreed 1727; rentals, 25 March 1727, 29 September 1727 (in duplicate).
Volume 9 Part 16	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1728. Description: At end: rentals, 25 March 1728, 29 September 1728 (in duplicate). Related materials: For duplicate, see Volume 9, Part 17.
Volume 9 Part 17	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 9, Part 16]. March-September 1728.
Volume 9 Part 18	Account of receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1728-March 1729. Description: At end: Battle tithe as agreed for 1728; rentals, 25 March 1728, 29 September 1728 (in duplicate). Related materials: Volume 9, Part 19 is a duplicate; Volume 10, Part 1 is a summary account.
Volume 9 Part 19	Account of receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 9, Part 18]. September 1728- March 1729.
Volume 10	Half-yearly accounts of the Battle Estate, 1729-1734, furnace accounts, 1729-1733, tithe lists and rentals. 1729-1734. Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9920/5

Volume 10 Part 1	Summary account for 1728-1729 [as Volume 9, Part 18]. September 1728-March 1729. Description: At end: [Battle] tithe as agreed for 1729; rentals, 25 March 1729, 29 September 1729 (in duplicate).
Volume 10 Part 2	Furnace receipts and payments journal, with signatures of receipt for payments for wood, mine, coaling and carriage, interleaved with half-yearly summary accounts and rentals. June 1729-March 1733. Description: Inserted: receipt by John Marshall for topwood cut in the Earl of Thanet's woodland, 10 October 1729; letter from Joseph Mercer to James Ashenden to pay the bearer John Brooke for cordwood, 7 October 1729; rentals, 25 March 1729; summary account, March-September 1729, September 1728-Mar 1729; rental, 25 March 1730; summary account, March-September 1730, September 1729-March 1730; rental 29 September 1730, 25 March 1730 (in duplicate); rental, 25 March 1731 (in duplicate). Related materials: For its predecessor, see Volume 8, Part 20; for its successor, see Volume 11, Part 14.
Volume 10 Part 3	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1729. Related materials: For duplicate, see Volume 10, Part 4.
Volume 10 Part 4	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 10, Part 3]. March-September 1729.
Volume 10 Part 5	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1729-March 1730. Related materials: For duplicate, see Volume 10, Part 6.
Volume 10 Part 6	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 10, Part 5]. September 1729-March 1730. Description: At end: [Battle] tithes as agreed 1730; rentals, 25 March 1730, 29 September 1730 (in duplicate).
Volume 10 Part 7	Journal of receipts and payments. March 1730-September 1734.
Volume 10 Part 8	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1730. Related materials: For duplicate, see Volume 10, Part 9.
Volume 10 Part 9	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 10, Part 8]. March-September 1730.
Volume 10 Part 10	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1730-March 1731. Related materials: For duplicate, see Volume 10, Part 11.
Volume 10 Part 11	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 10, Part 10]. September 1730-March 1731.
Volume 11	Half-yearly accounts of the Battle Estate and other accounts. 1731-1736. Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9920/6

Volume 11 Part 1	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1731. Related materials: For draft of account, see Volume 11, Part 2.
Volume 11 Part 2	Draft for account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [Volume 11, Part 1]. March-September 1731. Description: At end: Battle tithes as agreed 1731; rentals, 25 March 1731, 29 September 1731; summary accounts, September 1730-March 1731, March-September 1731.
Volume 11 Part 3	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1731-March 1732. Related materials: For draft of account, see Volume 11, Part 4.
Volume 11 Part 4	Draft for account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [Volume 11, Part 3]. September 1731-March 1732.
Volume 11 Part 5	Pages 7-38 of a London merchant's receipt and delivery daybook, with ledger folios in margin; stock mostly iron and spirits. 15 November 1731-12 February 1732. Description: Customers in London, Southwark and Surrey, including supplies to 'forge or Abinger Hammer'. Related materials: For account of London merchant from March 1732-March 1733, see Volume 11, Part 10.
Volume 11 Part 6	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1732. Description: Preceded by Battle tithes as agreed 1732; rentals, 25 March 1732, 29 September 1732. Related materials: For draft of account, see Volume 11, Part 7.
Volume 11 Part 7	Draft for account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [Volume 11, Part 6]. March-September 1732.
Volume 11 Part 8	Draft for account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [Volume 11, Part 9]. September 1732-March 1733.
Volume 11 Part 9	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1732-March 1733. Related materials: For draft of account, see Volume 11, Part 8.
Volume 11 Part 10	Account of receipts and payments of a London merchant [as Volume 11, Part 5], much expenditure at Dorking, Guildford and elsewhere in Surrey. March 1732-March 1733.
Volume 11 Part 11	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1733. Description: Preceded by Battle tithes as agreed 1733; rentals, 25 March 1733, 29 September 1733. Related materials: For duplicate, see Volume 11, Part 12.
Volume 11 Part 12	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [duplicate of Volume 11, Part 11]. March-September 1733.

Volume 11 Part 13	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1733-March 1734. Related materials: For draft of account, see Volume 11, Part 15.
Volume 11 Part 14	Furnace and forge receipts and payments journal, with signatures of receipt for payments for wood, mine, coaling and carriage. March 1733-October 1734. Related materials: For its predecessor, see Volume 10, Part 2; for its successor, see Volume 11, Part 17.
Volume 11 Part 15	Draft for account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [Volume 11, Part 13]. September 1733-March 1734.
Volume 11 Part 16	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1734. Description: Building account includes Thomas Basket for thatching the iron house at Scotts Float, 10 September 1734. Related materials: For draft of account, see Volume 11, Part 18.
Volume 11 Part 17	Furnace and forge receipts and payments journal, with signatures of receipt for payments for wood, mine, coaling and carriage. November 1734-April 1737. Description: Loose in volume: receipt of William Barden for drawing mine, 7 November 1735. Related materials: For its predecessor, see Volume 11, Part 14.
Volume 11 Part 18	Draft for account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [Volume 11, Part 16]. March-September 1734. Description: Preceded by Battle tithes as agreed 1734; rentals, 25 March 1734, 29 September 1734.
Volume 11 Part 19	Draft for account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [Volume 11, Part 20]. September 1734-March 1735.
Volume 11 Part 20	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1734-March 1735. Related materials: For draft of account, see Volume 11, Part 19.
Volume 11 Part 21	Quantities of iron delivered from the furnace. February 1735-May 1736.
Volume 11 Part 22	Summary account of James Ashenden. March-September 1735. Related materials: For the account, see Volume 11, Part 24.
Volume 11 Part 23	Quantities of iron delivered from Beech Furnace and Etchingham Forge. September 1728-April 1736. Description: Includes list of cast iron in and about the forge, October 1734 sheets out of order.
Volume 11 Part 24	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1735. Description: Preceded by rentals, 25 March 1735, 29 September 1735. Related materials: For the summary account, see Volume 11, Part 22.
Volume 11 Part 25	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1735-March 1736. Related materials: For draft of account, see Volume 11, Part 26.

Volume 11 Part 26	Draft for account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [Volume 11, Part 25]. September 1735-March 1736.
Volume 12	Half-yearly accounts of the Battle Estate and other accounts. 1736-1775. Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9920/7
Volume 12 Part 1	Draft for account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [Volume 12, Part 2]. March-September 1736.
Volume 12 Part 2	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. March-September 1736. Related materials: For draft of account, see Volume 12, Part 1.
Volume 12 Part 3	Draft for account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [Volume 12, Part 4]. September 1736-March 1737. Description: At end: rentals, 25 March 1736, 29 September 1736.
Volume 12 Part 4	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots. September 1736-March 1737. Related materials: For draft of account, see Volume 12, Part 3.
Volume 12 Part 5	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots, expenses of the forge and furnace. March-September 1737. Description: At front: summary; rentals, 25 March 1737, 29 September 1737. Related materials: For draft of account, see Volume 12, Part 6.
Volume 12 Part 6	Draft for account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [Volume 12, Part 5]. March-September 1737.
Volume 12 Part 7	Account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements, including tithes of Battle and the Castle parish Hastings, manorial revenues including fines and heriots, expenses of Etchingham Forge. 29 September 1737-21 January 1738. Description: At front: summary. Related materials: For draft of account, see Volume 12, Part 8.
Volume 12 Part 8	Draft for account of James Ashenden for receipts and disbursements [Volume 12, Part 7]. 29 September 1737-21 January 1738.
Volume 12 Part 9	Sir Whistler Webster in account with George Worge [attorney] for the profits of the manors of Battle and Robertsbridge (with Barnhorne from 1754, Agmerhurst and Stone from 1761) and for his house rented from Whistler Webster. April 1752-January 1766. Description: His widow Elizabeth Worges account settled by Joseph Acton, 13 January 1766.
Volume 12 Part 10	Account of George Inskipp for carpenter's work for Sir Whistler Webster, with annual summaries by location of work. November 1754-January 1768.
Volume 12 Part 11	Account of John Vidler for mason's and bricklayer's work for Sir Whistler Webster, with annual summaries by location of work. January 1755-April 1768.
Volume 12 Part 12	Account of George Inskipp for carpenter's work [first 14 folios misbound]. February 1768- December 1778.

Volume 13	Gathering of accounts and correspondence. 1720-1735. Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9920/8
Volume 13 Part 1	[?Thomas Webster's] cashbook of receipts and payments [for the estate late Henry Whistler]. 16 June 1720-16 August 1727. Description: Largely for mercantile business, naming vessels, cargoes, masters and ports; includes rents; payments for Thames Water to Whistlers Court; work at Galleons [in Hornchurch]; money sent to Copthall. Notes: Henry Whistler died on 15 March 1719, and following the renunciation of his executors administration with will annexed was to his grand-daughter Jane Webster, wife of Thomas Webster; the will was established by an order in Chancery of 23 December 1719: see recitals to Volume 63, Item 13.
Volume 13 Part 2	Letter from John Morgan, Southwark, to Thomas Webster bt, St James Street. 10 January 1729. Description: Has sent the wire, shear mould and pig hog by Mr Langford the carrier; requests TW's servant to make 10 hundredweight of the bar iron they discussed; 'please to give him charge to make it even and clean, free from cracks and to cutt off the ends of the bar, and let them be full 9 feet long, rather a few inches longer than shorter, and put a stamp upon all the bars'.
Volume 13 Part 3	John Marshall's bill on Sir Thomas Webster for work and materials on his lighters and boat at Robertsbridge Forge, by order of Mr Mooar; paid 18 November 1735. 29 October 1734.
Volume 13 Part 4	Letter from William Jukes, London, to Thomas Webster bt. 10 January 1729. Description: Sends different dimensions of bar iron and squares as requested.
Volume 13 Part 5	Memorandum to write to [James] Ashenden to hasten the pipes, with dimensions; write to Heather to come for the roll; after completing 100 ton pigs at Beech these to go on the ballast bars; memorandum of water, new pond, of casting iron for the powdermills, to hasten the repairs at Colgates, watering the elder plants and the warren burrows, money lent Mr Drew at Waltham 1724-1730, costs of building materials and Charles Viner's address in King's Bench Walk. Approximately 1730. Description: Two papers.
Volume 13 Part 6	Estate vouchers and memoranda, including rates and taxes, work in Mr Hay's lane by Beech Furnace, schedules of repairs and improvements at Blundell's, Campbell's, Tim Jennings's, Laurence Noakes's, Forster's and Luck's farms, orders for iron, Samuel Moore's bill for glazing at Fairlight Place 1735, John Jarrett's bill for work on the fish stews at Battle Abbey 1735, bill of Samuel Jones for work on the stews at Robertsbridge Abbey 1735, and a plan for a double crane [?for a wharf]. 1728-1735.
Volume 13 Part 7	Rough ledger of payments to tradesmen and labourers by the estate steward James Ashenden, including receipted entries for carriage, wood-cutting and coaling; preceded by alphabet-book index. September 1711-December 1730.
Volume 14	Account book of Richard Nairn. 1725-1739. Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9921
Volume 14 Part 1	Account of expenditure, with costs of induction to Hastings All Saints, December 1726. 14 November 1725-November 1729. Description: At front: page-by-page analysis [pagination now cropped], pages 1-28 (to 19 May 1727).

	Includes: Mr Denham for supplying Westfield, 29 November 1725; at the cricket field, 24 May 1726; Mr Brett for supplying Westfield, 28 September 1726; paid Frencham for books, Caryl's lectures and vocabulary, 9 March 1727; gifts to members of his family and payments at gaming (ad ludum) expressed in Latin.
Volume 14 Part 2	Receipts of sacrament money with details of disbursal to named poor and other charitable giving including schooling, with costs of the living of Westfield, 1729-1730. December 1725-August 1735.
Volume 14 Part 3	Lists of debts, 29 September 1737; list of income, including profits of land, September 1737-February 1739; lists of debts, 29 September 1738. 1737-1739.
Volume 14 Part 4	Charges on collation to the living of Westfield on 15 April 1725; account of receipts and expenditure of the living, January 1726-September 1730. 1725-1730. Description: Expenditure includes pulling down the house May 1725, 'entering my predecessor's widow's administration', pulling down the house January 1729; payments to [?the curate] Mr Byrch.
Volume 14 Part 5	Account of expenditure. November [1729]-October [1730]. Description: Includes money spent at Westfield Fair, 29 June 1730.
Volume 14 Part 6	Account of expenditure on housekeeping. December [1726]-October [1730].
Volume 23	Rental of the manors of Battle, Agmerhurst, Swineham and Hastings College with its prebends and pensions, February 1595, annotated 16 February 1639. 1595-1639. Description: The first nine folios are in reverse order. Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9923/1
Volume 23 Item 1-19	Folios 1-19: manor of Battle; tenements in Battle, Whatlington, Sedlescombe, Hollington, Catsfield, Guestling (1), Willingdon (1), Icklesham (1), Beckley (2), Warbleton (6), Herstmonceux (1), Wartling (1), Beckley (3) and Westham (3) held at quitrents amounting to £69 4s 5½d. 6 February 1595.
Volume 23 Item 20	Folio 20: manor of Agmerhurst; 10 tenements in Ashburnham, held at quitrents amounting to £1 10s 1½d. 28 February 1595.
Volume 23 Item 21	Folio 21: manor of Swineham; 5 tenements in Hooe and Ninfield held at quitrents amounting to 8s 2d. 28 February 1595.
Volume 23 Item 22	Folio 22: Hastings College Deans Prebend: rents charged on 12 tenements in the Rape of Hastings, Beckley, Hastings St Mary Castle, Northiam, Sedlescombe, Whatlington and Hollington amounting to £3 10s 0½d. 28 February 1595.
Volume 23 Item 23	Folio 23: Hastings College; 8 pensions, the prebend of Hooe (2 tenements held at quitrents amounting to 5s 0d) and a pension charged on the manor of Hooe; all annotated <sold> or <query> in 1639. [February 1595].
Volume 23 Item 24	Folio 24: manor of Battle, list of tenements newly granted, annotated in 1639; further annotation 'from the court rolls [of the manor of Barnhorn] in Mr Edwards's custody' of Robert Davy's forfeiture of Whitedown Mill in 1632 and its regrant to him. Approximately 1630.
Volume 23 Item 25	Folio 25: memorandum of the division of the messuage and garden [at Iltonsbath in Sedlescombe] late Moses Ticehurst, he paying 1s 0d and Widow Weekes 6d. Approximately 1640.

Volume 23 Item 26	Three papers bearing notes of quitrents, and pen-trials by John Field. Approximately 1620-1766.
Volume 24	Rentals of farm rents and quitrents. 1652-1685. Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9923/2
Volume 24 Part 1	Rentals of the manors of Battle, Hastings College, Barnhorn and Agmerhurst. 29 September 1652.
Volume 24 Part 2	Rental of farm rents annotated with details of receipts, Battle and Barnhorne. 25 March 1664-1665.
Volume 24 Part 3	Rental of farm rents annotated with details of receipts, Battle and Barnhorne. 25 March 1667-1668. Description: At end: money allowed to Richard Timan for carriage. Reference numbers: Originally numbered 78
Volume 24 Part 4	Rental of farm rents with details of receipts, Battle and Barnhorne. 25 March 1677-1678. Description: From this year receipts are gathered into a section at the end of the booklet which also includes allowances for taxes. Reference numbers: Originally numbered 74
Volume 24 Part 5	Rental of farm rents with details of receipts, Battle and Barnhorne. 25 March 1678-1679. Description: Includes receipts of arrears of tithe and allowances for taxes. Reference numbers: Originally numbered 77
Volume 24 Part 6	Rental of farm rents with details of receipts, Battle and Barnhorne. 25 March 1679-1680. Description: At end: receipts of arrears of tithe and allowances for taxes. Reference numbers: Originally numbered 76
Volume 24 Part 7	Rental of farm rents with details of receipts, Battle and Barnhorne. 25 March 1680-1681. Description: At end: receipts of arrears of tithe and allowances for taxes. Reference numbers: Originally numbered 84
Volume 24 Part 8	Rental of farm rents with details of receipts, Battle and Barnhorne. 25 March 1681-1682. Description: At end: receipts of arrears of tithe and allowances for taxes. Reference numbers: Originally numbered 86
Volume 24 Part 9	Rental of farm rents with details of receipts, Battle and Barnhorne. 25 March 1682-1683. Description: At end: receipts of arrears of tithe, and of quitrents (gross sums only) from Ralph Stapler, and allowances for taxes. Reference numbers: Originally numbered 89
Volume 24 Part 10	Rental of farm rents, Battle and Barnhorne. 25 March 1684-1685.
Volume 24 Part 11	Rental of farm rents, Battle and Barnhorne. 25 March 1685-1686.

Volume 25	<p>Rental of the manors of Battle, Swineham, Hastings College with the prebend of Hooe, Barnhorn, new cottages built upon the waste [of the manor of Battle] and Agmerhurst. 26 March 1680.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9924</p>
Volume 27	<p>[Henry] Westall's accounts for Panningridge Furnace [in Ashburnham]. January-December 1546.</p> <p>Description: Payments to woodcutters, colliers [charcoal-burners], carrying coal, miners, carriers of mine [iron ore], the founder and the filler, carrying of sows, for the liberty of passing over other men's ground with sows, pensions and annuities, repairs, digging of stone and sand and carrying it; receipts for apples and pears, lent wheat, mung corn, oat malt, oats and barley.</p> <p>Notes: the furnace belonged to Sir William Sidney of Penshurst and was passed to Sir Thomas Webster in error on his purchase of the Robertsbridge estate from John Sidney Earl of Leicester in 1725.</p> <p>Related materials: Westall's book of Robertsbridge, 1546, is among the records of that manor at East Sussex Record Office SHE 6/1/11/1; further accounts for Panningridge survive in the Sidney archive at Maidstone, Kent History and Library Centre U1475, published by D W Crossley, Sidney Ironworks Accounts 1541-1573, Royal Historical Society (Camden Fourth Series Vol. 15), London (1975) (for this site see pages 41-118).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9926</p>
Volume 28	<p>Account book [of Richard Nairn] as rector of Hastings All Saints and St Clement, 1729-1740, Hastings tithes, 1650-1655, and accounts relating to the manors of Ewhurst, Udimore and Bodiam, 1624-1655. 1624-1740.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9927</p>
Volume 28 Part 1	<p>Account of surplice fees, Hastings All Saints and St Clement. April 1729-April 1740.</p> <p>Description: With annual summaries of income including totals from the mackerel fishery, Yarmouth fishery, home fishery and tithes.</p>
Volume 28 Part 2	<p>List of marriage licences granted [by Richard Nairn as surrogate], naming parties and place and date of marriage. February 1730-March 1733.</p>
Volume 28 Part 3	<p>Account of the rector's shares in the Hastings mackerel fishery, Yarmouth fishery and home fishery. 1729-1739.</p>
Volume 28 Part 4	<p>Account of tithes for Hastings St Clement, All Saints and Castle parishes. 1729-1740.</p>
Volume 28 Part 5	<p>Account of briefs. July 1729-March 1740.</p>
Volume 28 Part 6	<p>Account of tithes and fishery shares, Hastings All Saints, St Clement and St Mary. 1651-1655.</p> <p>Description: The booklet was initially paginated 1-24 for each letter of the alphabet and the fishery shares entered for 1651, when lists of tithe-payers were entered on page 1; no further alphabetical entries were made but the book was used chronologically to include all income of the benefices, including Easter offerings 1652, Hookfare and Shotnet fishing 1651-1652 and (including Yarmouth) other unspecified years, incomplete tithe list 1655.</p>
Volume 28 Part 7	<p>Manors of Ewhurst and Udimore: accounts for farm rents, quitrents, heriots and other manorial profits 1618-1632, with accounts of wood felled on the manors, 1628-1643. 1618-1643.</p> <p>Description: Accounts between Edward Bromfield, alderman [of London and executor of John Bromfield, died 1622] and William Muddle, succeeded in 1630 by [his son-in-law] Nathaniel</p>

	<p>Powell, who from 1631 accounts with Thomas Bromfield or Thomas Eaton on his behalf; accounts for Ewhurst before 1625 are in note form in pencil, accounts for Udimore begin at the end of the book in 1624.</p> <p>Includes: valuation and acreages of wood felled on Court Lodge Farm and Prawles in Ewhurst, 1628-1643; copy writ of attachment of John Avery to answer Nathaniel Powell, gent, in a plea of debt, endorsed at Peasmarsh, [1639]; list of tenements in Beckley, Northiam and Peasmarsh found to be held of the manors of Battle, Bodiam and Ewhurst in the inquisition post mortem of Sir John Tufton, [1624].</p>
c. Webster Papers (volume 75)	
Volume 75	<p>Volume entitled Webster Papers; genealogical accounts, pedigrees, certified extracts, approximately 1720, letter from and notes by Arthur Collins, 1743, commissions, chancery petition re Whistler estate; correspondence concerning litigation, 1768; litigation accounts, 1771-1775; particular of the estate of Whistler Webster bt in East Grinsteadm Worth and Lingfield, nd, approximately 1770. Approximately 1720-1775.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9939</p>
Volume 75 Item 1A	<p>Copy letter from Thomas Webster [enclosing Vol 75/1b], to be certified by the mayor and town clerk [of Chesterfield] as an extract of their register, with further queries concerning the individuals listed on Vol 75/1b, and a request to be notified of charges. 25 August 1720.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 193/5</p>
Volume 75 Item 1B	<p>Extracts from the minutes of [Chesterfield] Corporation, 1598-1620, concerning members of the Webster family; copy of an original sent with Vol 75/1a. Approximately 1720.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 183/1</p>
Volume 75 Item 1C	<p>Draft certificate of the funeral at Waltham Abbey, Essex, of Mrs [Mary] Cheeke, daughter of [Henry] Whistler and widow of [Edward] Cheeke, who died at Copt Hall in Essex, the residence of her son-in-law Thomas Webster, bt, directed by Piers Maudit, Windsor Herald, as deputy of John Vanbrugh esq, Clarenceux Herald [between 1706 and 1714] and John Hesket, Portcullis Pursuivant. Approximately 1710.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 191/6</p>
Volume 75 Item 1D	<p>Pedigree [? from a visitation of Somerset, 1623] of Cheeke of Bruton, drawing descent from Robert Cheeke of Bruton. Approximately 1720.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 191/7</p>
Volume 75 Item 1E	<p>Copy conveyance of 29 June 1388. Approximately 1740.</p> <p>Description: Alice, daughter and heir of William Webster of Lockington, [Yorks] widow, to John Heryng of South Burton and his wife Joan. A place with buildings in Lockington (in length E: the road from Thorp; W: William Wade; in breadth S: William Wade; N: Isabel, widow of Roger Somenour) Paying 2d to William Warde for suit of court and all services. Witnesses: William Abell of Lockington, William Warde, Henry Taillour of Lockington, Adam de Rygeton of South Burton, John Baxter of South Burton; at Lockington Notes: The texts of the entries in Thorpe suggest that Collins's calendar, rather than the originals, was before him.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 87/4</p>

Volume 75 Item 1F	<p>Letter from Arthur Collins, Grays Inn Lane, [London], to Thomas Wesbter, bt. 24 December 1743.</p> <p>Description: Encloses abstracts of five deeds, the originals of which TW shall have when he comes to town; he does not know whether the parties who claim under a long lease are entitled to it when the term expires.</p> <p>[First abstract] Confirmation by Ingram de Mainieres, son of Reynold de Manieres, of the grant of his mother Maud, in her widowhood, to the abbot and monks of Robertsbridge of the land and tenement of Fudiland with the lands of Wicham, Pokelescherse, Todeherst, Bishopesland, Betenesse and Hodleye belonging to it, the services due to the king and earl reserved. Witnesses: Peter de Scotigniis, William de Cyremuth, Robert de Boscorohad, Simon de Sumeri, Robert de Maneriis, Laurence de Mondefeld, Ellis Foleth, Alan fitz Robert, Ralph de Ferne. Seals: Armorial seal; *S'ENGRAM DE MANIER. Reference numbers: East Sussex Record Office SAY 33; Thorpe page/entry: 24/6.</p> <p>[Second abstract] Grant by Reynold de Hesseburneham to Alfred de St Martin of the land of Dudewell, paying 6s 8d on 29 Sep, saving the right of the king, church and earl, for which he paid £1 6s 8d to Reynold and 2s to his wife. Witnesses: Walter Clericus, Reynold Diaconus, Waleran Malger, Osbert de Glutinh', Geoffrey and William kinsmen of Alfred, William Cnoder. Seals: Equestrian seal. Reference numbers: East Sussex Record Office ASH A2; Thorpe page/entry: 16/2</p> <p>[Third abstract] Confirmation by Stephen de Esburneham to the monks of Robertsbridge of the land of Dudewelle which they held of his father Reynold and him, paying 6s 8d. Witnesses: Thomas de Willamescote constable of Hastings, Giles de St Leger, Simon de Sumeri, William de Hasteng, Robert fitx Alan, Ellis Foliot. Seals: *SIGILL STEPHANI DE ESBVRINE. Reference numbers: East Sussex Record Office ASH A3; Thorpe page/entry: 16/4.</p> <p>[Fourth abstract] Confirmation by Richard de Esseburnham of the gift of his father Stephen [as above]. Witnesses: Laurence de Mundefeld, William de Buericheston, Geoffrey de Rakkeleg', Alan de Ponte Roberti, Ellis Folet. Seals: Armorial seal; S' RICARDI DE ESSEBVRNHAM. Reference numbers: East Sussex Record Office ASH A4; Thorpe page/entry: 16/5</p> <p>[Fifth abstract] Lease by Thomas abbot of Robertsbridge to William Palmer of Framfield, yeoman, one of the king's guard, of the manor of Possingworth in Waldron, for 80 years from 25 December 1528 at 10 shillings; WP to pay a rent of 10 shillings to the poor of Lewes and 12 pence for suit as appears by a writing between the prior and convent of Lewes and the abbot and convent of Robertsbridge, and build a dwelling-house on the land; 23 December 1528. Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 139/3</p>
Volume 75 Item 1G	<p>Abstract by Arthur Collins of the will of John Webster, clerk, 21 August 1494, proved in PCC (17 Vaux), 14 October 1494, and of the will of Hugh Webster of Cambridge, including a bequest of £6 for windows in Cambridge St Peter specifying the designs, 13 October 1503, proved in PCC (2 Holgrave) 17 February 1504. 1746</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 182/1, 182/2</p>

Volume 75 Item 1H	<p>Abstract by Arthur Collins of the will of John Webster of Southwark, including property in Cambridge, 29 February 1504, proved in PCC (5 Holgrave) 24 April 1504. Approximately 1746.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 182/3</p>
Volume 75 Item 1I	<p>Abstract by Arthur Collins of the will of George Webster of East Greenwich, esq, 13 July 1574, proved in PCC (37 Martyn), 4 October 1574. Approximately 1746.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 182/4</p>
Volume 75 Item 1J	<p>Abstract by Arthur Collins of the will of William Webster of Ford End in Eaton, Bedfordshire, 5 April 1587, proved in PCC (39 Spencer), 20 June 1587. Approximately 1746.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 182/5</p>
Volume 75 Item 2	<p>Declaration of trust in purchased stock. 22 March 1706.</p> <p>Description: Henry Cornish, Godfrey Webster and William Teshmaker to Thomas Webster of London, bt £50 of the £3000 of East India 8% stock assigned to them by George Mathew of London, kt, 12 March 1706 To be transferred to TW when he requires, subject to three deeds poll between the parties of even date. Witnesses: John Tushingham, scrivener, Lombard Street, his servant Nathaniel Wood</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 189/2</p>
Volume 75 Item 3	<p>Commission of Henry [Howard], earl of Suffolk and Bindon, lord lieutenant of Essex, to Thomas Webster, bt, as lieutenant colonel of the Red Regiment of Foot of the trained bands raised by HH. 26 July 1715.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 191/8</p>
Volume 75 Item 4	<p>Draft petition in Webster v Bye, Webster and Joy concerning the will of Henry Whistler in chancery, drawn by Paul Jodrell. 20 June 1719.</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster, Godfrey Webster, Mary Webster, Abigail Webster, Jane Webster and Elizabeth Webster, infants (children of Thomas Webster, kt and bt, and his wife Jane Webster, grand-daughter of Henry Whistler) by their grandfather and next friend Godfrey Webster, kt, v Elizabeth Bye (daughter of Thomas Bye, esq, and his wife Jane, grand-daughter of Henry Whistler), Thomas Webster, bt and his wife Jane, Charles Joy and James Joy.</p> <p>Recites: will of Henry Whistler of Epsom in Surrey, esq, (transcribed in full), 26 August 1718; death of Henry Whistler, seised of an estate in Epsom, Lombard Street, Castle Yard and Hartshorne Lane in London, Hertfordshire and Middlesex, and leasehold property held of the hospital of St Catherine Wapping, The Salters Company, the church of St Pauls and Bridewell Hospital in London and the duke of Beaufort in Stratton Street, Middlesex, at Ewell in Surrey and of the waterworks in York, and of stock in the East India and South Sea Companies, mortgages, money in bankers' or goldsmiths' hands and chattels, 15 March 1719; renunciation by his nephews Charles Joy and James Joy, the executors; grant of administration with will annexed to his grand-daughter Jane Webster; entry by Thomas Webster and Jane; statements by Elizabeth Bye that she will challenge the will on the grounds of Henry Whistler's insanity once the witnesses are dead.</p> <p>Plaintiffs seek sub pena to examine the defendants to establish the particulars of the estate, that they should be managed according to the trusts of the will, that Charles Joy and James Joy should either act in the trust or assign it.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 193/2</p>
Volume 75 Item 5	<p>Commission of Charles [Howard], earl of Suffolk and Bindon, lord lieutenant of Essex, to Thomas Webster, bt, as deputy lieutenant of Essex. 10 May 1720.</p> <p>Witness: John Wale</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 193/3</p>
Volume 75 Item 6	<p>Copy of deed of appointment of portions. 29 February 1748; approximately 1760.</p> <p>Related materials: For original deed, see Volume 76, Item 52.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 198/1</p>
Volume 75 Item 7	<p>Copy release from marriage settlement of 13 April 1749. 24 March 1760.</p> <p>Description: Jane, wife of Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, with TW, Joseph Biscoe of the Inner Temple, gent, to Richard Benyon of Gidea Hall, Essex, esq</p> <p>Term of 200 years in:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Capital messuage or mansion, orchards, gardens, fishponds and buildings called Newberry in Barking 2 Messuage called Newberry Farm with a barn, stable, a loft over it, the dairy-house, two lower rooms in the dairy, the stable next the barn and the loft over it, the barns, cow-house and strawhouse, fields called Stony Field, Sand Pitt Meadow, The Long Mead, The Further and Hither Brickley Fields, Dunshalls, Little Dunshalls, Barley Field, Stump Croft Field, Dyall Field, The Orchard Meadow, The Great and Little Pond Fields, The Hill Field, The Thickett Mead, The Barn Field, The Further and Hither Westlands and the four Ley Street pieces, all in Barking, occupied in 1701 by John Holt, late Thomas Hicks 3 Acre Grove, Little Wood and Greater of Lesser Stump Croft Wood, in Barking, occupied by TW 4 Tithes of land in Barking, occupied by Gilbert Jones <p>Recites: settlement on the marriage of TW and JW (TW of London, merchant, Henry Whistler of London, esq, Mary Cheeke of London, widow, and her daughter Jane Cheeke, Godfrey Webster of London, esq, John Chadwicke of London, merchant, Samuel Barnardiston of Brightwell in Suffolk, esq, and Thomas Byde of London, esq), granting JW a power of appointment over £2000 on TW's death, 29 September 1701; exercise by JW of the power in favour her children Godfrey and Elizabeth Webster, 9 [recte 29] February 1748; appointment of JB trustee to pay TW's debts, and release by Godfrey and Elizabeth Webster of the property from their portions, 3 March 1748; sale of the above (with other property) to JB and his trustee William Southouse of Milk Street, London, gent, for £5790, 11 April 1749; death of Henry Whistler and Mary Cheeke. Witnesses: Edward Hubbold, James Hussey, clerks to Mr Southouse, Milk Street.</p> <p>Witnesses: Witnesses to copy: Nicholas Coulthurst, Thomas Wilkinson</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 198/2</p>
Volume 75 Item 8	<p>Order in Webster v Webster, Blewitt and Fuller and Webster and Thomas v Webster, Fuller and Blewitt in chancery concerning the will of Jane Webster. 23 February 1770.</p> <p>Description:</p> <p>Recites: will of Henry Whistler, appointing trustees to allow his grand-daughter Jane Webster to receive the income of his estate for life, remainder among her children as she should appoint by will, 26 August 1718 [recte 1717]; death of Henry Whistler, 16 May 1718; order in a previous cause directing Charles Joy and James Joy, the trustees named in the will, to assign the trusts as master Lovibond should direct, 15 July 1719; assignment to Edward Northey and Paul Jodrell the elder, 6 & 7 August 1719; decree establishing the will and ordering an account, 23 December</p>

1719; mortgage by TW to Paul Jodrell the elder of the Robertsbridge estate (worth £1186 14s a year and bought for £30,700), a great House in St James Street Westminster (bought for £6000 and upon which £2000 had been spent) and leasehold houses in Jermyn Street for £30,548, the produce of the sale of stock, 26 January 1728; vesting of the mortgage in Paul Jodrell the younger on the death of his father, 31 July 1728; vesting of part of Henry Whistler's estate in WW by deed of 31 May 1733; vesting of the produce of the sale of stock in WW, 28 May 1734; vesting of the mortgage in Paul Jodrell the younger on the death of his father, 25 January 1744; will of TW, bequeathing his estate to WW, 28 June 1749; death of TW, by which the equity of redemption became vested in WW, 31 May 1751; vesting of the mortgage in Elizabeth Jodrell on the death of her husband Paul Jodrell, 30 June 1750; bill of WW against Jane Webster and others, requesting that Elizabeth Jodrell should be ordered to release the London estate from the mortgage, 14 July 1752; reference to master Holford, 6 December 1752; report that the Robertsbridge estate was a sufficient security, 8 June 1753, confirmed 27 June 1753; appointment by master Holford of Stephen Fuller and George Worge as new trustees, 20 December 1753; assignment to them by Elizabeth Jodrell, 3 April 1754; will of Jane Webster, bequeathing £500 to her son Godfrey Webster, £100 to her daughter Abigail, wife of Edmund Thomas, bt, £500 to her daughter Jane Blewitt and £500 to her daughter Elizabeth Webster from the unpaid residue of Henry Whistler's estate, the remainder to WW, 13 November 1753; death of Jane Webster, January 1760, payment of legacies except that to Abigail Thomas, which was refused; refusal of Stephen Fuller to assign the mortgage term to WW, who seeks that the court should appoint trustees for his benefit to whom the term should be assigned.

Abigail Thomas leaves the court to decide whether Jane Webster had a power of disposal as she thought fit, but insists that it was Henry Whistler's intention that no great difference should be made, whereas £68,000 had been vested in WW and £100 in her, and that the will is not a proper execution of the trust; that she had no benefit from Thomas and Jane Webster save clothes and pocket-money while she lived with them, which was between the death of her grandfather Godfrey Webster and her first marriage to William Northey, esq, in September 1721; admits that she received a marriage portion of £20,000 from her grandfather.

Jane Blewitt and Edward Webster admit receiving £500 each; Edward Webster, executor of the will of his wife Elizabeth of 16 February 1761, who died in 1763, recites transactions concerning stock bequeathed by the will of Godfrey Webster to his son TW in trust for his children, 12 January 1720, to which they and WW are entitled.

Godfrey Webster admits receiving £500, and that he was entitled to £700 a year from the estate of his grandfather Godfrey Webster.

The cross-clause exhibited by Edmund Thomas, bt, and his wife Abigail claims that the will of Jane Webster should be set aside as unequal, illusory and fraudulent, that an account should be taken of the estate, and that the residue should be equally divided; answer of WW; death of Edmund Thomas, bt, by which the suit abated; bill of revival by his son Edmund Thomas, bt.

Order that the will of Jane Webster be established and executed, that £100 be paid to Elizabeth Thomas with interest to be established by master Graves, that Stephen Fuller assign the term to the plaintiff or his appointee, that all the parties be paid their costs from the estate, and that the cross-bill be dismissed.

Reference numbers:

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Item 9A**

Case concerning the grant of administation in a case of renunciation by one of two executors, with the opinion of Samuel Cox, Chancery Lane [London] that the other, the widow, should act alone, 'and do every thing by good advice which will justify her conduct and the expence of which must come out of the estate'; 12 August 1765, sent as a letter to Mr [Charles] Nairn, attorney, Battle. 13 August 1765.

Reference numbers:

	Thorpe page/entry: 198/8
Volume 75 Item 9B	<p>Letter from Elisha Biscoe to Whistler Webster, bt, Battle Abbey. 7 March 1767.</p> <p>Description: Sir Edmund Thomas has just put in his answer, which has been delayed by parliamentary privilege and his illness, and files a cross-bill, to which EB has prepared a draft answer; there is not the least fear that the court will find in Lady Thomas's favour.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 198/8</p>
Volume 75 Item 9C	<p>Letter from Elisha Biscoe, Inner Temple, to Mr [Charles] Nairn, attorney, Battle. 11 April 1767.</p> <p>Description: Has examined the deeds of 1733; what Mr Whistler's houses in London and Epsom sold for will appear in the accounts of EB's father, who sold them as surviving trustee. He cannot find the deed of appointment of money and stocks, which may be in Sir Whistler's library. Some calculation of the estate should be made to enable an answer to the cross-bill, which EB will send, with a commission directed to CN and his clerk.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 198/8</p>
Volume 75 Item 9D	<p>Letter from Stephen Fuller, London, to Mr Charles Nairn, attorney, Battle. 8 October 1767.</p> <p>Description: Approves the delivery to CN by his brother Rose Fuller of the writings of the Webster estate, which Sir Whistler or his appointee may examine and copy in CN's presence.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 198/8</p>
Volume 75 Item 9E	<p>Letter from Elisha Biscoe, Inner Temple, to Mr [Charles] Nairn, attorney, Battle. 27 October 1767.</p> <p>Description: Sir Edmund Thomas's death does not abate Sir Whistler's suit, but although the cross-bill must be revived, he should put in his answer forthwith.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 198</p>
Volume 75 Item 9F	<p>Letter from Elisha Biscoe, Temple, to Whistler Webster, bt, Battle Abbey. 12 January 1768.</p> <p>Description: Since WW informed him that he would take the opinion of the court whether Lady [Jane] Webster's deed of appointment was valid, EB advises against a positive response to Lady Thomas's suggested compromise in justice to the other younger children, who should have equal shares if she did. There is now [since the death of Sir Edmund Thomas] no parliamentary privilege to delay the hearing. The witnesses to the will - J Fuller, James Markwick and Richard Nairn - must come and prove it, or their handwriting and deaths proved; EB will prepare interrogatories once informed. The assignment of 3 April 1754, witnessed by John Vernon, Mr Jodrell's clerk, who will prove it, should be sent up. WW may, if he thinks it proper, inform Lady Thomas that the cause has been carried on in the most amicable manner.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 198/8</p>
Volume 75 Item 9G	<p>Letter from E[lisha] Biscoe, Temple, to Mr [Charles] Nairn, attorney, Battle. 3 February 1768.</p> <p>Description: The cause stands still for want of witnesses; can Mr Markwick come to London? Mr [Stephen] Fuller will, on Sir Whistler's letter of request, permit CN to deliver the deeds to EB.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 198/8</p>
Volume 75 Item 9H	<p>Letter from Stephen Fuller, London, to Mr Charles Nairn, attorney, Battle. 15 February 1768.</p> <p>Description: Authority to send the necessary deeds to Mr Biscoe, provided he gives a receipt, or to SF for delivery to him. Regards to CN's brother [Richard Nairn, dean of Battle].</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 198/8</p>
Volume 75 Item 9I	<p>Letter from Elisha Biscoe, Inner Temple, to Mr [Charles] Nairn, attorney, Battle. 25 October 1768.</p> <p>Description: Requests the names of four commissioners to examine the witnesses to the deeds.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 198/8</p>
Volume 75 Item 9J	<p>Letter from E[lisha] Biscoe, Temple, to Mr [Charles] Nairn, attorney, Battle. 8 November 1768.</p> <p>Description: Repeats information concerning witnesses in Volume 75, Item 9F; it will be much better, quiet and less expensive to examine them in London than by commission.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 198/8</p>
Volume 75 Item 9K	<p>Receipt by Joseph Eyre, attorney for the Governors of Christs Hospital, plaintiffs v Whistler Webster, bt, for £142 15s 10d, the damages and costs awarded against WW, received from Mr James Garth. 28 February 1774.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 199/2</p>
Volume 75 Item 10A	<p>Account between Elisha Biscoe, esq, and Whistler Webster, bt, for ground-rent for the Epsom House, 1766-1770, three bills of costs, Lady Thomas's costs in the original cause, her legacy and the cost of conveyances from Mr [Stephen] Fuller, July 1767-June 1770; settled by Mr [Charles] Nairn, Witness: James Garth. Approximately 1770.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 199/2</p>
Volume 75 Item 10B	<p>Account between James Garth and Whistler Webster, bt, for the defence, damages and costs in a suit brought by the Governors of Christs Hospital v WW for breach of covenant in failing to repair a house in Northumberland Street, sold to Mr Joseph Pearce, February 1774-May 1775; paid by Mr [Charles] Nairn. 9 December 1775.</p> <p>Related materials: Volume 75, Item 9k and Volume 75, Item 11a are vouchers to this account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 199/2</p>
Volume 75 Item 11A	<p>Bill of costs [of James Garth] on Whistler Webster, bt, in Christs Hospital v Webster, with mention of a proposed award by Mr Phillips, Michaelmas 1771-Hilary 1774. Approximately 1775.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 199/2</p>
Volume 75 Item 11B	<p>Bill of costs of James Garth on Whistler Webster, bt, for drawing an abstract of title, a reconveyance from Elisha Biscoe to [Charles] Nairn, scheduling deeds delivered to Mr Nairn, November 1775; paid by Mr Nairn. 9 December 1775.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 199/2</p>
Volume 75 Item 12	<p>Copy bill in Thomas v Webster and others in chancery. [1767].</p> <p>Description: Edmund Thomas of Wenvoe Castle in Glamorgan, bt, and his wife Abigail, one of the great-grand-daughters of Henry Whistler of Epsom, esq, v her brother Whistler Webster of Battle.</p> <p>Related materials: Contents as calendared in Volume 75, Item 8; for draft answer of Whistler Webster, see Volume 75, Item 13A.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 199/5</p>
Volume 75 Item 13A	<p>Draft answer of Whistler Webster to Volume 75, Item 12, pleading (inter aliacres) that Jane Webster considered that her son ought to be more amply provided for since he would inherit a baronetcy on his father's death. Approximately 1767.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 199/6</p>
Volume 75 Item 13B	<p>Copy answer of Edmund Thomas, bt, and his wife Abigail, to Whistler Webster's bill. Approximately 1767.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 199/4</p>
Volume 75 Item 14	<p>Particular of the estates of Whistler Webster, bt, in East Grinstead and Worth in Sussex and Lingfield in Surrey. Approximately 1755.</p> <p>Description: George Cooper holds a messuage called Fairleigh, two barns and 120 acres, freehold of Maresfield manor, quitrent 10s 0d, and a corn-barn, hay-barn and 180 acres called Ewhurst in East Grinstead; rent £90.</p> <p>Daniel Doubell holds a messuage, barn, stable, oasthouse and 180 acres called Estcourts and Lullingdens, Frydays Croft and Fowles Fields, three freehold tenements of Broadhurst manor, quitrent 18s 8½d; rent £60.</p> <p>Daniel Doubell holds five pieces of land called Batts Fields (20 acres), copyhold of Imberhorne manor, quitrent 2s 0½d; rent £12.</p> <p>Daniel Doubell holds a messuage consisting of six burgages called The Crown Inn with outhouses, barns, stables, yard, portlands, bowling-green and bowling-green house, occupied by James Doubell, and two messuages or cottages at the west end of the Middle Row in East Grinstead, occupied by William Farmer and Richard Head, held of the borough of East Grinstead, quitrent [blank]; rent £35.</p> <p>Richard Finch holds a messuage, barn, stable, wainhouse, hovel and 58 acres called Pickstones or Pilsty, of which a field called Pickstones is held of Broadhurst manor, quitrent 2s, a field called Bonnymead, quitrent 3d, lands called Spartenden, quitrent 2s 3d, and a toft and 1 acre, quitrent 1d, are all held of Walhill manor; the whole at Forest Row in East Grinstead, rent £31.</p> <p>Martha Austen, widow, holds a messuage, barn, stable, buildings and 80 acres called Woodeys in East Grinstead, freehold of Broadhurst manor, quitrent [blank]; there is a little old house upon this farm; rent £29; Sir Thomas Webster before his death took the pits and shaws in hand, for which she is to be allowed 24s.</p> <p>Mr Nathaniel Moore holds a messuage, barn and six small pieces of land (15 acres) called Collens or The Tanyard in East Grinstead, rent £10.</p> <p>Edward Pope holds a messuage, being three burgages, with a barn, buildings, yards, gardens and portlands, burgage-hold of the borough of East Grinstead, quitrent [blank], and four pieces of land called Stockwell (14 acres), held of Brookhurst [recte Broadhurst] manor, quitrent 2s; rent £27 and two fat pullets.</p> <p>The Rev Mr Thomas James holds a freehold piece of land (3 acres) called Venners Mead in East Grinstead by lease for 21 years; rent £6.</p> <p>John Nycoll holds pieces of freehold called The Riddens (21 acres) in East Grinstead by lease for 21 years; rent £7.</p> <p>Michael Bromly the younger holds a messuage, barn and 30 acres called Poulters, Knights and Paynes Field near East Grinstead Common, freehold of Imberhorne manor, quitrent 5s 8d, a piece of meadow (1½ acres) and a piece of ground called The Holy Field (¼ acre), now a</p>

hopgarden, at the Old Mill, by lease for 21 years; rent £23 2s 0d.

Thomas Creasy holds a freehold messuage, barn and 84 acres in East Grinstead; rent £31, subject to a fee-farm rent of 6s 8d; the farm was let by lease for 20 years from 25 March 1709, in which it was provided that the rent should increase by £4 should the furnace which was once on the farm be set up again; the furnace pond was kept in the landlord's hands, and the tenant agreed to look after the fish, and to let down the floodgates in floody times, which were very sudden there; the tenant was allowed 10,000 of spray on felling the coppices, and four cords of firewood.

John Bellchamber holds land called Wellsbottom (10 acres), of which 2 acres are in Lingfield, the rest in East Grinstead; rent £9.

Richard Martin holds a stable, late a dwelling-house called The Cat, and 6 acres, freehold of Walhill manor, quitrent 1 shilling, two closes called The Limes (7 acres) in East Grinstead; rent £15 and two fat capons.

Richard Chapman holds a messuage, barn and 22 acres called Warelands in East Grinstead, copyhold of Imberhorne manor, quitrent 2s 5½d; rent £22 and 2 pullets.

Edward Jordan holds Mawle Mead (5 acres) in East Grinstead, copyhold of Imberhorne manor, quitrent 8d; rent £5 and two fat pullets.

Michael Bromly holds a messuage or cottage and a small stable called The George in East Grinstead town <small quitrent>; rent £5.

Mercy Beeching holds a messuage or cottage and a small stable called The Rose, adjoining the last <small quitrent>; rent £4.

Thomas Wood holds a freehold messuage on The Rocks in East Grinstead; rent £4 10s.

James Bryant holds a messuage, garden and orchard called Trendles in East Grinstead, freehold of Sheffield Grinstead manor, quitrent 11½d; rent £3 10s.

Mrs [blank] Aynscomb holds a messuage, yard and portland, burgage-hold of the borough of East Grinstead; rent £9.

Edward Jenner holds a messuage, yard and portland, burgage-hold of the borough of East Grinstead; rent £9.

Mr Thomas Chambers holds the moiety of a messuage, being nevertheless a burgage-hold called Clerks <small quitrent>; rent £3.

John Illman holds a messuage, barn and 94 acres called Frenches at Copthorne Common in Worth; rent £13 and two fat pullets.

Katherine Varnham, widow, holds a cottage and 17 acres, another cottage and 5 acres called part of Frenches, at Copthorne Common in Worth, by lease for 21 years; Frenches pays a quitrent of 2s 4d to South Malling manor; rent £6.

Robert Tilt and James Sanders hold 4 acres called The Clippards; rent £1.

The parishioners of East Grinstead hold the workhouse ground by lease for 150 years, 10 March 1748; rent 1s.

In Sir Whistler Webster's hands a piece of coppice called The Harlings Wood (11 acres 2 roods 3 perches), which (if Creasy's part which is now inclosed be added) will make 14 acres, with the Furnace Wood ([blank] acres) makes in all [blank] <the timber and growth of the coppice wood to be valued>.

Notes: Most of the steward's comments in the original text have been deleted, and many of the farms are annotated lease prepared but not executed.

Reference numbers:

Thorpe page/entry: 198/7

Volume 75 Item 15	<p>Original will of Thomas Webster of Copthall in [Waltham], Essex, and of Battle, bt. 17 February 1724.</p> <p>Description: Estates at Copthall in Epping and Waltham, Ongar Park in Stanford Rivers and North Weald, Brittons and anything bought of the Austin family and property once belonging to Mr Everett in Hornchurch and Dagenham, messuages at Standon in Herts, manors of Battle, Bornham [Barnhorn] and Stone at Castle with property in Battle, Bexhill, Whatlington, Sedlescombe and Hastings with the advowson of Battle and everything bought of Lord Montague, the manors of Bodiam and Ewhurst with property in those parishes and the advowson of Ewhurst, bought of Christopher Powell, bt, copyhold messuages held of the manor of Epsom in Surrey, moiety of the freehold estate late Gabriel Whistler, esq, deceased, in Hampshire, in reversion on the death of Eleanor Joye, widow of Peter Joye of London, merchant, reversion of the manor of Sandford Orcas in Dorset, Newberry in Barking and the manor of Nelmes [in Hornchurch], Essex, and all other estates in his marriage settlement and in the settlement made by his father Godfrey Webster, bt, to Paul Jodrell the elder of Chancery Lane, esq, and his son Paul Jodrell of Lincolns Inn, esq, in trust for his eldest son Whistler Webster in tail male, remainder to his brother Godfrey Webster, remainder in trust for sale for the benefit of daughters.</p> <p>Messuage where he lives in St James Street, Westminster, bought of the duke of Somerset and his son Piercy Seymour to Jodrell and Jodrell in trust for his wife Jane Webster for life, remainder to the person entitled to the other estates.</p> <p>Crown leases of houses in Jermyn Street in St James Middlesex, which he has determined to pull down and build one or more messuages with stables and coach-houses, to be enjoyed with his house in St James Street, to Jodrell and Jodrell in trust to permit Jane Webster to take the rents for life, remainder to whomsoever shall enjoy the house in St James Street, remainder in trust for sale.</p> <p>Estate in Hornchurch and Dagenham, bought of Mr Clerk, to son Godfrey Webster for life, remainder to whomsoever shall hold the manor of Nelmes and the other real estate of his father Sir Godfrey Webster. The bequests to his wife and children declared to be in satisfaction of their rights under the custom of London, of which he is a citizen, and under his marriage settlement.</p> <p>Confirms the actions of Paul Jodrell the elder and Edward Northey, kt, deceased, as trustees of the will of Henry Whistler.</p> <p>Wife Jane Webster executrix.</p> <p>Witnesses: W Cockburn, Margaret Cockburn, Timothy Renouard</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 194/2</p>
Volume 75 Item 16	<p>Probate (PCC) of the will (13 November 1753) of Jane Webster of Battle Abbey, widow of Thomas Webster, bt. 26 March 1760.</p> <p>Description: Exercises power of appointment under the will of her grandfather Henry Whistler of Epsom, esq, of the residue of his estate (consisting of a mortgage of the manor of Robertsbridge, of property bought from Mr Sambrooke and of a house in St James Street, Westminster, for £30,548, other parts having been already vested in her eldest son Whistler Webster, bt, by deeds of 31 May 1733 and 28 May 1734) as follows:</p> <p>£500 to her son Godfrey Webster, £100 to her daughter Abigail, wife of Edmund Thomas, bt, £500 to her daughter Jane, widow of the rev Robert Bluett, £500 to her daughter Elizabeth, wife of Captain [Edward] Webster (who are all amply provided for out of the estate of their grandfather Godfrey Webster, kt), the remainder to her eldest son Whistler Webster, bt, with any arrears of interest</p> <p>Son Whistler Webster, bt, executor and residuary legatee.</p>

	<p>Postscript with detailed instructions for burial at Battle 'as privately as possible' with bequests to the dean, the clerk and 20 poor housekeepers not receiving alms.</p> <p>Witnesses: J Fuller, James Markwick, Richard Nairn</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 198/3</p>
Volume 75 Item 17	<p>Statement of account by Thomas Webster, bt, of £15,000 South Sea stock bequeathed by [his father] Godfrey Webster, bt, to him and Henry Hankey (who has not acted) in trust for his children Mary (died 26 December 1722), Jane, Whistler, Elizabeth and Godfrey Webster; 1720-1734; allowed by TW only. 4 June 1734.</p> <p>Witnesses: H Moore</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 196/4</p>
d. Post-dissolution deeds (volumes 56-74)	
Volume 56	<p>Deeds relating to the Battle Abbey estate, temp Eliz 1, including licence to receive in mortmain by Elizabeth [Woodville], relating to Godfrey's chantry land in the liberty of Pevensey, 24 February 1478; several documents removed. Approximately 1600.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9899</p>
Volume 56 Item 8	<p>[Item removed; see Volume 76, Item 2]</p> <p>Notes: A document relating to Chaunces Land, formerly listed as Volume 56 Item 8, has been returned to volume 76.</p>
Volume 56 Item 648	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 24 April 1593.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Edward Byne on the death of his father Anthony Byne. The moiety of a tenement called Brondes. Fine £6; saving the lady of the manor the right to pen water on part of the tenement as has been done of old. Steward: John Downton.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/14 Ink number: 648 Thorpe page/entry: 147/6</p>
Volume 56 Item 649	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 24 April 1593.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Edward Byne on the death of his father Anthony Byne. The moiety of a tenement called Staces otherwise Loxbech, fine £5. Steward: John Downton.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/14 Ink number: 649 Thorpe page/entry: 147/6</p>
Volume 56 Item 681	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 24 April 1593.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Edward Byne on the death of his father Anthony Byne. The moiety of a tenement called The Harpe, fine 4d certain. Steward: John Downton.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	<p>Original volume/page: V56/5 Ink number: 681 Thorpe page/entry: 147/5</p>
Volume 56 Item 705	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 24 April 1593.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Edward Byne on the death of his father Anthony Byne. The moiety of a tenement called Brondes Ponde, fine 4d certain. Steward: John Downton.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/14 Ink number: 705 Thorpe page/entry: 147/6</p>
Volume 56 Item 1065	<p>Exemplification of common recovery. 12 February 1584.</p> <p>Description: Henry Bossevyale, esq (by his attorney Thomas Cowper) v William Morgan, esq The third part of the manors of Bodiam and Broomham and 20 messuages, 20 gardens, 300 acres land, 200 acres meadow, 200 acres pasture, 200 acres wood, 200 acres marsh and £13 rent in Bodiam, Broomham, Ewhurst, Icklesham, Hawkhurst, Iden, Battle, Salehurst, Wartling, Enfylde [recte Ninfield], Cattestrete [recte Catsfield], Bexhill, Benenden [in Kent], Westfield and Playden David Howell first vouchee; common pleas Hilary 26 Eliz rot 31.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/7 Ink number: 1065 Thorpe page/entry: 146/3</p>
Volume 56 Item 1070	<p>Quitclaim. 12 May 1576.</p> <p>Description: Drew Barentyne of Edburton to William Morgan of Chilworth in Surrey, esq, Henry Bossevyale of Lincolns Inn, Middlesex, gent, and his wife Elizabeth His estate in the manors of Bodiam and Broomham.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Wilford, Robert Freke, Edmund Kederminster, Thomas Browne</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/2 Ink number: 1070 Thorpe page/entry: 145</p>
Volume 56 Item 1072	<p>Licence to alienate. 24 February 1478.</p> <p>Description: Queen Elizabeth [Woodville] to Maline Farnecombe widow of Simon Farnecombe, to alienate to the chaplain of Godfrey's chantry A messuage called Hankham and 180 acres in Westham, within the liberty of the cinque ports, held of the queen by certain services Recites: patent licencing MF to found a chantry, to be called Godfrey's Chantry, in the chapel of St Mary in the church of Winchelsea St Thomas, for one chaplain, saying divine service daily for the good estate of the king and queen and of MF and their souls after death, and for the souls of SF, John Godfray and his wife Alice, Simon Godfrey and his wife Joan, of all the faithful departed and of any who in future sustain or maintain it; the chaplains to be fit and of legal capacity, have perpetual succession, have the right to sue and be sued in real and personal actions in secular or spiritual courts, and may acquire land of the annual value of £8 3s 4d after outgoings, [27 November 1477 (see license to alienate in mortmain, Volume 53, Item 1064)].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/4 Ink number: 1072 Thorpe page/entry: 121/5</p>

Volume 56 Item 1084	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 22 April 1587.</p> <p>Description: Licence to George Porter to lease to William Bannester for five years from 29 September 1586</p> <p>His customary tenement called Stephen Landes</p> <p>No assignment without further licence; fine 20d; WB does fealty and is admitted.</p> <p>Notes: The ink number may be duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Original volume/page: V56/8</p> <p>Ink number: 1084</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 145/5</p>
Volume 56 Item 1095	<p>Counterpart re-settlement. 23 May 1602.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Wilford of Lenham, Kent, esq, to Thomas Barham of Teston, Kent, esq, and Francis Pordage of St Dunstan in the West, [London], gent, in trust</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The manor of Lenham 2 The rectory and parsonage of Lenham with its tithes 3 A warren of conies in Thickey, Midley, Spelhills and Blackhedge within the manor of Lenham 4 The advowson of the vicarage of Lenham 5 Lands in Lenham, Harrietsham, Boughton Malherbe, Charing, Wichling, Royton [in Lenham] and Egerton <p>For TW for life, remainder to his son and heir James Wilford and his heirs in tail male, remainder to TW's son William Wilford and his heirs in tail male, remainder to TW's son Joseph Wilford and his heirs in tail male, remainder to TW's heirs male, remainder to TW's daughters Agnes Throckmerton and Frances Wilford and the longer liver, remainder to Agnes's second son Thomas Throckmerton and to his heirs in tail male, remainder to her third son Ambrose Throckmerton and his heirs in tail male, remainder to Joseph Wilford and his heirs; TW may give a term in 2 above of 21 years or less for the payment of his debts and performance of his will; TW may grant leases; William, Joseph or Agnes, being seised, may raise portions of £500 for their daughters by grants of 2 above.</p> <p>Recites: settlement by TW of Ridley Hall in Essex, esq, of 1, 2 and 5 above on himself and his wife Mary for life, remainder to his son and heir James Wilford and his heirs in tail male, and of 3 and 4 above to TW for life, remainder to James Wilford and his heirs in tail male (covenant to suffer recovery by Stephen Thilby of Lincoln, esq, Thomas Horsman, one of the queen's gentleman sewers, and Edward Eayre, yeoman; Warham St Leger, kt, and his son Anthony St Leger were vouchees), with power reserved to TW to alter the remainders on James Wilford's death without heirs male, 7 October 1576; resettlement on James Wilford with remainder to several other sons of TW (covenant by TW with Henry Wilford of St Martin in the Fields, gent, and John Valentyne of London, yeoman), 4 May 1582.</p> <p>Sealed by FP only.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Knight, scrivener, for Francis P[ordage], John Lawrence otherwise Clarke</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Original volume/page: V56/19</p> <p>Ink number: 1095</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 148/6</p>
Volume 56 Item 1100	<p>Exemplification of a recovery in the court of the manor of Battle. 28 April 1590.</p> <p>Description: William Haye v Nicholas Carter</p> <p>8 acres land, 10 acres pasture and 4 acres wood called Amners Weners, Litle Domesdaye and Thresshers, in the borough of Middleborough, Battle</p> <p>WH finds pledges and seeks process against NC; the sub-bailiff Thomas Grome ordered to summon NC to court at 8am on 28 April; Richard White vouchee; exemplified by the steward</p>

	<p>John Downton at the request of WH.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/13 Ink number: 1100 Thorpe page/entry: 147/2</p>
Volume 56 Item 1112	<p>Counterpart mortgage. 23 March 1598.</p> <p>Seals: Shows the crest of a collared griffin's head charged with a crescent and the initials GF. Related materials: For mortgage, see Volume 56, Item 1113.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/17 Ink number: 1112 Thorpe page/entry: 148/4</p>
Volume 56 Item 1113	<p>Mortgage for £7. 23 March 1598.</p> <p>Description: Ninian Thatcher of Battle, shoemaker, to Goddard Foster of Battle, gent Messuage, garden, orchard and adjoining piece of land (½ acre) in Battle (S,W: heirs of Leonard Yealdinge, NT's copyhold garden; N,W: heirs of Michael Baker; N,E: William Aneston; SE: Battle-Whatlington road) Sum payable in Battle marketplace on 26 March 1601. Witnesses: John Pilcher, Leonard Bysshe, Richard Boys Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 56, Item 1112; for conveyance with money paid in discharge of mortgage, see Volume 57, Item 1124.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/18 Ink number: 1113 Thorpe page/entry: 148/5</p>
Volume 56 Item 1182	<p>Conveyance for £72. 2 February 1587.</p> <p>Description: John Roberts of Nackington in Kent, gent, youngest son of Clement Roberts of Wingham in Kent, gent, deceased, and nephew of William Roberts of Battle, gent, deceased, to Anthony Lowe of Battle, yeoman Dwelling-house, messuage or tenement, buildings, gardens and orchards in Middleborough, Battle (S,W: demesne called The Maunsey; W: bondhold tenement of Thomas Vipham; E,S: messuages and gardens of William Cowper and Daniel Jones; N: road), which descended to him on the death of WR by the custom of the manor of Battle called Borough English. Witnesses: Edward Fylde, Thomas Fetherston, Thomas Woddy, Harry Michell</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/9 Ink number: 1182 Thorpe page/entry: 146/6</p>
Volume 56 Item 1545	<p>Paper pleading in Thatcher v Thatcher in case in the high court of Battle. Approximately 1594.</p> <p>Description: Ninian Thatcher (by his attorney Michael Mercer) pleads that he lent Abraham Thatcher 10s at Battle on 1 October 1593, and that his request for repayment was refused at Battle on 1 September 1594, to his damage 20s. Subscribed: Grome seeks a copy.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/14 Ink number: 1545 Thorpe page/entry: 147/7</p>

Volume 56 Item 1552	<p>Letter from Anthony Garnett, Cowdray [in Easebourne], to Robert Smythe. 16 May 1583.</p> <p>Description: His master [Anthony Browne, Lord Montague], to avoid the danger of the statute and recent proclamation against retaining, forbids RS to wear his cognizance and badge or to account himself his servant from 31 May 1583 until Lord Montague may be permitted to increase his number of retainers again; ... 'his lordship is much loathe to enter this course with any of you, nor would, saving that the precedent of all noble men and the force of the laws of the realme doth move him thereto ...'.</p> <p>Seals: Armorial seal en placard showing three griffins' heads erased; shield surmounted by the initials AG.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/6 Ink number: 1552 Thorpe page/entry: 145/6 (transcribed)</p>
Volume 56 Item 1557	<p>Bond in £3000 for good title. 6 May 1588.</p> <p>Description: Edward Glemham of Chichester, esq, to John Levett of Salehurst, gent. The castle and manor of Bodiam [as 56/1650] A lease of part of the premises and other land by Thomas Foster, his wife Constance (now EG's wife) and William Morgan to John Keen, with assignments, added to the leases recited by Volume 56, Item 1650.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Haye, John Jeffersonn, John Upton, Thomas Grenfeilde</p> <p>Related materials: For the 16 April 1588 conveyance, see Volume 56, Item 1650.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/11 Ink number: 1557 Thorpe page/entry: 146/8</p>
Volume 56 Item 1562	<p>Bond in £400 to deliver documents, Edward Glemham of Chichester, esq, to John Levett of Salehurst, gent. 6 May 1588.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/12 Ink number: 1562 Thorpe page/entry: 147/1</p>
Volume 56 Item 1583	<p>Counterpart settlement; Stylyan signs Stolyon. 10 March 1595.</p> <p>Related materials: For the settlement, see Volume 56, Item 1588.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/16 Ink number: 1583 Thorpe page/entry: 148/2</p>
Volume 56 Item 1588	<p>Settlement (covenant to stand seised). 10 March 1595.</p> <p>Description: John Levett the elder of Salehurst, gent, to Thomas Stylyan of Warbleton, gent, and Thomas Hebden of Burwash, gent in trust The moiety of the castle of Bodiam and the manors of Bodiam and Broomham with lands and tenements in Bodiam and Salehurst and in Hawkhurst, Kent To the use of JL for life, with successive remainders in tail to his second son Thomas Levett, his third son Michael Levett, his fourth son William Levett, his fifth son Richard Levett, his sixth son Joshua Levett and to his son and heir John Levett the younger, with reversion to JL's right heirs; JL may revoke the settlement by deed; any alienation (other than a jointure or a lease for 21 years or less at a market rent) to void the estate of the alienor.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Barton, Thomas Collet, William Smythier, Walter Saker</p> <p>Related materials: For the counterpart, see Volume 56, Item 1583.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/15 Ink number: 1588 Thorpe page/entry: 148/2</p>
Volume 56 Item 1617	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 10 April 1571.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Robert Porter on the surrender and quitclaim of Richard Porter A stable, half a gate near it, a garden called The Long Garden and a tenement called Stephen Land with a meadow called The Parke Meadowe No heriot because Robert is already a tenant. Steward: William Roberth.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/2 Ink number: 1617 Thorpe page/entry: 144/6</p>
Volume 56 Item 1618	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 4 April 1559.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Robert Porter on the out-of-court surrender of his father Richard Porter the elder according to his last will A stable, half a gate near it, a garden called The Long Garden and a tenement called Stephen Land with a meadow called The Parke Meadowe Heriot a cow, delivered to the lord's stock. Steward: William Roberth.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/1 Ink number: 1618 Thorpe page/entry: 144/5</p>
Volume 56 Item 1623	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 16 October 1582.</p> <p>Description: Admission of George Porter on the death of his father Robert Porter An orchard called Longe Garden on the lower side of the messuage No heriot because within the borough. Examined by John Downton, steward. Notes: The ink number may be duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/5 Ink number: 1623 Thorpe page/entry: 145/5</p>
Volume 56 Item 1624	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 16 October 1582.</p> <p>Description: Admission of George Porter on the death of his father Robert Porter A stable on the west side of his messuage and half of the gate room, no heriot because within the borough. Examined by John Downton, steward.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/5 Ink number: 1624 Thorpe page/entry: 145/5</p>
Volume 56 Item 1650	<p>Conveyance and covenant to levy fine for £2100. 16 April 1588.</p> <p>Description: Edward Glemham of Chichester, esq, and wife Constance (a daughter and co-heir of Roger Lewckner, kt, deceased), to John Levett of Salehurst, gent A moiety of the castle and manor of Bodiam in Bodiam and Salehurst and in Hawkhurst, Kent</p>

	<p>Title deeds and manorial records to be delivered to JL in the chamber of John Haye, gent, in Grays Inn before 1 November 1588.</p> <p>Excepted from the warranty: leases of the moiety of land called Grovelande, part of the premises, made by CG's former husband Thomas Foster, esq, deceased, to John Lodsman for 21 years from 29 September 1579 at £4, 26 January 1580; the moiety of land called Norland, part of the premises, made by Thomas Foster and CG to Clement Brattell for 21 years from 29 September 1583 at £16, 21 August 1583; a lease made by Thomas Foster and CG to Robert Simons, and assignments of it; a life estate which Anthony Staple holds by the courtesy of England.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Lewkenor, Arthur Salwey, John Haye, John Upton, Thomas Grenfeild</p> <p>Related materials: For the 6 May 1588 bond between EG and JL, see Volume 56, Item 1557.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/10 Ink number: 1650 Thorpe page/entry: 146/7</p>
Volume 56 Item 2006	<p>Extract, by Stephen Worley, scrivener, of an order of the lords, bailiffs and jurats of Romney Marsh at a general lathe at Dymchurch, that Sir William Southland, Mr William Reade and Thomas Smithe shall have £18 an acre for the soil of their land carted to the walls, the inheritance to remain to the commons of the marsh. .. May 1605.</p> <p>Notes: No ink number on dorse; number assigned.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V56/A [pencil note on card suggesting that the document was originally on p19 of volume 77] Ink number: 2006 Thorpe page/entry: 149/2</p>
Volume 57	<p>Deeds relating to the Battle Abbey and Bodiam estates, 1-13 Jas 1 (1603-1615), with one deed relating to Lenham, Kent; several documents removed. 1625-1638.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9900/1</p>
Volume 57 Item 1066	<p>Exemplification of common recovery. 28 November 1610.</p> <p>Description: Robert Morgan esq and Richard Dod gent v Thomas Lovell A messuage and barn in Battle Edmund Haye first vouchee, Edward Howes second vouchee. Endorsed: Mr Haye's recovery, son-in-law to Captain Morgan.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V57/6 Ink number: 1066 Thorpe page/entry: 149/7</p>
Volume 57 Item 1088	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 5 April 1608.</p> <p>Description: Admission on the third proclamation of the death of George Porter, gent, of his widow Dorothy Porter, to hold for life under his will A piece of land on which a stable stood and half of the gate room, with a garden called Longe Garden on the west side of her freehold messuage Fine 20s. Steward: John Clerk.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V57/3 Ink number: 1088 Thorpe page/entry: 149/5</p>

Volume 57 Item 1089	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 5 April 1608.</p> <p>Description: Admission on the third proclamation of the death of George Porter of his widow Dorothy Porter, to hold for life under his will A tenement called Steven Land in the borough of Telham Fine £8. Steward: John Clerk.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V57/3 Ink number: 1089 Thorpe page/entry: 149/5</p>
Volume 57 Item 1090	<p>Common recovery specified by settlement. 21 November 1615.</p> <p>Related materials: For settlement, see volume 57, Item 1581; for counterpart settlement, see Volume 57, Item 1649.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V57/15 Ink number: 1090 Thorpe page/entry: 150/8</p>
Volume 57 Item 1091	<p>Second copy of post-nuptial settlement sealed by Thomas Levett. 1 May 1611.</p> <p>Witnesses: Arthur Lindley, John Caterall, Roger Mason, Thomas Todd, Edward Cathringame Related materials: For first copy of post-nuptial settlement, see Volume 57, Item 1587; for counterpart post-nuptial settlement, see Volume 57, Item 1092.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V57/9 Ink number: 1091 Thorpe page/entry: 149/9</p>
Volume 57 Item 1092	<p>Counterpart post-nuptial settlement. 1 May 1611.</p> <p>Related materials: For post-nuptial settlement, see Volume 57, Item 1587; for second copy of settlement, see Volume 57, Item 1091.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V57/10 Ink number: 1092 Thorpe page/entry: 150/1</p>
Volume 57 Item 1094	<p>Conveyance for £100. 14 October 1624.</p> <p>Description: John Wenham of Battle, gent, and his grandson and heir John Wenham of London, mercer, to William Jorden Messuage, buildings, gardens, orchards, yards and backsides in Middleborough, Battle (W,S: Battle demesne called The Litle Maundsey; W: WJ's copyhold tenement, once Thomas Vippam's; E, S: messuage and gardens of John Farnecombe and Edward Jones, once William Cooper and Daniel Jones; N,E: road) JW of London appoints Goddard Foster of Battle, gent, attorney to deliver seisin. Witnesses: Goddard Foster, Anthony Tuttesham the younger, John Foster, John Knowls; Thomas Freshwater; W to livery seisin by GF: William Langham, Thomas Foster Seals: Armorial seal of barry, on a canton a lion passant. Related materials: For 14 October 1624 bond for quiet possession, see Volume 58, Item 1183.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V57/7 Ink number: 1094 Thorpe page/entry: 152/2</p>

Volume 57 Item 1124	<p>Conveyance for £30. 3 April 1609.</p> <p>Description: Goddard Foster of Battle, gent, and Ninian Thatcher of Battle, shoemaker, to Agnes Brythis of Battle, widow of Anthony Brithis of Westfield, mason Messuage, garden, orchard and adjoining piece of land (½ acre) in Battle (S,W: heirs of Leonard Yeldinge, gent, NT's copyhold garden; N,W: heirs of Michael Baker, gent; N,E: William Aneston; S,E: Battle-Whatlington road) £7 of the consideration paid to GF [in discharge of a mortgage of 1598].</p> <p>Witnesses: Arnold Edwardes the writer, Edward Welsh, William Aneston, James Cowper, Thomas Hole, 3 May 1609</p> <p>Related materials: For 1598 mortgage, see Volume 56, Item 1113; for mortgage counterpart see Volume 56, Item 1112.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V57/4 Ink number: 1124 Thorpe page/entry: 149/6</p>
Volume 57 Item 1534	<p>Lease for 21 years from 29 September 1611 at 1 shilling. 10 October 1611.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Wylford of Lenham in Kent, esq, to Robert Halsnode of Lenham, shoemaker A piece of land (one daywork and a perch) between the parsonage barn and the churchyard of Lenham, lately occupied by Roger Joanes TW may put a ladder on the premises whenever the parsonage barn needs to be retiled or repaired; RH to erect a pale around the premises and surrender it at the end of the term, and move it at the request of TW or the churchwardens if it has been built upon part of the churchyard.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V57/12 Ink number: 1534 Thorpe page/entry: 150/3</p>
Volume 57 Item 1556	<p>Counterpart settlement. 28 June 1603.</p> <p>Related materials: For settlement, see Volume 58, Item 1585.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V57/1 Ink number: 1556 Thorpe page/entry: 148/7</p>
Volume 57 Item 1568	<p>Revocation of the trusts of a settlement of a moiety of the castle of Bodiam and the manors of Bodiam and Broomham, 10 March 1595, by John Levett the elder of Leigh in Kent, gent. 27 June 1603.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Cox, David Bullock, Henry Lyndley</p> <p>Notes: The ink number is duplicated.</p> <p>Related materials: For settlement, see Volume 56, Item 1588.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V57/2 Ink number: 1568 Thorpe page/entry: 148/8</p>
Volume 57 Item 1580	<p>Exemplification of common recovery. 12 June 1611.</p> <p>Description: Guy Palmes, kt, and Robert Beverley, esq, v Thomas Levet, gent The moiety of the castle of Bodiam and of a messuage, a garden, 160 acres land, 60 acres meadow, 300 acres pasture, 4 acres wood and 100 acres marsh in Bodiam.</p> <p>Related materials: As specified in post-nuptial settlement, Volume 57, Item 1587.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V57/11 Ink number: 1580 Thorpe page/entry: 150/2</p>
Volume 57 Item 1581	<p>Settlement (deed to lead the uses of a recovery). 10 October 1615.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Levett of Brockham in Betchworth, Surrey, esq, to John Evans of London, gent, in trust for TL The moiety of lands, tenements and woods called The Northe Landes (340 acres) in Bodiam, occupied by Thomas Holnes, Peter Graye, William Graye, Robert Boorne and Edward Knowles.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edward Henden, Thomas Brickenden, Edmund Stede, scrivener</p> <p>Related materials: For common recovery specified by settlement, see Volume 57, Item 1090; for counterpart, see Volume 57, Item 1649.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V57/14 Ink number: 1581 Thorpe page/entry: 150/4</p>
Volume 57 Item 1582	<p>Assignment of a lease. 11 May 1619.</p> <p>Description: Margaret Levett, widow and executrix of Thomas Levett esq, to Walter Hawes of Salehurst, gent [in trust for TL's brother John Levett] Unexpired term in the moiety of a messuage and barn and of lands called The Eastlandes and Castell Landes, part of the demesne lands of Bodiam manor, with the moiety of the annual fair held on part of them, lately occupied by Richard Tookye, yeoman</p> <p>Recites: lease by Ralph Bosvile of Bradbourne [in Sevenoaks], Kent, kt, to Roger Head for 21 years from 25 March 1609 at £50, 12 August 1608, and assigned by Head to TL, 1 March 1609.</p> <p>Witnesses: Walter Fortune, Robert Willcock, Anthony Dynham, John Caricke</p> <p>Related materials: For 1623 assignment of lease, in trust for John Levett, see Volume 58, Item 1569.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V57/5 Ink number: 1582 Thorpe page/entry: 150/9</p>
Volume 57 Item 1587	<p>Post-nuptial settlement (covenant to suffer a recovery). 1 May 1611.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Levett of Brockham [in Betchworth], Surrey, esq, to Guy Palmes of Ashwell in Rutland, kt, John Lyndley of Middleham, Yorks, esq and Robert Beverley of Grays Inn, Middlesex, esq, in trust. TL has married JL's daughter Margaret</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Moiety of the castle of Bodiam 2 Moiety of lands called The Eastlands or Castlelands, occupied by John Tookie 3 Land occupied by John Ilden, clerk 4 Moiety of a messuage called The Court Lodge with a barn 5 Moiety of a farm called The Parkferme, occupied by John Upton 6 Land occupied by [blank] Harrison, widow, all containing 312 acres, in Bodiam <p>GP and RB shall sue a recovery against TL, and hold to the use of TL and Margaret and the longer liver, remainder to TL's heirs in tail male, remainder to Michael Levett and his heirs in tail male, remainder to TL's brother John Levett and his heirs in tail male, remainder to TL's brother William Levett and his heirs in tail male, remainder to TL's brother Richard Levett and his heirs in tail male, remainder to TL's brother Joshua Levett and his heirs in tail male, reversion to the right heirs of TL's father John Levett.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Arthur Lindley, Moses Jones, John Evans, Thomas Todd</p> <p>Seals: Armorial seal of a lion rampant on a field of crosslets.</p> <p>Related materials: For second copy of settlement, see Volume 57, Item 1091; for counterpart, see Volume 57, Item 1092; for the 12 June 1611 exemplification of common recovery, see Volume 57, Item 1580.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V57/8 Ink number: 1587 Thorpe page/entry: 149/8</p>
Volume 57 Item 1649	<p>Counterpart settlement. 10 October 1615.</p> <p>Related materials: For settlement, see Volume 57, Item 1581; for common recovery specified by settlement, see Volume 57, Item 1090.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V57/13 Ink number: 1649 Thorpe page/entry: 150/4</p>
	<p>Deeds relating to the Battle Abbey and Bodiam estates, 17-22 Jas 1 (1619-1624); one document of 1646 only remains. 1646</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9900/2</p>
Volume 58 Item 1067	<p>Bond in £2000. 13 November 1623.</p> <p>Description: John Levett of Sedlescombe, esq, to Nicholas Tufton of Hothfield in Kent, kt, to keep the covenants in a deed between Thomas Dyke of Ninfield, esq, JL, William Wallis of Trowbridge, Wilts, esq, and his wife Margaret, and NT.</p> <p>Witnesses: Samuel Shorte, Gregory Baker, Basil Becon</p> <p>Related materials: For another text of bond, see Volume 58, Item 1639.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/13 Ink number: 1067 Thorpe page/entry: 152/6</p>
Volume 58 Item 1071	<p>Bond in £200 for quiet enjoyment. 22 May 1622.</p> <p>Description: Bond related to conveyance from Edmund Hay of Hartfield to John Wenham of Battle and grandson John Wenham for property in Middleborough, Battle (see Volume 58, 1645).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/8 Ink number: 1071 Thorpe page/entry: 152/1</p>
Volume 58 Item 1093	<p>Corrective post-nuptial settlement (deed to lead the uses of a fine). 1 June 1619.</p> <p>Description: Ralph Bosville of Bradbourne in Sevenoaks, Kent, kt, and his son and heir Leonard Bosville esq, with Thomas Ridley LLD, a master of chancery, and Francis Ridley of London, gent, to Richard Ridley of London, gent, and John Theobald of Seal in Kent, esq, in trust. LB has married Ann daughter of TR</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">The moiety of the manors of Bodiam and Broomham and messuages, lands and rents in Bodiam, Broomham, Ewhurst, Icklesham, Hawkhurst, Iden, Battle, Salehurst, Wartling, Endfeild [recte Ninfield], Cattestreete [recte Catsfield], Bexhill, Benenden [in Kent], Westfield and Playden</p> <p>RB and LB to levy a fine to RR and TB, who will hold in trust for RB and LB for their lives successively, remainder to LB's sons successively and their heirs in tail male, remainder to their</p>

	<p>daughters; the estate limited by the daughters may be, extinguished by the payment of portions of £500 with two years of the deaths of RB and LB.</p> <p>Recites settlement on the marriage of LB and Ann Ridley, RB to TB and his wife Margaret, RR and JT and John Thorpe of London, gent, and William Godfrey of Sevenoaks, gent, which failed to specify portions for the daughters of LR, 6 July 1613.</p> <p>Witnesses: Lawrence Studley, William Boler, John Woodward</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/4 Ink number: 1093 Thorpe page/entry: 151/2</p>
Volume 58 Item 1099	<p>Surrender of life estate for an annuity of £110. 11 May 1619.</p> <p>Description: Margaret Levett, widow of Thomas Levett esq, to [her brother-in-law] John Levett of Sedlescombe, esq</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Moiety of the castle of Bodiam 2 Moiety of lands called The Eastlandes or Castle Landes, occupied by John Tookie 3 Moiety of land occupied by John Ilden, clerk 4 Moiety of a messuage called The Court Lodge with a barn 5 Moiety of a farm called The Parkfarme, occupied by John Upton 6 Land occupied by [blank] Harrison, widow, all containing 320 acres, in Bodiam. <p>Witnesses: Walter Fortune, Robert Willcock, John Carricke, Anthony Dynham</p> <p>Endorsed: The surrender from my sister Levett.</p> <p>Related material: For counterpart, see Volume 58, Item 1566; for 11 May 1619 bond by JL to ML, see Volume 58, Item 1561.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/1 Ink number: 1099 Thorpe page/entry: 150/10</p>
Volume 58 Item 1183	<p>Bond in £200 for quiet possession. 14 October 1624.</p> <p>Description: Bond related to conveyance from John Wenham of Battle and his grandson John Wenham of London to William Jorden for property in Middleborough, Battle (see Volume 57, Item 1094).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/17 Ink number: 1183 Thorpe page/entry: 152/3</p>
Volume 58 Item 1533	<p>Counterpart lease for 6 years from 29 September 1623 at £2 13s 0d. 10 September 1623.</p> <p>Description: William Smythe of Cressing Temple, Essex, esq, to Walter Webbe of Lenham, Kent, butcher</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">All that part called Ewwells (5 acres) where the well or spring called Ewwell is situated, abutting Lifferton Hoathe</p> <p>Timber and wood reserved; to be void on assignment, other than to WW's wife or children.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Harper, Charles Howland, Henry Bull, Anthony Kyrle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/12 Ink number: 1533 Thorpe page/entry: 152/5</p>
Volume 58 Item 1559	<p>Counterpart deed. 30 June 1620.</p> <p>Related materials: For deed, see Volume 58, Item 1642, and for another version of the deed see Volume 58, Item 1594.</p>

	<p>Related materials: For</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/6 Ink number: 1559 Thorpe page/entry: 151/5</p>
Volume 58 Item 1561	<p>Bond in £100 by John Levett of Sedlescombe, esq, to Margaret Levett widow to keep the covenants in the surrender of life estate. 11 May 1619.</p> <p>Related materials: For surrender of life estate for an annuity of £110 from Margaret Levett to John Levett (Volume 58, Item 1099).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/3 Ink number: 1561 Thorpe page/entry: [151/1]</p>
Volume 58 Item 1566	<p>Counterpart surrender of life estate for an annuity of £110. 11 May 1619.</p> <p>Related materials: For surrender of life estate for an annuity, see Volume 58, Item 1099; for bond from JL to ML, see Volume 58, Item 1561.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/2 Ink number: 1566 Thorpe page/entry: 151/1</p>
Volume 58 Item 1569	<p>Assignment of a lease. 13 November 1623.</p> <p>Description: Walter Hawes of Salehurst, gent, at the request of John Levett of Sedlescombe, esq, to Gregory Baker of London, gent, and John Sharpe of Nash in Westwell, Kent, gent [?in trust for Nicholas Tufton] Unexpired term in the moiety of a messuage and barn and of lands called The Eastlandes and Castlelandes, part of the demesne lands of Bodiam manor, with the moiety of the annual fair held on part of them, lately occupied by Richard Tookye, yeoman Recites: lease by Ralph Bosville of Bradbourne [in Sevenoaks], Kent, kt, to Roger Head for 21 years from 25 March 1609 at £50, 12 August 1608; assignment by Head to JL's brother Thomas Levett esq, 1 March 1609; bequest of the lease by TL to his wife Margaret. Witnesses: Samuel Shorte, Richard Kilburne Related materials: For 11 May 1619 assignment of lease by Margaret to WH in trust for JL, see Volume 57, Item 1582.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/16 Ink number: 1569 Thorpe page/entry: 152/8</p>
Volume 58 Item 1577	<p>Covenant to secure title. 15 November 1623.</p> <p>Description: John Bracklin late of London, gent, and Nathaniel Derdes of London, gent (trustees for sale under the will of Thomas Levett of Brockham in Betchworth, Surrey, esq), with TL's brother John Levett of Sedlescombe, gent, to Nicholas Tufton of Hothfield in Kent, kt The moiety of The Northlandes (340 acres) in Bodiam. Recites: will of TL appointing JB and ND trustees for sale to pay debts and legacies; descent of the land on TL's death to JL, who has sold it and other land to NT; JB and ND covenant with NT that they have not made any sale, and will not unless compelled to do so by a decree of a court of equity; JL covenants that he will indemnify the other parties from TL's debts and legacies.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Samuel Shorte, Gregory Baker; Thomas Whitley</p> <p>Related materials: For another text, see Volume 58, Item 1578.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/14 Ink number: 1577 Thorpe page/entry: 152/9</p>
Volume 58 Item 1578	<p>Another text of covenant to secure title. 15 November 1623.</p> <p>Description: Another text of Volume 58, Item 1577.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/15 Ink number: 1578 Thorpe page/entry: 152/9</p>
Volume 58 Item 1585	<p>Settlement. 28 June 1603.</p> <p>Description: John Levett the elder of Leigh in Kent, gent, to Michael Weston of Morden in Surrey, gent, and John Woller, citizen and merchant tailor of London, in trust The moiety of the castle of Bodiam and of the manors of Bodiam and Broomham, with messuages, lands, tenements and rents in Bodiam and Salehurst and in Hawkhurst, Kent For JL for life, with successive remainders in tail male to his second son Thomas Levett, his third son Michael Levett, his son and heir John Levett the younger, his fourth son William Levett, his fifth son Richard Levett, and his sixth son Joshua Levett, reversion to the JL's right heirs. Any alienation (other than a jointure or a lease for 21 years or less at a market rent) to void the estate of the alienor.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Lyndley, John Cox, David Bullocke</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 57, Item 1556.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/10 Ink number: 1585 Thorpe page/entry: 149/1</p>
Volume 58 Item 1594	<p>Version of deed omitting the covenants [? to save fees]. 30 June 1620.</p> <p>Description: At foot: memorandum by Robert Houghton kt, JKB, of JL's appearance before him at Serjeants' Inn, Chancery Lane, and his request to have the deed enrolled, 1 July 1620.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Amherst, Edward Amherst, Edward Raynes</p> <p>Endorsed: enrolled in KB, T 18 Jas, rot 425</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart deed, see Volume 58, Item 1559; for version of deed with covenants, see Volume 58, Item 1642.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/5 Ink number: 1594 Thorpe page/entry: 151/5</p>
Volume 58 Item 1620	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 25 August 1646.</p> <p>Description: Admission of John Foster, gent, as only brother of William Foster, gent, on a forfeited conditional surrender to WF by Edward Jones before John Porter, esq, steward, 2 April 1642 Messuage, garden and close in Middleborough, Battle, occupied by EJ's brother John Jones. Francis Crompe, deputy steward.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/18</p>

	<p>Ink number: 1620 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 58 Item 1639	<p>Bond. 13 November 1623.</p> <p>Description: Another text of bond (Volume 58, Item 1067).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/13 Ink number: 1639 Thorpe page/entry: 152/7</p>
Volume 58 Item 1642	<p>Counterpart mortgage for £1000 at 9%. 30 June 1620.</p> <p>Description: John Levett of Sedlescombe, gent, to Thomas Dyke of Newfeild [recte Ninfield], gent</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The moiety of the castle and manor of Bodiam in Sussex and Kent 2 The moiety of lands and tenements called Northlandes, Parklandes, Eastlandes and Grovelandes, part of the manor 3 Moiety of messuages, lands and the rents of free and customary tenants in Bodiam, Ewhurst, Salehurst, Battle, Wartling, Penhurst, Newfeild [recte Ninfield] and Catsfield in Sussex and Hawkhurst in Kent <p>Payable at the dwelling-house of John Dike, citizen and merchant tailor of London, in Billiter Lane, London, on 3 July 1621.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Amherst, John Middleton</p> <p>Related materials: For version of deed omitting covenants, see Volume 58, Item 1594; for counterpart of that deed, see Volume 58, Item 1559.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/5 Ink number: 1642 Thorpe page/entry: 151/4</p>
Volume 58 Item 1645	<p>Conveyance for £120. 22 May 1622.</p> <p>Description: Edmund Hay of Hartfield, gent, to John Wenham of Battle, gent, and his grandson and heir John Wenham</p> <p>Messuage, buildings, gardens, orchards, yards and backsides in Middleborough, Battle (W,S: Battle demesne called The Little Maundsey; W: copyhold tenement once Thomas Vippam; E,S: messuage and gardens of John Farnecombe and Edward Jones, once William Cooper and Daniel Jones; N: road)</p> <p>EH's wife Margery incuded in warranty.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Brooke, Richard Gaynsforde, Anthony Tuttesham the younger, Edmund Lyntott; additional W to livery seisin: Isaac Haye, William Jorden, Zacharias Tuttesham, Thomas Foster</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/9 Ink number: 1645 Thorpe page/entry: 151/8</p>
Volume 58 Item 1646	<p>Covenant for a partition. 14 November 1622.</p> <p>Description: Ralph Bosvile of Bradbourne in Sevenoaks, Kent, kt, with John Levitt of Sedlescombe, esq, and Thomas Dyke of Ninfield, esq.</p> <p>The castle and manor of Bodiam with messuages and lands.</p> <p>Recites: common seisin of the parties; writ of partition pending in common pleas; division into two equal lots by Samuel Boys esq, Alexander Fowle, William Muddle and William Byshopp, gent as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The castle and the lands called The East Landes (57 acres 2 roods 1 daywork and 1

	<p>perch meadow, 119 acres 3 roods 8 dayworks 2p marsh, 229 acres 3 roods 7 dayworks land and pasture) and a piece of land (1 acre 1 rood 8 dayworks 1 perch) in Ewhurst, that part of The North Landes which lies next to Bodiam Mill (9 acres 2 roods 1 daywork meadow, 157 acres 0 roods 4 dayworks land and pasture, 30 acres 2 roods 2 perches wood)</p> <p>2 The parklands (45 acres 0 roods 8 dayworks 2p meadow, 135 acres 0 roods 2 dayworks 1 perch land and pasture), the grovelands (56 acres 2 roods 6 dayworks 1 perch meadow, 127 acres 1 rood 2 dayworks land and pasture, 40 acres 0 roods 2 dayworks wood), the other part of The North Landes lying next to Wigsell Lands (20 acres 2 roods 3 dayworks 3 perches meadow, 115 acres 1 rood 1 daywork 1 perch land and pasture, 58 acres 3 roods 3 dayworks 1 perch wood), to which was allotted a right of way from the road at Bodiam church and Bodiam mill, by a lane from Knowles Green to a land-way, part of the demesnes, through two pieces of land part of lot 1 now most commonly used, the land-way to be widened at the marlpit</p> <p>The parties covenant: that the partition shall be made according to the division made by SB, AF, WM and WB; whichever of the parties makes the choice to pay the other £20, to be secured by bond; RB to have the fair of Bodiam if lot 1 fall to him, and JL and TD to make further conveyance of it within a year if necessary; warranty by JL and TD includes JL's brother Thomas Levett; that by RB includes his father [Henry Bosville]; the parties agree to account for the profits of the manors of Bodiam and Broomham during the last eight years and to balance them if necessary, and to agree upon such terms for the administration of the manors of Bodiam and Broomham, which are to remain common, as their counsel James Francklyn and Thomas Brooke of the Middle Temple, esqs, shall advise.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Francklyn, Thomas Brooke, John Hodsoll</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V58/11 Ink number: 1646 Thorpe page/entry: 152/4</p>
	<p>Deeds relating to the manor of Lenham, Kent; a stray Barnhorn court baron presentment, 1631, four Battle copies of court roll, and deeds of the Powell estate in Bodiam; temp Chas 1 (1625-1649). 1625-1649.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9901</p>
Volume 59 Item 1061	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1629 at £1 6s 8d. 13 April 1630.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wilford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to William Attwater of Lenham in Kent, yeoman</p> <p>Piece of pasture (2 acres) in Lenham, occupied by WA, rent payable at Lenham court lodge.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Crompton, Francis Doughtye, Thomas Bartlett</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/11 Ink number: 1061 Thorpe page/entry: 220/3</p>
Volume 59 Item 1063	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1630 at £24 10s 6d. 7 April 1630.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wylford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to Thomas Bartlett of Lenham in Kent, fellmonger</p> <p>1 The market-house of Lenham with its stalls, standings and penthouses, with the benefit of the fairs and markets and the profit of the pound or poundage (now occupied by Thomas Naylor)</p> <p>2 Windmill Bank, Ten Acres, Workhouse Close and the little meadow adjoining</p>

	<p>(occupied by TB), a meadow and two pasture fields in Oxley Woods (occupied by John Harper), two pasture fields at Leaden Cross and Little Blackmans in Harrietsham Lane (occupied by George Nayler), in all 42 acres</p> <p>3 A barn and adjoining close occupied by John Harper, late William Harper deceased, with access to it through Court Lodge Close in the town of Lenham</p> <p>4 Use of Ten Acres, Windmill Hill or Fair Field to keep the bullock fair in, at the appointment of the occupier John Brockwell, and the profit of the animals sold, with liberty to set up pens for sheep and lambs and two booths or standings to sell bread, beer and victuals in one of the fields, to be set up the day before the fair and taken down the day after; TB to indemnify HW for damage to corn and hedges in the fields not used</p> <p>TB to scour the town ditches and other dirty places and collect the dung in heaps for use on the land.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Crompton, Francis Doughtye, Thomas Carr</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/5 Ink number: 1063 Thorpe page/entry: 219/5</p>
Volume 59 Item 1074	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 10 October 1642.</p> <p>Description: Out-of-court conditional surrender on 2 April 1642 by Edward Jones of Ninfield, blacksmith (in the presence of George Bourner, Thomas Sajett and Richard Spencer, tenants) to William Foster of Battle, gent, for the payment of £26 8s in WF's dwelling-house at Battle by 3 April 1646</p> <p>Messuage, garden and backside, occupied by EJ's brother John Jones, in Middleborough, Battle</p> <p>Arnold Edwardes deputy steward.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/25 Ink number: 1074 Thorpe page/entry: 154/7</p>
Volume 59 Item 1077	<p>Conveyance for £115. 2 January 1626.</p> <p>Description: William Jorden of Battle, yeoman, to Thomas Alchorne of Battle, gent</p> <p>Messuage, buildings, gardens, orchards, yards and backsides in Middleborough, Battle (W,S: Battle demesne called The Little Maundsey; W: WJ's copyhold tenement, once Thomas Vippam; E, S: messuage and gardens of John Farnecombe and Edward Jones, once William Cooper and Daniel Jones; N, E: road).</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Foster, Richard Jordan, Benjamin Chepman</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/1 Ink number: 1077 Thorpe page/entry: 153/3</p>
Volume 59 Item 1078	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1635 at £24 10s Od. 6 November 1635.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wilford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to John White of Lenham in Kent, yeoman</p> <p>Thirteen pieces of pasture, meadow and arable (64 acres), occupied by JW, in Lenham, penalty of 20s for every acre of pasture ploughed without HW's licence; no assignment without licence.</p> <p>Witnesses: W Codd, Thomas Codd, Thomas Bartlett</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/21 Ink number: 1078</p>

	Thorpe page/entry: 221/3
Volume 59 Item 1079	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1629 at £17 6s 8d. 13 April 1630.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wilford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to John Brockwell of Lenham in Kent, gent Five pieces of arable (68 acres) called The Ten Acres, Fair Field, Windmill Hill, The Eight Acres and Long Downs, in Lenham, occupied by JB Rent payable at Lenham court lodge; JB to appoint one of the first three fields for the holding of Lenham Fair for all manner of cattle in the month of May, and permit HW or his assigns to build pens and folds for sheep, and two small booths; HW to indemnify JB for damage caused by the fair to crops on the other two fields [for the lease of the fair see Volume 59, Item 1063]. Witnesses: John Crompton, Francis Doughtye, Thomas Carr, Thomas Bartlett</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/10 Ink number: 1079 Thorpe page/entry: 219/8</p>
Volume 59 Item 1080	<p>Bond for title as 59/1157 and against the acts of George Cole's father George Cole deceased and the dower of George Cole's wife Ann. 22 April 1648.</p> <p>Related material: For mortgage, see Volume 59, Item 1157.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/32 Ink number: 1080 Thorpe page/entry: 156/3</p>
Volume 59 Item 1085	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 9 October 1639.</p> <p>Description: First proclamation of the out-of-court surrender by Robert Barnett of Battle, labourer (in the presence of Thomas Sajett, Thomas Sharp and John Phillcockes, tenants), to RB for life, remainder to his daughters Mary, Elizabeth, Denise, Agnes and Joan Barnett as tenants in common, 9 July 1639 Piece of former waste with the cottage built upon it Arnold Edwardes [deputy steward].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/22 Ink number: 1085 Thorpe page/entry: 154/8</p>
Volume 59 Item 1098	<p>Counterpart lease for 20 years from 29 September 1632 at £15 10s 0d. 20 February 1632.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wilford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to John Steedman of Lenham in Kent, husbandman Tompsons Croft (4 acres) and four pieces of land called The Leeses (33 acres) and three pieces of land called Dobers, Birdes Crofts and [erased] (8 acres), in Lenham, a piece called The Leese Ruffe reserved to HW; rent payable at Lenham court lodge. Witnesses: John Brockwell, Francis Doughtye, Thomas Bartlett</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/16 Ink number: 1098 Thorpe page/entry: 221/2</p>
Volume 59 Item 1103	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1629 at £1 5s 0d. 17 April 1630.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wylford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to Christopher Stedman of Lenham in Kent, husbandman Two pieces of pasture (4 acres) in Lenham, occupied by CS, late John Stedman, rent payable at Lenham court lodge; penalty of 10s for every acre ploughed.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Francis Doughtye, Thomas Carr, Thomas Bartlett</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/13 Ink number: 1103 Thorpe page/entry: 220/5</p>
Volume 59 Item 1157	<p>Mortgage for £30. 22 April 1648.</p> <p>Description: George Cole of Peasmarsch, yeoman, to Thomas Smyth the younger of Battle, farrier. Barn and adjoining croft ($\frac{3}{4}$acres) called Perrishawe in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (E: Battle-Hastings road; N: Battle-Catsfield road; W: croft of William Hodges; S: heirs of Clement Finch esq).</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Wattell, John Smith, Richard Medhurst, John Purfle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/31 Ink number: 1157 Thorpe page/entry: 156/2</p>
Volume 59 Item 1539	<p>Paper presentment of the homage of the manor of Barnhorn [in Bexhill]. 2 March 1632.</p> <p>Description: Surrender by Edward Wyborne, gent, to Thomas Olive, the hedges and ditches adjoining the demesnes are out of repair; death of Old John Moore, his heir is his grandson and the house is out of repair; White Down Mill is out of repair.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/16 Ink number: 1539 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 59 Item 1565	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1639 at £20. 20 April 1630.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wylford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to Lawrence Foxe of Lenham in Kent, clerk A piece of land (2 acres; E,S: HW; W: the orchard and close belonging to Lenham vicarage; N: road) Rent payable at Lenham court lodge.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Crompton, Francis Doughtye, Thomas Bartlett</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/15 Ink number: 1565 Thorpe page/entry: 220/7</p>
Volume 59 Item 1568	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1629 at £1 16s 0d. 5 April 1630.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wylford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to Thomas Steed of Lenham in Kent, yeoman Piece of arable (3 acres) in Lenham, occupied by TS, late John Harper.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Crompton, Francis Doughtye, Thomas Carr, Thomas Bartlett</p> <p>Notes: The ink number is duplicated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/3 Ink number: 1568 Thorpe page/entry: 219/3</p>
Volume 59 Item 1570	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1629 at £10 10s 0d. 13 April 1630.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wilford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to James Clarke of Lenham in Kent, husbandman Two pieces of pasture (30 acres) called Collesters, in Lenham</p>

	<p>Rent payable at Lenham court lodge; JC not to assign without licence. Witnesses: John Crompton, Francis Doughtye, Thomas Bartlett</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/8 Ink number: 1575 Thorpe page/entry: 220/2</p>
Volume 59 Item 1570	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 29 September 1629 at £9 10s 0d. 13 April 1630.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wilford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to Gilbert Badnor of Lenham in Kent, yeoman, and Hugh Knowlden of Lenham, yeoman Two pieces of arable (40 acres) called The Little Dickles, in Lenham Rent payable at 'the ancient mansion house belonging to the above demised lands called ... The Court Lodge of Lenham'. Witnesses: John Crompton, Francis Doughtye, Thomas Bartlett</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/9 Ink number: 1564 Thorpe page/entry: 220/1</p>
Volume 59 Item 1570	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1629 at £24 8s 8d. 10 April 1630.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wylford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to Austin Hennaker of Lenham in Kent, yeoman Seven pieces of land (70 acres) with a barn and stable upon them, in Lenham, occupied by AH Rent payable at Lenham court lodge; AH to leave two pieces called The Strakes as pasture during the last 11 years. Witnesses: John Crompton, Francis Doughtye, Thomas Carr, Thomas Bartlett</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/7 Ink number: 1570 Thorpe page/entry: 219/6</p>
Volume 59 Item 1571	<p>Mortgage for £100 at 7½%. 2 November 1647.</p> <p>Description: George Cole of Peasmarsh, yeoman, to Henry Sheather of Battle, yeoman Two meadows called Wattles Wish and Cooks Feild (8 acres) in Battle (N: the high street; S,W: Nicholas Maunser; S: Francis [Browne], Lord Montague; S,E: The Deanes Feilds; E: croft of William Hodges) Warranty includes acts of GC's father George Cole deceased and GC's wife Ann. Witnesses: Francis Crompe, John Philcox, Thomas Smith, John Purfle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/30 Ink number: 1571 Thorpe page/entry: 156/1</p>
Volume 59 Item 1573	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1630 at £5 6s 8d. 10 April 1631.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wilford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to Richard Pollye of Lenham in Kent, labourer A dwellinghouse called The Myle House with two pieces of pasture adjoining (3 acres) in Lenham, occupied by RP Rent payable at Lenham court lodge. Witnesses: Francis Doughtye, Thomas Bartlett</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/19</p>

	Ink number: 1573 Thorpe page/entry: 220/10
Volume 59 Item 1574	Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1630 at £2. 10 April 1631. Description: Henry Wilford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to Thomas Henman of Lenham in Kent, gent A piece of arable called Mountayndayne (10 acres) in Lenham, occupied by TH Rent payable at Lenham court lodge. Witnesses: Francis Doughtye, Thomas Bartlett Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/17 Ink number: 1574 Thorpe page/entry: 220/9
Volume 59 Item 1579	Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1631 at £5 6s 8d. 21 November 1631. Description: Henry Wilford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to Robert Halsnod of Bredgar in Kent, gent A piece of pasture (3 acres) near a tenement called The Bear, late occupied by William Parker, in Lenham Penalty of 40s for every acre ploughed. Witnesses: William Sulyard, William Guildeford, Francis Doughtye Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/20 Ink number: 1579 Thorpe page/entry: 221/1
Volume 59 Item 1584	Deed of revocation of trusts. 6 March 1645. Description: John [Tufton], earl of Thanet, revokes the trusts declared in a deed [described by Thorpe 155/3] of 23 January 1643. Witnesses: Samuel Gott, William King, Philip Winston, Abraham vander Heijden, William Barford Notes: This deed contains several interlineations and erasures; Volume 59, Item 1595 possibly represents a re-execution. Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/27 Ink number: 1584 Thorpe page/entry: 155/5
Volume 59 Item 1589	Counterpart conveyance for £1400. 18 March 1645. Description: Nathaniel Powell of Ewhurst, gent, and Walter Oake, citizen and stationer of London, to Samuel Hyland of Southwark, distiller Messuage, barn and 240 acres called The Court Lodge of Bodiam and The Court Lodge Farm, occupied by John Hollands at a rent of £80, in Bodiam (W: road from Bodiam Bridge-Bodiam Mill; N,E: river called Kent Dyke, The Eastland Marshes; S,W: The Eastland Marshes, The Castle Marshes, The Castlelands and the way or lane from Knowle Hill to Bodiam Castle) Reserved: a right of way from the road near Bodiam Church across the premises to The Eastland Marshes, as the way is now used. Witnesses: Samuel Torksey, William Cheetam, Richard Willford Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/28 Ink number: 1589 Thorpe page/entry: 155/7
Volume 59 Item 1590	Conveyance for £120. 20 May 1626. Description: Thomas Gilbert of Battle, gent, to George Cole of Battle, yeoman

	<p>1 Two meadows called Cokesfield and Wattelwish (8 acres) in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (N: Battle-Catsfield road; W,S: copyhold land of Nicholas Manser gent; S: lords of the manor of Battle; SE,E: The Deanesfielde belonging to Battle Deanery; E: a little slip or piece of ground late George Porter gent)</p> <p>2 Barn and adjoining croft (¾ acres), formerly a hopgarden, in Sandlake (E: Battle-Hastings road; N: Battle-Catsfield road; W: little slip late George Porter as above; S: little meadow of [blank] Finch, esq).</p> <p>Witnesses: Arnold Edwardes, Thomas Muddell, Alexander Leonard, Edmund Lyntott, Thomas Clarke</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/2 Ink number: 1590 Thorpe page/entry: 153/2</p>
Volume 59 Item 1592	<p>Conveyance for £100 enrolled in chancery. 24 June 1642.</p> <p>Description: John Porter (surviving executor of George Porter of Battle, gent) to John Foster of Battle, gent</p> <p>Freehold messuage, buildings, closes, backsides, gardens and orchards in Battle, late GP, occupied by Richard Feild, and all GP's other freehold land in Battle</p> <p>Recites: will of GP (as Volume 59, Item 1647), 29 December 1604, the death of his widow Dorothy Porter and JP's survival of his fellow trustees.</p> <p>Subscribed: acknowledged before Robert Riche, kt, master in chancery, 24 June 1642.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Baker, Henry Porter, Francis Crompe</p> <p>Endorsed: Endorsed on the close roll by Edward Goddard, 25 June 1642.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/24 Ink number: 1592 Thorpe page/entry: 155/2</p>
Volume 59 Item 1595	<p>Text of deed of revocation of trusts (Volume 59, Item 1584 [?copied and re-executed to avoid erasures]. 6 March 1645.</p> <p>Witnesses: William King, Thomas Gravett, Abraham vander Heijden, John Cureeton, John Lake, Thomas Whimper</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/26 Ink number: 1595 Thorpe page/entry: 155/5</p>
Volume 59 Item 1619	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 9 October 1639.</p> <p>Description: Out-of-court conditional surrender on 26 March 1639 by Edward Joanes of Ninfield, blacksmith (in the presence of George Bournier, Thomas Sajett and Richard Spencer, tenants), to William Foster of Battle, gent, for the payment of £24 8s in WF's dwelling-house at Battle on 26 December 1641</p> <p>Messuage, garden and backside, occupied by EJ's brother John Joanes, in Middleborough, Battle</p> <p>Arnold Edwardes deputy steward.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/22 Ink number: 1619 Thorpe page/entry: 154/6</p>
Volume 59 Item 1621	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 18 December 1645.</p> <p>Description: Out-of-court surrender on 6 January 1644 by John Foster, gent (in the presence of</p>

	<p>John Medhurst, Thomas Sagett and Walter Mace, tenants), to the use of his will</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 A piece of land upon which a stable previously stood, on the W side of JF's freehold house, and half the gate-room 2 An orchard or garden called Longegarden on the lower side of JF's freehold messuage 3 A tenement called Stevenland in the borough of Telham <p>Understeward: John Porter esq; deputy steward: Francis Crompe.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/29 Ink number: 1621 Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 59 Item 1636	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1629 at £12. 6 April 1630.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wylford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to George Cuckow of Charing in Kent, linen-weaver, and Henry Clarke of Lenham in Kent, linen-weaver</p> <p>Three pieces of meadow and pasture (23 acres 0 roods 12 perches) in Lenham, occupied by GC and HC, late Edmund Clarke and Thomas Tylby</p> <p>Rent payable at Lenham court lodge; GC and HC to dyke and drill all the low plots of the meadow grounds in the low and wet places.</p> <p>Witnesses: Francis Doughtye, Thomas Carr, Thomas Bartlett</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/4 Ink number: 1636 Thorpe page/entry: 219/4</p>
Volume 59 Item 1637	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1630 at £5 13s 9d. 18 April 1630.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wyllford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to Robert Halsnod of Lenham in Kent, yeoman</p> <p>Messuage with all its buildings; half an acre called The Pigeon House Close (occupied by John Harper) and three pieces of land (6 acres) called Oxley Wood (occupied by RH), with a right of way through The Pigeon House Close reserved to Catherine Perry, widow, to go to the barn which she occupies.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Crompton, Thomas Bartlett, Francis Doughtye, Thomas Carr</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/14 Ink number: 1637 Thorpe page/entry: 220/6</p>
Volume 59 Item 1638	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1630 at £2. 10 April 1631.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wilford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to Richard Kingsonwoode of Lenham in Kent, husbandman</p> <p>A piece of arable called Reedes (6 acres) in Lenham, occupied by RK</p> <p>Rent payable at Lenham court lodge; RK to allow the land to lie pasture for the last five years.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Elimestone, Francis Doughtye</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/18 Ink number: 1638 Thorpe page/entry: 220/8</p>
Volume 59 Item 1640	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1629 at £2 17s 6d. 13 April 1630.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wylford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to Godfrey Stoakes of Lenham in Kent, blacksmith</p> <p>Two pieces of arable, and a hemp-spot adjoining GS's house, in Lenham, now wholly occupied by GS, formerly partly occupied by James Denne and Edward Waters</p>

	<p>Rent payable at Lenham court lodge; no assignment without licence. Witnesses: Francis Doughtye, Thomas Bartlett, John White</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/12 Ink number: 1640 Thorpe page/entry: 220/4</p>
Volume 59 Item 1641	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1629 at £13 10s 8d. 10 April 1630.</p> <p>Description: Henry Wylford of Quendon in Essex, esq, to James Tunbredge of Lenham in Kent, husbandman Seven pieces of land (36 acres) with a lane to them called Ale Vale in Lenham, occupied by JT Rent payable at Lenham court lodge; oak and ash timber reserved to HW; JT to leave 15 acres as pasture during the last 5 years. Witnesses: John Crompton, Francis Doughtye, Thomas Carr, Thomas Bartlett</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/6 Ink number: 1641 Thorpe page/entry: 219/5</p>
Volume 59 Item 1647	<p>Writ of execution of a chancery decree in Porter and others v Porter addressed to the defendant John Porter, esq. 3 August 1641.</p> <p>Description: Recites: exhibition of bill by Henry Porter of East Dean, gent, and wife Mary, Edmund Attree, gent, and wife Elizabeth, John Lobdell son and heir of Dorothy Lobdell deceased and Dorothy Higgenbottle daughter and heir of Jane Higgenbottle deceased (infants by their guardian Thomas Baker of Mayfield), gent, Henry Porter of East Dean, gent (executor of Judith Porter, spinster, deceased) and Dorothy Luxford, daughter and heir of Ann Luxford deceased (an infant by her father and guardian Thomas Luxford of Wivelsfield, gent) against JP, 1 July 1641.</p> <p>Will of George Porter of Battle, permitting his wife Dorothy (with the advice of his cousin Foster, brother Baker and brother Feild) to sell his freehold and copyhold in Battle for her benefit for life with remainder to his six daughters Mary, Elizabeth, Dorothy, Jane, Judith and Ann; if unsold at her death the property to be sold by his brother Baker, brother Feild, cousin Foster, cousin John Porter of Bayham (the defendant), cousin Thomas Aynscombe of Mayfield and cousin Thomas Ballard of Wadhurst, 29 December 1604, surrender by GP to the use of his will, his death and probate of the will by Dorothy Porter.</p> <p>Marriages of Mary, Elizabeth, Dorothy, Ann and Jane Porter (to Henry Higgenbottle); the deaths of Jane, Judith (unmarried) and Ann in their mother's lifetime; her entry on the property and death without having made any sale in about February 1640.</p> <p>Answer of JP, the surviving trustee, submitting himself to the order of the court.</p> <p>Order by Lord Keeper Edward [Littleton] Lord Littleton (on the prayer of the plaintiffs' counsel Master Bassano in the presence of the defendant's counsel Master Porter) that JP may sell the property according to the terms of the will, 12 July 1641.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V59/23 Ink number: 1647 Thorpe page/entry: 155/1</p>
	<p>Deeds of the Battle Abbey estate in Sussex and at Lenham, Kent, and London; many documents removed; temp C 1 - Geo 2. Approximately 1630-approximately 1740.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9902</p>
<p>Volume 60 Item 1069</p>	<p>Conveyance for 5 shillings [to make a tenant to the praecipe]. 10 April 1649.</p> <p>Description: Henry Sheather of Battle, yeoman, to Francis Crompe of Battle, gent Two meadows called Wattles Wishe and Cookes Feild (8 acres) in Battle (N: the high street; S,W: Nicholas Maunser; S: Francis [Browne], Lord Montague; S,E: The Deanes Feildes; E: croft of William Hodges).</p> <p>Witnesses: John Foster, John Purfle</p> <p>Notes: The purpose of this deed appears from a recital in Volume 60, Item 1560.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/6 Ink number: 1069 Thorpe page/entry: 156/4</p>
<p>Volume 60 Item 1073</p>	<p>Quitclaim to mortgagee. 19 April 1650.</p> <p>Description: George Cole of Peasmarsh, yeoman, to Thomas Wattell of Warbleton, gent Two meadows called Wattles Wishe and Cookes Feild (8 acres) in Battle (N: the high street; S,W: Nicholas Maunser; S: Francis [Browne], Lord Montague; S,E: The Deanes Feildes; E: croft of William Hodges)</p> <p>Recites: mortgage for £115 10s 0d, GC to TW [Volume 60, Item 1560]; dower of GC's wife Ann included in warranty.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Foster, John Purfle, Lemuel Warren</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/10 Ink number: 1073 Thorpe page/entry: 157/4</p>
<p>Volume 60 Item 1075</p>	<p>Post-nuptial settlement (release). 25 July 1688.</p> <p>Description: Henry Browne of St Martin in the Fields, Middlesex, esq, and his wife Barbara, to Christopher [Roper] lord Teynham and Richard Styles of Petworth, gent, in trust The manor of Lenham in Kent, the capital messuage, farms, rectory, the advowson of the vicarage and the tithes</p> <p>For HB for life, remainder to BB for life as jointure in lieu of dower.</p> <p>Recites: will of HB's father Francis [Browne] lord Montague, bequeathing the property to HB and to his heirs in tail male, with power to settle it as jointure, 15 May 1677.</p> <p>Witnesses: F[rancis] Radclyffe, E Burdett, Richard Pepper</p> <p>Related materials: For lease in respect of post-nuptial settlement, see Volume 60, Item 1097.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/19 Ink number: 1075 Thorpe page/entry: 166/6</p>
<p>Volume 60 Item 1076</p>	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 15 October 1667.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Dorothy Cotton, widow, on the third proclamation of the death of Mary Wigg.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
<p>Volume 60 Item 1082</p>	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 30 June 1628.</p> <p>Description: Licence to Dorothy Porter to lease for seven years from 29 September 1628. Customary tenement called Longe Strake.</p>

	<p>Fine 2s 4d. Arnold Edwardes understeward.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/1 Ink number: 1082 Thorpe page/entry: 153/6</p>
Volume 60 Item 1083	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 30 June 1628.</p> <p>Description: Licence to Dorothy Porter to lease for seven years from 29 September 1628. Customary tenement called Steven Land. Fine 2s 4d. Arnold Edwardes understeward.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/1 Ink number: 1083 Thorpe page/entry: 153/6</p>
Volume 60 Item 1096	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1678 at £150. 2 December 1678.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Edward Wakeley of Lenham in Kent, yeoman</p> <p>1 Capital messuage or manor house of Lenham called The Court Lodge, and a messuage or farmhouse and adjoining court lodge gatehouse, with the barns, stables, outhouses and buildings, and 300 acres land all occupied by EW, late Matthew Rayner and Thomas Clerke</p> <p>2 Closes called The Vickaridge Croft (1 acre), The Brarefeild (3½ acres), The Brickhillfeild, The Hawfeild and Churchill (44 acres), a hopgarden and a piece called Cattsbraines both late Stokes (9 acres), a field E of Dickley Wood (6 acres), 1 acre meadow late William Atwater, The Wirkehouse Close late William Bartlett (1½ acres), Cocks Downe and Apses, Penketham, once Hugh Knolden (7 acres) and a tenement and pieces of land (5 acres) late Pollyes, all occupied by EW</p> <p>The Parsonage Barn and the gateroom belonging to it reserved to FB; wood and underwood reserved, but EW may take underwood of above nine years' growth on the Brickhillfeilds and the adjoining shaws for his fire; rent payable at the manor house; no assignment without licence; FB to allow timber, lime, tile, hair and brick for repairs.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Toarner, Bernard Tourner, Thomas Bezant</p> <p>Endorsed: EW may have the underwood on shaws called The Reedes (3 acres) near Dickley Wood.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/17 Ink number: 1096 Thorpe page/entry: 164/8</p>
Volume 60 Item 1097	<p>Lease for a year in respect of post-nuptial settlement (Volume 60, Item 1075). 24 July 1688.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/18 Ink number: 1097 Thorpe page/entry: 166/5</p>
Volume 60 Item 1101	<p>Conveyance for £52. 1 October 1650.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Smyth the younger of Battle, farrier, to Thomas Wattell of Warbleton, gent Barn and adjoining croft (¾ acres) called Perrishawe in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (E: Battle-Hastings road; N: Battle-Catsfield road; W: croft of William Hodges; S: heirs of</p>

	<p>Clement Finch, esq)</p> <p>Warranty includes the dower of Ann wife of George Cole of Peasmarsh, yeoman, from whom TS purchased [Volume 60, Item 1572], and the wife of TS's wife Jane.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Sheather, Thomas Pilcher, John Purfle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/8 Ink number: 1101 Thorpe page/entry: 157/6</p>
Volume 60 Item 1102	<p>Deed to lead the uses of a recovery to secure a conveyance and a mortgage. 24 May 1649.</p> <p>Description: George Cole of Peasmarsh, yeoman, with Francis Crompe of Battle, gent, to Thomas Smyth the younger of Battle, farrier, and Thomas Crompe of London, gent</p> <p>1 Messuage where Thomas Fuller, gent, lives, and the buildings, close, garden and orchard, in Battle (S: road from the Market House to the church; E: messuage and backside of John Philcoxe, occupied by William Hamon; W: messuage, garden and orchard of GC, occupied by Thomas Dyne and James Gillmore; N: Francis [Browne], Lord Montague)</p> <p>2 Barn and adjoining croft (¾ acres) called Perrishawe in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (E: Battle-Hastings road; N: Battle-Catsfield road; W: croft of William Hodges; S: heirs of Clement Finch, esq)</p> <p>TC to bring recovery against GC and FC and hold 1 above in trust for FC, and 2 above in trust to secure a mortgage by GC to TS for £36 5s 6d.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Brooke, Robert Crofts, Richard Colvill, John Purfle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/5 Ink number: 1102 Thorpe page/entry: 156/7</p>
Volume 60 Item 1104	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 29 September 1671 at £10. 20 September 1671.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Belknap Coveny of Egerton in Kent, gent</p> <p>Three pieces of land (14 acres) called The Brookes and Rye Feild, and the cut of 5 acres of grass in The Lords Meadow, and the herbage of the whole meadow after 1 August, all lately occupied by Richard Brattle, in Lenham, Kent</p> <p>Rent payable at Lenham manor house, occupied by Edward Wakely.</p> <p>Witnesses: Francis Thomas, John Thiestone, Edward Wakeley</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/16A Ink number: 1104 Thorpe page/entry: 162/8</p>
Volume 60 Item 1532	<p>Bond in £100, parties as Volume 60, Item 1073, for the delivery of documents. 19 April 1650.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/12 Ink number: 1532 Thorpe page/entry: 157/5</p>
Volume 60 Item 1535	<p>Contract between George Cole and Thomas Watell in Volume 60, Item 1073 that £20 of the purchase price of £160 will remain in the hands of Thomas Watell until the premises be discharged from the dower of George Cole's wife Ann. 19 April 1650.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/11 Ink number: 1535 Thorpe page/entry: 157/3</p>

Volume 60 Item 1536	<p>Draft for lease, annotated query the schedule, and see that it be the same as to Mr Vivian's lease; endorsed: memorandum that the rent to be paid to TW. 14 June 1722.</p> <p>Related materials: For final document (unexecuted), see Volume 63, Item 9.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/20 Ink number: 1536 Thorpe page/entry: 191/2</p>
Volume 60 Item 1537	<p>Contract for boundary maintenance. 2 January 1626.</p> <p>Description: William Jorden of Battle with Thomas Alchorn of Battle Tenement where TA lives, garden and orchard, purchased by WJ from John Wenham [on 14 October 1624, see Volume 57, Item 1094] and sold by WA to TA [on 2 January 1626, see Volume 59, Item 1077] WJ and his successors to keep the fence and enclosure from the gate next to the street to the building or brewhouse sold by WJ to TA, and TA to keep the fence and enclosure, between them from the building to the lower end of the orchard; since the part to be kept by TA is the longer, WJ grants him the right to enter WJ's land to repair the brewhouse or other buildings joining his land; for as long as TA throws the dung and soil of his stable out on WJ's land, WJ is to have half of it and TA may carry the rest away. Witnesses: [blank]</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/1 Ink number: 1537 Thorpe page/entry: 153/1</p>
Volume 60 Item 1543	<p>Receipt for 8s 6d for a parliament cess for lands in Barnhorn Borough, [Bexhill], John Longle to William Purfle. April 1654.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/13 Ink number: 1543 Thorpe page/entry: 158/7</p>
Volume 60 Item 1550	<p>Receipt for 4s 10d for the lord general's tax on The Two Leedcocks next to John Tayler's own land, John Furner to John Tayler. 10 July 1653.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/13 Ink number: 1550 Thorpe page/entry: 158/6</p>
Volume 60 Item 1555	<p>Copy certificate of the names of recusants and delinquents for the eastern part of Sussex concerning the estate of Francis [Browne], Lord Montague, of Battle, exhibited to the committee for compounding on 16 December 1650, certified by Richard Sherwyn, auditor. 15 October 1651.</p> <p>Description: That two thirds of the estates, in the rapes of Lewes and Pevensey and the whole worth £1200, have been let for seven years from 29 September 1650 to William Yalden of Black Down [in Lurgashall] gent at £800; examined by T B, 15 October 1651.</p> <p>Similar copy certificate for the estate of Lord Montague of Cowdray in the rapes of Arundel and Chichester, the whole let at £1575, let to WY at £1050.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/9 Ink number: 1555 Thorpe page/entry: 157/7 and 157/8</p>

Volume 60 Item 1560	<p>Assignment of mortgage (deed to lead the uses of a recovery). 16 April 1649.</p> <p>Description: George Cole of Peasmarsch, yeoman, with Francis Crompe of Battle, gent, to Thomas Wattell of Warbleton, gent Two meadows called Wattles Wishe and Cookes Feild (8 acres) in Battle (N: the high street; S,W: Nicholas Maunser; S: Francis [Browne], Lord Montague; S,E: The Deanes Feildes; E: croft of William Hodges)</p> <p>Recites: Mortgage for £100, GC to Henry Sheather of Battle, 2 November 1647 [Volume 59, Item 1571]; feoffment by Sheather to FC to make him tenant to suffer a recovery to be brought by TW, 10 April 1649 [Volume 60, Item 1069]; TW to hold in trust for himself until GC shall pay £115 10s at the dwelling of Henry Sheather in Battle, and thereafter for GC.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Crofts, William Levett, John Purfle; John Back</p> <p>Related materials: For the exemplification of common recovery, see Volume 60, Item 1644.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/3 Ink number: 1560 Thorpe page/entry: 157/6</p>
Volume 60 Item 1563	<p>Assignment as Volume 60, Item 1560, not executed by Francis Crompe. 16 April 1649.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/4 Ink number: 1563 Thorpe page/entry: 157/5</p>
Volume 60 Item 1572	<p>Sale and quitclaim to mortgagee for £40. 18 February 1650.</p> <p>Description: George Cole of Peasmarsch, yeoman, to Thomas Smith the younger of Battle, farrier Barn and adjoining croft (¾ acres) called Perrishawe in the borough of Sandlake, Battle (E: Battle-Hastings road; N: Battle-Catsfield road; W: croft of William Hodges; S: heirs of Clement Finch, esq), in which GC was seised in fee tail.</p> <p>Recites: recovery to effect mortgage for £36 5s 6d, 7 May 1649 [Volume 60, Item 1644], which sum forms part of the consideration.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Sturttupe, Edward Welsh, John Purfle</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/2 Ink number: 1572 Thorpe page/entry: 157/2</p>
Volume 60 Item 1576	<p>Receipt for £55 for arrears of rent and release. 11 June 1656.</p> <p>Description: Philip [Herbert] earl of Pembroke and Montgomery (son and heir of Philip [Herbert] earl of Pembroke and Montgomery deceased) with his father's executors William [Cecil] earl of Salisbury, Robert Pye of Westminster, kt, Michael Oldesworth of Westminster, esq, and Sidney Beare of Chancery Lane, Middlesex, esq, to Francis [Browne], viscount Montague £55 arrears of rent owed to PH deceased from the rectory of Lenham, Kent.</p> <p>Witnesses: Jeff Betts, Thomas Dennett, William Hewes; Thomas Smith; Thomas Champion; not executed by WC</p> <p>Endorsed: Memorandum by William Hewes that the sum was received by him for the use of PH and not of the executors.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/14 Ink number: 1576 Thorpe page/entry: 158/8</p>
Volume 60 Item 1593	<p>Counterpart lease for 10 years from 25 March 1742 at £43 15s 0d. 2 June 1742.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to Stephen Sivyver of Bodiam, gent</p>

	<p>Pieces of upland and brookland or marshland in Bodiam, occupied by SS, late John Gladwish</p> <p>Liberty for TW to go to and from Bodiam Castle. Penalty of £5 per acre for ploughing; no assignment without licence, except that SS may let the lower piece of brookland (6 acres), provided that the tenant does not plough it; SS may carry off the hay from 12 acres of the brookland and no more.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Worge, William Masterson</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/21 Ink number: 1593 Thorpe page/entry: 178/8</p>
Volume 60 Item 1643	<p>Unexecuted counterpart indemnity. June 1667.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Brockett Spencer of Offley, Herts, bt, Richard Meredith of Leeds in Kent, esq, and Edward Thurland of the Inner Temple, esq, (son and heir of Edward Thurland kt) in trust</p> <p>Nine closes (60 acres) and a barn, adjoining Wichling Wood in Lenham in Kent, occupied by George Mason, part of the demesnes of the manor of Lenham</p> <p>Recites: conveyance by FB, with BS, RM, Mary widow of William Sedley of Balls in Hertford All Saints, Herts, and his brother John Sedley of London, esq, to Robert Honeywood of Charing in Kent, kt, of barns, buildings and land, part of the manor of Lenham in Kent, 23 & 24 May 1665; that the whole manor of Lenham is subject to a rent of £7 to the crown; BS, RM and ET to permit FB to enjoy the land while the rent is paid.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/16 Ink number: 1643 Thorpe page/entry: 162/6</p>
Volume 60 Item 1644	<p>Exemplification of common recovery specified by assignment of mortgage (Volume 60, Item 1560). 7 May 1649.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Original volume/page: V60/7 Ink number: 1644 Thorpe page/entry: 156/7</p>
	<p>Deeds of estates in Devon, Hertfordshire, Shropshire, Hampshire, Stafford, Surrey Yorkshire and Sussex. 1653-1743.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9932</p>
Volume 61 Item 1	<p>Counterpart mortgage of a mortgage-term for £500. 22 September 1691.</p> <p>Description: Richard Minshall of Bourton in Bucks, esq, to William Blount of St Giles in the Fields, Middlesex, esq</p> <p>1 The manors of Blagdon otherwise Blagdon Kirkham, Collaton otherwise Collaton Kirkham otherwise Collaton Clavell, East Cornworthy, Ashcombe, Okford and Yelbourne, in Devon</p> <p>2 The capital messuage of Blagdon otherwise Blagdon Kirkham</p> <p>3 Messuages, mills and lands, late Mary Blount, in Compton, Poole, Paignton, Rixtmell otherwise Rixtill, Terrenshays, Foreton, Longford, Holly Mead, Gutton, Upton Pine otherwise Pymour and Occombe otherwise Ocham in Devon, except land purchased since 1672</p> <p>Recites: settlement by Mary Blount of Blagdon, widow of George Blount of Loddington, Worcs, bt, and daughter and heir of Richard Kirkham of Blagdon, esq, deceased, on the marriage of her son Walter Kirkham Blount of Loddington, bt, with Mary Cranmer, daughter of Caesar Wood</p>

	<p>otherwise Cranmer of Ashwood Bury, Bucks, kt (subject to a lease made to Robert Knightley, esq, and George Walsh of Holt, Worcs, esq, for the purpose of raising sums to be appointed by Mary Blount), 19 June 1683; settlement by Mary Blount on the marriage of RM with her daughter Katherine Blount, by which £1000 of her portion of £3500 was raised by a mortgage of the above by Walsh (who survived Knightley) by lease for 400 years, in consideration of the settlement by RM of the manor of Bourton in Bucks, 13 November 1686; now RM borrows £500 at interest from WB by a mortgage of that 400-year term.</p> <p>Witnesses: W[illiam] K[irkham] Blount, Francis Read</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 217/4</p>
Volume 61 Item 2	<p>Counterpart mortgage of a mortgage-term for £500. 22 September 1691.</p> <p>Description: Richard Minshall of Bourton in Bucks, esq, to William Blount of St Giles in the Fields, Middlesex, esq</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The manors of Blagdon otherwise Blagdon Kirkham, Collaton otherwise Collaton Kirkham otherwise Collaton Clavell, East Cornworthy, Ashcombe, Okford and Yelbourne, in Devon 2 The capital messuage of Blagdon otherwise Blagdon Kirkham 3 Messuages, mills and lands, late Mary Blount, in Compton, Poole, Paignton, Rixtmell otherwise Rixtill, Terrenshays, Foreton, Longford, Holly Mead, Gutton, Upton Pine otherwise Pymour and Occombe otherwise Ocham in Devon, except land purchased since 1672 <p>Recites: settlement by Mary Blount of Blagdon, widow of George Blount of Loddington, Worcs, bt, and daughter and heir of Richard Kirkham of Blagdon, esq, deceased, on the marriage of her son Walter Kirkham Blount of Loddington, bt, with Mary Cranmer, daughter of Caesar Wood otherwise Cranmer of Ashwood Bury, Bucks, kt (subject to a lease made to Robert Knightley, esq, and George Walsh of Holt, Worcs, esq, for the purpose of raising sums to be appointed by Mary Blount), 19 June 1683; settlement by Mary Blount on the marriage of RM with her daughter Katherine Blount, by which £1000 of her portion of £3500 was raised by a mortgage of the above by Walsh (who survived Knightley) by lease for 400 years, in consideration of the settlement by RM of the manor of Bourton in Bucks, 13 November 1686; now RM borrows £500 at interest from WB by a mortgage of that 400-year term.</p> <p>Witnesses: W[illiam] K[irkham] Blount, Francis Read</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 217/4</p>
Volume 61 Item 3	<p>Unexecuted assignment of mortgage and further charge for £200 at 12%. 21 February 1667.</p> <p>Description: Humphrey Taylor of London, merchant, with William Henn of Edmonton in Middlesex, tanner, and his wife Eleanor (a daughter of Elizabeth Jucks, widow, deceased, and grand-daughter of Elizabeth Adams, widow, deceased) and Leonard Bates, citizen and scrivener of London, to Thomas Harris of London, gent</p> <p>Moiety of a messuage and land in Thundridge, Herts, leased to Sarah Ware, widow, for 21 years from 29 September 1653 at £85 by EH (as Eleanor Bosden, widow) and HT's late wife Ann, 15 October 1653, and subject by EA's will to a £20 annuity to Charles Buckner and John Buckner for their lives</p> <p>Recites: conveyance of the whole by HT and wife Elizabeth, WH and EH to Edward Halford and Edmund Cowse of London, merchants, John Sotherton, citizen and barber-surgeon of London, and LB in trust, 20 May 1662; mortgage of a moiety by WH and EH to HT, 28 June 1662; death of Sotherton; £127 17s 6d of the £200 paid to HT to discharge the mortgage of 1662; the £200 payable at the shop of Joseph Burrough, scrivener, in Gresham College Yard, London.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>

Volume 61 Item 4	<p>Counterpart assignment of lease and regulation of claims. 21 November 1631.</p> <p>Description: Richard [Lumley] viscount Lumley and Richard Minshull of Lincoln's Inn, kt (executors of Julia Sonigo deceased), to John Lloid of London, gent</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1 Furnace, forge and ironworks in the forest of Glyn Ceiriog in the lordship of Oswestry, Shropshire, leased for 31 years to Arthur Kynastone and his son Samuel Kynastone by William Winne2 Forge of furnace and ironworks built near a pool called Perryhead or The Old Mill Pool in Ebnall, Fernhill David and Fernhill Yarworth, part of Broughton Farm, Shropshire, leased for 31 years to Arthur Kynastone by Francis Albany, esq, 1 March 16233 Forge or furnace and ironworks within the township of Messbury in the lordship of Oswestry, part the inheritance of the free school of Oswestry, part Francis Edwardes, leased for 20 years to Arthur and Samuel Kynastone by Francis Edwardes4 all the houses, buildings, waters and liberty of digging for ironstone and other stone belonging to the ironworks5 Waste, wood or forest called Babbies Wood and all the trees in it, sold by RL and RM to JL the same day <p>Recites: indebtedness of Arthur Kynastone of Shrewsbury, gent, to JS in various great sums, for the security of which he and his brother Thomas Kynastone of London, gent, became bound to her in £4000 on 21 February 1629 and in £300 on 15 July 1629; statute staple in £4000, Arthur and Thomas Kynastone and AK's son Samuel Kynastone to John Gifford, doctor of physic and George Baily, gent, in trust for JS, 9 February 1627, to which debts RL and RM are entitled by the will of JS; bond in £2000 by Arthur, Thomas and Samuel Kynastone to the crown to secure AK's debt, 6 June 1630; £4000 bond by Dr Gifford to the crown, in aid of which his statute staple was found liable by inquisition; extents taken in the exchequer at the prosecution of RL and RM (on the bonds and statute) and at the prosecution of JL (on behalf of the farmers of the customs, who at his request advanced the money owed on the crown bond) to which much of Kynastone's estate in Shropshire was made subject; debate between RL and RM and the farmers of the customs as to which extent should take precedence and be executed; assignment of the above ironworks by Arthur and Samuel Kynastone to RL and RM, 10 July 1630.</p> <p>Now in consideration of a further assurance to be made to them by Arthur Kynastone of tenements and houses in Creechurch in Dukes Place near Aldgate, London, RL and RM assign the leases to JL, accept that the extent taken of Kynastone's estate on behalf of the customers shall take precedence over their own extent, and release the estate from debts owing to Julia Sonigo with the following exceptions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1 Farm, grange and tenement called Monk Moor near the East or Abbey Forgate in Shrewsbury and other property assigned by Arthur Kynastone to JS, 2 December 16132 The debt of £2000 to the crown and a statute in £2000 of June 1623. <p>Witnesses: H[umphrey] Mackworth, Thomas Phillips, Francis Perkins, W Robertes; examined by Thomas Watkins</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 212/3</p>
Volume 61 Item 5	<p>Counterpart conveyance for £50. 6 July 1653.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Jorden, citizen and merchant of London, to Edward Jorden of Batches Land in Alveley, Shropshire, yeoman</p> <p>The Poole Close and The Birchy Close, occupied by EJ, in Alveley (between the land of John White, the land of TJ occupied by John Richards, the land of EJ and the lane to Nomans Green).</p> <p>Witnesses: Edward Gravenour, Edward Jorden, Tomyns Dickins, Humphrey Deverell, Thomas Warren, William Ince</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Thorpe page/entry: 184/1
Volume 61 Item 6	<p>Counterpart conveyance for £215. 9 July 1653.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Jorden, citizen and merchant of London, to Lancelot Bromwich of Enville, Staffs, gent A dwelling-house called Fenn Greene with its barns and buildings, and all the land usually enjoyed with it, occupied by William Intes, once John Jorden deceased, in Alveley, Shropshire TJ's wife Katherine included in warranty. Witnesses: Lancelot Nicolles, Lancelot Lee the younger, Thomas Warren, Edward Jorden</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 184/3</p>
Volume 61 Item 7	<p>Copy acknowledgement of fine by Thomas Jorden before Oliver St John in respect of Volume 61, Item 23. 16 November 1653.</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart conveyance, see Volume 61, Item 23.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 184/5</p>
Volume 61 Item 8	<p>Counterpart conveyance for £285. 6 July 1653.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Jorden, citizen and merchant of London, to Edward Gravenor of Morfe in Enville, Staffs, gent A dwelling-house with its barns, buildings, stables, gardens and orchards, in Alveley, Shropshire, and all TJ's land in Alveley occupied by EG and John Richards. Witnesses: Edward Jorden, Tomyns Dickins, Humphrey Deverell, Edward Jorden of Alveley, Thomas Warren, William Intes</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 184/2</p>
Volume 61 Item 9	<p>Draft for unexecuted assignment of mortgage term in trust, with a deleted description of William Poyntz as late of Edmonton, Middlesex. December 1730.</p> <p>Notes: Sep deleted. Related materials: For the unexecuted assignment, see Volume 61, Item 10.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 61 Item 10	<p>Unexecuted assignment of mortgage term in trust. December 1730.</p> <p>Description: Gwyn Vaughan of St Paul Covent Garden, Middlesex (now residing at Edinburgh), esq, with William Poyntz of St George Hanover Square, Middlesex, gent, to John Phelps of Frome in Somerset, gent, and Thomas Webster of Copthall in Waltham Holy Cross, Essex, bt 1 Messuage and three yards of land in Eastwick in the parish and manor of Combe in Hampshire, held by WP for 50 years or the life of Ralph Whistler, surgeon 2 An estate in the term remaining in the farm, woods and rectory of Combe on the death of Eleanor Joy, widow, in trust for WP Recites: mortgage by WP to GV for £25, 11 November 1728, with a further charge of £25, 24 December 1728; loan of £10 10s on a note, WP to GV, 7 June 1729; debt now £62 3s 4d; death of Eleanor Joy, release by WP and Ralph Whistler to TW of a moiety of 2 above on his payment of the debt to GV, 10 February 1730; now GV assigns the term in 1 above, and the moiety of 2 above not assigned to TW, to JP in trust for WP. Related materials: For draft of document, see Volume 61, Item 9.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

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Volume 61 Item 11	<p>Counterpart assignment of leases for £1188. 6 April 1737.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham Holy Cross], Essex, bt (with his trustees William Northey of Compton Basset, Wilts, esq, and Nathaniel Pigot of the Inner Temple, esq) to John Stevens of St George Hanover Square, Middlesex, esq</p> <p>1 Capital messuage of the manor of Combe in Hampshire, the land usually occupied with it, and the rents of freeholders and copyholders, leased in moieties to TW and Thomas Rawlinson of Hackney, Middlesex, gent, by Andrew Snape DD, provost of Kings College Cambridge, for 20 years from 1 December 1735 at £13 13s 4d, 13qu wheat, 12qu malt and the carcasses of 40 wethers, 5 February 1736</p> <p>2 Coppices and underwoods of the manor, and the herbage, leased as 1 above at £6, 5 February 1736</p> <p>3 Rectory and parsonage of Combe with the tithes (the vicarage advowson reserved), leased in moieties as 1 above by the dean and canons of Windsor for 21 years from 25 March 1733 at £8 and 12bu wheat, 1 May 1733</p> <p>Recites: conveyance of estates (including the above, occupied by Benjamin Church at £150) by TW, his wife Jane and eldest son Whistler Webster esq to WN and NP in trust for sale, 1 June 1733.</p> <p>Witnesses: Joseph Biscoe, Richard Parker the younger</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 197/4</p>
Volume 61 Item 12	<p>Settlement (covenant to suffer recovery). 9 February 1672.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Jorden, citizen and merchant of London, with Robert Scott, citizen and merchant-tailor of London, and Paul Darby, citizen and clothworker of London in trust</p> <p>1 Messuage in The Meyre in the lordship of Lutley, Staffs, two pastures and a meadow called The Home Closes near it, two closes (once leasowes or pastures) and a meadow called The Old Fields, pieces of arable (25 acres) dispersed in the leet fields of The Meyre</p> <p>2 Messuage, one yard and 1 acre of land in Lutley in Enville, four closes called Hoofields and the sheepcoat and pond in them</p> <p>3 Messuage and nook of land in the town and fields of Meyre and Lutley in Enville</p> <p>4 Toft and half-yard of land, two lands with a pike in an innage part of a field of Morfe, five lands and three pikes in the same innage and the meadow pleck at the S end, two lands in Street Field and six lands in the same field, all in the lordship of Morfe in Enville</p> <p>All occupied by John Woodhouse, John Knowles, [blank] Pratt widow and John Gold. TJ to convey to RS, against whom PD will sue a recovery to bar TJ's estate tail.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Chaplin, Joseph Burrough scrivener, Henry Radman</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 184/6</p>
Volume 61 Item 13	<p>Release by beneficiary. 10 November 1681.</p> <p>Description: John Timme, citizen and goldsmith of London, and his wife Elizabeth (a daughter of Thomas Jorden of London, merchant, deceased) to TJ's widow and administratrix Katherine Jorden of Mansfield, Notts, widow</p> <p>The sum of £333 6s 8d, and the property in Volume 61, Item 12 (1 late occupied by John Spittull and Edmund Billingsley)</p> <p>Recites: mortgage of the property for £1000 by TJ's son and heir Thomas Jorden of London, merchant, to John Whitlock of Mansfield, clerk, to secure portions for ET and her sister Dorcas Jorden and brother John Jorden, 16 August 1672; payment by KJ, to whom JT and ET release the property.</p> <p>Witnesses: Benjamin Clane, Samuel Fulwood, Matthew Game</p>

	<p>Endorsed: Endorsed [?by KJ]: the assignment of my son John Timme to my brother Mr John Whitlock</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 184/7</p>
Volume 61 Item 14	<p>Release as Volume 61, Item 13, by John Jorden of London, merchant, son of Thomas Jorden of London, merchant, deceased. 5 February 1684.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Timme, Hannah Smalley, Benjamin Timme attorney in Wood Street</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 184/8</p>
Volume 61 Item 15	<p>Deed of partnership for 7 years. 23 February 1677.</p> <p>Description: Henry Sommers, citizen and feltmaker of London, with John Jacob, citizen and dyer of London</p> <p>Jointly to carry on the trade of silkdyers in the dye-house in Farthing Alley, St Olave Southwark, formerly occupied by Katherine Hannot, widow, or elsewhere</p> <p>Detailed inventory of HS's goods in the dye-house and other buildings; JJ and his family may have a dwelling in the house belonging to the dye-house.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Webb, Anthony Hannott, Benjamin Hooper, George Miniatt</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 199/5</p>
Volume 61 Item 16	<p>Release of dower by widow. 11 January 1697.</p> <p>Description: Mary Meverell of Chertsey in Surrey, widow of Samuel Meverell of London, merchant, to Godfrey Webster of London, esq, and George Grove of London, merchant (the overseers of SM's will)</p> <p>Her dower, by the custom of London, in SM's estate in Chertsey and elsewhere in Surrey</p> <p>Recites: will of SM, leaving messuages and land in Chertsey and elsewhere to which he was entitled by judgement, statute or mortgage to his executor Nicholas Waite of Chertsey, esq, in trust, 25 August 1696; bequest by SM of his messuage called Walls or Portch House, all his freehold and copyhold messuages and land in Chertsey, copyholds called Woodcocks Mead (now converted into a garden and orchard) and Woodcocks Hill, copyhold messuages, lately called The Kings Head (now converted into 4 tenements) and the yards and ground, 3-acre meadow called The Hoecroft, all in Chertsey, and all his household stuff, to MM for life in lieu of dower, on condition that she execute a release to GW and GG within 20 days of his death.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Webster, Brian [blank], Joseph Burrough, Thomas Abraham</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/3</p>
Volume 61 Item 17	<p>Account between Thomas Webster, bt, and John Robinson Lytton for cordwood felled in Burg Wood, The Little Park and Forge Wood, 1736-1740, and for seven years' rent of [Etchingam] Forge at £30 due at 25 December 1740. Approximately 1741.</p> <p>Notes: The lease of Etchingam Forge by JRL to TW (Volume 61, Item 18) expired at Christmas 1740.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 61 Item 18	<p>Lease for 7 years from 25 December 1733 at £30. 3 December 1733.</p> <p>Description: Elizabeth Robinson Lytton of Knebworth, Herts, widow (mother and guardian of John Robinson Lytton, esq, an infant aged 9) to Thomas Webster of Battle, bt</p> <p>Messuage, iron-forge and mill at Etchingam, and the outhouses, storehouses, warehouses and buildings belonging to it, and 38 acres 3 rood 33 perches of land,</p>

	<p>meadow, pasture, land covered with water and ponds, in Etchingam, used with it, and all waters, watercourses, sluices and easements, all lately occupied by John Busbridge gent</p> <p>Timber, wood, underwood and spray, hawking, hunting, coursing setting and shooting reserved; right of entry twice a year to inspect the state of repair. The rent payable in the dining-hall of Grays Inn; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing old meadow, or for planting hemp, flax or other seed beside corn or grass; TW to effect repairs within 3 months of their notification in writing, the landlords finding sufficient rough timber on the lordship of Etchingam; TW may take the tops and lops of pollard trees for firewood for the messuage; any hay, straw and dung to be used on the premises; to lay three 32-bushel loads of lime on every arable acre after 3 years' cropping; TW to pay rates and taxes, the landlords allowing what is normal out of the rent. TW may enter the landlords' woodland called The Bury Wood (the underwood of 15 years' growth), The Forge Wood (14 years), Flitt Wood (12 years) and Little Park Wood (8 years), all in Etchingam, and take all underwood of 16 years' growth (all tillows left at the last felling and 40 standards or tillows of oak and ash to be left standing on every acre if such are to be found), all brush and spray and 2,400 hop-poles every year, to be cut into cords of 14' x 3' x 3' (one carfe to be allowed according to the custom of the country), to be measured by the landlords' woodland and delivered at TW's expense before 1xMay every year; TW may make coalpits and colliers' lodges and coal the wood by 10 October, and remove it from the wood by 10 November; TW to pay the landlords 6s a cord in moieties on 2 May and 2 November in the dining-hall of Grays Inn; TW to give strict orders that his cattle employed in the woods for haulage shall be muzzled with muzzles provided by the landlords while they are in the woods; TW not to be entitled to the feeding of the woods.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Draper, James Dogwood his clerk</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 177/9</p>
Volume 61 Item 19	<p>Valuation of Whistler Webster's estate at Fairlight Place and Malladams Farm, Fairlight, occupied by Thomas Dulvey, and of woods in hand, at 30 years' purchase. Approximately 1760.</p> <p>Description: Dulvey occupied the capital messuage called Fairlight Place at £70 and Malladams at £10, abatements made (from £82 and £14 respectively) for repairs to Malladams, the nuisance of the turnpike gate near Hastings and Dulvey's release of a £6 allowance for firewood (originally inserted to preserve ornamental wood at Fairlight Place) as a means of reducing taxes and tithes.</p> <p>Schedule of woods with their acreage, years of growth and value.</p> <p>Suggestions for raising the rents, including the high price of wood at Hastings market and the advantages of improvements to the turnpike road, to which the estates are near.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 179/1</p>
Volume 61 Item 20	<p>Unexecuted lease for 7 years from 25 March 1743 at £14. 7 February 1744.</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, esq, to Andrew Woodus of Fairlight, yeoman, John Hallaway of Fairlight, yeoman, and John Butler of Fairlight, yeoman</p> <p>Messuage, barn, buildings, orchard and [blank] acres called The Malladams in Fairlight, occupied by AW, JH and JB, late Margaret Cramp, widow</p> <p>Not to plough the orchard or the two meadows adjoining the barn under penalty of £5 an acre; detailed agricultural covenants.</p> <p>Related materials: For unexecuted counterpart, see Volume 61, Item 21.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Thorpe page/entry: 178/10
Volume 61 Item 21	<p>Unexecuted counterpart lease. 7 February 1744.</p> <p>Related materials: For unexecuted lease, see Volume 61, Item 20.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 178/10</p>
Volume 61 Item 22	<p>Counterpart lease for 31 years from 25 March 1744 at £2. 18 December 1744.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to Benjamin Carswell of Hastings, miller 1 Windmill with its wheels, stones and utensils, and 2 acres on Fairlight Down, occupied by BC, late Henry Head (S,W: 'to the outside of the bounds' [?of the down]) 2 Remainder, on the death of Henry Head, of the term in a messuage and garden on Fairlight Down, occupied by Henry Head under a lease for 31 years.</p> <p>Witnesses: Isaac Ingall, George Worge</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 61 Item 23	<p>Counterpart conveyance for £500. 8 November 1653.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Jorden, citizen and merchant adventurer of London, to Thomas Foley of Stourbridge, Worcs, esq Closes called Horse Hold, Great Moore Feild, Little Moore Feild, The Broomy Close, Perks Close near Carelesse Green, The Pike, The Barly Close, a close adjoining the road, The Well Close and two little closes adjoining called Broomy Hills adjoining Mr Richard Foley's land called Hackettes Hayes, all occupied by Francis Hill, in Oldnall in Old Swinford, Worcs TJ's wife Katherine included in warranty.</p> <p>Witnesses: Frances Bayliff, John Jones, William Taverner</p> <p>Related materials: For 16 November 1653 copy acknowledge of fine by TJ in respect of conveyance, see Volume 61, Item 7.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 184/4</p>
Volume 61 Item 24	<p>Contract to build and maintain waterworks. 8 April 1682.</p> <p>Description: Henry Whistler of London, esq, with William Pawley of Crawley, Sussex, gent, and Edward Dallow of St Mary Matfelon otherwise Whitechapel, Middlesex, gent An ancient building or tower called The Waterhouse Tower on the E side of the river Ouse in York, formerly used as a waterhouse and waterworks, a piece of adjoining ground to build a waterhouse on for raising water to serve the city, and liberty to lay pipes, wheels and engines in the river to convey water to the waterworks, and to the houses of the inhabitants of the city, leased to HW by the mayor and commonalty of York for 500 years from 25 March 1677 at a peppercorn, 1 April 1677 WP and ED agree to build and finish a waterhouse and waterworks of good oak timber and provide the pipes, engines and cisterns within the waterhouse within a year, and to operate and repair the works, providing water 'to brewers and others' for 42 years; to maintain public cocks of a large size to extinguish fires; to employ a turncock to supply water where necessary and to prevent waste; to bear half the cost of collecting the rents. HW agrees to provide wooden pipes from the waterworks to the houses of the consumers in and about the city, and to provide stopcocks, £500 worth of pipes to be laid within a year. One or more persons to be employed to collect rents; the parties to buy and maintain books of account; contracts with consumers to be approved by the parties or by Gabriel Whistler of Combe in Hampshire, esq, and Anthony Merry of London, merchant; WH to have first refusal at a market price if WP or ED wish to sell their shares; any disputes to be arbitrated by the mayor</p>

	<p>and aldermen of York.</p> <p>Witnesses: John West, scrivener, William Smith, John Mitchell, William Aylworth, servant to the said scrivener</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart underlease, see Volume 61, Item 25.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 185/2</p>
Volume 61 Item 25	<p>Counterpart underlease for 42 years. 8 April 1682.</p> <p>Description: Henry Whistler of London, esq, to Gabriel Whistler of Combe in Hampshire, esq, and Anthony Merry of London, merchant, in trust Property leased by Volume 61, Item 24 For William Pawley of Crawley, Sussex, gent, and Edward Dallow of St Mary Matfelon otherwise Whitechapel, Middlesex, gent, on condition that they build the waterworks within a year and supply sufficient water, otherwise in trust for HW.</p> <p>Witnesses: John West, William Smith, John Mitchell, William Aylworth servant to John West; Eleanor Rawlinson, Richard Gray</p> <p>Related materials: For 1716 counterpart underlease, see Volume 61, Item 26.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 185/3</p>
Volume 61 Item 26	<p>Counterpart underlease for £160. 6 July 1716.</p> <p>Description: Henry Whistler of Epsom, Surrey, esq, Anthony Merry of London, merchant, Philip Dallowe of St Mary Matfelon otherwise Whitechapel, Middlesex (son and executor of Edward Dallowe of the same) to John Elan of York, bricklayer, and Thomas Brown of York, bricklayer The remainder of the term in the water-tower, waterhouse and waterworks of York, leased for 42 years by Volume 61, Item 25.</p> <p>Recites: death of Gabriel Whistler and vesting of his interest in AM; sale by William Pawley of his share to Warwick Ledgingham, esq, on whose death it was sold by his only child Martha Ledgingham to PD; conveyance of the share of ED to AM in trust to secure a debt of £600; £100 of the rent to be paid to HW, £50 to AM.</p> <p>Witnesses: P Johnson, Peter Normansell, James Rous</p> <p>Endorsed: Agreement that the rent is to be paid clear of taxes; W: Peter Normansell, Robert Wynn Haskey</p> <p>Related materials: For the bond to keep covenants, see Volume 61, Item 27.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 185/4</p>
Volume 61 Item 27	<p>Bond in £160 to keep covenants in counterpart underlease. 6 July 1716.</p> <p>Related materials: For the counterpart underlease, see Volume 61, Item 26.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 185/6</p>
Volume 61 Item 28	<p>Counterpart underlease by Whistler to Elan and Brown from 8 April 1724 (the expiration of the term granted by Volume 61, Item 25) for 13 years 76 days at £160. 6 July 1716.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 185/5</p>
	<p>Deeds of estates in London and Middlesex. 1640-1712.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9933/1</p>
Volume 62 Item 1	<p>Bond in £100. 25 February 1641.</p> <p>Description: John Tyringham of Tyringham in Bucks, esq, Humphrey Newton of Oundle in</p>

	<p>Northants, esq and William Newton of London, esq, to Francis Cheeke of Lyons Inn, Middlesex, gent</p> <p>To pay FC £51 at the dwelling-house of Edward Stretchley and Henry Arnold, scriveners, in Bow Lane, London, on 26 May 1641.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edward Stretchley, scrivener, Henry Arnold, scrivener</p> <p>Endorsed: William Tiringham, kt and bt, brother and heir of John Tiringham, kt, lately esq.</p> <p>Notes: John Tiringham was buried in 1645 and succeeded by his brother William (<i>Victoria History of the Counties of England Bucks 4</i>, p. 483); the family were not created baronets.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 205/6</p>
Volume 62 Item 2	<p>Lease for 40 years from 25 March 1685 at £3. 4 May 1685.</p> <p>Description: James Butler, kt, attorney to Katherine, queen dowager, and master of the hospital of St Katherine by the Tower, with the brothers and sisters of the hospital, to Thomas Lucas, citizen and merchant tailor of London</p> <p>Three former messuages or garden-plots, now or late occupied by John Debman, [blank] Ballard, John Shelton, [blank] Steevens widow, [blank] Packwood widow, Gerard English and Alexander Rutter, with all the houses to be built on them, within the precinct of St Katherine (E: tenement where Henry Mayfield lived; S: Thomas Street; W: road from Tower Hill to the Thames; N: ditch out of the Tower to the mill).</p> <p>Witnesses: [blank]</p> <p>Endorsed: Assignment by TL to Henry Whistler of London, esq; W: John West scrivener, his servants William Aylworth and Thomas Rainsford; 13 September 1689</p> <p>Related materials: For receipt for £750 of the purchase price of the lease, see Volume 62, Item 4; for a counterpart underlease of part of the land, see Volume 62, Item 17.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 185/7</p>
Volume 62 Item 3	<p>Probate (PCC) of the will (14 June 1690) of Katherine Jorden of Allhallows the Great, London, widow. 5 September 1690.</p> <p>Description: Executors: brother John Whitlock and son-in-law Godfrey Webster</p> <p>£100 to Dr Samuel Annesley and John Whitlock in trust for Godly ministers</p> <p>Pecuniary and chattel bequests to the poor of Stratford at Bow where her husband [Thomas] is buried, Mary wife of John Whitlock, nephews James Whitlock and John Whitlock, niece Ann Langford, children of brother Robert Whitlock deceased, sons-in-law Joseph Burrough, Godfrey Webster, John Timme and John Billingsley, daughter Elizabeth Timme and her daughter Ann Timme, daughter Katherine Burrough and her daughter Katherine wife of James Clerke, son Thomas Jorden, daughter Margaret Scott and her daughters Katherine and Elizabeth Scott, daughter Abigail Webster and her son Thomas Webster, daughter Dorcas Billingsley and her children Katherine, Mary, Dorcas and John Billingsley, Hannah Smalley, daughter of Robert Smalley deceased.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Abraham, William Marriott, Mary Enden</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 184/9</p>
Volume 62 Item 4	<p>Receipt for £750 for the purchase price of the lease (as Volume 62, Item 2), Thomas Lucas to Henry Whistler. 13 September 1689.</p> <p>Related materials: For the lease, see Volume 62, Item 2; for a counterpart underlease of part of the leased land, see Volume 62, Item 17.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 186/1</p>

Volume 62 Item 5	<p>Assignment of a lease for £110. 5 September 1690.</p> <p>Description: John Hammersley of Southwark, vintner, and his wife Mary, to Mary Cheeke of London, widow</p> <p>Messuage and shed in St Olave, Southwark, occupied in 1640 by Robert Browne, cook or pastler, (27' long, 9' 4" wide on the lower storey and 13½' on the upper storey), with a kitchen behind it (20' 9" x 14' 8"), a yard with outhouses at the N end of the kitchen (36' x 13') and a shed at the end of the yard (30' x 14' 8")</p> <p>Recites: lease by the mayor and commonalty of London to Joseph Darvoll, citizen and carpenter of London, for 62 years from 24 June 1640 at £3 6s 8d, payable at the counting-house in the bridge house, 16 December 1640; assignment of the lease to Edward Cheeke of London, soapmaker, deceased; bequest of the lease by Cheeke to his cousin MH, 9 May 1687; John Cheeke and John Saintlow deceased included in warranty.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Hall, William Aylworth</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 183/6</p>
Volume 62 Item 6	<p>Receipt for £3 0s 6d. 3 March 1693.</p> <p>Description: Samuel Fowler, citizen, tiler and bricklayer of London, to George Hall, citizen and feltmaker of London</p> <p>The moiety of the cost of a party brick wall built between GH's tenement and the tenement on its E newly built by SF against Glean Alley, occupied by Nicholas Palmer, hatband-seller, on the N side of St Olave Street, Southwark.</p> <p>Witnesses: Michael Buckley, William Roberts</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 183/7</p>
Volume 62 Item 7	<p>Probate (commissary of London) of the will (25 January 1692) of Thomas Jorden of St Nicholas Acons, London, merchant. 26 April 1692.</p> <p>Description: Executor: brother-in-law Godfrey Webster of London, packer. Godfrey Webster and Richard Chambers of Milk Street, London, haberdasher, trustees for TJ's sisters Elizabeth wife of John Timmes and Katherine wife of Joseph Burrough; pecuniary bequests to sisters Dorcas wife of John Billingsley, Margaret Scott widow and Abigail wife of Godfrey Webster; poor of parish of Stratford at Bow, where he is to be buried.</p> <p>Witnesses: Ralph Stables, John Greene, Joshua Hatfeild; examined by Robert Peirson, notary public</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 185/1</p>
Volume 62 Item 8	<p>Lease as Volume 62, Item 2 for 40 years from 29 September 1692 at £3 to Henry Whistler of London, merchant. 3 November 1692.</p> <p>Endorsed: They have promised to add 7 years.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 186/2</p>
Volume 62 Item 9	<p>Note of hand in £900 by Henry Whistler of London, merchant, to his daughter Mrs Elizabeth Boylston. 24 December 1697.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Brown, Joan Soulard</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 187/3</p>
Volume 62 Item 10	<p>Assignment of lease and discharge of mortgage [unexecuted]. 12 October 1698.</p> <p>Description: Simon Wallen, citizen and grocer of London (administrator of his wife Elizabeth, the administratrix of Rebecca Clissald of London, widow and administratrix of Joseph Clissald, citizen</p>

	<p>and merchant tailor of London), and Mary Cheeke of London, widow, to Henry Whistler of Epsom in Surrey, esq</p> <p>The site of a messuage destroyed in the fire of [1666], with its yards, cellars and solars, in Abchurch Lane in St Mary Abchurch, London, occupied in 1669 by Ann Beckford.</p> <p>Recites: lease by the Clothworkers Company to Ann Beckford of London, widow, for 71 years from 25 March 1668 at £5, 17 October 1669; assignment to JC, 17 November 1670; erection by JC of a house on the toft, now occupied by Richard Panckrage, shoemaker; bond for the payment of £206 by Jeremy Malpas, citizen and leatherseller of London, JC and Timothy Lane, citizen and founder of London, to William Dermer of London, gent, 13 August 1672, of which £150 and all interest has been paid; mortgage of the lease by RC to William Dermer for £50, 25 March 1677; assignment of the interest of Dermer by Dorothy Wallis of London, widow and executrix of WD's executor Daniel Wallis, citizen and clothworker of London (with SW and EW) to MC, 9 May 1692. Now HW pays MC £50 to discharge the mortgage and SW and EW £30 to purchase the lease.</p> <p>Witnesses: [blank]; signed and receipted by SW only</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 187/4</p>
Volume 62 Item 11	<p>Assignment in bankruptcy. 5 April 1701.</p> <p>Description: Robert Oneby, esq, Maurice Kellett, esq and Thomas Wright gent, to Godfrey Webster of London, esq, Richard Perry, John Cooper and John Tailor of London, merchants, principal creditors of John Sweetaple, kt, Benjamin Hodkin and Richard Harris late of London, goldsmiths and co-partners, bankrupts</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Debts of £100, £7448 15s 2d and £1137 8s 1d listed in three schedules 2 Goods worth £96 17s 4d at BH's house in Clapham, Surrey, listed in detail 3 Goods worth £317 6s 2d at the house in Lombard Street, London, listed in detail, 4 Goods worth £111 13s 6d at a house in Enfield, Middlesex, late in the possession of JS, now Robert Fountaine, listed in detail 5 Jewels and plate worth £457 7s 2d in the house and shop in Lombard Street, listed in detail 6 Specified shares worth £800 in the Baltic Merchant (Captain Lister), the Coronation (Captain Bennett), the Josiah (Captain Randall Pye), a Yarmouth collier, the Bird (Captain Peacock), the Perry and Lane (Captain Morgan) and the Philip, an Ipswich collier, Captain Hammond <p>Recites: commission of bankruptcy against JS, BH and RH, issued to RO, MK, TW, Nicholas Baker, gent, and John Hawford, gent, 17 March 1701; finding by commissioners that JS and BH traded together as goldsmiths or bankers for more than 6 years before 25 December 1700 and with RH for 2 months thereafter at their shop in Lombard Street, and that they are indebted to GW, RP, JC, JT and others in more than £4000.</p> <p>Witnesses: Isaac Prise, George Blanchard, Edward Profe</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/6</p>
Volume 62 Item 12	<p>Lease for 21 years from 25 March 1702 at £25. 13 January 1702.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of London, esq, to Ann Messenger of London, widow.</p> <p>Messuage, being the westernmost of TW's two messuages in Eastcheap, St Andrew Hubbard, London, containing a cellar under the messuage, a back cellar under the back yards of both messuages, a shop with a chimney backwards and a yard paved with freestone, two rooms and a buttery or closet at the stair-head over the rooms (but the closet laid into the front room in that storey), and two garrets over them.</p> <p>Witnesses: B Wilkes, Joseph Gater</p> <p>Endorsed: Consent by Henry Messenger to cancellation of the lease, 21 January 1718.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 188/3</p>
Volume 62 Item 13	<p>Counterpart [?under]lease for 17 years from 25 December 1702 at £24. 22 December 1702.</p> <p>Description: Henry Whistler of London, esq, to Peter Asselin of London, merchant. Messuage in Whistlers Court, St Swithin, London (W: Whistlers Court; W: Mr Medcalfe's house; N: Mr Norton's house; S: St Swithins churchyard); schedule of fittings in the cellar, kitchen, parlour, dining-room and three chambers Liberty for HW or the master and wardens of the Salters Company to inspect the state of repair; PA may extend the term by 7 years at the same rent by written notice within the last 6 months of the present term. Witnesses: John Benson, Thomas Strengthfield</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 187/5</p>
Volume 62 Item 14	<p>Deed of composition by the creditors of Geoffrey Little of London, merchant, at 5 shillings in the £. 10 April 1703.</p> <p>Description: William Roberts (for Thomas Breese), John Lukin (for John Lockett), John Lukin, Edward King, Thomas Aleyn (for Thomas Harris), Needham Bennett, John White, R Lee (for Messrs Chamberlayne and Slocombe of Messina, 4 May 1703) and John Freeman (for the affair of the ship De La Warr), creditors of GL, who is unable to pay them in full 'by reason of the many losses and misfortunes that hath lately happened unto him', agree to take the bond of Thomas Webster of London, merchant, to pay 3 shillings in the £ within a year and 2 shillings in the £ within 6 months thereafter.</p> <p>Schedule of debts to 20 named creditors formerly attached.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 188/7</p>
Volume 62 Item 15	<p>Lease for 11 years from 24 June 1704 at £25. 25 January 1704.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of London, bt, to Elizabeth Maw of London, widow. Messuage, being the easternmost of TW's two messuages built by Thomas Ausden the younger in Eastcheap, St Andrew Hubbard, London, occupied by EM, with the yard and little room in it, divided from TW's other messuage occupied by [Ann] Messenger, widow, tallowchandler Liberty for TW to make windows into the yard, not lower than 11' from the pavement in the yard, for the benefit of the other messuage; EM to pay a penalty of £40 should she allow windows to be made from the other messuage which are not licenced by TW. Witnesses: Lawrence Martin, John Booker Endorsed: Surrender of lease and contract for a new lease to EM for 21 years from 24 June 1707 at the same rent; W: Thomas Browne, John Booker; 17 June 1717.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 188/4</p>
Volume 62 Item 16	<p>Further composition by the creditors of Geoffrey Little of London, merchant, at 5 shillings in the £. 10 April 1703.</p> <p>Description: Richard Saunders, John Stonier (for Robert Chelers and James Hatherell), Robert Rodway, William Longland, William Roberts, William Roberts (for Thomas Breese), Robert Hollis, John Lukin (for John Lockett), John Lukin, Samuel Beechcroft (for Olive Addams), John Lightfoot, William Skynner (for John Harman, John Baker, John Randell and John Long), Thomas Gryffin (for Samuel Taylor and Samuel Newman), Thomas Gryffin, Kenelm Merry (for Edward Holmes for £70 7s 6d), Edward King, Thomas Aleyn (for Thomas Harris), Edmund Diston, Thomas Grosvener, John Littell, Daniel Peck, Thomas Fenner, George Smalle, Edmund Kever, James Gremes, Ralph Lee (for Messrs Chamberlayne and Slocombe of Messina), John Daberon, John Freeman (for the</p>

	<p>ship De La Warr), John White, Godfrey Webster, Needham Bennett, Noel Glover for self and executors of former partner and partner John Gregory, Thomas Wether, John Gibbon (for Captain Samuel Jones and Captain Ralph Thorp), Richard Colston, Elizabeth Grassingham (executrix and widow of Roger Grassingham) and Stephen Perry, creditors of GL, with GL.</p> <p>Recites: bankruptcy commission against GL and an assignment to James Plume of Vauxhall [in Surrey], scarlet-dyer; inability of the estate to meet their demands and their acceptance of 5 shillings in the £ composition, which GL has prevailed upon Thomas Webster of London, bt, to pay.</p> <p>The creditors agree to be paid 2s 6d in the £ within two months, and each to take Webster's bond to pay a further 2s 6d by 8 December 1704.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 188/7</p>
Volume 62 Item 17	<p>Counterpart underlease for 14 years from 25 March 1705 at £25. 22 December 1704.</p> <p>Description: Henry Whistler of London, esq, to John Hickox, citizen and girdler of London Newly-built brick messuage with its wharf or flat-form near the Irongate in the precinct of St Katherine by the Tower, London (W: wharf in the possession of JH; E: wharf of Samuel Twin; N: St Katherine Street; S: the Thames; 44' 4" N-S, 15' E-W), part of the land leased by Volume 62, Item 4.</p> <p>If HW gives JH notice to quit in order to renew the headlease, he will enter a bond in £100 to grant him a new lease.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Wyld, John West, William Martin</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 186/3</p>
Volume 62 Item 18	<p>Counterpart [under]lease for 21 years from 29 September 1706 at £15. 20 September 1706.</p> <p>Description: Henry Whistler of Abchurch Lane, London, esq, to Daniel Mackreth of Whitechapel, gardener</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Messuage and garden behind it called The Bell at Mile End Great Road in the hamlet of Mile End Old Town in Stepney, Middlesex 2 Stable in the public yard belonging to the three adjoining houses, with use of the yard and pump 3 ¼ acre fenced ground at the W end of the houses (E,W,S: The Great Road; N: fields) <p>HW shall not allow any of the three houses to be public house or victualling house during the term, nor permit the sale of ale, beer, cider, brandy or other liquor, nor the keeping of hogs or swine there or by DM; at the end of the term, DM may remove any trees or plants which he has planted; after three years, DM may quit at a year's notice without penalty; HW may move the stable door.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Byde, John Boughton</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 189/3</p>
Volume 62 Item 19	<p>Assignment in bankruptcy. 30 August 1706.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Allen, esq, John Carter, gent and Champion Branfill, gent, to Godfrey Webster of London, merchant, and Joseph Martin the younger of London, merchant, principal creditors of Thomas Rogers of Shadwell, Middlesex, ropemaker</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Specified shares in the Katherine and Elizabeth (Richard Newton master), the Samuel (John Foster), the Hennaretta (William Cunningham), a hoy called the John and Ann (William Young), the Woolfe (George Harle), the Mudd Pink (Francis Coxon), the Manchester (Elkanah Woolfe), the Joseph (Jacob Jackson), the Jacob (John Persons), the

	<p>Robert and Samuel (Andrew Ayres), the [blank] (Mr Meeke) and the Loves Increase (Henry Baldwin)</p> <p>2 Debts to John Flower of Sandwich in Kent, Mr Rich of Limehouse, Andrew Simmonds of Margate in Kent, Elkanah Woolfe of Shields [in Durham], Edward Johnson of Scarborough, Joseph Poole of Plaistow, Mr Stobers of Sandwich, Zachary Boulton of Faversham in Kent and the victualling office, listed in a schedule</p> <p>3 Ropemaking and household goods, listed in detail</p> <p>Recites: commission of bankruptcy against TR issued to TA, AC, CB, John Hildesley, esq and Jarvis Kellett, gent, 28 June 1706; finding by commissioners that TR traded as a ropemaker for some years, and bought and sold hemp, cordage and ropes at his house in Shadwell, and that he is indebted to GW and JM in more than £100.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Bennett, Thomas Osborne clerk to Mr Branfill, Samuel Stirk</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 201/4</p>
Volume 62 Item 20	<p>Lease for 39 years from 25 March 1708 at £4. 19 April 1708.</p> <p>Description: Theophilus Hawford, citizen and grocer of London, to Henry Whistler of London, esq</p> <p>A coal-wharf with a messuage newly built upon it, occupied by HW, in St Katherine by the Tower, London (18½' E-W, 18½' N-S; N: Thames Street; S: the Thames)</p> <p>Recites: surrender by HW of a former lease from TH of 9 March 1694; payment of a sum in consideration of a new lease.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Benyon, Charles Goodman</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 186/4</p>
Volume 62 Item 21	<p>Contract for a lease for 14 years from 24 June 1707, renewable to 35 years, at £60. 3 July 1707.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham Holy Cross], Essex, bt, to George Baker the elder and George Baker the younger of Ratcliff in Stepney, Middlesex, distillers</p> <p>1 Messuage, brewhouse, distill-house, yard, warehouse and buildings, lately used by Edward Parker, distiller, in or near the Broad Street in Ratcliff</p> <p>2 All the other houses and buildings near the Broad Street which were leased to Parker by Dalby Thomas, esq, or which were built by Parker on the premises and are still standing, except the three dwelling-houses fronting the Broad Street and occupied by [blank] Windsor, [blank] Stratford and [blank] Bond</p> <p>Any vessels and tools and things of copper, iron, pewter and wood belonging to TW to be valued before 20 July 1707 and sold to GB and GB; rent to be £7 10s for the first 6 months.</p> <p>Sealed by GB the younger only.</p> <p>Witnesses: Simon Duncalfe, Thomas Webb scrivener</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 189/6</p>
Volume 62 Item 22	<p>Underlease for 31 years from 25 March 1708 at £22. 15 July 1708.</p> <p>Description: Henry Whistler of Abchurch Lane, London, esq, to Daniel Mackreth of Mile End Old Town in Stepney, gardener</p> <p>1 Properties 1-3 in 62/18</p> <p>2 The adjoining three messuages and the public yard and pump</p> <p>All of which measures 283' N against the fields, 281' S against the road, 73' W and 93' E, and is held by HW of Bridewell Hospital by long lease. At the end of the term, DM may remove any trees or plants which he has planted; after three years, DM may quit at a year's notice without penalty.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edward Pattle, Joseph Scriven servant to John Trowt, scrivener in Whitechapel, Mary Bluck</p>

	<p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 62, Item 23.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 189/3</p>
Volume 62 Item 23	<p>Counterpart underlease (Volume 62, Item 22). 15 July 1708.</p> <p>Related materials: For underlease, see Volume 62, Item 22.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 189/3</p>
Volume 62 Item 24	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 25 December 1704 at £28. 21 December 1704.</p> <p>Description: William Nutt of Chigwell in Essex, esq, to William Greene of St Edmund Lombard Street, London, haberdasher Messuage (a cellar, a shop over it, three chambers over the shop and a garret over the chambers), occupied by John Ferrers, on the E side of St Clements Lane, next to the corner house of Lombard Street, in St Edmund Lombard Street, London Penalty of £5 for failure to repair after notice; WG covenants to remove a door and light made in the walls of the premises into the yard occupied by Mr William Levett, and a watercourse from Levett's yard through the shop, if required to do so by WN at the end of the term; option for a further 7 years within 6 months of the end of the term. Witnesses: Richard Gillingham, Ambrose Halling, John Ferrers Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 189/6</p>
Volume 62 Item 25	<p>Counterpart underlease for 11 years from 25 March 1709 at £80. 20 April 1709.</p> <p>Description: Henry Whistler of London, esq, to Henry Godwin of St Katherine by the Tower, London, woodmonger A piece of ground and wharf in Thames Street as it is now divided in St Katherine by the Tower, London (N: Thames Street, 60'; S: the Thames), with a messuage, warehouse and stable built on part of the ground, all occupied by HG HG to repair the wharf with stone, brick and well seasoned timber; if HW gives JH notice to quit in order to renew the headlease, he will grant a new lease on the same terms. Witnesses: Samuel Twinn, Moses Wheeler, Andrew Yardley clerk to Mr Mould, attorney Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 186/5</p>
Volume 62 Item 26	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 25 December 1710 at £14. 30 December 1710.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham Holy Cross], Essex, bt, to John Fouche [signs Jean Foushe] of St Giles in the Fields, Middlesex, baker Brick messuage, occupied by JF, on the N side of St Andrews Street, in Cock and Pye Fields in St Giles (W: messuage occupied by William Bates, victualler; E: messuage occupied by Peter Holmes). Witnesses: J Gaude, Thomas Bennett Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 190/3</p>
Volume 62 Item 27	<p>Conveyance (bargain and sale enrolled) in trust for sale. 7 March 1713.</p> <p>Description: John Godfrey esq, George Buckby, gent and William Day, gent, to Godfrey Webster of London, kt, John Fryer of London, esq, an alderman of London and Michaiah Perry of London, merchant, principal creditors of William Lone of London, merchant 1 Capital messuage or mansion house in Audley End in Saffron Walden, Essex (W: street; N: George Browne's barn), with a barn, stable, hayhouse, milkhouse and orchard 2 Stable in Audley End formerly [blank] Basse (E: street; N: George Litchfeild's</p>

	<p>tenement; S: Widow Ballard's ground) 3 Pieces of land and meadow (details) in Saffron Walden and Littlebury 4 Capital messuage in Springwell in Saffron Walden, with land (details) in Little Chesterford, occupied by George Ryder 5 Messuage, barn, stable, orchard and 5 acres meadow in Springwell, occupied by Nicholas Carter, late Samuel Linton deceased All in Springwell in the parishes of Saffron Walden, Littlebury and Little Chesterford in Cambs or Essex, and were the estate of John Lone of Linton [Cambs], esq, deceased.</p> <p>Recites: commission of bankruptcy against WL issued to JG, GB, WD, Thomas Browne, esq and William Pocklington, gent, 25 November 1710; finding by commissioners that WL traded as a merchant, and bought and sold tobacco and other goods for a year before the commission, and that he is indebted to GW, JF, MP and others in more than £500.</p> <p>Subscribed: acknowledged by WD before Robert Holford, master in chancery, 30 May 1713; Mr Collin in Crown Court, Threadneedle Street, 30 May 1713. Witnesses: Robert Price, Thomas Colley Endorsed: Endorsed on the close roll, 20 May 1713.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 201/5</p>
Volume 62 Item 28	<p>Counterpart underlease for 8 years from 25 March 1713 at £24. 5 March 1713.</p> <p>Description: Henry Whistler of London, esq, to John Nicholson of St Katherine by the Tower, woodmonger Brick messuage with its wharf or flat-form near the Irongate in the precinct of St Katherine by the Tower, London (W: wharf in the possession of John Hikox; E: wharf of Samuel Twin; N: St Katherine Street; S: the Thames; 44' 4" N-S, 15' E-W), part of the land leased by Volume 62, Item 4.</p> <p>If HW gives JH notice to quit in order to renew the headlease, he will enter a bond in £100 to grant him a new lease. Witnesses: John West, Capel Wilshere</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 186/6</p>
Volume 62 Item 29	<p>Counterpart lease for 33 years from 24 June 1712 at £14. 16 June 1712.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham Holy Cross], Essex, bt, to Robert Russell of Ratcliff in Stepney, Middlesex, fishmonger Messuage and yard occupied by RR and Lydia Dennis on the S side of the Broad Street in Ratcliff in St Dunstan Stepney (E: messuage occupied by [blank] West; W: messuage occupied by Captain William Harvey; N: Broad Street)</p> <p>Term made up of consecutive terms of 7, 11 and 15 years; damage by fire and blowing up of houses or the building falling by outrageous winds excluded from repair clause. Witnesses: S Perry, Henry Benyon</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 62 Item 30	<p>Assignment of lease. 24 August 1641.</p> <p>Description: Joseph Darvoll, citizen and carpenter of London, to John Saintlowe, citizen and vintner of London Messuage and shed in St Olave, Southwark, occupied in 1640 by Robert Browne, cook or pastler, (27' long, 9' 4" wide on the lower storey and 13½' on the upper storey), with a kitchen behind it (20' 9" x 14' 8"), a yard with outhouses at the N end of the kitchen (36' x 13') and a shed at the end of the yard (30' x 14' 8")</p>

	<p>Recites: surrender by JD of a lease of the premises to William Stone deceased of which 11 years were unexpired; covenant by JD to undertake building works and payment of £33 6s 8d; lease by the mayor and commonalty of London to JD for 62 years from 24 June 1640 at £3 6s 8d, payable at the counting-house in the bridge house, 16 December 1640.</p> <p>JS covenants to demolish the messuage, kitchen and rooms over it within two years, and rebuild a messuage 3½ storeys high, and another kitchen with rooms over 2½ storeys high, with oak timber and other materials according to the royal proclamation and according to the approval of the wardens of London Bridge and the clerk of the Bridge House; JS to pay the entrance fine of £33 6s 8d.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Mongre, William Molins, Valentine Pritchard scrivener</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 183/2</p>
Volume 62 Item 31	<p>Assignment of lease. 9 September 1661.</p> <p>Description: Mary Saintlowe of St Mary Islington, widow of John Saintlowe, and his second son Joseph Saintlowe of the Inner Temple, to John Cheeke, citizen and goldsmith of London Property in assignment of lease (Volume 62, Item 30), bequeathed to Joseph by his father's will of 29 January 1646.</p> <p>Witnesses: Mary Saintlowe, Susan Grave; Thomas Moore, William Blackborow, Jeremiah Ansell, Thomas Pownsett, scrivener</p> <p>Endorsed: I petitioned the court of Aldermen for the ground that I want of this lease and I was refused, J[ohn] C[heeke], 1662.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 183/3</p>
Volume 62 Item 32	<p>Receipt for £150 for the purchase of the lease in Volume 62, Item 31, the messuage now occupied by Jasper Chart, citizen and haberdasher of London; Joseph Saintloe to John Cheeke. 9 September 1661.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 183/4</p>
Volume 62 Item 33	<p>Bond in £300 to keep covenants in assignment of lease (Volume 62, Item 30), Joseph Saintloe to John Cheeke. 9 September 1661.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 183/5</p>
	<p>Deeds of estates in London and Middlesex. 1713-1734.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9933/2</p>
Volume 63 Item 1	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 29 September 1713 at £46. 27 June 1713.</p> <p>Description: Henry Whistler of London, esq, to Thomas Vivian of St Andrew Holborn, Middlesex, gent Messuage, yard, summer-house or shed and house of office in St Andrew Holborn, London (S: messuage of [blank] Lancaster gent; E: Castle Yard; N: messuage of John Acklom, apothecary; W: Staple Inn), late Letitia How, widow Detailed inventory of fittings in named rooms. TV to insure against fire at the office for securing houses from loss by fire by the amiable contribution now or late kept in St Martins Lane; TV to be responsible for the repair of fixtures listed in a schedule.</p> <p>Witnesses: Margaret Turner, Richard Hutchinson, Mary Bluck</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 191/1</p>

Volume 63 Item 2	<p>Bond in £500 to indemnify vendors in trust. 13 October 1713.</p> <p>Description: Daniel Legg, citizen and merchant tailor of London, to Godfrey Webster of London, kt, John Fryer of London, esq and Michaiiah Perry of London, merchant, principal creditors of William Lone of London, merchant</p> <p>GW, JF and MP have sold to DL the estates conveyed to them by Volume 62, Item 27, on 7 March 1713 and certain copyhold land (1 below) for £20, the sum that DL asserts they are worth free of the charges (2 below) to which the are subject; DL to indemnify GW, JF and MP from any suit by the creditors of WL should the value be greater</p> <p>1 Millhurst (3 acres), 3 rods on Little Barkhill and 3 rods in a close opposite the house, held of the manor of Brooke Walden; 4½ acres in Fishmore Field and 2 acres in Wenden held of Wendens; 2 acres near Geoerges Common, late Staines, held of Littlebury</p> <p>2 mortgage for £800 at 6% to Thomas Styles, citizen and haberdasher of London, and Henry Emmet, citizen and painter-stainer of London; several bonds to the crown for the payment of customs on goods imported by WL.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Webster, Charles Colborne, Edward Periam</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 201/6</p>
Volume 63 Item 3	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 25 December 1717, renewable to 21 years, at £10. 7 November 1717.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham Holy Cross], Essex, bt, to Abraham Dehorne of Ratcliff in Stepney, Middlesex, cheesemonger</p> <p>Messuage in Ratcliff, lately occupied by George Dehorne (E: gateway leading to George Baker's still-house, and extending over the gateway; W: The Horne Tavern; N: Ratcliff Broad Street; S: the Horne Tavern, George Baker's yard)</p> <p>Lease to be void if the messuage is destroyed by fire or damaged beyond reasonable repair.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edward Crisp, George De Horne the younger</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 190/1</p>
Volume 63 Item 4	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 25 December 1717 at £25. 22 January 1718.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of London, kt, to George Wightman, citizen and tallowchandler of London</p> <p>Messuage, being the westernmost of TW's two messuages in Little Eastcheap, St Andrew Hubbard, London, containing a cellar under the messuage, a back cellar under the back yards of both messuages, a shop with a chimney backwards and a yard paved with freestone, two rooms and a buttery or closet at the stair-head over the rooms (but the closet laid into the front room in that storey), and two garrets over them.</p> <p>Witnesses: Samuel Buck, William Hall attorney in Great Eastcheap</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 188/5</p>
Volume 63 Item 5	<p>Unexecuted lease for 25 years from 25 December 1718 at £20. 1718</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copt Hall in Waltham Abbey, Essex, bt, to James Foord of Mile End Old Town in Stepney, dyer</p> <p>Four messuages with an orchard, garden and backsides, lately occupied by Richard Boulton, on the N side of the road from London to Bow in Mile End (E: the road, a field occupied by JF; W: a field or gravel-pit occupied by Joseph Evans, the road; N: a field occupied by Richard Knightbridge, a field occupied by JF; S: the road).</p> <p>Witnesses: [blank]</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 63, Item 6.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Thorpe page/entry: [not found]
Volume 63 Item 6	<p>Counterpart lease. 1718</p> <p>Related materials: For lease (unexecuted), see Volume 63, Item 5.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 63 Item 7	<p>Assignment of a lease from 29 September 1718 for £50. 4 July 1718.</p> <p>Description: James Walling, citizen and innholder of London, to Paul Greenwood of London, victualler</p> <p>Newly-built messuage or victualling house called The Blue Leg or Old Hull House (containing a cellar and house of office at the foot of the stairs, a large room used as a public drinking room above, a large dining-room above and a bed-chamber above, two large rooms above and two large garrets above), and a small yard and entry 4' 9" wide, paved with Purbeck stone, leading from the street, near Bear Key in Thames Street, London, occupied by JW, late Benjamin March (E-W 21' 9"; N-S 35'; E: Wichelers Yard and the warehouses recently built in it; W: messuage occupied by Mr Child, cheesemonger; N: piece of ground where the large hall called Bakers Hall stood; S: newly-built messuage of Godfrey Webster, kt, called the Bear Key Coffee House, occupied by Ann Semper), with the utensils listed in the original lease</p> <p>Recites: lease for 21 years from 24 June 1716 at £36, Godfrey Webster of London, kt, to Benjamin March, citizen and cook of London, 6 June 1716; assignment by March to JW from 25 March 1717, 27 April 1717. W: John Preston, John Snowden, Thomas Bowyer attorney at Billingsgate.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Preston, John Snowden, Thomas Bowyer attorney at Billingsgate</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 186/7</p>
Volume 63 Item 8	<p>Letters of attorney by Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt, to Edmund Purser of St Martin in the Fields, Middlesex, dyer, to receive rents from his tenants in Hartshorne Lane in St Martin, and to enter, distrain or eject for non-payment of rent. 19 October 1719.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edward Crisp, Lydia Crisp</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 63 Item 9	<p>Unexecuted lease for 11 years from 24 June 1722 at £46. 14 June 1722.</p> <p>Description: Edward Northey of the Middle Temple, kt, and Paul Jodrell of Chancery Lane, Middlesex, esq (trustees of the will of Henry Whistler of London, esq), with Thomas Webster of St James Westminster, bt, and his wife Jane (grand-daughter of Henry Whistler) to John Forster of Snowhill, London, gent</p> <p>Messuage or tenement occupied by Ann Vivian widow, late her husband Thomas Vivian, gent, with a yard, summer-house or shed and house of office, in St Andrew Holborn, London (S: messuage of Matthew Lancaster gent; E: Castle Yard; N: messuage of John Acklom, apothecary; W: Staple Inn)</p> <p>JF to insure against fire at the office for securing houses from loss by fire by the amiable contribution now or late kept in Angel Court on Snowhill for as much money as the office will allow, any money received to be spent on repairs; JF to be responsible for the repair of fixtures listed in a schedule.</p> <p>Related materials: For a draft of this document with a provision for the payment of rent to GW endorsed, see Volume 60, Item 1536.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 191/3</p>

Volume 63 Item 10	<p>Letter from John Stillingfleet, Snow Hill, to Paul Jodrell, esq, Chancery Lane, enclosing part of a lease [?Volume 63, Item 9] with [the text of] an endorsement to be made on it [?as Volume 60, Item 1536], and hoping that it will soon be executed. 17 July 1722.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 63 Item 11	<p>Draft conveyance with counsel's approval. 1737</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham Holy Cross], Essex, bt, his wife Jane (one of the two daughters and heirs of Henry Whistler of Epsom in Surrey, esq, deceased) and their eldest son Whistler Webster esq, TW's trustees William Northey of Compton Bassett, Wilts, esq, and Nathaniel Pigot of the Inner Temple, esq, to John Stevens of St George Bloomsbury, Middlesex, esq, and his trustee Joseph Biscoe of the Inner Temple, gent</p> <p>Three messuage in Stratton Street in St Martin in the Fields, Middlesex, occupied in 1733 by Lady Herbert at £40, Mrs Lloyd at £56 and Mr Hawkins at £42 (now late Lady Herbert, late Mrs Lloyd and William Arnold), subject to a ground-rent of £12 to [James Berkeley] Lord Berkley of Stratton [Gloucs] of whom they are held by a 500-year lease</p> <p>Recites: ownership of WW; conveyance of estates (including the above) by TW, JW and WW to WN and NP in trust for sale to pay TW's debts, 1 June 1733.</p> <p>Endorsed: Approval by NP, 14 February 1737.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 176/1</p>
Volume 63 Item 12	<p>Counterpart lease for 5 years from 29 September 1725 at £50. 3 August 1726.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of St James, Middlesex, kt and bt, to Ann Lloyd of St Giles in the Fields, Middlesex, widow</p> <p>Messuage and garden behind it on the W side of Stratton Street in St Giles, late occupied by Mrs Eggerton (N: messuage occupied by Mr Schultz; S: messuage occupied by Sir Samuel Leonard)</p> <p>Schedule of fixtures in named rooms.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Steear, Nathaniel Cutler</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 175/6</p>
Volume 63 Item 13	<p>Copy mortgage for £30,548 at 5%. 26 January 1728.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt and his wife Jane (a granddaughter, co-heir and administratrix with the will annexed of Henry Whistler of Epsom in Surrey, gent, deceased) to Paul Jodrell the elder of Chancery Lane, London, esq</p> <p>1 Site of the dissolved monastery of Robertsbridge with the manor of Robertsbridge and messuages, cottages, land, forges and furnaces in Robertsbridge, Salehurst, Ewhurst, Ticehurst, Northiam, Beckley, Whatlington, Mountfield, Burwash, Fairlight, Brede, Bodiam, Sedlescombe, Dallington, Guestling and Westfield, worth £1186 14s, purchased for £30,700 by TW from John Sambrooke of London, esq, Jeremy Sambrooke of Gubbins, Herts, esq and William Foester of Watling Street, Salop, esq, 27 and 28 September 1727</p> <p>2 Capital messuage where TW lives in St James Street, Pall Mall, St James Middlesex, purchased for £6000 by TW from Charles [Seymour] duke of Somerset and Lord Piercy Seymour, 21 July 1720</p> <p>3 Messuage, stables, coach-houses and other buildings built by TW on the site of a messuage with two little shops in front of it on the N side of Jermyn Street near Little Jermyn Street in St James, leased to TW for 20 years from 29 September 1720 and for a further 30 years in reversion at £10 by the crown, 22 February 1723, and on which he has spent £2000</p> <p>According to the trusts of the will of HW.</p>

	<p>Recites: will of HW, granting his residuary estate to Charles Joy and James Joy in trust for JW for life with remainder to her children, 26 August 1716; death of HW, 15 March 1719; renunciation by the Joys and PCC grant to JW; order in Whistler Webster v TW and others in chancery that the Joys should assign to new trustees to be chosen by Master Lovibond, 15 July 1719; assignment to Edward Northey, kt (since deceased) and PJ, 6-7 August 1719; establishment of the will of HW and order for an account, authority for the trustees to alter the East India, South Sea and other stocks (which formed the majority of the personal estate), 23 December 1719; realization of £30,548 by the sale of stock; report of master Lovibond approving the advancement of that sum on estates recently bought by TW.</p> <p>Subscribed: approved by Robert Yard as the mortgage mentioned in his report.</p> <p>Witnesses: Ellis Meredith, Dawson Brett</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 176/3</p>
Volume 63 Item 14	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 24 June 1727 at £20. 7 June 1727.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of St James, Middlesex, bt, to George De Horne of Ratcliff in Stepney, Middlesex, distiller</p> <p>Newly-built brick messuage with the yard behind it on the S side of the Broad Street, Ratcliff, (the second house from the passage leading down to Little Stone Stairs and the westernmost of the three messuages now building or lately built by TW on the site of the Horn Tavern and two other messuages, which were burnt down; E-W: 18' 3"; N-S 69' 6"; plan in margin; S: Mr Baker's still-house)</p> <p>Schedule of fixtures in named rooms.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Galler, Nathaniel Cutler</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 190/2</p>
Volume 63 Item 15	<p>Acknowledgement by Thomas Webster that any money recovered by insurance should the messuage leased by Volume 63, Item 14 be destroyed by fire shall be applied to the repair or rebuilding of the messuage for the benefit of George De Horne; signed by GH only. 7 June 1727.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 63 Item 16	<p>Counterpart underlease for 6 years from 25 March 1724 at £28. 6 March 1724.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster, bt, to William Newman of the precinct of St Katherine by the Tower, victualler</p> <p>Messuage called The City of Bristol in the precinct of St Katherine, occupied by WN, late John Whiteing</p> <p>WN not obliged to rebuild should the premises be burnt down or blown up.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Whiteway, Thomas Langley</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 186/8</p>
Volume 63 Item 17	<p>Lease for a year in respect of conveyance by tenant for life and trustee (Volume 63, Item 18). 30 May 1733.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 196/1</p>
Volume 63 Item 18	<p>Conveyance by tenant for life and trustee (release enrolled). 31 May 1733.</p> <p>Description: Paul Jodrell of Chancery Lane, Middlesex, esq (eldest son and executor of Paul Jodrell of Chancery Lane, esq) with Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt and his wife Jane (a grand-daughter, co-heir and administratrix with the will annexed of Henry Whistler of Epsom in Surrey, gent, deceased) to their son Whistler Webster, esq</p>

- 1 Two messuages in Castle Yard, Holborn, occupied by Mr Porter at £46 and William Workman at £46
- 2 Two [over erasure] messuages in Lombard Street, London, occupied by Mr Cook (£44), Mr Tax (£27), Mr Geary (£28), Mr Keck (£45) and late Mr William Webster (£44), now empty
- 3 Three messuages in St Clements Lane, London, occupied by H... (£26), Mr Sutton (£28) and Mr Bridges (£26)
- 4 Messuage and land in Epsom, Surrey, where HW lived, occupied by Isaac Franks at £50
- 5 The freehold parts of three messuages in Hartshorne Lane in The Strand, Middlesex, occupied by [blank] Murray (£12), [blank] Tizzard (£12) and [blank] Kirby (£10)
- 6 Three messuages in Stratton Street, Middlesex, held by 500-year lease from [James Berkeley] Lord Berkley of Stratton at £12, and occupied by Lady Herbert (£40), Mrs Lloyd (£50) and late Mr Hawkins (£42), now unlet
- 7 5 acres in Nonsuch Park in Surrey, held by lease for 99 years from 29 September 1711 at 1s from [Charles FitzRoy], Duke of Grafton, 15 November 1711, occupied by [blank] Bowen at £5
- 8 Messuage in Throckmorton Street, London, held by lease for 40 years from the archdeacon of Colchester at £2, 18 April 1729, occupied by Mr Clerambeault (£40)
- 9 Seven messuages in Whistlers Court, Cannon Street, London, held by lease for 91 years from the Salters Company at a peppercorn for the first two years and £32 thereafter, 23 July 1669, occupied by Bartholomew Norton (£44), Mrs Van Ryssen (£24), Tudor Lockley (£18), late Peter Wayne deceased (£24), Peter Assolin (£24), Mrs Crook (£10) and Mrs Simms (£10)
- 10 Messuages in Wapping, Middlesex, held by lease for 61 years from the Governors of Bridewell at £25, 31 July 1703, occupied by Mr Hall (£40), Captain Curling (£20), John Herring (£20), Mr Westall (£40), Mr Hayley (£25), Mr Wigan (£8 10s), Mrs d'Assigney (£8), Thomas Vesey (£13 5s), Edward Porter (£15 5s), Major Phillipps (£26), John Harris (£12), Widow Perrin (£10 5s), Mary Kent (£14 5s), Paul Hayes (£8 5s), Nathaniel Cutler (£8 5s), Richard Heading (£8 5s), Richard Bowtell (£8 5s), John Ingram (£9 8s), Richard Ansham (£7), [blank] Every (£5), Robert Pomfrett (£8), Thomas Young (£3), Henry Pearson (£8 15s), John Manley (£8 5s), Matthew Speek (£8 5s), Anthony Parr (£8 5s), Thomas Smith (£8 5s), Alexander Smith (£7 5s), Jane Libra (£6), Robert Boyce (£6), Richard York (£5), James Hall (£5) and George Baker (£15)
- 11 Messuages in the precinct of St Katherine by the Tower, held by three leases from the master, brothers and sisters of the hospital for 40 years from 25 March 1733, 2 June 1733, now occupied by Anthony Underwood (£10), Widow Mobbe (£5), Hannah Owen (£5), Judith Lucas (£5), Jonathan Matthews (£5), Edward Pew (£5), John Chamberlain (£5), John Nelson (£5), Widow Wilkinson (£4 10s), [blank] Greenwood (£4 10s), [blank] Green (£4 10s), William Byfeild (£4 10s), Thomas Shaw (£5), Thomas Browne (£7), James Eades (£5), [blank] (£5), Alice Newell (£5), Mary Harmer (£5), Samuel Harmer (£5), Thomas Bruce (£5), [blank] Marlow (£6 10s), [blank] Twyman (£6), Robert Christian (£13), [blank] (£12), [blank] Taylor (£6), William Saint (£12) and Henry Hud (£4), and a coal-wharf occupied by Mr Nicholson (£104)
- 12 Messuage at Mile End in [Stepney], Middlesex, held by a lease for 99 years from 29 September 1703 at 5 shillings from the Governors of Bridewell Hospital, 17 August 1703, occupied by Mr Pilkington at £20
- 13 The leasehold parts of three messuages in Hartshorne Lane in The Strand, Middlesex, occupied by Murray, Tizzard and Kirby (5 above), held from the Governors of Christs Hospital by lease for 51 years from 29 September 1692 at £5, 6 February 1693
- 14 The watertower at York, leased for 500 years by the mayor and aldermen at a peppercorn, 1 April 1677.

Recites: will of HW, granting his estate to Charles Joy and James Joy in trust: a farm called

	<p>Benjoe near Ware in Herts, occupied by Widow Parnell, stock and a debt owing him by her father, to his grand-daughter Elizabeth daughter of Thomas Byde of Ware Park in Herts, esq; houses leased from the Salters Company in Whistlers Court, London, to WW during his minority; a £40 annuity to his servant Mary Bluck; the residue to JW for life with remainder to her children; 26 August 1718; death of HW; renunciation by the Joys and PCC grant to JW; order in Whistler Webster v TW and others in chancery that the Joys should assign to new trustees to be chosen by master Henry Lovibond, 15 July 1719; assignment to Edward Northey of the Middle Temple, kt and PJ the father, 6 & 7 August 1719; death of Northey and PJ the father; majority of Elizabeth Byde and payment of legacies; death of Mary Bluck; TW and JW's children are WW, Godfrey Webster, Abigail Webster (married to William Northey of Compton Bassett, Wilts, esq, with a promised portion of £20,000), Jane Webster and Elizabeth Webster (who have substantial portions settled by their grandfather Sir Godfrey Webster); JW now settles the freehold (1-5 above) and leasehold (6-14 above) in the hands of PJ on WW, now of age, who as the eldest son and heir to the baronetcy 'ought to be more amply provided for'.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Northey, Isaac Ingall servant to Whistler Webster</p> <p>Endorsed: Enrolled in the Middlesex registry, B4 N487: Stephen Dowells, registrar, 31 January 1734.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 195/8</p>
Volume 63 Item 19	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 25 December 1733 at £36. 10 November 1733.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt, to Thomas Biggs of Little Jermain Street, St James, Middlesex, whitesmith Message in Jermyn Street adjoining the back of TW's dwellinghouse, late occupied by Mrs Moore.</p> <p>Witnesses: H Moore, Thomas Reece clerk to Mr Wickman</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 196/2</p>
Volume 63 Item 20	<p>Counterpart assignment of lease for £760 10s 0d. 21 December 1734.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, kt and bt, his son Whistler Webster, esq, TW's trustees William Northey of Compton Basset, Wilts, esq, and Nathaniel Pigot of the Inner Temple, esq, to Edward Archer, citizen and haberdasher of London Eight messuages in Whistlers Court, Cannon Street, London, occupied by [Bartholomew] Norton, Peter Assolin, [Mrs] Van Ryssen, [blank] Covin, William Lee, [blank] Colins and [blank] Beatley Held by lease for 91 years from 24 June 1669 from the Salters Company to Henry Whistler at a peppercorn for the first two years and £32 thereafter, 23 July 1669, then described as: A long cellar formerly occupied by John Dollins, merchant, over which a warehouse had been built, occupied by John Dogget, merchant, and over that a long gallery used by the Salters Company, demolished by the late fire, and part of the garden adjoining the long cellar, all at the S end of the same garden in the parish of St Swithin Candlewick Street, London, (E-W 140'; N-S at the E: 41'; N-S at the W: 46' 3") Recites: as and including Volume 63, Item 18, conveyance by TW, Jane Webster and WW to WN and NP in trust for sale, 31 May and 1 June 1734. Witnesses: Edward Archer the younger, William Gill clerk to [Nathaniel] Gibbon, St Martin Lane, Cannon Street Related materials: For draft, see Volume 63, Item 26.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 187/6</p>
Volume 63 Item 21	<p>Draft conveyance (lease and release) for £2178. 14-15 February 1735.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham Holy Cross], Essex, bt, his wife Jane and</p>

	<p>their eldest son Whistler Webster, esq, TW's trustees William Northey of Compton Basset, Wilts, esq, and Nathaniel Pigot of the Inner Temple, esq, to John Stevens of St George Bloomsbury, Middlesex, esq, and his trustee Joseph Biscoe of the Inner Temple, gent</p> <p>Five brick messuages in Lombard Street in St Mary Woolnoth, London, occupied by [blank] Goss, Thomas Geary, Thomas Tax, George Cooke and William Webster, before the fire of 1666 the site of a messuage called The Kings Head, a messuage called The Sugarloaf with two adjoining shops, and a messuage called the Hart and Crown and White Horse</p> <p>Recites: as Volume 63, Item 20; drawn by [Nathaniel] Gibbon, approved by NP, 17 February 1735. The draft also includes the text of a bargain and sale to be enrolled in chancery, which omits the recitals.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 196/7, 196/6</p>
Volume 63 Item 22	<p>Draft conveyance (lease and release) for £1288. 18-19 February 1735.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham Holy Cross], Essex, bt, his wife Jane and their eldest son Whistler Webster, esq, TW's trustees William Northey of Compton Basset, Wilts, esq, and Nathaniel Pigot of the Inner Temple, esq, to John Kadwell of Charlton in Kent, esq, and his trustees William Knipe of the Inner Temple, esq, and William Newland of London, gent</p> <p>Two brick messuages in Castle Yard near Holborn in St Andrew Holborn, London, occupied by William Workman and [blank] Foster (formerly John Acklon, apothecary, and Alexander Hambleton, gent), with two gardens (N: (100') messuage late occupied by [blank] Sturt; S: messuage occupied by [blank] Jones, late [blank] Tiller; E: (40') Castle Yard; W: (46') Staple Inn)</p> <p>Recites: as Volume 63, Item 20. Drawn by [Nathaniel] Gibbon, approved by NP, 17 February 1735. The draft also includes the text of a release to be enrolled in chancery, which omits the recitals.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 191/4</p>
Volume 63 Item 23	<p>Draft conveyance (lease and release) for £700. 20-21 February 1735.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham Holy Cross], Essex, bt, and his trustees William Northey of Compton Basset, Wilts, esq, and Nathaniel Pigot of the Inner Temple, esq, to John Hudson, citizen, tiler and bricklayer of London, and his trustee William Hudson, citizen, tiler and bricklayer of London</p> <p>Two messuages in Little East Cheap in St Andrew Hubbard and St Mary at Hill, London, occupied by Mary Mawe and Robert Wilkins (formerly [blank] Messenger, widow and MM)</p> <p>Recites: as Volume 63, Item 20; deleted clause providing for a bargain and sale to be enrolled in chancery; TW covenants to produce deeds of Edward Cheeke, William Fisher of Sherborne, gent and Edward Parsons of London, tallow-chandler, to Henry Whistler of London, esq, 16 February 1687; Edward Cheeke to Gabriel Whistler of Combe in Hants, esq, Henry Whistler and Peter Joye of London, merchant, 16 May 1687; Mary Cheeke to TW and his trustee Francis Masham of Oates in Essex, bt, 28 & 29 September 1701; TW, Henry Whistler, Mary Cheeke and her daughter Jane Cheeke, Godfrey Webster of London, esq, John Chadwicke of London, merchant, Samuel Barnardiston of Brightwell in Suffolk, esq and Thomas Byde of London, esq, 28 & 29 September 1701; the same parties, 5 February 1703. Drawn by [Nathaniel] Gibbon, approved by NP, 17 February 1735.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 196/8?</p>
Volume 63 Item 24	<p>Draft conveyance (feoffment) for £1160 5s 0d. 25 February 1735.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham Holy Cross], Essex, bt, his wife Jane and</p>

	<p>their eldest son Whistler Webster, esq, TW's trustees William Northey of Compton Basset, Wilts, esq, and Nathaniel Pigot of the Inner Temple, esq, to Jeremiah Marlowe, citizen and goldsmith of London</p> <p>Three brick messuages on the E side of St Clements Lane in St Edmund the King, London: one occupied by Robert Sutton and Peter Mauleverer, formerly William Green, factor (N: a corner house from Lombard Street occupied by James Tutt, draper), one to its S called The Dial, occupied by John Berry, watchmaker, and one to its S called The George and Vulture, occupied by [blank] Bridges (before Charles Twells, victualler, before Richard Hewetson); before the fire the site of four messuages</p> <p>Subject to leases by TW to Sutton and Mauleverer for 14 years at £28 and to Berry for 21 years at £26, 28 October 1725.</p> <p>Recites: as Volume 63, Item 20; clause providing for a lease for a year deleted; drawn by [Nathaniel] Gibbon, approved by NP, 15 February 1735.</p> <p>The draft also includes the text of a bargain and sale to be enrolled in chancery, which omits the recitals.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 196/8?</p>
Volume 63 Item 25	<p>Draft of assignment of lease drawn by [Nathaniel] Gibbon, approved by Nathaniel Pigot, 9 December 1734, engrossed by G B, counterpart engrossed by W[illiam] G[ill]. 21 December 1734.</p> <p>Related materials: For final document, see Volume 64, Item 3.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 196/8?</p>
Volume 63 Item 26	<p>Draft of assignment of lease, approved by Nathaniel Pigot, 7 December 1734; endorsed: names [?of TW's creditors to be paid from the purchase price] with sums of money amounting to £725; counterpart engrossed by G B. 21 December 1734.</p> <p>Related materials: For final document, see Volume 63, Item 20.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 196/8?</p>
Volume 63 Item 27	<p>Draft of assignment of lease, approved by Nathaniel Pigot, 23 May 1734. 31 May 1734.</p> <p>Related materials: For final document, see Volume 63, Item 33.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 196/8?</p>
Volume 63 Item 28	<p>Draft of assignment of lease drawn by [Nathaniel] Gibbon, approved by Nathaniel Pigot on 20 December 1734. 21 December 1734.</p> <p>Related materials: For final document, see Volume 63, Item 31.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 196/8</p>
Volume 63 Item 29	<p>Draft of assignment of lease, drawn by [Nathaniel] Gibbon, approved by Nathaniel Pigot, 23 May 1734. 21 December 1734.</p> <p>Related materials: For final document, see Volume 63, Item 32.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 196/8?</p>
Volume 63	<p>Draft assignment of mortgage terms of 500 and 1000 years, created 6 March 1706 on property</p>

Item 30	<p>in Castle Yard Holborn, by Thomas Webster (who survived Thomas Byde) to Gabriel Leaver of Friday Street, London, esq, and Thomas Bostock of St Martin le Grand, London, gent, in trust for Thomas Kadwell of Charlton in Kent, esq, to whom the property will be conveyed by deeds of 18-19 February 1735 [Volume 63, Item 22]. 17 February 1735.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 191/4</p>
<p>Volume 63 Item 31</p>	<p>Counterpart assignment of lease for £350. 21 December 1734.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham] Essex, bt, his wife Jane and their eldest son Whistler Webster, esq, TW's trustees William Northey of Compton Basset, Wilts, esq, and Nathaniel Pigot of the Inner Temple, esq, to John Cuninghame of Peckham in Surrey, gent Brick messuage with an entry door or gateway and passage leading out of Throckmorton Street, St Bennet Fink, London, (N: messuages of Richard Chambers, Jacob Brius, Philip Hale and Thomas Hartley; NE: Robert Bishop's garden, the yard of Benjamin Allen and [blank]; W: New Court or Mr Netherway's courtyard), occupied by Anthony Clerebault, late Dr Blackburne, leased (on the surrender of the former lease) for 40 years from John King DD, archdeacon of Colchester, at £2, 18 April 1729 [Volume 76, Item 37B is a draft], leased by TW and JW to Mary Usher for 7 years from 25 March 1730 at £40, 24 March 1730.</p> <p>Recites: as Volume 63, Item 20.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nathaniel Gibbon, Thomas Bostock his clerk</p> <p>Related materials: For draft of this document, see Volume 63, Item 28.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 196/5</p>
<p>Volume 63 Item 32</p>	<p>Counterpart assignment of lease for £1228. 21 December 1734.</p> <p>Description: Paul Jodrell of Lincolns Inn, esq, Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt and his wife Jane, their son Whistler Webster, esq and TW's trustees William Northey of Compton Basset, Wilts, esq, and Nathaniel Pigot of the Inner Temple, esq, to John Hudson, citizen, tiler and bricklayer of London Toft of ground in Thames Street within the precinct of St Katherine by the Tower on which before the fire stood tenements occupied by Edward Lole, John Lewin and George Harris (W: ground formerly known as the Coal Wharf, occupied by John Dodd, esq, before the fire by Edward Lole; E: the site of a messuage, occupied before the fire by Thomas Laney as tenant to Henry West; N: (55½') Thames Street; S: (40') the Thames)</p> <p>Leased (on the surrender of a former lease) by George Berkley, master, and the brothers and sisters of the hospital, to PJ in trust for JW for 40 years from 25 March 1733 at £5 15s 4d, 2 June 1733, and leased by TW to John Nicholson of the precinct, woodmonger, for 21 years from 25 March 1725 at £104, 18 May 1725.</p> <p>Recites: as Volume 63, Item 20; that the lease was included in the conveyance to WN and NP as if it had been executed, but 'through some neglect or mistake' it was not, leaving the interest still vested in PJ.</p> <p>Witnesses: Mary Farrow servant to Mr Hudson, William Gill</p> <p>Endorsed: Coal Wharf</p> <p>Related materials: For draft of this document, see Volume 63, Item 29.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 197/1</p>
<p>Volume 63 Item 33</p>	<p>Counterpart assignment of lease for £600. 31 May 1734.</p> <p>Description: Paul Jodrell of Lincolns Inn, esq, Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt and his wife Jane, their son Whistler Webster, esq and TW's trustees William Northey of</p>

	<p>Compton Basset, Wilts, esq, and Nathaniel Pigot of the Inner Temple, esq, to Robert Christian of the precinct of St Katherine by the Tower, mariner</p> <p>Two timber messuages in St Katherines Court in the precinct of St Katherine by the Tower, one occupied by William Saint, the other [blank]; four messuages occupied by [blank] Brownell, RC, John Twyman and the executors of John Marlow deceased; piece of ground occupied by Thomas Bruce</p> <p>Leased (on the surrender of a former lease) by George Berkley, master, and the brothers and sisters of the hospital, to PJ in trust for JW for 40 years from 25 March 1733 at £6 1s 8d, 2 June 1733, described as:</p> <p>Seven former tenements and six gardens (S: St Katherines Further Court; N: ditch and place called Hamzzon Gaines; W: tenements occupied by Susannah Twist; E: tenements occupied by Anthony Taylor); two tenements occupied by Mary Tough, widow, and Grace Bolton, widow (E: tenements occupied by Anthony Taylor; W: St Katherines Further Court; N: an alley between Anthony Taylor's two tenements; S: St Katherines Court).</p> <p>Recites: as Volume 63, Item 20.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Hordwick painter in St Katherines, Nathaniel Cutler attorney at law in Wapping</p> <p>Related materials: For draft, see Volume 63, Item 27.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 197/1</p>
	<p>Deeds of estates in London and Middlesex. 1736-1773.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9933/3</p>
Volume 64 Item 1	<p>Draft corrective conveyance. [4]-5 April 1737.</p> <p>Description: Paul Jodrell of Chancery Lane, Middlesex, esq (eldest son and executor of Paul Jodrell of Chancery Lane, esq) with Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt and his wife Jane (a grand-daughter of Henry Whistler of Epsom in Surrey, gent, deceased) to their son Whistler Webster, esq</p> <p>Three messuage in Stratton Street in St Martin in the Fields, Middlesex, occupied in 1719 (when they were conveyed by Charles and James Joye to Edward Northey and PJ the father) by Hester Egerton, Sir Samuel Lennard and Colonel Graham, and in 1733 by Lady Herbert at £40, Mrs Lloyd at £56 and Mr Hawkins at £42 (now late Lady Herbert, late Mrs Lloyd and William Arnold), subject to a ground-rent of £12 to [James Berkeley] Lord Berkley of Stratton [Gloucs] of whom they are held by a 500-year lease, purchased from John [Berkeley] Lord Berkley by Nicholas Launce, who sold them to HW</p> <p>Recites: as and including Volume 63, Item 18, in which they erroneously appeared in the schedule of leaseholds, having been conveyed as freeholds; drawn by [Joseph] Biscoe [for the purchaser John Stevens]; approved by Nathaniel Pigot, 14 February 1737.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 64 Item 2	<p>Covenant of indemnity by Thomas Webster, Jane Webster and Whistler Webster to Paul Jodrell, all as Volume 64, Item 1, to indemnify Paul Jodrell against any action as a result of the mistake in the deeds of 31 May 1733 (Volume 63, Item 18) and of his execution of Volume 64, Item 1. 5 April 1737.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Northey, Joseph Biscoe</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 64	<p>Counterpart assignment of lease for £872. 21 December 1734.</p>

Item 3	<p>Description: Paul Jodrell of Lincolns Inn, esq, Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt and his wife Jane, their son Whistler Webster, esq and TW's trustees William Northey of Compton Basset, Wilts, esq, and Nathaniel Pigot of the Inner Temple, esq, to John Hudson, citizen, tiler and bricklayer of London</p> <p>Messuages in the precinct of St Katherine by the Tower occupied by Anthony Underwood, Widow Mobbe, Hannah Owing, James Barnes, [blank] Bends, Edward Dwight, Peter Peterson, John Nelson, Widow Wilkinson, Richard Stogdon, [blank] Green, William Byfeild, Thomas Shaw, William Homes, James Eades, James Mears, William Newell, Anthony Underwood, Samuel Harmer and Hester Lansdowne</p> <p>Leased (on the surrender of a former lease) by George Berkley, master, and the brothers and sisters of the hospital, to PJ in trust for JW for 40 years from 25 March 1733 at £3 3s, 2 June 1733, described as:</p> <p>Piece of ground where three tenements stood, occupied by Thomas Pall, Samuel Goodman and Benjamin Fowler (E: tenement occupied by John Thurlby; W: the Half Moon tavern; S: the ditch; N: St Katherines Court); with 20 tenements, formerly two gardens, once one garden, and part of the great garden of St Katherines (E: tenement occupied by Margaret Ways; W: great garden of Thomas Pickard; S: a ditch towards the way; N: a ditch between the garden and tenements held by Gregory King esq)</p> <p>Recites: as Volume 63, Item 20; that the lease was included in the conveyance to WN and NP as if it had been executed, but 'through some neglect or mistake' it was not, leaving the interest still vested in PJ.</p> <p>Witnesses: Mary Farrow servant to Mr Hudson, William Gill</p> <p>Related materials: For draft of document, see Volume 63, Item 25.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 197/1</p>
Volume 64 Item 4	<p>Schedule of deeds relating to the estate late Henry Whistler, 1716-1744. Approximately 1770.</p> <p>Description: Will of Henry Whistler, 26 August 1716, renunciation by the executors, order of chancery approving William Northey and Paul Jodrell as trustees, 15 July 1719.</p> <p>Conveyance, Charles and James Joye to EN and PJ, 6 & 7 August 1719.</p> <p>Vesting of the estate in Whistler Webster by Paul Jodrell the younger, Thomas Webster and Jane Webster, 30 & 31 May 1733.</p> <p>Assignment of the trust estates by William Northey to Joseph Biscoe and WN to prevent their descent to WN's son, a minor, 10 & 11 July 1738.</p> <p>Assignment by WN's son William Northey and executor Edward Northey to Joseph Biscoe, 29 & 30 April 1744.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 64 Item 5	<p>Unexecuted certificate of discharge of bankruptcy. 1737</p> <p>Description: The major part of the commissioners in bankruptcy against John Fowler and Thomas Burel, late of St Mary Overies Southwark, founders and copartners, awarded 24 May 1729, to Philip [Yorke], Lord Hardwick, Lord Chancellor</p> <p>That JF and TB appeared before them for examination on 9 and 22 June 1736, and finished their examinations at Guildhall, London, on 13 July 1736; that the subscribed creditors are four-fifths of those owed £20 or more; that there is no reason why JF and TB should not be discharged</p> <p>Signed by Robert Barlow, Frances [unfinished].</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
<p>Volume 64 Item 6</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 31 years from 29 September 1746 at £10. 10 September 1746.</p> <p>Description: William Westbrook of London, esq, to Joseph Prick of Mile End in Stepney, Middlesex, victualler</p> <p>Messuage, yard and garden called the Why Not Beat the Dragon on the N side of the road from Mile End to Bow in Stepney, with three messuages, a stable, yard and orchard adjoining on the W, late occupied by Richard Wade of Mile End, cowkeeper JP covenants to maintain one messuage 27' in front and 14' deep, and may demolish the others during the term.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Carr, Edward Anderson</p> <p>Endorsed: Acknowledgement by WW that at the time of the lease the property was owned, and still is owned, by Thomas Webster bt, who may take possession; Witnesses: Richard Hill, 4 September 1747; delivered to TW; W: Thomas Lupton, 8 September 1747.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 189/4</p>
<p>Volume 64 Item 7</p>	<p>Draft assignment of a lease for £210. February 1748.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt and his wife Jane Webster (administratrix of her grandfather Henry Whistler of London, gent) to Joseph Wright of Mile End in Stepney, Middlesex, brewer</p> <p>Messuage called the Catherine Wheel with a stable and pieces of ground (occupied [in 1703] by [blank] Broadhouse, before Robert Gage, before Widow Brown, before John Brown), with three small houses ([in 1703] uninhabited, much decayed and very ruinous, formerly occupied by Clement Mackerell, Thomas Jordan and Simon Carter), in Stepney (E,N: two pieces of pasture belonging [in 1703] to [blank] Tanner and Thomas Grunley; W: a passage leading to one of the pastures; S: the Mile End-Stratford Bow road; E-W on the N: 283'; E-W on the S: 281'; N-S on the W: 69'; N-S in the middle: 80'; N-S on the E: 93½'; plan on the recited lease), leased to HW by the governors of Bridewell Hospital for for 99 years from 29 September 1703 at 5s, 17 August 1703</p> <p>Subject to the right of George Montgomerie and Thomas Byrd, esqs, to take up or alter the pipes now laid across the property to the reservoirs lately made for the supply of soft water to the inhabitants of Mile End, Bow, Bromley, Stratford and other places, and to lay new pipes, granted by TW in January 1748.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 196/8?</p>
<p>Volume 64 Item 8</p>	<p>Counterpart assignment of leases for £1900. 6 April 1737.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt, and his eldest son Whistler Webster, esq, TW's trustees William Northey of Compton Basset, Wilts, esq, and Nathaniel Pigott of the Inner Temple, esq, to John Stevens of St George Bloomsbury, Middlesex, esq</p> <p>Messuages in Wapping occupied by John Hall, Captain Landfield, John Heming, Thomas Turner, Daniel Reading, Elizabeth Boomer, Joseph Davies, Thomas Vezy, Edward Porter, John Crawford, Widow Westall, John Harris, James Cysford, John Skeet, Widow Perrin, Widow Darnell, Paul Hayes, Nathaniel Cutler, Thomas Dade, Widow Boutell, George Shaw, Mary Lapthorne, Mrs Cooke, Richard Ansham, William Hale, Mr Ferne, James Goulsworth, John Young, Richard Metcalfe, Joseph Jemson, Mr John Hale, Mrs Holland, Elizabeth Owen, Captain Owen, Ruth Lawson, Robert Manley, Matthew Speck, Jacobus Spike, George Waugh, Alexander Smith, Jane Libra, Christian Webb, John Bligh and William Talmie (occupied in 1733 as schedule 10 in Volume 63, Item 18)</p> <p>Built on land leased as follows: from the Governors of Bridewell to HW for 61 years from 24 June 1703 at £25, 31 July 1703, described as:</p>

	<p>1 Tofts and ground on the land-side of Wapping Street near Wapping Dock in St Mary Matfelon otherwise Whitechapel, Middlesex; (E (206'): street from Wapping Dock - Cinnamon Lane; W (155'): Queen Street; N (67'): Cinnamon Lane; S (78'): Wapping Street)</p> <p>2 Tofts and ground on the Thames-side of Wapping Street; (E (56'): timberyard occupied by Francis Hooper, late John Young; W (61'): wharf late Francis Barrum; N (91'): Wapping Street; S (96'): the Thames)</p> <p>Shown in a plan on the deed, with liberty of access through a common court reserved to the governors, and use of the well in the court, next to the messuage late John Fletcher.</p> <p>From William Drake of St John Wapping, draper and merchant tailor, to Hugh Rowcliffe of St John Wapping, grocer, for 57¼ years 27 days from 24 June 1706 at a peppercorn for the first 39 years and £7 thereafter, 13 December 1706, described as:</p> <p>3 Brick messuage (being a corner-house) with a yard, near Wapping Dock in St John Wapping, formerly St Mary Matfelon (S (44' 6"): Wapping Street; E (30' 9"): Queen Street; W (32' 3" with a bevel): Mr Peirce's house; N (43' 4"): Mr Drake's house)</p> <p>4 Two new-built brick messuages with yards behind them, in Pump Alley in Queen Street, Wapping, one of which is built over a moiety of Mansion Alley (S: Pump Alley; E: Hugh Rowcliffe's messuage; W: Mansion Alley)</p> <p>5 Two messuages and yards in Pump Alley, occupied by John Harvey, mariner, and William Pitman, waterman, one of which is built over the other moiety of Mansion Alley (E: houses occupied by Susannah Serjeant, widow, and Thomas Kitchen, mariner).</p> <p>Recites: Vesting in WN and NP in trust to pay TW's debts by a deed of 1 June 1733 [East Sussex Record Office BAT 1116].</p> <p>Witnesses: Joseph Biscoe, Richard Parker the younger</p> <p>Related materials: For draft of this document, see Volume 64, Item 10.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 197/1?</p>
Volume 64 Item 9	<p>Schedule of deeds relating to the estate late Henry Whistler, 1728-1761. Approximately 1770.</p> <p>Description: Mortgage of the Robertsbridge estate, a house in Pall Mall and a leasehold house in Jermyn Street for £30,548 (part of the personal estate of HW given in trust for his grand-daughter Jane Webster and her children); Thomas Webster and his wife Jane to Paul Jodrell, 27 January 1728.</p> <p>Vesting of the estate in Whistler Webster by Paul Jodrell the younger, Sir Thomas Webster and Jane Webster, 30 and 31 May 1733.</p> <p>Settlement of farms in Waltham and Epping, Essex, on Jane Webster for life, remainder to Sir Thomas Webster for life, remainder to Whistler Webster in tail male, remainder to [his brother] Godfrey Webster in tail male, remainder to Sir Thomas Webster's heirs, 30 May 1734.</p> <p>Settlement by Jane Webster of £2000 out of a farm called Newberrys (under a power in her marriage settlement) after the death of Sir Thomas on her younger children Godfrey Webster and Elizabeth Webster, 29 February 1748, endorsed with receipts by Godfrey Webster, 20 November 1760 and Elizabeth Webster, 2 January 1761.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 64 Item 10	<p>Draft of counterpart assignment of leases (Volume 64, Item 8), drawn by [Joseph] Biscoe [for the purchaser] with a consideration of £1500, approved by Nathaniel Pigot, recommending fuller covenants of indemnity, 14 February 1737; consideration of £1900 endorsed. 1737</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Thorpe page/entry: [not found]
Volume 64 Item 11	<p>Assignment of leases for £200. 20 August 1703.</p> <p>Description: Henry [Jermyn] Lord Dover, Robert Davers of Rougham in Suffolk, bt, Henry Poley of Badley in Suffolk, esq, and Martin Folkes of Grays Inn, esq, to Isaac Bayly, citizen and painter-stainer of London, and his trustee Thomas Rose, citizen and merchant-tailor of London</p> <p>1 Messuage with a yard or garden occupied by Elizabeth Lloyd, widow, standing on part of Pell Mell Field, in Jermyn Street in the new parish of St James Westminster (S (19'): Jermyn Street; N: stables and other buildings of the White Horse Inn; E (85' 3''): messuage and ground occupied by Lady Rolles; W (89' 10''): messuage and ground occupied by [blank] Harris), leased (with other property) by [Henry Jermyn] Lord St Albans to Geoffrey Coker for 42 years from 24 June 1664 at £24 5s, 17 July 1664, and by St Albans and Thomas [Jermyn] Lord Jermyn to IB for 33¼ years from 25 June 1706 at £2 10s 0d, 5 July 1700</p> <p>2 Messuage with a yard or garden occupied by [blank] Cason, widow, standing on part of Pell Mell Field, in Jermyn Street in the new parish of St James Westminster (S (26' 3''): Jermyn Street; N (41' 4''): stables and other buildings of the White Horse Inn; E (89' 11''): messuage and ground occupied by [blank].</p> <p>Gerrard, late Lord Carrington; W: messuage and ground of [blank] Jones (14' 6''), messuage and ground of the countess of Northumberland (75' 5'') - plan on deed), leased (with other property) by St Albans, HJ and others to Oliver Doyley, gent, for 16 years from 29 September 1690 at £12, 10 June 1676, and by St Albans and Thomas Lord Jermyn to IB for 33¼ years from 25 June 1706 at £2 10s 0d, 5 July 1700.</p> <p>Recites: lease of Pell Mell Field otherwise St James Field (45 acres) in St Martin in the Fields, Middlesex, by the crown to [HJ's uncle] Henry [Jermyn] earl of St Albans, John Hervey, esq, and John Coell, kt (all deceased) Henry Guy, esq and Thomas Hawes, gent, for £6000 paid by HJ, for 29 years from 29 September 1691 at £5, 23 September 1662; lease to Hervey and Coell in trust for St Albans for a further 20 years from the expiry of the first lease, 10 September 1674; will of St Albans and assignments vesting both terms in HP and MF in trust for HD; now HJ, RD, HP and MF assign both leases to TR in trust for IB.</p> <p>The fifth membrane consists of a plan of the site of 2 above at a scale of 1": 7'.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Arthington, J Martin, Em. Christmas, Thomas Jamett, Charles Robins, Paul Devall, Andrew Card, Philip Taylor, Jonathan Tyrrell</p> <p>Endorsed: Enrolled in the auditors [of the land revenues]' office, 22 September 1722.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 188/8</p>
Volume 64 Item 12	<p>Assignment of the leases of the messuage in Jermyn Street occupied by [blank] Cason (2 in Volume 64, Item 11) by Isaac Bayly of St Michael Cornhill, citizen and painter-stainer of London, and his trustee Thomas Rose, citizen and merchant-tailor of London, to William Fryer of St Martin in the Fields, Middlesex, tin-plate maker, for £250, the house occupied by Mrs Lloyd (1 in Volume 64, Item 11) having been sold to Humphrey Dudson. 2 March 1705.</p> <p>Witnesses: Charles Hooper, Robert Powlett, William Dilke</p> <p>Notes: Enrolled in the auditors [of the land revenues]' office, 22 September 1722.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 188/8</p>
Volume 64 Item 13	<p>Pre-nuptial settlement. 28 December 1708.</p> <p>Description: Dorothy Fryer of St Martin in the Fields, widow and executrix of William Fryer, tin-</p>

	<p>plate worker, WF's daughter Susan Fryer, spinster, WF's trustees Charles Hooper of St Paul Covent Garden, woollendraper and John Dodson of The Minories, London, tin-plate worker, to Thomas Ashfield of St Paul Covent Garden, grocer, and his trustees John Cleeve of St Giles in the Fields, esq, and Huntley Bigg of St Martin in the Fields, scrivener</p> <p>TA to marry SF.</p> <p>Messuage with two little shops in Jermyn Street as Volume 64, Item 11, occupied by Dorothy Cason, widow, leased by WF to John Warmsley, locksmith, for 21 years from 24 June 1706 at £40, [23 July 1706]</p> <p>In trust for DF for life, remainder to TA and SF and their children in tail, remainder to SF's brother-in-law John Walker, citizen and tin-plate worker of London.</p> <p>Recites: As and including Volume 64, Item 11 and Volume 64, Item 12; WF's bequest of the house to CH and JD in trust for DF for life with remainder to SF, 8 July 1706, proved in PCC.</p> <p>Witnesses: Anthony Hoyle, Thomas Mills, James Swift; W to JC: Laetitia Ashfield, Edward Thorne the younger, Edward Broxton the younger, 28 February 1709.</p> <p>Notes: Enrolled in the auditors [of the land revenues]' office, 22 September 1722.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 188/8</p>
Volume 64 Item 14	<p>Assignment of lease and covenant to levy fine for £900. 27 July 1722.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Ashfield of St Paul Covent Garden, Middlesex, grocer, and his wife Susannah, with John Cleeve of St Giles in the Fields, Middlesex, esq, to John Hutchinson of The Great Mews near Charing Cross, Middlesex, esq [in trust for Thomas Webster]</p> <p>Messuage with a garden behind it and two little shops in front on the N side of Jermyn Street by Little Jermyn Street (E: messuage occupied by John Hyrin, cheesemonger; W: messuage occupied by Mr Jones, garden messuage of TW, late the countess of Northumberland).</p> <p>Recites: as Volume 64, Item 11.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edmund Giles Hooper, Samuel Harrison clerk to Mr Thomas Fell</p> <p>Endorsed: Registered by Thomas Jones, registrar, L3 P165, 27 July 1722; enrolled in the auditors [of the land revenues]' office, 22 September 1722; assignment of the legal estate by JH to TW, in trust for whom his name was used; Witnesses: Nathaniel Pigot, Richard Whitborne; 3 November 1725</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 188/8</p>
Volume 64 Item 15	<p>Abstract of Volume 64, Items 11-14. Approximately 1722.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 188/8</p>
Volume 64 Item 16	<p>Cancelled lease for 21 years from 25 December 1724 at £38 on condition of residence. 25 June 1725.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of St James, Westminster, bt, to John Wamsley of St James, locksmith</p> <p>Messuage in Jermyn Street, newly built by TW, occupied by JW (W: messuage occupied by William Scardafield; E: messuage occupied by Philip Goslin), subject to the residence of JW, his wife or children.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Smith, Thomas Smith</p> <p>Seals: Seal removed [?as cancellation].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 188/8</p>

	<p>Deeds of property in Ongar, Stanford Rivers, Priory of Berden, four maps of the manor of Gubbions by Thomas Peachy, 1608, map of a house and land called Flips in Marks Tey by JC, 1672, all Essex. 1507-1698.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9934/1</p>
Volume 65 Item 1A	<p>Copy of an inquisition before Roger L'Estrange, justice of forests, 22 May 1290. Approximately 1600.</p> <p>Description: Writ to Roger L'Estrange, justice of forests within the Trent, to enquire whether the woods of Giles de Plaie in East Ham and West Ham in Essex are within the bounds or regard of the royal forests; Westminster, 12 May 1290.</p> <p>Inquisition at Ilford (Hilleford) before RL; the jurors (Ralph Rastell, steward of the whole forest of Essex, Richard de Herst (riding forester in the hundred of Becontree), John de Herst and William Sewell (foresters in the same hundred), Walter le Botiler (riding forester in the hundreds of Chafford and Barstable), Gilbert le Forester, John Clervaus and Roger atte Helle (foot-foresters in the same hundreds), Robert Odras (riding forester in the hundreds of Chafford), Danes Eliam, Robert Cokyn, John de Fremle (foot-foresters in the said hundreds) [and] by Adam de la Claye, Geoffrey le Rous, John Gobynn, Robert le Noreys, Walter de la Grave, William fitz Baldwin, Gilbert Bakrin, William de Lavesend and William de la Haye (verderers), John de Windefeld, Godfrey de Firslinge, Warin Code and Robert de la Chaumbre (regarders), Warin Page, Thomas le Brasur, Robert le Brett, Alexander le Bere, Geoffrey Hakin, Michael de Garshum, Robert le Magin, Ralph Wigam, John de Garsham, John atte Windhelle, Gilbert Adbore and John le Beames, free men of the hundred of Becontree, who say that the woods are within the bounds of the forest of Essex and outside the regard, and that no regard was ever made within them, and that GP's ancestors took and sold within the woods at will, without the view and delivery of the foresters and verderers; 22 May 1290.</p> <p>Copied from number 59 in the bundle of escheats for 18E1. Some of the readings are clearly suspect.</p> <p>Notes: Some of the readings are clearly suspect.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 208/4</p>
Volume 65 Item 1B	<p>Writ appointing H[ugh] de Novill, B[rian] de Lisle and master H[enry] de Cern justices to take perambulations of forests within those parts of Essex, Surrey and Sussex which are deforested, and which remain forest, according to the charter of liberties of the forest; Westminster. 9 May 1225.</p> <p>Description: Writ to the sheriffs of those counties to summon all the knights of the counties; 9 May 1225. Copied from the patent roll for 9H3, part 2, m9d.</p> <p>Notes: Attached to the last, but should be separated.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 65 Item 2	<p>Counterpart appointment of prior by patron. 23 October 1507.</p> <p>Description: John Batell of Stanford Rivers in Essex, esq, son and heir of John Batell, kt, late of Stanford Rivers, deceased, and true lord of the manor of Berden in Essex, true and lawful founder and patron of the house or priory of canons belonging to the manor of Berden, and cousin and heir of Walerand Rochford, kt, late founder of the priory of Berden, to his chaplain Sir John Catlyn, otherwise John Albon, canon of the priory of St Bartholomew in West Smithfield, London, and professor of the order of St Augustine</p> <p>The church and priory of Berden, vacant by the natural death of Sir Richard Scott, canon, the</p>

	<p>last incumbent, and all the lands, tenements, meadows, feedings, pastures, courts leet, warrens, lakes, fisheries, woods and underwoods.</p> <p>JC not to resign or assign to another without the special licence of JB, and to pray for the good estate and health of JB for life, and after his death for his soul and the souls of his late wife Elizabeth, his late father JB, his mother Elizabeth Batell and all his ancestors and all the faithful departed; JC to discharge JB against the bishop of London.</p> <p>Signed by JC; clerk's name in turn-up: Standyss, notary public.</p> <p>Witnesses: Anthony Fitzherbert, Edward Willughby, Edmund Wylly, Christopher Elyot, Richard Walter, Matthew Vaghan, Walter Norreys; at a place commonly called Paradise in the precinct of the priory of St Bartholomew in West Smithfield</p> <p>Endorsed: Endorsed, approximately 1550: a deed shewing Batall founder of the Priory of Berden and that he was of the parish of Stanford Rivers, in which parish he had nothing but Ongar Park.</p> <p>Notes: Catlyn is not noticed by <i>Victoria History of the Counties of England Essex 2</i>, p. 144, where the prior of 1501 is named as John Scott.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 208/5</p>
Volume 65 Item 3	[Number not used]
Volume 65 Item 4	<p>Exemplification of proceedings in common pleas in Bowyers qui tam v Tabor in prohibition. 9 May 1595.</p> <p>Description: William Tabor, STB, archdeacon of Essex and rector of High Ongar, attached to answer the queen and Roland Bowyers, Hilary 1594, rot 1918.</p> <p>RB, by his attorney Thomas Reynolds, pleads that although he has long occupied 60 acres in Ongar Park (which park extends into the parishes of High Ongar and Stanford Rivers), and has been accustomed to pay of tithe modus of £3, WT proceeded against him before Mr Thomas Taylor LLB, commissary of the bishop of London, for the withdrawal of tithes for the years 1587-1591, against the form of the statute, and that WT continued to prosecute his suit in the court Christian despite RB's delivery of a writ of prohibition to him at High Ongar on 20 February 1593, to his damage £100.</p> <p>WT, by his attorney Edward Fage, pleads that he did not prosecute in court Christian after the prohibition and, pro consultatione, that RB and his predecessors have paid full tithes.</p> <p>In June 1594 the jury find for WT, but find that RB and his predecessors have paid a modus of £3 in lieu of tithes, and that WT should not have his writ of consultation and that RB be quit of the suit in the court Christian.</p> <p>Exemplified at the request of William Shelton, esq.</p> <p>Endorsed: The first trial <and verdict at the bar> ... which was after the <supposed> dismissal Dr Tabor got against the farmers of Ongar in the exchequer.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 209</p>
Volume 65 Item 5	<p>Exemplification of proceedings in common pleas in Shelton qui tam v Tabor in prohibition. 2 June 1595.</p> <p>Description: William Tabor, STB, archdeacon of Essex and rector of High Ongar, attached to answer the queen and Richard Shelton, Michaelmas 1594, rot 101.</p> <p>RS, by his attorney Thomas Reynolds, pleads that although he and his predecessors as owners</p>

	<p>and occupiers of 33 acres in Ongar Park (which park extends into the parishes of High Ongar and Stanford Rivers), have been accustomed to pay of tithe modus of £3, WT proceeded against him before Mr Richard Cosen LLD, official of the court of arches, for the withdrawal of tithes for the years 1587-1591, against the form of the statute, and that WT continued to prosecute his suit in the court Christian despite RS's delivery of a writ of prohibition to him at High Ongar on 1 June 1593, to his damage £100.</p> <p>WT, by his attorney Edward Fage, pleads that he did not prosecute in court Christian after the prohibition and, pro consultatione, that RS and his predecessors have paid full tithes.</p> <p>In May 1596 the jury find for WT, but find that RS and his predecessors have paid a modus of £3 in lieu of tithes, and that WT should not have his writ of consultation and that RS be quit of the suit in the court Christian. Exemplified at the request of RS.</p> <p>Endorsed: The second trial <by verdict at the bar></p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 209</p>
Volume 65 Item 6	<p>Lease for 21 years from 25 December 1587 at £3. 22 January 1588.</p> <p>Description: David Wilkyn of Thong [in Shorne], Kent, gent, to John Serjaunt of Bobbingworth in Essex, husbandman</p> <p>15 acres land, meadow and pasture in the manor of Ongar Park, Essex, once occupied by John Tymond</p> <p>part of 200 acres land and pasture in Stanford Rivers, High Ongar and Stapleford Tawney in Essex, lately occupied by Laurence Searle, Richard Shelton, Joan Felton, widow, Edward Shelton, John Lentoll, William Napper, Nicholas [Castle], John Hill the elder, Ann Alsopp, widow, John Campe, Thomas Silvester, John Serjaunt, Andrew Fynch, John Hill the younger and Christian Hill, widow, before John Tymond, Robert Dennys, William Alsopp and Laurence Racke, in the queen's hands by virtue of the forfeiture of Humphrey Shelton, a fugitive, and leased to Edmund Felton of London, gent, under the exchequer seal, 23 January 1585</p> <p>The rent to be paid in the hall of Lincolns Inn; JS to pay the tithes to DW, who will discharge him against claims made by the parsons of Stanford Rivers and High Ongar.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edmund Felton, Christopher Holmes servant to Henry Beverley, scrivener, Avery [Crofte]</p> <p>Endorsed: Covenant to be discharged of tithes.</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart lease with further annotations concerning tithe liability, see Volume 65, Item 9.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 209/2</p>
Volume 65 Item 7	<p>Exemplification of depositions in common pleas [in Shelton qui tam v Tabor in prohibition]. 24 January 1614.</p> <p>Description: It is enrolled in Easter term 1593, rot 102, by postea on 16 June 1593, the following deposed:</p> <p>John Wright of North Weald Bassett in Essex, husbandman, age 64; has lived within a mile of Ongar Park almost all his life, and believes that a tithe modus of £3 has always been paid to the parson of High Ongar; about 40 years ago he saw such a payment made to Dr Borne, the incumbent; that he has seen the farmers get in their corn without paying any in tithe.</p> <p>John Sargent of Bobbingworth, poulterer, age 61, has lived within ½ mile of the park for 30 years; was reported to him by Robert Tewe deceased that he paid 30s for a half-year to Dr Cole, the incumbent, which sum was given to him by the occupier Mrs Felton,</p>

	<p>widow of Mr Shelton, whose bailiff he was, about thirty years before. Exemplified at the request of William Shelton, esq. Endorsed: Depositions at the second trial; Mr Copley; Richard Minshull, esq. Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 209</p>
Volume 65 Item 8	<p>Exemplification of depositions in common pleas in Shelton qui tam v Mountague in prohibition. 21 November 1616.</p> <p>Description: It is enrolled in Michaelmas term 1615, rot 755, by postea on 30 November at Serjeants' Inn, Chancery Lane, the following depositions were made in a prohibition brought by William Shelton, esq v Richard Mountague, clerk, and enrolled in 23 January 1616: Thomas Clarke of Stanford Rivers in Essex, husbandman, age 95; was born and bred in Stanford Rivers, and has known Ongar Park and its farmers all his life; tithes have never been taken in kind but a modus of £4 has always been paid.</p> <p>Joan wife of Richard Hilles of North Weald Bassett in Essex, yeoman, age 60; has known Ongar Park for fifty years, having been a servant to Mr Shelton and his wife, former owners and occupiers; after her husband's death, Mrs Shelton married Mr Felton, and married her present husband out of Ongar Park House about 40 years ago; her husband and his father occupied land in the park; she never heard of tithes paid in kind; has seen Robert Tewe, bailiff to Mr Shelton and subsequently to Mrs Felton, receive £4 to pay to the parsons of Stanford Rivers in lieu of tithes. Exemplified at the request of William Shelton, esq. Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 209</p>
Volume 65 Item 9	<p>Counterpart lease, with further annotations concerning tithe liability. 22 January 1588.</p> <p>Related materials: For lease, see Volume 65, Item 6.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 209/2</p>
Volume 65 Item 10	<p>Exemplification of depositions in common pleas [in Shelton qui tam v Tabor in prohibition]. 16 May 1595.</p> <p>Description: It is enrolled in Hilary term 1593, rot 1017, by postea on 16 May 1593, that John Wright of North Weald Bassett in Essex, husbandman, age 64, and John Sargent of Bobbingworth, poulterer, age 61, deposed as they did at the second trial (Volume 65, Item 7). Exemplified at the request of William Shelton, esq. Endorsed: depositions at the first trial Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 209</p>
Volume 65 Item 11	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 29 September 1615 at £20. 23 November 1615.</p> <p>Description: William Shelton of Ongar Park [over Stanford Rivers, deleted] esq, to John Sedcolle the elder of Epping, innholder Six closes of land and pasture (40 acres), late occupied by Stephen Clarke Wood, underwood, timber and hunting reserved; penalty of 40s for every acre ploughed above three closes; JS to hedge and ditch the premises with workmen to be supplied by WS at the usual rate. Witnesses: Thomas Bottomley, Geoffrey Hilles, Richard Talor Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 210/2</p>

<p>Volume 65 Item 12</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 25 March 1628 at £90. 17 November 1627.</p> <p>Description: Richard Mynshull of Lincolns Inn, kt, to John Bawde of London, gent Messuage lately erected on a close called Coatefeild, set in the red deer park, part of the manor of Battells and Park of Ongar in Essex, with barns, stables and buildings, and fields called Kings Ley, Butlers Field, Jefferyes Field, Heath Field, Coate Field (including the newly grubbed plot), Rushie Leaze, Birchen Croft, Rushie Hoppet, Hornebeame Croft, Longeshott, Bushie Croft, The Nine Acres, Broadfield, Castle Pond, Hunters Croft, James Field, The Thirteen Acres, Long Ley, Pound Croft, Pond Croft, Middlefield, Bushie Leaze, Lane Croft, Mead Croft and Middle Croft, in High Ongar, Stanford Rivers, Stapleford Tawney and Greensted (but in which of them was never yet known or set forth by any boundaries or perambulations)</p> <p>Wood, underwood, timber and hunting reserved; rent payable in Lincolns Inn hall; should RM in future live at Ongar Park, he may take back James Field, abating 10s an acre from the rent; JB to fence an acre near the house within three years, plant it with fruit trees and preserve them during the term; JB not to permit any perambulations or processions to be made by the parsons of High Ongar and Stanford Rivers for setting forth the boundaries of those parishes, which are altogether uncertain and unknown; detailed agricultural covenants; JB to pay RM two good capons and two good hens in the lodge of the lower or fallow deer park in the manor of Ongar on 25 December; RM to indemnify JB from tithes, the sums of £3 to the parson of Ongar and £4 to the parson of Stanford Rivers being paid by prescription in lieu of tithes in kind; JB to cart six loads for RM, and to have 30 cartloads of firewood; JB not to kill or steal deer in the lower or fallow-deer park.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Mynshull, Richard Weston, Edward Warton, Francis Perkins</p> <p>Endorsed: Endorsed [by RM]: Coale Hall Farm, without the 24 acres of wood and Weald Cottage; now surrendered up and a new lease made to Reginald Sumner and Mr Baud is to deliver up my part to me again.</p> <p>Related materials: For bond, see Volume 65, Item 13.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 211/2</p>
<p>Volume 65 Item 13</p>	<p>Bond in £180, John Bawde to Richard Mynshull, kt, to keep covenants in lease (Volume 65, Item 12). 17 November 1627.</p> <p>Witnesses: Francis Perkins, William Roberts</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 211/3</p>
<p>Volume 65 Item 14</p>	<p>A true platt with the contents of a certeyne manner caled Gubbins, with the howses, cowrtes and yerdes, gardens, orchyerdes and meadowes, pasturs, landes, and woodes therunto belonging, Lyinge in the county of Essex and liberty of Haveringe at the Bowerr, which I measured for the righte warshipfull Mr Thomas Roche esquire ... by me Thomas Peachye. 1608</p> <p>Description: Estate map showing the manor of Gobions [in Romford]; ink and colour on parchment on four parchment membranes (formerly attached), of which the title is on the first; shows field-names, acreages, internal roads, gates; compass points written in margins</p> <p>m1 the house (shown with a tower), Woodmeade, Rush Mead, Duffhouse Mead, Crook Fild and Brickfild; 16¼" x 12½" (irregular)</p> <p>m2 Peas Fild, Fosters Croft, Rayle Fild and Raylefild Spring; 17" x 11¾" (irregular)</p> <p>m3 Milland and Milland Hoppott, and Milland; 7" x 11" (irregular)</p> <p>m4 note of the acreage of hedges, ditches and wastes; 5" x 3" (irregular).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 210/1</p>
<p>Volume 65</p>	<p>A Description of the Messuage Called Flips-his and those Lands thereunto Belonging lying by</p>

<p>Item 15</p>	<p>the names within written in the parishes of Marks-Tey and East Thorp in the County of Essex, Conteyning by Estimation 67 [over erasure] Acres, 1 Rood: taken without any kind of measure other by Scale or Instrument in the yeare of our Lord God 1672 by J C'. 1672</p> <p>Description: Estate map showing a house, barn and land east of the Colchester-London road; shows field-names, acreages and values of timber in each field, roads and their directions; compass rose.</p> <p>Ink and colour on parchment, badly rubbed, 14" x 6" (irregular).</p> <p>Area in front of the house annotated 'Flipshis or Tibbals Greene'; badly rubbed note concerning crops written beneath the road.</p> <p>Notes: The most likely cartographer is John Coffin, a Roman Catholic active in Essex in the second half of the 17th century (see Peter Eden, <i>Dictionary of Land Surveyors and Local Map-Makers of Great Britain and Ireland, 1530-1850</i>, Volume II, 2nd edn (1997), entry 313).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 217/2</p>
<p>Volume 65 Item 16</p>	<p>Commission to William [Petre] lord Petre of Writtle, William [Maynard] lord Maynard, John Bramston, serjeant-at-law and John Wright, esq, to settle the boundaries between the parishes of High Ongar and Stanford Rivers in Essex, in a cause depending before the master and council of the Court of Wards between Mary Copley and Ann Copley and Josias Tomlinson, clerk. 22 February 1627.</p> <p>Witness: Robert Naunton, kt, master of the Court of Wards</p> <p>Endorsed: Never executed.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 210/3</p>
<p>Volume 65 Item 17</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 25 March 1630 at £64.13 March 1630.</p> <p>Description: Richard Mynshull of Lincolns Inn, kt, to Robert Lambton of York, gent</p> <p>Messuage called The Lodge on part of the lands called Ongar Park in Essex, with yards, barns, stables and buildings, and fields called Gibbons Field, Birdes Field, Playstalls, Lodge Field, Heard Field, Carte Howse Field, Fern Field, Ponde Field, Brickhill Field and Brickhill Croft</p> <p>Wood, underwood, timber and hunting reserved; should RM in future live at Ongar Park, he may take back as much of the land as required to make courts, yards, gardens, orchards or buildings, abating 10s an acre from the rent; RL not to permit any perambulations or processions to be made by the parsons of High Ongar and Stanford Rivers for setting forth the boundaries of those parishes, which are altogether uncertain and unknown; RL to do suit to the court of Ongar; detailed agricultural covenants; RL to pay RM two good capons and two good hens on 25 December; RM to indemnify JB from tithes, the sums of £3 to the parson of Ongar and £4 to the parson of Stanford Rivers being paid by prescription in lieu of tithes in kind; RL to cart six loads for RM, and to receive six carts of wood; RL to receive the rents and profits of the manor and park, oversee the woods and act as RM's bailiff or steward; endorsed: agreed before sealing that RM may retain and enclose so much of the lodge field as lies from the point of the corner of the wood straight over to Playstalles Hedge for courts, gardens or orchards for his own use; RM to allow £10 a year from the rent.</p> <p>Witnesses: Francis Perkins, Geoffrey Mynshull, George White</p> <p>Endorsed: Receipt of rent hens and capons, inclusion of the grass and after-crop of the oats in consideration of RL taking the grubbed ground into his lease at 10s an acre, ie £15 a year, July 1637; RL being dead this seal is surrendered; make a lease to Mr Raphael Neale at £65 and 60 loads of wood, except the lands endorsed, and no £10 allowance; nd, approximately 1640; same parcels as Mr Searles is only Lodge Field was then but one, 15 September 1665.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

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Volume 65 Item 18	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1630 at £70. 9 February 1631.</p> <p>Description: Richard Mynshall of Gobions [in Romford], Essex, kt, to Robert Miller of Ongar Park in Essex, yeoman</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Half of the capital messuage called Ongar Park Hall with the adjoining barns, stables, garden, orchard and court-yards, occupied by RM, as they are now divided, and fields called Dove House Mead, Hill Field, Great Redrickes (in two fields), Little Redrickes (in two fields), one half of Cow Leaze, all Cow Leaze Mead, Dennnis Bottom, Dennis Mead and Dennis Field, all in Stanford Rivers, High Ongar, Stapleford Tawney and Greensted, 'but in which of them was never yet known or can be set down by any boundaries or perambulations'</p> <p>Reserved: The Walk and the great fishpond near the capital messuage, the brewing vessels in the brewhouse, a lower room in the granary and a hawk's mew or upper room there, once used as a hawk's mew.</p> <p>Wood, underwood, timber, hunting, and the right to pass through with bricks reserved; Miller to pay two capons and two hens on 25 December; Miller to repair the buildings by 24 June 1631; detailed agricultural covenants; Mynshall to indemnify Miller from suits for tithes, the sums of £3 to the parson of Ongar and £4 to the parson of Stanford Rivers being paid by prescription in lieu of tithes in kind.</p> <p>Witnesses: J[ohn] Baud, William Robert, Thomas Kinge, Joseph Bridges</p> <p>Endorsed: Except the slip which is taken out of Dove House Mead and laid to Hill's Farm, to have all Cow Leaze except a slip, and liberty for the said Hill to pass; nd, approximately 1640; now surrendered; Tomkins, Spranger and Glascock held it on the same covenants; part of the Hall Farm next to the Reddrixes and late held by Sheaperd at £80 and lived in the parlour end I think; nd, approximately 1665.</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart lease of other half of property, see Volume 65, Item 22.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 212/1</p>
Volume 65 Item 19	<p>Lease for 21 years from 29 September 1632 at £100. 5 March 1633.</p> <p>Description: Richard Mynshall of Gobions [in Romford], Essex, kt, to Thomas Sumpner of Harlow in Essex, yeoman</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">1 Messuage lately erected on a close called Coatefeild, set in the red deer park, part of the manor of Battells and Park of Ongar in Essex, with barns, stables and buildings, and fields called Kings Ley, Butlers Field, Jefferyes Field, Heath Field, Coate Field (including the plot lately taken out of Suttons Grove), Rushie Leaze, Birchen Croft, Rushie Hoppet, Hornebeame Croft, Longeshott, Bushie Croft, The Nine Acres, Broadfield, Castle Pond, Hunters Croft, James Field, The Thirteen Acres, Long Ley, Pond Croft, Middlefield, Bushie Leaze, Lane Croft, Mead Croft and Middle Croft, lately occupied by John Baud, gent, with a plot of 24 acres lately grubbed up, adjoining Butlers Field and Jameses Field, in High Ongar, Stanford Rivers, Stapleford Tawney and Greensted (but in which of them was never yet known or set forth by any boundaries or perambulations)</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">2 Messuage and 2 acres occupied by Richard Foster in North Weald Bassett, lately bought by RM from Walter Larder, gent</p> <p>Wood, underwood, timber and hunting reserved; should RM in future live at Ongar Park, he may take back James Field, abating 10s an acre from the rent; detailed agricultural covenants; TS to pay RM two good capons and two good hens in the lodge of the lower or fallow deer park in the manor of Ongar on 25 December; RM to indemnify JB from tithes of 1 above, the sums of £3 to the parson of Ongar and £4 to the parson of Stanford Rivers being paid by prescription in lieu of tithes in kind; TS to cart six loads for RM, and to have 22 cartloads of firewood.</p> <p>Ssurrendered by Reginald Sumpner and cancelled, 26 October 1640.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Berney, W[illiam] Roberts, Ferdinando Jones, Richard Shory</p>

	<p>Endorsed: Endorsed [by RM]: Coale Hall Farm, ... and 24 acres of wood and Weald Cottage; I have the counterpart with this mark B.</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 65, Item 21.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 213/2</p>
Volume 65 Item 20	<p>Counterpart lease as Volume 65, Item 19, to Reginald Sumpner of Magdalen Laver in Essex, yeoman, for 21 years from 25 March 1632 at £100. 4 July 1632.</p> <p>Witnesses: W[illiam] Robert, John Tomkins, Matthew Shelly.</p> <p>Endorsed: I have the lease itself with this mark A#.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 213/1</p>
Volume 65 Item 21	<p>Counterpart lease. 5 March 1633.</p> <p>Related materials: For lease, see Volume 65, Item 19.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 213/2</p>
Volume 65 Item 22	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1630 at £77. 9 February 1631.</p> <p>Description: Richard Mynshall of Gobions [in Romford], Essex, kt, to John Tompkin of Ongar Park in Essex, yeoman Half of the capital messuage called Ongar Park Hall with the adjoining barns, stables, garden, orchard and court-yards, occupied by JT, as they are now divided, and fields called The Great Mead, one half of Cow Leaze, all the Hill Walk Hoppett, Little Park with the adjoining Little Hoppett, Night Leaze, Conny Earth, Seven Acres, Gibbons Croft, Gibbons Lay, New Field, Gravelly Field with the lane and Stackfield (now in two fields), all in Stanford Rivers, High Ongar, Stapleford Tawney and Greensted, 'but in which of them was never yet known or can be set down by any boundaries or perambulations' [Other details as Volume 65, Item 18].</p> <p>Witnesses: J[ohn] Baud, William Robert, Thomas Kinge, Joseph Bridges</p> <p>Endorsed: About half of Hall Farm next the great woods ... and after let to Hills for £80.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 212/2</p>
Volume 65 Item 23	<p>Counterpart lease for 12 years from 29 September 1640 at £36. 2 May 1640.</p> <p>Description: Richard Minshall of Bourton [in Buckingham], Bucks, kt, to William Comfort of Nazeing in Essex, yeoman Newly erected house, barn and stable near Tylers Green in Ongar Park in Essex, and fields called Tracies Lay, Tracies Croft, Tracies Hoppett, Broad Croft, Tylers Lay, Tylers Land, Tylers Meadow, Serjeantes Croft and Serjeantes Lay, all in Ongar Park Wood, underwood, timber and hunting reserved; WC to do suit to the court of Ongar; detailed agricultural covenants; WC to pay RM two good fat capons on 25 December; RM to indemnify JB from tithes, the sums of £3 to the parson of Ongar and £4 to the parson of Stanford Rivers being paid by prescription in lieu of tithes in kind; WC to cart four loads for RM, and to receive six carts of wood.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Curtis, Thomas Heyes</p> <p>Endorsed: Agreed before sealing that WC may plough up to six acres, not including Tylers Meadow or Tylers Land. The house near Tylers Green, query if it's late Claphams or Hastings</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 214/1</p>
Volume 65	<p>Copy order of the Court of Wards in Copley v Tomlinson. 5 May 1627.</p>

Item 24	<p>Description: On hearing Richard Mynshall, kt, of counsel for the committees of Mary and Ann Copley, the king's wards, plaintiffs, against Josias Tomlinson, clerk, and Mr Lansden his counsel, ordered that the counsel of both sides shall be heard on the bill, answer and depositions and all the proceedings that have been at common law, on the first day of next term. Examined by Humphrey Awdeley.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 209/3</p>
Volume 65 Item 25	<p>Copy order of the Court of Wards in Copley v Tomlinson. 20 October 1627.</p> <p>Description: Josias Tomlinson, clerk, parson of High Ongar, is forbidden to perambulate Ongar Park in the yearly perambulation of the parish, during the minority of Mary and Ann Copley, the wards, having been restrained from setting the boundary between High Ongar and Stanford Rivers by order of 25 May 1627. Examined by Chamberlayne, clerk of wards.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 209/3</p>
Volume 65 Item 26	<p>Copy order of the Court of Wards in Copley v Tomlinson. 28 October 1640.</p> <p>Description: On hearing Mr Darnall, attorney for Josias Tomlinson, clerk, late defendant, Richard Weston kt and Richard Minshall, kt, to show cause on 11 November 1640 why the injunction to stay JT's suits at law for tithes in kind during the minority of the wards, who are now of full age and married as is alleged, should not be dissolved.</p> <p>Examined by Chamberlaine, clerk of wards.</p> <p>Endorsed: Note to RM by his servant Francis Perkins that the copy was left with RW, who asked that it should be delivered to RM.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 209/3</p>
Volume 65 Item 27	<p>Lease as Volume 65, Item 19 to Reginald Sumpner of Magdalen Laver in Essex, yeoman, for 21 years from 25 March 1632 at £100. 4 July 1632.</p> <p>Witnesses: W[illiam] Robert, John Tomkins, Matthew Shelly.</p> <p>Endorsed: I have the counterpart with this mark A#; this is surrendered.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 213/1</p>
Volume 65 Item 28	<p>Decree of the Court of Wards in Copley v Tomlinson. 25 May 1627.</p> <p>Description: Recites: exhibition of information by Walter Pye, kt, attorney of the court of wards, on behalf of Mary and Ann Copley, daughters of William Copley the younger, esq, deceased, against Josias Tomlinson, clerk, parson of High Ongar in Essex, reciting a conveyance of the manor and park of Ongar by WC and his wife Ann Copley to Robert Brooke, kt, John Southcott, esq, Francis Plowden esq and Thomas Stitch, gent, in trust to pay his debts, 2 July 1623, WC's death on 5 July 1623 leaving as heirs his daughters Mary (age 3 years 17 days) and Ann (age 1 year, 10 months, 17 days), with the crown entitled to their wardship and to a third of the estate, found to be free of tithes in kind and subject to a payment of £3 in lieu, all found by inquest before Thomas Freeman esq, escheator, 24 February 1624.</p> <p>Tomlinson, having obtained writings proving the uncertainty of the boundaries of the estate, claimed tithes of 600 acres in kind and brought two bills in chancery against WC's trustees, whereupon an injunction was sought to stay them; appearance of Tomlinson, claiming that one William Shelton lived in the capital messuage, occupied 600 acres on its north side and paid tithes in kind; controversy 56 years before between Thomas Coles DD, parson of High Ongar,</p>

	<p>and William Felton, owner or farmer, who died before the suit ended, whereupon composition was made by Humphrey Shelton on behalf of Joan Felton, who paid £24 for tithes in kind and took a lease for her life at £3 or his incumbency; Coles died in 1577-1578 and was succeeded by William Taber DD, with whom Joan Felton, after much intreaty and labour, renewed the lease at £3; on her death, the premises came to Humphrey Shelton who became a fugitive, whereupon the property was granted by patent to Edmund Felton, who granted underleases to William Bird, John Serjeant and Roland Bowyer, who pretended that the annual payment of £3 was a tithe modus; Taber sued the farmers in the ecclesiastical court, they responded by a bill in exchequer where it was decreed that the parsons should have tithes in kind; Humphrey Shelton died, the property was discharged out of the queen's hands and came to William Shelton; Dr Taber died, was succeeded by William Pemberton (later DD), who brought an action of debt against Shelton in KB in Easter 1618, which court ordered a hearing in CP, where Pemberton obtained a verdict; Shelton obtained leave for a further trial but died with it undetermined; suit by bill of revive against William Copley who purchased the estate, Shelton's executor Robert Napper and heir Daniel Shelton, Michaelmas 1621; death of Pemberton, succeeded by Tomlinson the defendant, who prepared a bill against Copley, who died before it could be exhibited; bill of revive by Tomlinson against Brooke, Southcott, Plowden and Stich in Hilary 1625; Tomlinson claims that the issue has been subject to one verdict and one non-suit against Taber, whereas two verdicts and a decree for the maintenance of tithes in kind, and a commission to determine the boundaries of the parish.</p> <p>It is now ordered by Robert Naunton kt, PC, master of wards, that all proceedings in chancery, at common law and in ecclesiastical courts, and upon commissions for dividing the parishes of High Ongar and Stanford River, be stayed during the minority of the wards.</p> <p>Examined by Humphrey Awdeley.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 211/1</p>
Volume 65 Item 29	<p>Unexecuted lease of the whole of Ongar Park Hall, with lands as Volume 65, Item 18, and Volume 65, Item 22, by Richard Minshull of Ongar Park, kt, to Gregory Peake of the Middle Temple, gent, and Daniel Scruby of Enfield, Middlesex, yeoman, at £95, they finding lodging, meat and drink for RM and his servants for up to three days whenever he shall visit. 2 October 1649.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 214/2</p>
Volume 65 Item 30	<p>Award of Josias Turnbridge of Magdalen Laver, yeoman, Nathaniel Adams of Little Laver, yeoman, Robert Ashwell of Fifield, gent, and Gabriel Cawood of South Weald, gent, arbitrators between Richard Minshall of Ongar Park in Essex, kt, and Anthony Hill of High Ongar, yeoman. 27 September 1654.</p> <p>Description: AH may hold the messuage and land in High Ongar leased to him by RM until 26 March 1655, and take the crops; RM to assign six loads of firewood within six weeks and allow sufficient fence and stakeboot; AH to pay £90 rent; RM may plough and sow 40 acres of the land sowed this year from 6 January 1655; AH to give up possession by 26 March 1655 without waste; RM to deliver the lease and a £200 bond to AH, both cancelled, by 30 October 1655; RM and AH to execute mutual releases of actions on 26 March 1655, and meanwhile such actions are to cease, and no further actions to be commenced (an action by [blank] Crosse, the bailiff, and any action in pursuance of the award, excepted).</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Gouldesburgh, Adieell Gurney, Thomas Malcott</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 214/7</p>
Volume 65	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1650 at £6 and a hen. 13 December 1650.</p>

<p>Item 31</p>	<p>Description: Richard Minshull of Ongar Park in Stanford Rivers, kt, to Thomas Silvester of North Weald Bassett, tile-maker</p> <p>Two closes called Gibbons Hoppett and Osbornes Croft and Camps Grove (8 acres) in Ongar Park (NW: road from Tylers Green to Weald Gullett; SW: land occupied by Richard Tayler; NE: land occupied by John Pitman)</p> <p>Timber and trees reserved; TS may dig earth or clay for bricks or tiles, or for daubing the house or walls, provided that any pits are filled with other earth; TS to lay a cartload of dung on every perch of land dug up; TS not to let the premises to John Spring without licence; TS may take timber in the Camps Grove and one or two trees from Ongar Park sufficient to make planks and boards for a kiln-house, work-house and pillering-house which he is to build, and to cover the kiln-house with tiles and the other with thatch, at his own cost.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Mathewe</p> <p>Endorsed: He hath lopped trees contrary to his lease and made faggots of them, 1659; Mr [Minshall] to sue him; agreed; paid 11s for them.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 214/3</p>
<p>Volume 65 Item 32</p>	<p>Lease for 13 years from 25 December 1659 at £64. 17 December 1659.</p> <p>Description: Richard Minshull of Bourton [in Buckingham], Bucks, kt, to John Searle of Weald Gullett [in North Weald Bassett], Essex, gent</p> <p>Messuage called The Lodge Farm in the fallow deer park, lately occupied by Thomas Symons, on part of the lands called Ongar Park in Essex, with yards, barns, stables and buildings, and fields called Gibbons Field, Birdes Field, Playstalls, Lodge Field (now divided), Heard Field, Carte Howse Mead, Fern Field, Ponde Field, Brickhill Field and Brickhill Croft; the great fishpond reserved</p> <p>Wood, underwood, timber and hunting reserved; RM to repair the house and buildings and to impale the yards within six months; detailed agricultural covenants; JS to receive six carts of lops and to take 100 faggots; JS not to assign without licence (except the the messuage, orchard and yards); endorsed: agreed before sealing that RM allows rough timber from his woods to repair gates, rails and pales.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Sheppard, John Smith, Robert Garne, James Burrell</p> <p>Seals: Seal torn away [?to cancel].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 216/4</p>
<p>Volume 65 Item 33</p>	<p>Exemplification of proceedings in common pleas in Shelton qui tam v Mountague in prohibition. 28 November 1616.</p> <p>Description: It is enrolled in Hilary term 1616, rot 2072, that Richard Mountague, clerk, MA, rector of Stanford Rivers, was attached to answer the queen and William Shelton, esq. WS, by his attorney Thomas Reynolds, pleads that although he has for the last ten years owned and occupied 100 acres of land and 10 acres wood in the parish of Stanford Rivers in Ongar Park (which park extends into the parishes of High Ongar and Stanford Rivers), and that he and his predecessors have been accustomed to pay of tithe modus of £4. RM proceeded against him before Daniel Dun, kt, LLD, official of the court of arches, for the withdrawal of tithes for the years 1611-1615, against the form of the statute, and that RM continued to prosecute his suit in the court Christian despite WS's delivery of a writ of prohibition to him at Stanford Rivers on 7 November 1615, to his damage £40.</p> <p>RM, by his attorney John Fabian, pleads that he did not prosecute in court Christian after the prohibition and, pro consultatione, that WS and his predecessors have paid full tithes.</p> <p>On 22 October 1616 the jury find for RM, but find that WS and his predecessors have paid a</p>

	<p>modus of £4 in lieu of tithes, and that WS should not have his writ of consultation and that WS be quit of the suit in the court Christian.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 209/3</p>
Volume 65 Item 34	<p>Mortgage for £1000 at 5%. 19 November 1686.</p> <p>Description: Richard Minshull of Bourton in Buckingham, Bucks, esq, to Robert Brent of Grays Inn, esq, and Ambrose Holbech of Mollington in Warwickshire, gent Messuage and land called The Hall Farm in Ongar Park in High Ongar and Stanford Rivers, Essex, occupied by Thomas Sylvester Payable in Middle Temple hall.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Jennens, James Nicholson, John Gibbes Endorsed: Receipt for principal and interest by AH; W: Walter Blount, J Blow, Abraham Saunders; 12 July 1693.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 217/3</p>
Volume 65 Item 35	<p>Mortgage for £500 at 5%. 14 July 1693.</p> <p>Description: Richard Minshull of Bourton in Buckingham, Bucks, esq, and Stephen Upman of Stanford Rivers, clerk, to William Blount of St Giles in the Fields, Middlesex, esq Messuage and land called The Hall Farm in Ongar Park in High Ongar and Stanford Rivers, Essex, occupied by Thomas Sylvester Payable in Inner Temple hall.</p> <p>Witnesses: Isaac Gibson, J Blow, Abraham Saunders</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 218/2</p>
Volume 65 Item 36	<p>Copy conveyance in trust for sale. 4 May 1694; 5 May 1698.</p> <p>Description: William Stych late of Newbury in Barking, Essex, bt, to Thomas Morgan of St Andrew Holborn, Middlesex, gent 1 Capital or mansion house called Newbury and a messuage called Ley Street with lands in Barking, occupied by William Painter and one Cole 2 Messuage or farm called Crafton otherwise Craton in Orpington, Kent, occupied by George Westbrooke, gent 3 Messuages or farms called Panton occupied by Margaret Wyght, widow, Inston occupied by Thomas Baylis and Venn occupied by Thomas Wood, all in Bishops Frome, Herefordshire 4 The manor of Leighton in Nantwich, Cheshire, occupied by WS In trust to pay WS's debts to TM, his debts to other persons and the remainder in trust for WS.</p> <p>Witnesses: Amos Martin, Robert Hazells, John Footman, William Blenkarne, William Sharples. Witnesses to copy: William Hill, David Hill, 5 May 1698</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 187/2</p>
Volume 65 Item 37	<p>Bond in £1000 to keep covenants in 65/35, RM to WB. 14 July 1693.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 218/3</p>
Volume 65 Item 38	<p>Undertaking by Richard Minshull of Bourton in Buckingham, Bucks, esq, to pay interest at 6% on the mortgage to William Blount of 14 July 1693 (Volume 65, Item 35). 1 June 1695.</p> <p>Witnesses: C Fairfax, J Thimelby, Edward Blount, Mary Howard</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 218/1</p>

Volume 65 Item 39	<p>Counterpart assignment of mortgage and further charge for £1500 at 5%. 1 March 1695.</p> <p>Description: Richard Minshull of Bourton in Buckingham, Bucks, esq, with Ambrose Holbech of Mollington in Warwickshire, gent, to George Holman of Warkworth, Northants, esq</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Messuage and land called Colehall Farm occupied by Thomas Bonham 2 Messuage and land called Hockleyes Farm occupied by Daniel Corney 3 Messuage and land called Pryors Farm otherwise Claphams, occupied by [blank] Thoroughgood 4 Land occupied by [blank] Smith and John Serle at £27 5 Pierces House, the adjoining land and Stubb Pieces, occupied by RM 6 Land occupied by [blank] Penington at £27 7 Two brick-kilns occupied by John Silvester 8 Coldhall Woods, Lodge Wood and Stubb Pieces (300 acres) occupied by RM <p>All in High Ongar and Stanford Rivers, Essex.</p> <p>Recites: mortgage of the above by RM to Ursula Cartwright of Aynho, Northants, widow, for £500 at 5%, 15 November 1688; assignment to John Crosby of London, gent, 6 June 1694; further charge for £1000 by RM and Stephen Upman of Stanford Rivers, clerk, to JC, 12 June 1694; assignment to Ambrose Holbech, 19 December 1694.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Morgan, Bartholomew Browne, John Gibbes</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart lease as further security, see Volume 65, Item 40; for counterpart further charge, see Volume 65, Item 41.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 218/5</p>
Volume 65 Item 40	<p>Counterpart lease for 2000 years as further security for Volume 65, Item 39, Richard Minshull to George Holman. 1 March 1695.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 218/4</p>
Volume 65 Item 41	<p>Counterpart further charge for £1200 at 5% by Richard Minshull to George Holman of the property in Volume 65, Item 39. 17 June 1696.</p> <p>Witnesses: Samuel Gawen, Robert Henley, Michael Philipson</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 218/5</p>
Volume 65 Item 42	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1698 at £150. 10 March 1699.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of London, merchant, to John Hoult of Barking, maltster</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Capital messuage or mansion house called Newbury 2 Messuage called Newbury Farm House with barns, stables, a loft over it, a dairyhouse lying W of the mansion house at the lower end of the yard and adjoining one of the ponds, two lower rooms in the dairy (one once used as a wash-house, one as a buttery), the stable next the barn and the loft over it, the barns used with the messuages and the adjoining cow-house and straw-house 3 Stony Field (13 acres), Sand Pit Meadow and The Long Mead (22 acres) The Further and Hither Bickley Fields (24 acres), two closes called Dunshalls (7 acres), Stump or At Field (9 acres), Dyall Field (6 acres), The Orchard Mead (6 acres), The Great and Little Pond Fields (21 acres), The Hill Field (9 acres), The Thickett Mead (3 acres), The Barn Field (4 acres), three closes called The West Lands (42 acres), four pieces called Leystreet Pieces (12 acres) and Barley Field (16 acres) <p>All in Barking, occupied by JH, late Thomas Hicks.</p> <p>Wood and underwood reserved; JH grants TW the use of a room up two pairs of stairs, looking into the best garden, and lodging for a manservant in one of the garrets, both in the capital messuage; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing specified meadows; other detailed agricultural</p>

	<p>covenants.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Midgley, scrivener, his servants John Bound, John Midgley the younger</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 188/1</p>
	<p>Deeds of estates in Ongar, Waltham Holy Cross and Walthamstow, Essex, with one deed of Derbyshire and Staffordshire, and various appointments of Thomas Webster bt to offices. 1700-1778.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9934/2</p>
Volume 66 Item 1	<p>Lease for a year in respect of settlement and conveyance (Volume 66, Item 2). 2 April 1700.</p> <p>Related materials: For the settlement and conveyance, see Volume 66, item 2; for the declaration between parties, see Volume 66, Item 3.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 219/1</p>
Volume 66 Item 2	<p>Settlement and conveyance in trust to pay debts (release). 3 April 1700.</p> <p>Description: Richard Minshull of Bourton [in Buckingham], Bucks, esq, and his only child Mary Minshull, to Francis Jernegan of Cossey Hall in Norfolk, bt, Walter Kirkham Blount of Sodington in Worcs, bt, Harry Tyrrell of Thornton in Bucks, esq, and Nathaniel Pigott of the Inner Temple, esq</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 the manor of Ongar and the park called Ongar Park 2 messuage and land called Hall Farm with barns, stables, cowhouses, a curtilage, orchard, and land called Great Mead, Dennis Mead, Farther Dennis Mead, Barn Mead, Carters Hill, Long Field, Nights Lees, Seven Acres, Gravel Field, Rye Field, Kill Field, Cunny Earth, two Slake Fields, two Saint Foyne Fields, two Andrew Crofts, Hilly Field and Great, Little, Middle and Further Redricks, all occupied by Thomas Silvester at £120 3 Messuage and farm called The Dairy House Farm with outhouses, barns and buildings, and land called The Two Great House Fields, Long Field, Middle Fields, two Little Middle Fields, Pond Mead, Barn Mead, Great Pond Field, Millers Field and Millers Grove Field, all occupied by Thomas Foot, yeoman, at £38 4 Farm called The Lodge Farm with barns, stables, orchards, gardens and curtilage, and land called The Great Mead, Ferry Field, Deer House Field, Wood Field, Sixteen Acres, three Pond Fields, Plaistow, Great and Little Cow Field, all occupied by John Bridges at £55 5 Messuage called Pierces House with three fields called The Slipps, occupied by Bartholomew Glastock at £9 10s 6 Farm called Ramseys Farm with the barns, stable and orchards, and land called Great Mead, Little Mead, two Rill Fields, Plow Field and Six Acres, occupied by Samuel Eve at £20 7 Farm called The Ox Barn and land called Two Stables, Lower Pond Field, Busby Lees, Great Pond Field, Marriages Mead, Farry Field, Wheats Stubble, Smiths Mead, The Rye Grass Field, Smiths Little Field and Great Pond Field, all occupied by John Searle at £26, 8 Farm called Clapham with barns, stables, orchards and gardens, and land called The Home Field, Barn Field, Barn Mead, Middle Field, Wardens Two Layes, Dickes Field, Trayces Lay, Trayces Mead and Six Acres, all occupied by Robert Aylett at £28 9 Cold Hall Great and Little Woods, Lodge Wood, The Stubb Piece Wood and High Gate Wood, all worth £100 10 Messuage called Cole Hall Farm occupied by Thomas Bonham at £46 11 Closes occupied by Thomas Pennington at £27 12 Two brick-kilns occupied by William Silvester, all in High Ongar and Stanford Rivers,

	<p>Essex 13 Manors of Bourton otherwise Bourton Skertritt and Durrant in Bourton And any land in which RM has any estate, in Buckingham, Maids Moreton, Padbury, Thornborough, Stowe, Lillingstone Lovell, Lamport and Dadford, Bucks In trust for MM for the life of RM, paying him £500 a year, remainder according to the trusts in a settlement between RM, his wife Catherine, FJ, WKB, Sir Thomas Parkins, John Howse, Edward Blount and Charles Yallop, Richard Minshull of the Inner Temple, esq, and NP, 7 December 1699, remainder in trust for sale or mortgage to pay RM's debts and legacies, remainder in trust for RM; trustees to have the option to sell the estates remaining after the payment of RM's debts and provide MM's portion in cash. Witnesses: Charles Umfrovill, William Gordon, John Nelson Related materials: For the lease, see Volume 66, Item 2; for the declaration between parties, see Volume 66, Item 3.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 219/ 2</p>
Volume 66 Item 3	<p>Declaration between the parties to the settlement of 2 and 3 April 1700 that its trusts are revocable by Richard Minshull. 3 April 1700.</p> <p>Related materials: For the 2-3 April 1700 settlement, see Volume 66, Items 1-2.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 219/2</p>
Volume 66 Item 4	<p>Exchequer quietus from the pipe roll of 1701-1702 to Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt, for £1095 for the support of 30 soldiers for three years for the defence of the Ulster plantations in Ireland, as mentioned in a patent of baronetcy to him of 21 May 1703. 26 July 1703.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 188/6</p>
Volume 66 Item 5	<p>Letters close ordering Thomas Webster, bt, late sheriff of Essex, to deliver the county to his successor William Peck, esq. 18 December 1704.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 66 Item 6	<p>Lease for 21 years from 25 March 1707 at £14. 3 April 1707.</p> <p>Description: Christopher Davenport of New Inn, Middlesex, gent, to Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt Messuage called Park Gate at Copthall Green in Waltham Holy Cross, Essex, with its buildings, barns, stables, orchards and gardens, a 5 acre piece of meadow and 3 acre pasture or arable called Short Croft, all occupied by Widow Jordan Penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing; TW not to fell any of the new woods on the premises. Witnesses: G Mills, J Branson</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 189/5</p>
Volume 66 Item 7	<p>Lease for a year in respect of conveyance (Volume 66, Item 8). 19 December 1716.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 192/1, 192/4</p>
Volume 66 Item 8	<p>Conveyance as collateral security (release). 20 December 1716.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt, to John Hopkins of London, esq, and his trustees William Bowles of London, gent, and Francis Eyles of London, esq 1 Pasture or meadow called The Westholme (100 acres) in Croxall, Derbyshire, leased to</p>

	<p>John Elwell, James Pim, Thomas Pim and William Thomas by Charles [Sackville], earl of Dorset and Middlesex, at £100</p> <p>2 Piece of land called Hesell Pitts (150 acres) in Croxall, leased by CS to Joseph Barnett, gent, at £85</p> <p>3 Kensells Close (21 acres), Kensall Close Meadow (4 acres), a moiety of the New Close Meadow (5 acres) in Croxall, leased by CS to Richard Smith the elder and Richard Smith the younger at £21 10s</p> <p>4 The New Close (29 acres) and the other moiety of New Close Meadow (5 acres), leased by CS to John Elwall at £18 10s 0d</p> <p>5 Water corn mill and two pieces of meadow called The Mill Houses and part of the Moor Meadow, in Croxall, occupied by John Kensell at £12 15s</p> <p>6 Messuage, barns, stables and land (specified) in Alrewas in Derbs and Staffs, occupied by Richard Wilby at £39 10s</p> <p>7 Messuage, barn, stable, two pieces of meadow called Pyford Hayes and land called The Wood Ground, in Alrerwas, occupied by Widow Kent at £9 and land</p> <p>8 Two pieces of pasture called The Conygreaves in Alrewas, lately occupied by John Turton, kt, JKB, deceased, at £10</p> <p>9 Messuage and two pieces of meadow in Alrewas, occupied by Henry Yeald at £4</p> <p>10 Cottage and orchard in Alrewas, occupied by Peter Worley at £1</p> <p>11 Cottage and orchard in Alrewas, occupied by [blank] Wildblood, widow, at £1</p> <p>All conveyed to TW by Charles [Sackville], earl of Dorset and Middlesex, as collateral security to protect the manor, capital messuage and park of Copthall, in Waltham Holy Cross and Epping, Essex, conveyed by CS to TW for £13,500, 13 and 14 November 1700, from adverse claims; now TW conveys to JH to secure a mortgage for £2000 (see Volume 66, Item 9).</p> <p>Recites: deed between Lionel [Cranfield], earl of Middlesex, and Ann [Cranfield] dowager countess of Middlesex, William Juxon of Compton Barra, Gloucs, kt and bt, William Walter of Sarsden in Oxon, bt, and Robert Stevens of the Middle Temple, esq, 23 March 1664; articles of agreement between CS and Edward Moore of St Clement Danes, Middlesex, grocer, 29 December 1698; conveyance of Copthall, with 1-11 above as collateral security against claims under the last recited deeds, by CS and Christopher Cratford of St Giles in the Fields, Middlesex, gent, to TW and his trustees Pelatia Barnardiston of London, merchant, deceased, Samuel Bryan and John Chadwick of London, merchant, with a covenant by TW to reconvey if CS's son Lionel [Sackville] lord Buckhurst or other heir of CS's father Richard [Sackville] earl of Dorset should suffer a common recovery of the Essex property, 13 and 14 November 1700; term created by £3000 mortgage by CS to CC, 21 December 1693, of which £1000 has been paid, assigned by CC to FE. Witnesses: Robert Burges, scrivener, Thomas Hooke his servant.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Burges, scrivener, Thomas Hooke his servant</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 192/1, 192/4"</p>
<p>Volume 66 Item 9</p>	<p>Mortgage for £2025. 20 December 1716.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt, to John Hopkins of London, esq</p> <p>1 The manor of Copthall, the capital messuage called Copthall otherwise Coppid Hall and the park called Copt Hall Park, in Waltham Holy Cross and Epping, Essex</p> <p>2 Land called Clendons, Rushie Laune, two lodges and land called The Warren, pasture called Great, Middle and Little Chissills, wood called Sartins Grove by Peacocks Pond, pasture called Stoney Hills, Great Gladwins and Little Gladwins Mead, Gladwins Orchard, Haines Closes and Pond Hill, arable called Horse Pasture and The Fore Berryes, pasture called The Park Bushes, Crabtree Field, Pall Croft, wood called The Little Coppice, pasture called Bedrow Field and Thistley Field, arable called Great and Little Cobb Field, wood called The Two Spratt Hedge Rows, three pieces of pasture called The Long Fields, Herne Pond Laune, The High Wood otherwise Hiewood, Parrick Mead</p>

	<p>otherwise New Mead and Kings Mead</p> <p>All reputed to have been purchased by Henry 8 of Thomas Roberts, and all within the precinct of the disparked park of Copthall, all purchased by TW (as TW of London, merchant) from Charles [Sackville], earl of Dorset and Middlesex, by bargain and sale enrolled, 14 November 1700.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Burgess scrivener, Thomas Hooke his servant</p> <p>Endorsed: Release by Richard Hopkins kt, alderman of London and James Hopkins, gent, (executors of the will of JH, 10 November 1729, proved in PCC) on payment by Nathaniel Pigott of the Inner Temple, esq, and William Northey of Compton Bassett, Wilts, esq, in trust for TW; Witnesses: William Snell, Charles Boucher; 22 November 1734.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 192/5</p>
Volume 66 Item 10	<p>Covenant to stand seised of outstanding term in trust for mortgagee. 20 December 1716.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], bt, with John Rudge of London, esq, to John Hopkins of London, esq.</p> <p>Outstanding term in the manor of Croxall, the manor house, messuages and land in Derbyshire and Staffordshire, created by a settlement in 1685.</p> <p>Recites: settlement by Richard [Sackville] earl of Dorset, his wife Frances, John Blome, gent, and David Denham, gent, giving Frances a power of appointment, 28 October 1674; exercise of the power by Henry Powle, esq, and his wife Frances, dowager countess of Dorset, by revocable 99-year lease of the above and other estates to Henry [Compton], bishop of London, and Thomas Sackville of St Martin in the Fields, Middlesex, esq, 20 January 1685; revocation by Frances Powle and instruction to Compton and Sackville to hold in trust for her for life, remainder to Charles [Sackville], earl of Dorset and Middlesex, and his heirs in tail, 26 March 1685; death of Frances Powle and Thomas Sackville recovery suffered by CS; assignment of trust by Compton to Richard Young of the Middle Temple, gent, 16 December 1700; purchase of the manor of Copthall in Essex from CS by TW and the conveyance of the above to TW as security against the deeds recited in Volume 66, Item 9, 14 November 1700; assignment of the term created by the 1685 settlement by Young to Isaac Wollaston of Loseby, Leics, esq, and John Shute of Lincolns Inn, gent; assignment by Wollaston and Shute to JR, 17 December 1716; now JR assigns the term created by the 1685 settlement to JH, subject to the proviso for redemption in Volume 66, Item 9.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Burges, scrivener, Thomas Hooke his servant</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 192/2</p>
Volume 66 Item 11	<p>Assignment of outstanding mortgage term in trust. 20 December 1716.</p> <p>Description: William Bowles of London, gent, with Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], bt, to John Hopkins of London, esq.</p> <p>Outstanding term in the Copthall estate created by a mortgage in 1693.</p> <p>Recites: mortgage for £2500 at 5% by Charles [Sackville], earl of Dorset and Middlesex, to Paul Whichcott of St Giles in the Fields, Middlesex, kt and bt, and Isaac Foxcroft of the Inner Temple, esq, 14 February 1693; declaration that £1000 was advanced by Whichcott, £1000 by Foxcroft and £500 by Robert Cannon of Eton in Bucks, clerk, 14 February 1694; mortgage of his interest by Foxcroft to Hannah Revell of London, spinster, for £1000 at 6%, 15 February 1697; assignment of the mortgage by Whichcott (of Quy Hall, Cambridgeshire), Elizabeth Foxcroft of London, spinster (executrix of her father IF), Edward Salloway of London, merchant (husband of Hannah Revell) and Cannon to Christopher Cratford of St Giles in Fields, Middlesex, gent and Clayton Milborne of St Giles, gent, 14 June 1700; assignment by Cratford and Milborne to Pelatia Barnardiston and Samuel Bryan of London, gent, in trust for TW on his purchase of the estate from Sackville, Martin Capron of Chigwell Row in Essex, gent and Richard Bell, keeper of Copthall Park, 14 November 1700; death of Barnardiston and assignment by Bryan to WB in trust for TW, 17 December 1716; now WB assigns the term created by the 1693 mortgage to JH, subject to</p>

	<p>the proviso for redemption in Volume 66, Item 9.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Burges, scrivener, Thomas Hooke his servant</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 192/3</p>
Volume 66 Item 12	<p>Statute Staple in £30,000, Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt, to William Northey of Compton Bassett, Wilts, esq, entered in the book of the clerk of the recognizances by Thomas Dummer, esq, clerk. 8 February 1727.</p> <p>Related materials: For the defeasance of statute staple, see Volume 76, Item 34.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 195/1</p>
Volume 66 Item 13	<p>Reconciliation of mortgage debts, 1731, with receipt. 1734</p> <p>Description: On settling accounts, Thomas Webster, bt, was found to owe John Hopkins, esq, £7961 5s 8d; of which, £3811 5s 8d was taken as part of the purchase price of £4000 for farms in Dagenham and Hornchurch, Essex, sold by TW to JH, the balance paid by notes and cash; of the remainder, £2500 is secured by a judgement and mortgage of the Copthall estate, 20 December 1716, and £2150, in the hands of Nathaniel Pigott for that purpose, by an intended mortgage of a farm in Fairlight, Sussex, late Mrs Barbara Acton. Witnesses: James Hopkins, Charles Boucher, 23 November 1731.</p> <p>Receipt for the final payment of £1210 0s 6d to discharge TW's debt of £4732 5s 1d to JH of Broad Street, London, deceased (£2150 paid by Nathaniel Pigott and William Northey on 31 May 1734 and £1372 4s 7d on another occasion) by Richard Hopkins and James Hopkins. Witnesses: William Snell, Charles Boucher; 22 November 1734.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 66 Item 14	<p>Copy conveyance in trust for Waltham parish church. 5 March 1717.</p> <p>Description: Thomas North of Waltham Holy Cross, gent, John Green of Lambourne (late of Woodridden in Waltham), gent, William Pigbone the elder of Sewardstone in Waltham, yeoman, and Nathaniel Sawdery of Upshire in Waltham, gent, surviving trustees, to Thomas Webster of Copthall in Waltham, bt, Ady Collard of Hollyfield in Waltham, esq, Thomas Burgh of Hollyfield, gent, Robert Stacey of Hollyfield, yeoman, Edmund Langthorne of Waltham, tanner, William Boulton of Waltham, innholder, William Stock of Waltham, innholder, Thomas Knagg of Waltham, innholder, William Pigbone the younger of Sewardstone, yeoman and Henry Walby the younger of Sewardstone, yeoman</p> <p>1 Messuage in Elford Street in Waltham, occupied by Richard Sumptheon, late Henry Acourt</p> <p>2 Three crofts called Sherries (7 acres) in Upshire in Waltham, occupied by Jonas Sedgley, gent, late John Warren, gent</p> <p>3 Pickcroft (3 acres) at Paternoster Hill in Waltham; 2 acres in a croft called Hostlage at Wolmerford Bridge in Waltham (heading N: the road to Copthall; S: Forster Field); 1 acre meadow at Wolmerford Bridge (S: Menlands; N: the road to Pickhill), all occupied by Mary Williams, widow, late Henry Hunsden</p> <p>In trust to use the income on the repair and maintenance of the parish church of Waltham; new trustees to be appointed when six survive; one trustee to be appointed to receive rents and account.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 192/6</p>

Volume 66 Item 15	<p>Mortgage to secure statute staple and further charge totalling £20,244 at 2½%. 16 March 1733.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copt Hall [in Waltham], Essex, bt, to William Northey of Compton Bassett, Wilts, esq</p> <p>1 Capital messuage called Copt Hall with its barns, stables and buildings, Copt Hall Park, Copt Hall Warren, in Waltham Holy Cross and Epping, and messuages, cottages, farms and land occupied by John Wright, Matthew Avis, Widow Bailey and [blank], bought by TW from the late earl of Dorset</p> <p>2 Messuages, farms and land occupied by [blank] Dean widow, John Plum the elder, John Plum the younger, [blank] Briggs widow, John Beadle, William Hammond, John Big and TW, with land formerly known as Ongar Park and 400-acre wood, all in Ongar and Stanford Rivers, all bought by TW from Richard Minshull, esq, deceased</p> <p>3 Capital messuage on the E side of St James Street in St James Westminster, occupied by TW</p> <p>Recites: statute staple in £30,000 to secure £16,450, TW to WN, 8 February 1727 (Volume 66, Item 12); accrual of £1726 19s interest; further advance of £2067 1s.</p> <p>Witnesses: Joseph Biscoe, Thomas Stiff</p> <p>Endorsed: Receipt for interest and £800 principal by WN, 29 May 1734; receipt for £16,045 7s 6d in full by Edward Northey, brother of WN deceased, 12 June 1741.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 195/6</p>
Volume 66 Item 16	<p>Bond in £24,488 to secure mortgage (Volume 66, Item 15), Thomas Webster to William Northey. 16 March 1733.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 66 Item 17	<p>Receipt by Edward Northey (as executor of his brother William Northey) to Joseph Biscoe for £6500 (paid by WN on behalf of Thomas Webster to Ward and Simpson, goldsmiths in Fleet Street), and £130 for six months' interest. 10 January 1739.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edward Betham</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 66 Item 18	<p>Copy settlement ([lease and] release) for £4500. [29]-30 May 1734.</p> <p>Description: William Northey of Compton Bassett, Wilts, esq and Nathaniel Pigot of the Inner Temple, esq, to Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt, his wife Jane Webster and son and heir Whistler Webster, Paul Jodrell of Lincolns Inn, esq, and Joseph Biscoe and Elisha Biscoe of the Inner Temple, gents</p> <p>1 Messuage and farm in Waltham and Epping, occupied by John Wright at £125</p> <p>2 Messuage and farm in Waltham and Epping occupied by Matthew Avis at £85</p> <p>To PJ in trust for JW for life, to JB and EB in trust for TW, with successive remainders in tail male to WW and his brother Godfrey Webster.</p> <p>Witnesses: Charles Atkins, Nathaniel Cutler</p> <p>Related materials: For another copy of the settlement, see Volume 76, Item 44.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 196/3</p>
Volume 66 Item 19	<p>Schedule of mortgages on the Copthall estate in Essex, 1716-1742. Approximately 1760.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 66 Item 20	<p>Counterpart lease for 3 years from 25 March 1719 at £40. 9 December 1718.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall in Waltham, Essex, bt, to James East of Waltham,</p>

	<p>warrener</p> <p>That part of the messuage called The Warren House near Copthall which JE occupies, with 90 acres now made into a warren and stocked with an estimated 1000 coneyes, with liberty to hunt, hey ferret and pitch nets.</p> <p>Reserved: that part of the messuage occupied by Robert Thursby; JE to maintain the stock at 1000 breeding coneyes, and pay a penalty of up to £50 if the stock falls below that number; JE to maintain the berries and coney clappers.</p> <p>Endorsed: TW to allow out of the rent the price of a chaldron of coals in the pool since there is no allowance for fuel in the lease; W: Robert Walker, Henry Tomson, John Drew</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 193/1</p>
Volume 66 Item 21	<p>Commission of Thomas Webster, bt, as a deputy lieutenant of Essex; Henry [O'Brien] earl of Thomond, viscount Tadcaster, lord lieutenant, John Wale [secretary]. 12 July 1722.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 193/6</p>
Volume 66 Item 22	<p>Licence to John Pearce of Waltham, farrier, by his creditors to continue trade for three years without disturbance, on condition of repayment within that time. 15 November 1723.</p> <p>Description: Elizabeth Wale of London, widow, Elizabeth Nagg of Waltham, widow (£8 16s 7d), John Bill, victualler (£3 2s 9d), Thomas Thompson, shopkeeper, Sybil Nash, widow, Mary Williams, widow, John Golding, yeoman, George Powney, victualler (£2 11s 9d), Thomas Hide, keeper (£6 6s), James Horn, cordwainer, all of Waltham and Richard White of Bobbingworth, butcher (£2).</p> <p>Not witnessed and perhaps incomplete.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 174/6</p>
Volume 66 Item 23	<p>Lease for 21 years from 25 March 1723 at £60. 21 April 1724.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt, to Robert Brooke, citizen and mercer of Lombard Street, London</p> <p>New brick messuage and the old messuage adjoining it, with three fields behind the house, all lately occupied by John Newe, and 3-acre marsh and 5-acre common field land, lately occupied by Jeremiah Wakelyne, at Whipps Cross in Walthamstow, Essex</p> <p>Penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow; RB may demolish the old messuage and use the materials in any new building or enlargements; should RB be evicted, TW to repay half of the £450 which is intended to be spent by RB on enlargements; option to renew for 11 years at the same rent; schedule of fixtures and furniture in specified rooms.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Brockett, William Whiteway</p> <p>Endorsed: Surrender by RB; W: Edward Brice, Samuel Troughton; 21 March 1739.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 194/3</p>
Volume 66 Item 24	<p>Conveyance of estates to secure a rent-charge of £100 for £1500. 23-24 June 1778.</p> <p>Description: Godfrey Webster the younger of Lincolns Inn, esq, to [his uncle] Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt</p> <p>Messuage, barns, stables and 190 acres called Gallions in Woolwich in Kent and East Ham, West Ham and Barking, Essex, occupied by Charles Bocock, John Higgs, Richard Higgs and [blank] Turner.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Fox, Charles Nairn</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 199/3</p>
Volume 66	<p>Conveyance of estates to secure a rent-charge of £100 for £1500. 23-24 June 1778.</p>

Item 25	<p>Description: Godfrey Webster the younger of Lincolns Inn, esq, to [his uncle] Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt</p> <p>Messuage, barns, stables and 190 acres called Gallions in Woolwich in Kent and East Ham, West Ham and Barking, Essex, occupied by Charles Bocock, John Higgs, Richard Higgs and [blank] Turner.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Fox, Charles Nairn</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 199/4</p>
Volume 66 Item 26	<p>Contract for sale of wood. 26 November 1725.</p> <p>Description: Joseph Snapp of Salehurst, gent, to Thomas Webster of Battle Place, bt</p> <p>1449 cords of wood now standing in 14' cords (3' and one carf long, set that at the delivery to be 3' and one draw-bat high, and 14' long), standing in woods in Brightling, Burwash, Etchingham, Ticehurst, Hawkhurst, Ewhurst and Salehurst, and lately bought by JS from Thomas Everard, John Inskipp, John Ottaway, Giles Watts Henry Redford, Thomas Pain, William Constable, Thomas Brewer, esq, William Turley, Mary, John and Thomas Butler, Thomas Dicker and John Light to be delivered to TW by 14 December 1725.</p> <p>TW may enter the woods and make pits and colliers' lodges until 29 September 1726; TW to pay 7s 6d a cord for 1109 cords, and 6s a cord for the 340 cords standing in a wood called Blackbrooks [in Brightling], part of the wood bought from Everard, by 26 March 1726; JS to pay £1000 if TW be obstructed from taking the wood.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Simmond, Samuel Brewer</p> <p>Endorsed: To provide for the measurement of the wood, TW to allow two cords for every load of coals of 11 quarters at the fall; W: Thomas Hussey, William Foord; 22 March 1726.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 175/4</p>
	<p>Deeds of estates in Battle. 1649-1675.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Phillipps number: 9935/1</p>
Volume 67 Item 1	<p>Cancelled lease for 21 years from 29 September 1649 at £20. 14 October 1649.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague, to John Stevens of Whatlington, yeoman</p> <p>Six closes called The Eastlandes (40 acres), occupied by JS, late William Woodward gent, in Battle and Whatlington</p> <p>Timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and make sawpits and coal-pits reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; detailed agricultural covenants.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edward Lewkenor, Richard Shelly, John Tournour</p> <p>Notes: Cancelled by angled cuts.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 157/1</p>
Volume 67 Item 2A	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 26 October 1622.</p> <p>Description: Licence to William Langham, gent, and his wife Constance to lease their customary tenement called Chaunces Land for 21 years from 25 March 1623 to any suitable tenant; fine 7s (4d a year).</p> <p>Court of George More, kt, John Walter, kt and Thomas Spencer, esq; steward: John Clerk.</p> <p>Related materials: Volume 67, Item 2B is another copy, omitting reference to Constance Langham.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>

Volume 67 Item 2B	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle [same as Volume 67, Item 2A, omitting reference to Constance Langham]. 26 October 1622.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 67 Item 3	<p>Mortgage of lease for £100 by rent charge at 12%. 10 October 1649.</p> <p>Description: William Taylor of Battle, yeoman, to Osborne of Thomas Poynings, yeoman Lease of a messuage, barns, stables and land called Loose Farm in Battle at £48, 10 October 1649.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tourneur, Francis Marche</p> <p>Related materials: For 10 October 1649 lease from Francis Browne to William Taylor, see Volume 67, Item 6.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 156/10</p>
Volume 67 Item 4	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1649 at £40. 10 October 1649.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Richard Alchorne of Crowhurst, gent Messuage, barns and stables called Marley farm with two pieces of arable and pasture and a piece of meadow adjoining the messuage (20 acres), rough ground called The Forestall or the Old Garden (9 acres), arable and pasture called The Oxe Pasture or Nine Acres (9 acres), three pieces of arable and pasture called The Wellandes (32 acres), The Felland Field (16 acres), The Shepland Field (12 acres), a piece between Petley Wood and Felland Coppice (3 acres), Bowland Brooks (20 acres), Great Bathurst (30 acres), adjoining meadow (12 acres), occupied by William Coldham, gent, and William Yalden, gent, in Battle and Sedlescombe</p> <p>Timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and make sawpits and coal-pits reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; detailed agricultural covenants.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tourneur, John Tillee</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 156/11</p>
Volume 67 Item 5	<p>Counterpart lease for 19 years from 29 September 1644 at £25. 16 August 1644.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Alice Betts of Battle, widow Tenement and barn called The Saxtree Barn and 70 acres, formerly part of the Great Park of Battle, lately disparted, subject to a right of way from Battle House to a piece of land called The Farthing</p> <p>Timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and make sawpits and coal-pits reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; detailed agricultural covenants; FB's woodward to set out four cords of firewood annually.</p> <p>Witnesses: Francis Marche, John Turner, Francis Crompe</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 155/4</p>
Volume 67 Item 6	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1649 at £48. 10 October 1649.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to William Taylor of Battle, yeoman Messuage, barns, stables and land called Loose Farm in Battle, occupied by WT</p> <p>Timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and make sawpits and coal-pits reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tourneur, Francis Marche</p> <p>Related materials: For 10 October 1649 mortgage of lease from WT, see Volume 67, Item 3.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 156/9</p>

<p>Volume 67 Item 7</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 20 years from 29 September 1657 at £22. 1 September 1657.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Stephen Coleman of Battle, miller Water corn-mill called Tiltensbath Mill with the millhouse or tenement belonging to it, with all stones, wheels, ironworks, groundworks, going-gears, utensils engines and implements, bays, banks, dams, floodgates, sluices, wastgates water-streams and watercourses, with seven pieces of brookland (13 acres), in Battle and Sedlescombe subject to a right of way for carts and carriages to Great North Bathurst lands for FB's farmers The rent payable at Battle House. Witnesses: Peter Bettesworth, John Tournier Notes: Although the deed is endorsed expired, the seal has been torn away to suggest cancellation. For another lease on the same terms, granted on 11 November 1657, see Volume 67, Item 12.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 160/2</p>
<p>Volume 67 Item 8</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 20 years from 29 September 1656 at £10. 16 September 1656.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Richard Gier of Whatlington, gent. Two pieces of brookland called Bowland Brooks (20 acres) and an adjoining pieces of land called Shawes Croft (4 acres) in Battle and Sedlescombe, occupied by RG, before Francis Marche, gent Timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and make sawpits and coal-pits reserved; the rent payable at Battle House. Witnesses: Francis Marche, Robert Stunte</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 159/1</p>
<p>Volume 67 Item 9</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1651 at £48 2s 8d. 18 July 1651.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Atkins of Brightling, yeoman Pieces of land called The Blackheath (49 acres), an adjoining piece called Bromans Well and Raven Beach (23 acres), a piece of land at the park gate otherwise called Giggers Corner (85 acres), a piece near Haywardes Hill (37 acres), a piece of land below Raven Beach (4 acres), formerly three pieces of land near Coopers Corner (54 acres), a piece adjoining Raven Beach (17 acres), Broonans Well (12 acres), occupied by JA, and a piece called Raven Beach (20 acres), occupied by John Tilley and Robert Sharpe, all formerly part of the Great Park of Battle, now disparted, and the tithes arising from it, in Battle, Catsfield and Penhurst, subject to a right of way from Battle House to the park gate otherwise Giggers Corner Timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and make sawpits and coal-pits reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; JA to build a barn within a year at a place and according to such proportions as FB or his officers shall advise, and turn the leased land into severals by the planting of quickset hedges within seven years. Witnesses: Edward Fox, John Tournier</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 157/9</p>
<p>Volume 67 Item 10</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 16 years from 25 March 1657 at £2. 1 September 1657.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Jarvis of Battle, miller Piece of land, formerly a coppice (10 acres), adjoining the Park Mill pond, with its tithes, occupied by JJ Timber, wood and underwood reserved; penalty of 10s for every acre ploughed in the last four years of the term.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: John Walton, John Tourner, Thomas Manhood</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 160/1</p>
Volume 67 Item 11	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 14 December 1652.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Edward Smith and his wife Elizabeth on the death of William Langham, gent, the elder brother of her father Richard Langham. Chanselandes in Battle, heriot 3s 4d certain. Steward for this time: Francis Crompe.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 67 Item 12	<p>Counterpart lease for 20 years from 29 September 1658 at £22. 11 November 1657.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Stephen Coleman of Battle, miller Water corn-mill called Tiltensbath Mill with the millhouse or tenement belonging to it, with all stones, wheels, ironworks, groundworks, going-gears, utensils engines and implements, bays, banks, dams, floodgates, sluices, wastgates water-streams and watercourses, with seven pieces of brookland (13 acres), in Battle and Sedlescombe subject to a right of way for carts and carriages to Great North Bathurst lands for FB's farmers The rent payable at Battle House. Witnesses: John Walton, John Coleman Related materials: For another lease on the same terms, granted on 1 September 1657, see Volume 67, Item 7. Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 160/2</p>
Volume 67 Item 13	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 25 March 1652 at £36. 10 August 1652.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Robert Jarvis of Battle, miller The mill called The Parke Mill in Battle, with the stones, wheel, ironworks, groundworks, going geers, utensils, engines and implements belonging to it, and the mill-houses, buildings, gardens, waters, banks, bays, ponds, floodgates, sluices, easements and profits, and 38 acres of land, meadow and pasture usually occupied with it, now or late in the occupation of RJ Timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and make sawpits and coal-pits reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling, and the fish in the pond reserved, with the right to lower the water to take the fish at a time convenient to RJ; RJ may take rough timber for repairs, and earth and clay to repair the bays and dams. Witnesses: John Tourner, Francis Complen Endorsed: An allowance of 4 cords of wood on the stub to be burnt on the premises, and an agreement that RJ shall not put cattle in the copse by the mill within four years after every felling of it. Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 158/3</p>
Volume 67 Item 14	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1652 at £14. 4 September 1652.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Francis Cuffand [signs Cufarde] of Battle, gent, and Thomas Sanders of Battle, gent Six pieces of land called Milestone (27 acres), adjoining Beach Farm in Battle, occupied by FC and TS Timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: John Tournier, Thomas Manhood, William Medhurst</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 158/5</p>
Volume 67 Item 15	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1652 at £12. 4 September 1652.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Medhurst of Battle, mercer, and his son William Medhurst of Battle Six pieces of land (25 acres), part of the Little Park of Battle, lately disparked, occupied by JM or WM Timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tournier, Thomas Manhood</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 158/4</p>
Volume 67 Item 16	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1659 at £39. 19 September 1659.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Brooke of Battle, gent Closes now divided into seven severals with two adjoining brooks (110 acres), called The Tenthes and Trenches, part of the Little Park of Battle, lately disparked, with the barn upon them, with two adjoining fields (6 acres), once part of a hopgarden, all in Battle, occupied by JB, subject to a right of way to closes called The Blossoms With liberty to make marl-pits or, if marl cannot be found, to make them in an adjoining close called The Course Part of the Little Park, with the farmer's consent; timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tournier, John Walton</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 161/1</p>
Volume 67 Item 17	<p>Lease for 21 years from 29 September 1659 at £52 10s 0d. 31 October 1659.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to William Medhurst of Battle, yeoman Messuage, with fields formerly part of Marley Farm called The Barn Meadows (7 acres), Rye Gratten adjoining (6 acres) and The Brook (8 acres) all N of the wood called The Little North Bathurst; The Fellond Field (11 acres), The Sheepelond Field (10 acres), the two old gardens (7 acres), four pieces called The Wellondes (30 acres), three called Corneses Land (11 acres), The Oxpasture (9 acres); four pieces called The Ashen Shaws (30 acres), once part of the Little Park of Battle, The Powder Mill Croft and The Malthouse Croft (2 acres), all in Battle, occupied by WM, late Henry Snow and John Foster With liberty to make marl-pits and to take marl in the adjoining Petley Wood in a rod of ground to be assigned by FB's officers; timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; agricultural covenants.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edward Lewkenor, John Tournier, Francis Compleen, John Walton Endorsed: An allowance of 8 cords of wood for firewood, to be assigned on the stub within two miles of the farm.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 161/3</p>
Volume 67 Item 18	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 29 July 1659.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Joseph Newington and his wife Alice for their lives, remainder to her heirs, on the surrender of Edward Smith and his wife Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Richard Langham deceased. Chanselands in Battle, heriot 3s 4d certain, fine 20d certain.</p>

	<p>John Purfeild, deputy of Edward Thurland, steward.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 160/3</p>
Volume 67 Item 19	<p>Counterpart lease for 3 years at £48 2s 8d. 18 February 1661.</p> <p>Description: John Walton of Battle, gent (on behalf of Francis [Browne], viscount Montague), to William Dyke of Battle, esq, and William Jarvis of Battle, miller A barn and nine pieces of land (300 acres), part of the Great Park of Battle, lately disparked, in Battle, Catsfield and Penhurst, lately leased to John Atkins of Brightling, subject to a right of way from Battle House to The Park Gate otherwise Giggers Corner Timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it reserved; corn on the land or in the barn, and the wood and faggots now felled, reserved; lessees may take thorns and stems to burn lime, to be used on the land; the rent payable at Battle House; JW or FB to repair the barn and fences within a year.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Purfeild, Edward Goffe</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 161/7</p>
Volume 67 Item 20	<p>Counterpart lease for 20 years from 29 September 1660 at £30. 7 December 1660.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Purfeild of Battle, gent 1 Dwelling-house called The Almery House, with so much of the yards, gardens, closes and backsides as lie N,E: closes and backsides occupied by William Tanner and John Philcox; E: high street and walk; W: the pingle, lately a wheat grotten, behind the premises; S: the rest of the yards and gardens, ranging from the end of the barn to an ash tree standing in the pales against the walk, and so from the other end of the barn and adjoining stable, through the middle of the watering pond, to the hedge of the wheat grotten pingle, with half the pond, the stable adjoining the end of the barn, and the wheat grotten pingle 2 Two pieces of meadow and two of pasture (E,N: the wheat grotten pingle and the backsides of the town of Battle; N: land of John Back, gent, occupied by JP; W: the Maunsey Wood; S: other land of FB lying between the long walk and the premises) As they are now divided, all in Battle, lately occupied by John Startupp; timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it, hawking, hunting and fishing reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tourner, Francis Compleen</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 158/5</p>
Volume 67 Item 21	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1662 at £7 15s 0d. 2 December 1662.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Smith of Battle, farrier. Two closes called The Southdownes (14 acres) in the borough of Sandlake, Battle, occupied by TS Timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Endorsed: TS to have necessary postbote and gatebote; Witnesses: John Tourner, Francis Compleen.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 162/1</p>
Volume 67 Item 22	<p>Counterpart lease for 14 years from 29 September 1662 at £10. 2 December 1662.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Richard Geere of Whatlington, gent Three closes of land and a little piece of brookland called The Corneoares (30 acres) in Battle and Whatlington, occupied by RG</p>

	<p>Timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Walton, John Tournier</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 161/8</p>
Volume 67 Item 23	<p>Unexecuted lease for 20 years from 25 March 1664 at £50. 2 April 1664.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Taylor of Battle, yeoman Messuage, with fields formerly part of Marley Farm (as 1659 lease, Volume 67, Item 17), lately occupied by William Medhurst</p> <p>With liberty to make marl-pits and to take marl in a rod of ground in the adjoining Petley Wood and in a rod of ground in the adjoining land called The Course, already assigned or to be assigned by FB's officers; timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; agricultural covenants.</p> <p>Witnesses: [blank]</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 162/4</p>
Volume 67 Item 24	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years (or incumbency of lessee) from 29 September 1654 at £3 5s 0d. November 1654.</p> <p>Description: [Francis Browne], viscount Montague to Henry Fisher of Battle, clerk, incumbent of Battle</p> <p>Piece of meadow (4 acres), part of or adjoining ..., in Battle, occupied by HF</p> <p>The rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: John [Walton], ...</p> <p>Notes: The document has been eaten by rodents with the loss of some text, and repaired using a piece of parchment endorsed extraordinary disbursements. "88" written on dorse.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 67 Item 25	<p>Counterpart lease for 13 years from 29 September 1664 at £20 and a limestone royalty. 20 September 1664.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Robert Sturtupp of Whatlington, yeoman Six closes called The Eastlandes (40 acres) in Battle and Whatlington, occupied by RS, before John Steevens</p> <p>On the surrender of the lease to Steevens (1649 lease, Volume 67, Item 1); liberty to dig limestone on the land and on the adjoining Eastland Copce, to be burnt on or near the land, paying a royalty of 12d for every load of lime taken from the kiln; RS to sell lime to FB's tenants at 6d a load cheaper than his bona fide price to others; RS to level the quarries; the rent payable at Battle House; agricultural covenants.</p> <p>Endorsed: RS to use the compost of his corn, hay and straw on the land only in the last five years of the term, despite the covenant; Witnesses: John Tournier, John Walton</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 162/5</p>
Volume 67 Item 26	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1671 at £5. 1 January 1672.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Michael Martyn of Battle, carpenter Pieces of land now divided into five severals and a hopga den called The Broomy Land (20 acres), in Battle, occupied by MM</p> <p>Timber, wood and underwood reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tournier, John Tournier the younger</p> <p>Endorsed: MM to hold the tithes of the land.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 162/9</p>
Volume 67 Item 27	<p>Fragment of a letter addressed to 'my worthy friend Mr Alcock'. Approximately 1700.</p> <p>Description: Memorandum of a lease of Milestone in Battle to Francis Fowle for 11 years from 25 March 1693 (see Volume 68, Item 27), and of Ashenshaw in Battle to John Gilbert, for 11 years from 25 March 1693 (see Volume 68, Item 30). Lawrence Alcock was a Midhurst lawyer and Montague trustee.</p> <p>Notes: Lawrence Alcock was a Midhurst lawyer and Montague trustee.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 67 Item 28	<p>Counterpart lease for 20 years from 25 March 1673 at £23. 1 May 1673.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Snepp of Battle, yeoman Messuage and 75 acres called Beach Farm in Battle, occupied by TS, late John Littleboys, gent Timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tournier, James Keith</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 162/10</p>
Volume 67 Item 29	<p>Counterpart lease for 13 years from 25 March 1662 at £4 10s 0d. 30 November 1661.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Coleman of Catsfield, blacksmith Four closes of pasture called Chanters Down (16 acres), and a coppice (7 acres) adjoining on the SE, all in Catsfield, occupied by TC Timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it, game, hawking and hunting reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; TC not to allow cattle to depasture the coppice within five years of cutting.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Browne, John Field</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 164/7</p>
Volume 67 Item 30	<p>Counterpart lease for 12 years from 29 September 1674 at £30. 18 October 1674.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Walter Everenden of Sedlescombe, gent Tenement and dwelling-house and land called Great North Bathurst and Little North Bathurst (70 acres), Marley Field and a 12 acre piece of brookland (S: Marley Wood; N: Little North Bathurst; E: Battle-Sedlescombe road; W: Marley Farm), in Battle and Sedlescombe On the surrender of a former lease; timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Yalden, John Tournier</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 163/3</p>
Volume 67 Item 31	<p>Counterpart lease for 19 years from 25 March 1662 at £31. 1 March 1662.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Peregrine Gibbons of Battle, yeoman Messuage or dwelling-house with the barn, garden and orchard called The Almery House, land called The Almery Meadow (7 acres), Mancy Meadow (6 acres), The Rough Mancy (15 acres), The Little Mancy (5 acres) and an adjoining piece called The Spott, all in Battle, lately occupied by Edward Wooden On several surrenders of former leases; timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it, game, hawking and hunting reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; rent to rise</p>

	<p>to £90 if PG ploughs Almerly Meadow at any time, or the other land within three years of the end of the term; if FB or any wife of his come to live at Battle House, FB may re-enter land called The Spott, subject to PG's right of way and an annual payment of 20s.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edward Turner, John Turner</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 162/2</p>
Volume 67 Item 32	<p>Counterpart lease for 10 years from 25 March 1675 at £18. 23 August 1675.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to James Lacy of Bexhill, yeoman The Great Loose Marsh and The Great Pondens in Bexhill, occupied by JL Game, hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing.</p> <p>Witnesses: Moses Purfeild, Francis Hardres</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 163/5</p>
Volume 67 Item 33	<p>Counterpart lease for 13 years from 25 March 1675 at £9. 20 December 1675.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Richard Colman of Hooe, blacksmith Three pieces of upland and four of brookland called Kichenhams (40 acres) in Hooe, occupied by RC Game, hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing brookland.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Richardson, Francis Hardres</p> <p>Endorsed: This is an old lease of Walter Parishes land.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 164/2</p>
Volume 67 Item 34	<p>Counterpart lease for 20 years from 29 September 1660 at £55 10s Od. 7 December 1660.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Samuel Gott of Battle, esq 1 Barn belonging to the Almerly House, with so much of the yards, gardens, closes and backsides as abut the wheat grotten pingle and the rest of the yards and gardens, ranging from the end of the barn to an ash tree standing in the pales against the walk, and so from the other end of the barn, through the middle of the watering pond, to the hedge of the wheat grotten pingle, with half the pond, an adjoining piece called The Spott, and two pieces (as now divided), lying between the long walk and four pieces belonging to the Almerly House and leased to John Purfeild with it (Volume 67, Item 20) 2 The Mancy Wood and The Wheatearsh (36 acres), four pieces of land (50 acres; NE: Battle-Ashburnham road; SW: piece formerly called The Brickhilne Copce; E: John Brooke, gent), and all the other land formerly enjoyed by SG with the Almerly House, except that now leased to Purfeild 3 Seven pieces of land behind SG's tenement called The Deanery Field (4 acres), a piece on its E (3 acres), The Barnfield (4 acres), The Six Acre Field (6 acres), The Corner Field (1 acre), a field adjoining a close occupied by William Medhurst (4 acres) and a little pightle (½ acre) 4 All tithes from the premises Liberty to dig marlpits on half an acre of Brickhilne Copce; timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it, hawking, hunting and fishing reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing The Spott, The Deanery Field and the six fields behind SG's tenement.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tournier, Peter Crosse</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 162/2</p>

	<p>Deeds of estates in Battle. 1676-1696.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9935/2</p>
<p>Volume 68 Item 1</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1676 at £5. 1 March 1677.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Back of Battle, gent Closes called The Kelke (25 acres) in Battle, occupied by JB, before Walter Gaylour Timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and remove it reserved; the rent payable at Battle House. Witnesses: John Tourner, James Richardson</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 164/4</p>
<p>Volume 68 Item 2</p>	<p>Lease for 21 years from 29 September 1676 at £4. 11 November 1676.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Hammond of Battle, joiner Four pieces of brookland and upland called Pepperingeye Lands in Battle, occupied by JH Hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 and acre for ploughing brookland, save that The Upper Brook may be sown with one crop of wheat; JH to maintain the way between a waingate at the entrance to the premises in the way which leads from John Wimble's, to a whapple gate at the exit of the premises into the way leading to Sir Nicholas Pelham's; JH may build a powder-mill and such other buildings necessary for the making of powder, and remove them if he does not continue in occupation at the end of the term; JH may plant all or any of the land with hops without paying more rent, and leave that land well stocked with hop-sets and plants at the end of the term. Witnesses: John Tourner, James Keith, William Jarvis Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 68, Item 3.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 164/3</p>
<p>Volume 68 Item 3</p>	<p>Counterpart lease. 11 November 1676.</p> <p>Notes: Second membrane wanting. Related materials: For lease, see Volume 68, Item 2.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 164/3</p>
<p>Volume 68 Item 4</p>	<p>Counterpart lease. 21 October 1677.</p> <p>Endorsed: An allowance of 4 cords of wood on the stub to be burnt on the premises, and an agreement that RJ shall not put cattle in the copse by the mill within four years after every felling of it. Related materials: For lease, see Volume 69, Item 3.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 164/5</p>
<p>Volume 68 Item 5</p>	<p>Unexecuted lease for 11 years from 25 March 1679 at £3. 26 March 1679.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Richard Rutter of Battle, cordwainer Piece of land called The Ten Acres (10 acres), part of the Little Park in Battle (adjoining Eastons Croft, a piece of Richard Chapman's land and a piece late Gunters, occupied by John Purfeild, gent) Timber, wood and underwood, quarries of stone and metal, with liberty to enter and take them, reserved; hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 164/9</p>
Volume 68 Item 6	<p>Counterpart lease, apparently unexecuted. 2 September 1680.</p> <p>Endorsed: Thomas Bunce's lease and his agreement and bill.</p> <p>Related materials: For lease, see Volume 68, Item 9; for a Memorandum for a contract for a lease of Almerly House and land, 2 July 1680, see Volume 68, Item 8A.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 165/2</p>
Volume 68 Item 7	<p>Counterpart lease. 22 January 1681.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Back, John Purfeild, Joseph Newington, Bernard Tournier.</p> <p>Related materials: For lease, see Volume 68, Item 10.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 165/6</p>
Volume 68 Item 8A	<p>Memorandum for a contract for a lease of Almerly House and land as counterpart lease (Volume 68, Item 6), Mr James Richardson on behalf of Francis [Browne], viscount Montague, with Thomas Bunce of Catsfield; provides for the landlord to put the buildings in good repair and to allow four cords of wood annually. 2 July 1680.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Byshop, John Purfield</p> <p>Endorsed: Except a right of way to pieces of land, part of the Little Park, occupied by Jonas Lulham.</p> <p>Related materials: For the 2 September 1680 lease between Browne and Bunce, see Volume 68, Item 9; for the counterpart lease, see Volume 68, Item 6.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 165/2</p>
Volume 68 Item 8B	<p>Licence by Francis [Browne], viscount Montague, to Thomas Bunce, to plough three of the four pieces of meadow and pasture north of two fields adjoining the long walk, next to Mancy Wood (the meadow adjoining the backside of the town excepted) for 16 years, despite the covenant in his lease; cancelled by removal of seals. 1 March 1681.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tournier, James Keith</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 165/2</p>
Volume 68 Item 9	<p>Lease for 21 years from 29 September 1680 at £80. 2 September 1680.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Bunce of Catsfield, yeoman</p> <p>1 Messuage or dwelling-house called The Almerly House with barns, stables, buildings, courts, gardens, orchards and backsides, an adjoining piece of land called the Spott, a piece called The Wheat Grotten Pingle, two pieces of land (as now divided) adjoining the long walk, and two pieces to their N, all lately occupied by John Purfeild, gent</p> <p>2 The Mancy Wood and The Wheat Earsh (36 acres), four pieces of land (50 acres) with a barn (NE: Battle-Ashburnham road; SW: piece formerly called The Brickhilne Copce; E: late John Brooke, gent)</p> <p>3 Seven pieces of land behind the tenement of Thomas Westerne, gent, called The Deanery Field (4 acres), a piece on its E (3 acres), The Barnfield (4 acres), The Six Acre Field (6 acres), The Corner Field (1 acre), a field adjoining a close occupied by William Medhurst (4 acres) and a little pightle (½ acre), all occupied by FB and Daniel Sivyver, late Peter Gott, esq, deceased and John Purfeild</p> <p>4 All tithes from the premises</p> <p>Liberty to dig marlpits on an acre of Brickhilne Copce; timber, wood and underwood and the</p>

	<p>liberty to enter and take it, game, hawking, hunting and fishing reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing The Spott, The Deanery Field and the four fields late Purfeild and the six fields behind Westernne's tenement; if FB or any wife of his come to live at Battle House, FB may re-enter land called The Spott, subject to PG's right of way and an annual payment of 20 shillings.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tourner, James Keith, William Wainman</p> <p>Endorsed: Thomas Bunce his lease and Thomas Snapp's articles for sale of iron 1688.</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 68, Item 6; for a Memorandum for a contract for a lease of Almerly House and land, 2 July 1680, see Volume 68, Item 8A.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 165/2</p>
Volume 68 Item 10	<p>Lease for 21 years from 29 September 1680 at £4 10s 0d. 22 January 1681.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Smith of Battle, innholder Piece of land called The Upper Lidcocks (6 acres) in Battle, occupied by TS Timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tourner, John Francis, Nicholas Tourner, John Morison</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 68, Item 7.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 165/6</p>
Volume 68 Item 11	<p>Counterpart lease for 20 years from 25 March 1682 at £32. 7 September 1682.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Easton of Battle, yeoman Messuage and land called Loose Farm, with its great tithes, in Battle, occupied by JE, except a 4-acre piece of land, formerly part of the farm, now let to Thomas Smith Liberty to dig limestone on FB's land called Eastlands in Battle, and burn it for the improvement of the farm; timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tourner, Thomas Nepiker, Nicholas Tourner</p> <p>Endorsed: JE to have the underwood for firebote; Witnesses: John Tourner, James Richardson.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 165/6</p>
Volume 68 Item 12	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 29 September 1683 at £18. 21 October 1683.</p> <p>Description: Elizabeth [Browne], dowager countess Montague to Thomas Easton of Battle, yeoman Land called Corenore and Bowland Brookes in Battle, Whatlington and Sedlescombe, with its great tithes, lately occupied by Richard Gier, gent, deceased, with a right of way for animals and vehicles through Petley Wood from TE's farm called Knights otherwise Petley Timber and trees, and the liberty to enter and take them, reserved; penalty of £2 an acre for ploughing meadow; EB to make a wain-bridge over the ditch or river which runs between The Horse Brook and The Eleven Acre Brook, part of the premises, for TE's use.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Packe, John Purfeild, Henry Purfeild</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 165/9</p>
Volume 68 Item 13	<p>Bond of George Packe of Battle, innholder, and Thomas Smith the elder of Battle, yeoman, to Elizabeth [Browne], dowager countess Montague, in £200, for GP's performance of the office of bailiff and receiver for the quitrents of the manors of Battle, Barnhorn, Swineham and Stone, at a salary of £6 a year at pleasure. 13 October 1683.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Wimble, John Reed, John Purfeild</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 165/8</p>
Volume 68 Item 14	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years at £35. 11 April 1684.</p> <p>Description: Richard Stiles of Eastbourne, gent (on behalf of Elizabeth [Browne], dowager countess Montague), to John Back of Battle, gent. All the parsonage tithes paid by the owners and occupiers of land in Battle, except land within either of the lately disparked parks, land occupied by EB, James Richardson gent, William Davis, gent, and the farm called Loose, occupied by John Easton, the rent payable to EB or RS on 2 February.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Purfeild, Henry Purfeild</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 166/1</p>
Volume 68 Item 15	<p>Lease for 21 years from 29 September 1685 at £9. 29 January 1686.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to William Jarvis of Battle, miller Two pieces of land called The South Downes (10 acres), an adjoining piece (4 acres) and a piece formerly part of Loose Farm (4 acres), with the great tithes, in Battle, occupied by WJ, late Thomas Smith</p> <p>Liberty to dig marl on Loose Farm with the consent of the farmer; timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tournier, Nicholas Tournier, Bernard Tournier</p> <p>Endorsed: Assignment by WJ's executor John Jarvis of Battle, miller, to Robert Spiller of Burwash, gent, for £20; W: Thomas Smith, T Thoibe; 9 December 1699.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 166/3</p>
Volume 68 Item 16	<p>Counterpart lease. 15 September 1685.</p> <p>Related materials: For lease, see Volume 68, Item 17.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 166/2</p>
Volume 68 Item 17	<p>Lease for 21 years from 25 March 1685 at £10. 15 September 1685.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to James Richardson of Battle, gent Meadow called The Culvercroft and Stewes (7 acres), a piece of land next to Bathurst Wood, part of the Spittle Land (4 acres), an adjoining piece called The Brachy Field (4 acres), and two pieces adjoining it called The Rough Landes (10 acres), all in Battle, occupied by JR</p> <p>Timber, and the liberty to enter and take it, reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: W Coldham, John Tournier, Bernard Tournier</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 68, Item 16.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 166/2</p>
Volume 68 Item 18	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 11 January 1688.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Thomas Austen and his wife Frances (daughter of William Moore and his wife Ann, the daughter and heir of Edward Marshall and his wife Ann, the sister of Edward Langham, gent, father of Alice Newington), on the second proclamation of the death of Alice, widow of Joseph Newington, esq; surrender by TA and FA to Joseph Newington of Battle, gent, who surrenders to the use of his will.</p> <p>Chaunses otherwise Chance Lands in the borough of Uckham, Battle, heriot 3s 4d certain, fine</p>

	<p>20d certain.</p> <p>John Purfeild, deputy of Edward Dyne, steward.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 166/4</p>
Volume 68 Item 19	<p>Lease for 7 years from 25 March 1690 at £65. 21 August 1690.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Longley of Battle, yeoman</p> <p>1 Newly built messuage called Marley House in Battle, with the barn and buildings and two pieces of land called The Barn Meadows, The Rye Gratten, The Brook, The Felon Field, The Sheepland Field, the two old gardens, four pieces called The Wellonds, three called Cornses Land, The Oxe Pasture, The Powdermill Croft and The Malthouse Croft</p> <p>2 Dwelling-house and adjoining farmland called North Batherst, with three pieces of land called The Powder Mill Land (formerly The Gatehouse Land) in Battle</p> <p>3 A piece of marsh (8 acres), part of Totts Marshes, in Bexhill</p> <p>4 tithes of the Battle land</p> <p>Liberty to dig limestone on FB's land called Eastlands in Battle, and burn it for the improvement of the farm; liberty to make marl-pits and to take marl in the adjoining Petley Wood and The High Toll, or any of FB's woods adjoining the property, in no more than a rod of ground in any one place, and in the marl-pit in an adjoining piece of land called The Course; timber, and the liberty to enter and take it, reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £2 an acre for ploughing Barnfield Meadow; FB will repair the fences, re-plank one of the threshing-floors in the barn, re-thatch its roof, remake the ditch between Marley and North Batherst lands and set a gate at the exit from Great Wellands Field into The Old Garden, within 18 months; FB to allow 8 cords of wood on the stem for firewood, and 3 acres or rife of spray whenever FB's woods shall be cut.</p> <p>Witnesses: W Coldham, Lawrence Alcock, Ralph Stapler</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 68, Item 21.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 166/3</p>
Volume 68 Item 20A	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 28 April 1556.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Marion, widow of John Boyes, on his out-of-court surrender (in the presence of William Boyes) to John Hayward to her use according to JB's last will.</p> <p>Land called Chaunces; heriot 3s 4d certain, fine 20d certain.</p> <p>Steward: William Roberth.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 68 Item 20B	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 5 October 1596.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Richard Boys the younger on the out-of-court surrender, in extremis, of his father Richard Boys the elder (in the presence of John Sackvill, esq, Robert Gybbons and John Boys).</p> <p>Land called Chaunces; heriot 3s 4d certain, fine 20d certain.</p> <p>Steward: John Downton.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 68 Item 20C	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 18 April 1621.</p> <p>Description: Grant to William Langham, gent, of licence to uproot and dig up all the trees, wood and underwood growing on land called Chaunces, and to WL and his wife Constance to carry away the crops and fruit of the tenement for 30 years; fine 6d. Steward: John Clerk.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Thorpe page/entry: [not found]
Volume 68 Item 21	<p>Counterpart lease. 21 August 1690.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Purfeild, Ralph Staple, George Purfeild, Edward Purfeild Related materials: For lease, see Volume 68, Item 19.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 166/7</p>
Volume 68 Item 22	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1690 at £4. 1 November 1690.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Hammond of Battle, joiner Four pieces of brookland and upland called Pepperingeye Lands in Battle, occupied by JH Game, hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; JH to leave the floodgates which were lately built at the joint charge of FB's deceased father and JH, at the end of the term; JH to repair the bridge on the road running through the premises, and maintain the way between a waingate at the entrance to the premises in the way which leads from John Wimble's, to a whapple gate at the exit of the premises into the way leading to Sir Nicholas Pelham's; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing brookland, except that JH may take one crop of wheat from Upper Brook; JH may build a powder-mill and such other buildings necessary for the making of powder, and remove them if he does not continue in occupation at the end of the term; JH may plant all or any of the land with hops without paying more rent, and leave that land well stocked with hop-sets and plants at the end of the term. Witnesses: Lawrence Alcock, Ralph Stapler Notes: The document has been annotated for the 17 May 1710 counterpart lease for same property (Volume 69, Item 28). Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 167/3</p>
Volume 68 Item 23	<p>Unexecuted [counterpart] lease for 7 years from 25 March 1690 at £50. 21 August 1690.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Wimble of Battle, yeoman Messuage or dwelling-house called The Almery House with barns, courts, yards, closes and gardens, and pieces of land at the W side of the town, with the tithes, lately occupied by Thomas Bunce, subject to a right of way for FB's tenants through land near the messuage, over land adjoining land called The Round or Short Walk to FB's adjoining land called The Horse Rase Timber and trees, and the liberty to enter and take them, reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing more than 1 acre of The Almery Meadow; FB to build a house of office near the messuage, repair the fences, re-plank the threshing-floor of the barn near the messuage and re-board the floor of one of the chambers in the messuage within 18 months; FB to allow 6 cords of wood annually. Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 167/1</p>
Volume 68 Item 24	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1690 at £10. 29 October 1690.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Robert Luff of Battle, yeoman Six closes called Spittle Land (19 acres), three closes called St Maryes Croftes (12 acres) and one called Muddles Croft (2 acres), in Battle, occupied by JH Timber and trees, and the liberty to enter and take them, reserved; the rent payable at Battle House. Witnesses: Ralph Stapler, George Purfeild Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 167/2</p>

Volume 68 Item 25	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Battle. 20 March 1691.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Goddard Newington, gent, as younger brother of Joseph Newington, gent; his surrender to JN's elder brother Samuel Newington, gent, who surrenders to the use of his will; licence to let for a term not exceeding 7 years from 25 March 1691. Land called Chaunces otherwise Chancelands in the borough of Uckham; heriot 3s 4d certain, fine 20d certain. John Purfeild, deputy steward.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 167/4</p>
Volume 68 Item 26	<p>Counterpart lease for 6 years from 25 March 1691 at £45. 1 April 1691.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Snepp of Battle, yeoman Lands, part of Battle Great Park, formerly occupied by William Derby, with a barn Timber and trees, and the underwood in the coppice between the Park Mill Land and the new pond in the park, the coppice at the Park Barn by Mr Fuller's and in Tilley's Coppice, and the wood on the W side of a hedge leading from the lower side of a coppice at the Park Barn, by a stream to the end of Bramley Field, the wood on the ground leading from the stream with a hedge on the W side of Bramley Field to the road to a cottage belonging to Ellyott, the wood between the fence and the road from the Park Gate to the gate at Stevens Crouch and thence to Ellyott's Cottage, where the fence comes up, now called Penhurst Gill, and the straggling woods on the heathy grounds by the side of the gill, with the liberty to enter and take them, and the right to build fences round them for three years after cutting, reserved; liberty for FB to lower the water in the new pond and take the fish, and to enter and take earth to repair the head of the pond; liberty for FB's tenant John Gilmore to enter with carriages to repair the powder-mill at the head of the pond; game, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: Lawrence Alcock, Ralph Stapler Endorsed: FB reserves the right to open the park gate near Mr Fuller's and to use the way through the lands to Battle House.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 167/5</p>
Volume 68 Item 27	<p>Lease for 11 years from 25 March 1693 at £33. 1 September 1693.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Francis Fowle of Battle, gent Messuage and 75 acres called Beach Farm in Battle, occupied by FF, late Thomas Snepp, and six closes called Mile Stone (30 acres) With the tithes, wood, underwood and trees and the liberty to enter and take them reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; FB allows four cords of wood for firewood.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Coldham, Lawrence Alcock, Thomas Morison Endorsed: To make a new lease at £34. Related materials: For a fragment of a letter with a memorandum of this lease, approximately 1700, see Volume 67, Item 27.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 167/9</p>
Volume 68 Item 28	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 25 March 1693 at £55. 1 April 1693.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Ticehurst of Sedlescombe, yeoman Messuage or dwelling-house called The Almery House with barns, courts, yards, closes and gardens, and pieces of land at the W side of the town, with the tithes, lately occupied by John Wimble, subject to a right of way for FB's tenants through land near the messuage, over land adjoining land called The Round or Short Walk to FB's adjoining land called The Horse Rase</p>

	<p>Timber and trees, and the liberty to enter and take them, reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing more than 1 acre of The Almerly Meadow; FB to build an oasthouse for JT to dry hops or malt; FB to allow 8 cords of wood annually.</p> <p>Witnesses: Lawrence Alcock, Ralph Stapler</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 167/6</p>
Volume 68 Item 29	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 25 March 1693 at £20. 1 May 1693.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Furner of Battle, yeoman</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Barn called The Little Park Barn with the close or gate-room enclosed from the field to its W 2 land formerly part of the Little Park called The Barnfield (at the E of the barn) with the adjoining stubble, The Lodgefield to its E with the adjoining little croft, the field E of the Lodgefield with the adjoining lane (adjoining the lands occupied by Michael Martin and Thomas Westernne, esq, and to a field, part of the Little Park, occupied by Thomas Gilbert) 3 land formerly part of the Little Park, lately occupied by William Medhurst, deceased (between Marley Lane, the gill between the land occupied by Westernne and the Barnfield, and abutting the land occupied by Westernne, a piece belonging to Thomas Smith the elder of Battle, a piece belonging to Battle Deanery and to The Barnfield) 4 all the corn-tithes of the land <p>Timber and trees, quarries of stone and iron, and the liberty to enter, make sawpits and coal-pits and take them, reserved; game, hunting, hawking, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: Ralph Stapler, Robert Furner, Samuel Brewer the younger</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 167/7</p>
Volume 68 Item 30	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 25 March 1693 at £23. 1 September 1693.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Gilbert of Battle, yeoman</p> <p>Barn and land called The Ashen Shaw and Fosters Land (60 acres), part of the Little Park in Battle, occupied by JG, late George Christopher</p> <p>With the great tithes of the land, wood, underwood and trees, and the liberty to enter and take them, reserved; game, hunting, hawking and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £1 an acre for ploughing more than 20 acres in the last five years of the term.</p> <p>Witnesses: Lawrence Alcock, Ralph Stapler</p> <p>Related materials: For a fragment of a letter with a memorandum of this lease, approximately 1700, see Volume 67, Item 27.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 167/8</p>
Volume 68 Item 31	<p>Counterpart lease. 1 December 1695.</p> <p>Witnesses: Lawrence Alcock, Ralph Stapler</p> <p>Related materials: For lease, see Volume 68, Item 33.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 168/2</p>
Volume 68 Item 32	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 25 March 1695 at £24. 1 April 1695.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to William Sharpe of Battle, miller</p> <p>Messuage, watermill, barn, gardens, closes millpond and land in Battle, as held by William Jarvis, miller, deceased, and John Jarvis, with the great pond of water adjoining</p>

	<p>the mill, with floodgates, bays, banks, sluices and waterlays, lands called Pepperingeye Lands reserved; timber and trees, and the liberty to enter and take it reserved; hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the fish in the pond and the liberty to stock and draw it reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; FB will repair the messuage, mill, buildings, bays and floodgates within a year; WJ to live in the house during the term; FB to assign four cords of wood in addition to underwood growing from the tail of the pond up to Whites Pond.</p> <p>Witnesses: Lawrence Alcock, Ralph Stapler</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 167/10</p>
Volume 68 Item 33	<p>Lease for 7 years from 25 March 1696 at £34. 1 December 1695.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Francis Fowle of Battle, gent Messuage and 75 acres called Beach Farm in Battle, occupied by FF, late Thomas Snepp, and six closes called Milestone (30 acres), with the tithes Wood, underwood and trees and the liberty to enter and take them reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; FB allows four cords of wood for firewood.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Coldham, Lawrence Alcock</p> <p>Endorsed: To make a new lease at £34.</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 68, Item 31.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 168/2</p>
Volume 68 Item 34	<p>Counterpart lease for 14 years from 29 September 1695 at £11 10s 0d. 10 October 1695.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Westerne of Battle, esq Two pieces of land (6 acres), one formerly planted with cherry trees and called The Cherry Garden, and another between The Cherry Garden and Procession Field, and three closes (20 acres), all formerly part of the Little Park in Battle, with the tithes of corn, occupied by TW, late Jonas Lulham Timber, trees, quarries of iron and stone and the liberty to enter and take them reserved; game, hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £3 an acre for ploughing more than 1 acre during the last 7 years.</p> <p>Witnesses: Lawrence Alcock, John Hopkins.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 167/11</p>
Volume 68 Item 35	<p>Counterpart lease for 14 years from 25 March 1696 at £8. 1 May 1696.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Hamond of Battle, joiner Four closes called The Wenysers Pond Land and The Balling Wood (16 acres), formerly part of the Great Park in Battle, occupied by JH Wood, underwood, timber and trees, and the liberty to enter and take them, reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £2 an acre for ploughing The Pond Close and The Four Acre Meadow.</p> <p>Witnesses: Lawrence Alcock, Ralph Stapler</p> <p>Endorsed: JH to be allowed posts and rails for five gate-places.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 168/4</p>
Volume 68 Item 36	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 25 March 1697 at £3. 1 January 1697.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Gilbert of Battle, gent Two closes (formerly one) called The Ten Acres (10 acres), formerly part of the Little Park in Battle, occupied by TG, before Richard Rutter Wood, underwood, timber and trees, stone and iron-mine, and the liberty to enter and take them and to make coal-pits and sawpits, reserved; hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling</p>

	<p>reserved; the rent payable at Battle House. Witnesses: Lawrence Alcock, Ralph Stapler</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 168/5</p>
	<p>Deeds of estates in Battle. 1677-1714.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9935/3</p>
Volume 69 Item 1	<p>Unexecuted counterpart lease. 10 March 1698.</p> <p>Related materials: For lease, see Volume 69, Item 2.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 168/6</p>
Volume 69 Item 2	<p>Counterpart lease for 14 years from 25 March 1698 at £8. 10 March 1698.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Longley of Battle, joiner Three closes of meadow called The Eight Acre Meadow and The Four Acre Meadows (12 acres), formerly part of the Great Park in Battle (E: a lane leading to the Park Mill; W,N: FB's Menyers Pond, occupied by John Hamond), occupied by JL, late John Jarvis, subject to a right of way from FB's land occupied by John Hamond Wood, underwood, timber and trees, and the right to enter and take them, reserved; the rent payable at Battle Place; penalty of £2 an acre for breaking up the land. Witnesses: Lawrence Alcock, Ralph Stapler Related materials: For unexecuted counterpart, see Volume 69, Item 1.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 168/6</p>
Volume 69 Item 3	<p>Lease for 21 years from 25 December 1677 at £24. 21 October 1677.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to William Jarvis of Battle, miller Messuage, watermill, barn, gardens, closes millpond and land in Battle, as leased to WJ's father Robert Jarvis, with the great pond of water adjoining the mill, with floodgates, bays, banks, sluices and waterlays Lands called Pepperingeys Lands reserved; timber, wood and underwood and the liberty to enter and take it reserved; hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling, the fish in the pond and the liberty to stock and draw it; the rent payable at Battle House; FB will repair the messuage, mill, buildings, bays and floodgates within a year, and provide a good French stone for the upper stone of the wheatmill; WJ to live in the house during the term; FB to assign four cords of wood in addition to underwood growing from the tail of the pond up to Whites Pond. Witnesses: John Tournier, James Keith, John Hammond Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 68, Item 4.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 164/5</p>
Volume 69 Item 4	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 29 September 1695 at £5. 2 March 1696.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Back of Battle, gent Closes called The Kelke (25 acres) in Battle, lately occupied by TB's father John Back, gent, deceased, before by Walter Gaylour Wood, underwood, timber and trees, and the right to enter and take them, reserved; the rent payable at Battle House. Witnesses: Lawrence Alcock, Ralph Stapler</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

Thorpe page/entry: 168/3	
Volume 69 Item 5	<p>Lease for 11 years from 25 March 1679 at £3. 26 March 1679.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Richard Rutter of Battle, cordwainer Piece of land called The Ten Acres (10 acres), part of the Little Park in Battle (adjoining Eastons Croft, a piece of land now or late Richard Chapman and to a piece of land late Gunters, occupied by John Purfeild gent)</p> <p>Timber and quarries and the right to enter and take them, and to make coalpits and sawpits, reserved; hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tournier, James Richardson, Bernard Tournier</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 165/1</p>
Volume 69 Item 6	<p>Lease for 21 years from 29 September 1699 at £4. 16 September 1700.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Lawrence Luffe of Battle, yeoman Four closes called Brandhill (12 acres), occupied by LL, in Battle, with the tithes Timber and the right to enter and take it, and to make coalpits and sawpits, reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £2 an acre for ploughing meadow; detailed covenants for the deduction of taxes from the rent.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Taylor, Thomas Faithfull</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 169/2</p>
Volume 69 Item 7	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1700 at £9. 16 September 1700.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Robert Spiller of Battle, gent Two pieces of ground called The South Downs (10 acres), an adjoining piece (4 acres) and a piece formerly part of Loose Farm (4 acres), occupied by RS, in Battle, with the tithes Wood, underwood, timber and trees, and the right to enter and take it, reserved; hunting, hawking and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; RS may dig marl on Loose Farm; detailed covenants for the deduction of taxes from the rent.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Taylor, Thomas Faithfull</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 169/1</p>
Volume 69 Item 8	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1706 at £6. 9 July 1706.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Taylor of Battle, mercer Closes called The Kelke (25 acres) in Battle, lately occupied by Thomas Back, before by Walter Taylor [recte Gaylour] Wood, underwood, timber and trees, and the right to enter and take them, reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; JT to clear the two outer closes of bushes, furze and broom, marl them and make them fit for arable or pasture within two years.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Jenkin, Ralph Stapler, Henry Gardner</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 170/1</p>
Volume 69 Item 9	<p>Counterpart lease for 13 years from 25 March 1700 at £9. 16 September 1700.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Walter Parish of Hooe, yeoman Three pieces of upland (10 acres) and four of brookland (30 acres) called The Kitchenhams in Hooe, occupied by WP Hunting, hawking and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £2 an acre for ploughing meadow; detailed covenants for the deduction of taxes from the rent.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Taylor, Thomas Faithfull</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 168/9</p>
Volume 69 Item 10	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 25 March 1700 at £11. 16 September 1700.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Edward Badcock of Hooe, yeoman Piece of land called The Bramses, brook called The Nine Acre Brook and a piece of land, part of The Hooe Field (50 acres), occupied by EB, in Hooe and Bexhill Hunting, hawking and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £2 an acre for ploughing meadow; detailed covenants for the deduction of taxes from the rent. Witnesses: John Taylor, Thomas Faithfull</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 169/7</p>
Volume 69 Item 11	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 25 March 1700 at £75 10s 0d. 16 September 1700.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Durrant of Battle, yeoman <1 Lands called The East Lands in Battle, with the tithes> 2 Messuage called Almery House with barns and land at the west side of Battle Town, with the tithes, subject to a right of way through The Round or Short Walk from FB's adjoining land called The Horse Race <3 Meadow called The Little Loves Marsh and The Ox Marsh (13 acres) in Bexhill> Timber and trees, and the right to enter and take them, reserved; hunting, hawking and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow; detailed covenants for the deduction of taxes from the rent; FB to allow 8 cords of firewood annually. W: John Taylor, Thomas Faithfull. Witnesses: John Taylor, Thomas Faithfull Endorsed: FB to pay the tithes of 1 above to the parson of Whatlington, or the value thereof if the tithes are taken in kind.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 169/3</p>
Volume 69 Item 12	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 25 March 1700 at £20. 16 September 1700.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Snapp of Battle, yeoman Four closes of marsh called The Todds Marsh (30 acres) in Barnhorn [in Bexhill], occupied by TS Hunting, hawking and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £2 an acre for ploughing marsh. Witnesses: John Taylor, Thomas Faithfull</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 169/6</p>
Volume 69 Item 13	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 25 March 1699 at £79. 16 September 1700.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Alleyn of Battle, yeoman 1 Newly built messuage called Marley House with the barn and buildings, two pieces of meadow called The Barn Meadows, The Rye Gratten, The Brook, The Fellon Field, The Sheep Land Field, The Two Old Gardens, four closes called The Wellonds, three called Cornses Land, a piece called The Ox Pasture and two crofts called The Powdermill Croft and The Malthouse Croft, in Battle 2 Dwelling house and adjoining farm land called North Bathurst, in Battle 3 Three pieces called The Powdermill Land, formerly The Gatehouse Land, in Battle 4 Piece of marsh (8 acres), part of Totts Marshes, in Bexhill 5 Brook (3 acres) in Battle, lately bought from Robert Watts of Battle, mercer 6 The tithes of the land in Battle TA may take limestone in the usual places on FB's land called Eastlands in Battle and burn it to make lime for use on the premises and not elsewhere; TA may dig marl in Petley Wood and The</p>

	<p>High Toll and in any other land of FB adjoining the premises not exceeding one rod, and in the marl-pit in an adjoining piece of land called The Course; timber and trees, and the right to enter and take them, reserved; hunting, hawking and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £2 an acre for ploughing meadow.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Taylor, Thomas Faithfull</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 169/5</p>
Volume 69 Item 14	<p>Counterpart lease for 15 years from 25 March 1700 at £53. 16 September 1700.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Nicholas Weston of Battle, yeoman Barn called The Saxtury Barn with ten closes of land (60 acres), the two Baling Fields, the two Butts, Horse Pond Meadow and Standings, Five Acres Meadow, The Horse Rase and the Long Walk (35 acres), and two marshes called Two Rushey Marshes (16 acres), all occupied by NW, with the tithes of corn</p> <p>Timber and trees, and the right to enter and take them, reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £2 an acre for ploughing meadow; FB may take the 35 acres in hand with a year's notice, for which NW may deduct £24 from the rent.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Taylor, Thomas Faithfull</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 169/4</p>
Volume 69 Item 15	<p>Contract for variations to a lease. 7 July 1761.</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster, bt, with Henry Powell</p> <p>1 The Hilly Field, the small piece of land adjoining in which there is a pond, The George Meadows and two pieces called The Shipborne Lain Fields, in all 40 acres (E: The George Meadows; N: lands lately bought by WW from Mr Worge; W: coppice wood called The Manser Shaw [boundaries deleted]), part of WW's Almerly Farm, leased to HP</p> <p>2 Lodge, close, orchard and land in Battle, occupied by William Martin, lately bought by WW from Mr Worge</p> <p>3 House where HP lives with the adjoining barn, stable, buildings, closes and gardens</p> <p>4 Messuage, stable and land in Battle, occupied by Dr Duke, lately bought by WW from Mr Worge</p> <p>WW to take 1 above in hand from 10 October 1761, allowing HP £40 from the rent of £105; HP may occupy until 25 December 1761, with the exception of The Hilly Field, and such part of The George Meadows and the small piece of land as shall be staked out within two months.</p> <p>HP to take 2 above for six years from 10 October 1761 at £37 10s and a penalty of £10 an acre for ploughing, with liberty to make a watering place in a field adjoining The Manser Shaw and to take up as much of the hedge opposite as necessary, WW allowing post and rail; WW to put up gates at all the bar places leading to a gate in The Mansers, for a way to the Almerly Farm; WW to build a limekiln on Almerly Farm.</p> <p>HP to surrender 3 above to WW and move to 4 above on 10 October 1763; HP to rent the land of 4 above at 20s an acre, and to have the oasthouse and stable of 2 above; WW to build a barn, hogpounds and all other conveniences fit for a farmer and make a horsepond as soon as Dr Duke quits 4 above; WW to put the house, stable, buildings and fences in repair, HP finding carriage <but not turnpike tolls>.</p> <p>Witnesses: [blank]</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 69 Item 16	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 25 March 1707 at £23. 15 July 1706.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Ashenden of Battle, carpenter, and</p>

	<p>his only son James Ashenden Barn and 12 pieces of land called Ashenshaw and Fosterlands otherwise The Course (70 acres) in Battle, occupied by John Gilbert, timber, trees, wood and underwood, and the liberty to enter and take them, reserved Game, hunting, hawking, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow. Witnesses: Thomas Jenkin, Henry Gardner Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 170/2</p>
Volume 69 Item 17	<p>Counterpart contract for sale of wood at 5 shillings a cord. 6 October 1711. Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to Jarrett Halloway of Salehurst, gunfounder All the underwood on the stub in Great Beach Wood and Little Beach Wood (50 acres), in Battle JH to cut into cords 3 feet and one carfe long, not above 3 feet and one small draw batt in height at the delivery, and 14 feet in length, according to the custom of the country, to be cut, set and delivered by 31 May 1712, after which date he may enter the woods from the High Street with teams, wains and carriages, make coalpits and colliers' lodges in the woods and coal the wood until 29 September 1712; JH to pay 5s a cord in moieties on the day of delivery and on 11 November, the second payment to be secured by bond; HB may cut 5000 hop-poles free of charge, and his tenants may have the carriage of the wood and coal at the same rate as other persons; JH to leave standing and marked any tellows he may find. Witnesses: James Ashenden, Samuel Brewer Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 171/4</p>
Volume 69 Item 18	<p>Lease for 11 years from 25 March 1707 at £11 10s 0d. 8 April 1707. Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Joseph Lingham of Sedlescombe, miller Messuage, [barn deleted], stable, watermill, buildings and 12 acres in Battle and Sedlescombe, occupied by JL, late his father Thomas Lingham Timber, trees, wood and underwood, and the right to enter and take them, reserved; game, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow; abatement of £5 rent for the first year; JL to repair the property within six months, FB finding a pair of stones if necessary. Witnesses: W Coldham, Thomas Jenkin Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 170/3</p>
Volume 69 Item 19	<p>Counterpart lease for 14 years from 25 March 1708 at £3 12s 0d. 14 April 1708. Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Rutter of Battle, cordwainer Two closes of land called The Ten Acres (10 acres), formerly part of the Little Park in Battle, occupied by TR, before Thomas Gilbert, before Richard Rutter Wood, underwood, timber and trees, quarries of stone and metals, and the right to enter and take them, and to make coalpits and sawpits, reserved; hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House. Witnesses: Thomas Jenkin, John Cockrum, Henry Gardner Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 170/4</p>
Volume 69 Item 20	<p>Counterpart lease for 14 years from 29 September 1695 at £20. 10 October 1695. Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Westerne of Battle, esq Six closes called The Deanary land (20 acres), formerly part of the Little Park in Battle, with the tithes</p>

	<p>Timber and trees, quarries of stone and metals, and the right to enter and take them, reserved; game, hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £3 an acre for ploughing during the last seven years of the term.</p> <p>Witnesses: Lawrence Alcock, John Hopkins</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 168/1</p>
Volume 69 Item 21	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1710 at £31 10s Od. [blank] 1710.</p> <p>Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to James Ashenden of Battle, gent Six pieces of land called The Deanary land (20 acres), and five other pieces (26 acres), both formerly part of the Little Park in Battle, with the tithes, occupied by JA, before Thomas Western, esq</p> <p>Timber and trees, quarries of stone and metals, and the right to enter and take them, reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow; JA to deliver a parchment terrier of the boundaries of the land, which shall specify their names, boundaries, quantities and abuttals, by 29 September next, and renew it every [blank] years if requested.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Jackson, John Cockrum</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 168/1</p>
Volume 69 Item 22	<p>Unexecuted counterpart lease for 7 years from [blank] at £54. 17 May 1710.</p> <p>Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to Richard Hooke of Battle, yeoman 1 Messuage and 75 acres called Beach Farm in Battle, and six closes called Mile Stone (30 acres), with the tithes, lately occupied by Francis Fowle 2 Four pieces called Todds Marshes (20 acres) [in Bexhill], lately occupied by Thomas Sneep</p> <p>Wood, underwood, timber and trees and the liberty to enter and take them reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; RH to deliver a parchment terrier of the boundaries of the land, which shall specify their names, boundaries, quantities and abuttals, by 17 May 1711, and renew it every seventh year if requested; HB to allow [blank] cords for firewood; RH may dig marl in HB's adjoining woods and remove it only when they are felled, and may have 15 loads of furze or heath out of HB's park for burning lime.</p> <p>Witnesses: [blank]</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 170/5</p>
Volume 69 Item 23	<p>Counterpart lease for 5 years from 25 March 1710 at £43. 26 September 1710.</p> <p>Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to John Furner of Battle, yeoman Messuage and land called Loose Farm, with its tithes, in Battle, and two pieces of marsh (9 acres) in Bexhill, occupied by JF</p> <p>Timber and trees, and the liberty to enter and take them, reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Jackson, John Cockrum</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 171/3</p>
Volume 69 Item 24	<p>Lease for 21 years from 25 March 1710 at £16. 17 May 1710.</p> <p>Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to John Godden of Battle, innholder The Eastlands (40 acres) in Battle and Whatlington, occupied by JG, late Thomas Easton or Robert Sturtupp</p> <p>Timber and trees, and the liberty to enter and take them, hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Cowdray in Midhurst; JG to deliver a parchment terrier of the boundaries of the land, which shall specify their names, boundaries, quantities and abuttals, by</p>

	<p>17 May 1711, and renew it every fifth year if requested; JG may take down and remove any barns or buildings built by him during the term.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Jackson, John Cockrum</p> <p>Endorsed: JG may remove the crops and growth from the land, laying three loads of dung for every load of hay or straw removed; JG may dig, draw and burn limestone there, laying three quarters of it on the land.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 170/6</p>
Volume 69 Item 25	<p>Counterpart lease for 8 years from 25 March 1710 at £11 10s 0d. 24 September 1710.</p> <p>Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to John Lingham of Battle, miller Messuage, stable, watermill, buildings and 12 acres in Battle and Sedlescombe, occupied by JL, late Joseph Lingham Timber, trees, wood and underwood, and the right to enter and take them, and to view dilapidations, reserved; game, fish and fowl reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Jackson, John Cockrum</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 171/2</p>
Volume 69 Item 26	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 25 March 1716 at £64. 3 October 1716.</p> <p>Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to Jeremiah Gilbert of Hooe, yeoman Piece of land called Barnhorn Pond with four pieces called The Two Ponds Fields, The Thistley Field and The Hams, in Bexhill and Hooe, occupied by JG Timber and trees and the right to enter and take them, reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing without licence; JG to deliver a parchment terrier of the boundaries of the land, which shall specify their names, boundaries, quantities and abuttals, by 29 September 1717, and renew it every seventh year if requested.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Jackson, James Ashenden</p> <p>Endorsed: JG may plough the two Hoo Fields and Ardors Spott, which were formerly in tillage, without penalty; HB to rebuild the water-engine on the premises if it fall down by wind or storm.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 172/6</p>
Volume 69 Item 27	<p>Counterpart lease for 19 years from 29 September 1710 at £60 subject to six months' notice. 24 September 1710.</p> <p>Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to John Weston of Battle, yeoman 1 Messuage called Almerly House with barns, stables and buildings, with the land usually occupied with it (The Round Short Walk excepted), in Battle, with the tithes 2 Meadow called The Little Loves Marsh and The Ox Marsh (13 acres) in Bexhill Occupied by JW, late Thomas Durrant; timber and trees, and the right to enter and take them, hunting, hawking, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle Place; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow; detailed covenants for the deduction of taxes from the rent; FB to allow 8 cords of wood annually; should FB give notice, JW to be paid the value of improvements as assessed by two men; JW may have the use of the farm buildings until 1 May after the end of the term; JW to deliver a parchment terrier of the boundaries of the land, which shall specify their names, boundaries, quantities and abuttals, by 29 September 1710, and renew it every seventh year if requested.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Jackson, John Cockrum</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 170/9</p>
Volume 69 Item 28	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1709 at £4 and up to 20 pounds of gunpowder. 17 May 1710.</p>

	<p>Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to William Hammond of Battle, powdermaker Four pieces of brookland and upland called Peppering Eye Lands in Battle, occupied by WH</p> <p>Game, hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; WH to deliver such quantity of the best sort of gunpowder as shall be required by HB, his family and servants, not to exceed 20 lb; WH to leave the floodgates which were lately built at the joint charge of HB's deceased father and WH, at the end of the term; JH to repair the bridge on the road running through the premises, and maintain the way between a waingate at the entrance to the premises in the way which leads from John Wimble's, to a whapple gate at the exit of the premises into the way leading to Sir Nicholas Pelham's; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing brookland; WH may pull down and remove the powder-mills and buildings lately built by John Hammond should he not continue in occupation or take a longer term; JH may plant all or any of the land with hops without paying more rent, and leave that land well stocked with hop-sets or plants at the end of the term; WH to deliver a parchment terrier of the boundaries of the land, which shall specify their names, boundaries, quantities and abuttals, by 17 May 1711, and renew it every seventh year if requested.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Jackson, John Cockrum</p> <p>Notes: See also annotated 1 November 1690 counterpart lease for same property, (Volume 68, Item 22).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 170/8</p>
Volume 69 Item 29	<p>Counterpart lease. 19 September 1713.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Jackson, James Ashenden</p> <p>Related materials: For lease, see Volume 69, Item 39.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 171/9</p>
Volume 69 Item 30	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 25 March 1713 at £12. 25 May 1713.</p> <p>Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to John Russell of Westham, yeoman Three pieces of land (22 acres) joining the wall over against the sewer, a piece of brookland (4 acres), a meadow called The Millfield (6 acres) and two pieces of arable called Denzicks (20 acres) in Bexhill, occupied by JR, late John Tuttlesham</p> <p>Timber, trees, hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow; JR to deliver a parchment terrier of the boundaries of the land, which shall specify their names, boundaries, quantities and abuttals, by 25 May 1714, to be renewed every five years if required .</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Jackson, James Ashenden</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 171/8</p>
Volume 69 Item 31	<p>Contract for sale of wood at 6s 6d a cord. 1 October 1724.</p> <p>Description: Richard Hay of Battle, esq, to Thomas Webster of Battle Place, bt All the underwood on the stub in Sprays Wood otherwise Highwood (56 acres), in Battle, reserving the coopers' ash, hazel, holly for whips and alder fit for turners' use TW to cut into cords 3 feet and one carfe long, not above 3 feet and one small draw batt in height at the delivery, and 14 feet in length, according to the custom of the country, to be cut, set and delivered by 10 May 1725, after which date he may enter the woods with teams, wains and carriages, make coalpits and colliers' lodges in the woods and coal the wood until 29 September 1725; JH to pay 6s 6d a cord in moieties on the day of delivery and on 11 November 1725.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Ashenden, Samuel Brewer</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 174/8</p>
Volume 69 Item 32	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 25 March 1713 at £4 5s 0d. 24 May 1713.</p> <p>Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to Frances Ashenden of Battle, widow Three pieces of land called The Middle and Lower Lidcocks (8 acres) in Battle, with the corn-tithe, occupied by FA Timber and trees reserved; the rent payable at Battle Place; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow; FA to deliver a parchment terrier of the boundaries of the land, which shall specify their names and quantities, by 24 May 1714, to be renewed every seventh year if required. Witnesses: Nicholas Jackson, John Tournier</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 171/6</p>
Volume 69 Item 33	<p>Lease for 7 years from 25 December 1712 at £22. [blank] 1713.</p> <p>Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Blackman of Ninfield, yeoman, and his son Philip Blackman Four pieces called Todds Marshes (32 acres) in Bexhill], lately occupied by [Richard] Hooke Timber and trees and the liberty to enter and take them, hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow. Witnesses: Nicholas Jackson, John Tournier Related materials: For the unexecuted counterpart, see Volume 71, Item 16.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 171/5</p>
Volume 69 Item 34	<p>Settlement (covenant to levy a fine). 20 April 1714.</p> <p>Description: Frances Newington, only daughter and heir of Samuel Newington of London, woollendraper, deceased (brother and heir of Joseph Newington of Battle, gent, deceased), to Thomas Fuller the elder of Catsfield, gent 1 Barn and 50 acres called Wattses otherwise Burnt Chimbneys in Battle, occupied by John Wood, late John Longley (E: Thankfull Bishopp, gent; S: Richard Weeks, gent, deceased; W,N: woodland of Henry [Browne], viscount Montague) 2 Five pieces of marsh called East Lampham otherwise Little Lampham (60 acres) in Hooe Level, Pevensey, occupied by William Weston 3 Land called Doggetts and The Butts (23 acres) and brooks called Doggetts Brooks, The Hand Brook and Hepdens Brooks (13 acres), together in Hooe Level, Pevensey, occupied by William Springett (S: John Hunt; W: the haven or watercourse from Boreham Bridge to Pevensey; E,N: heirs of Obediah Soan, Thomas Scarlett, [blank] Peirce deceased) 4 Land called Younglands (16 acres) in Hooe and Ninfield, occupied by William Springett All late SN; TF to hold 1 above in trust for FN absolutely, and 2-4 above to his own use. Witnesses: Christopher Powell, Edward Spiller</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 172/2</p>
Volume 69 Item 35	<p>Unexecuted lease for [blank] years from 25 March 1715 at £29. 1 October 1714.</p> <p>Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to John Weston of Battle, yeoman Barn called The Saxtury Barn with ten closes of land (60 acres), and two marshes called Two Rushey Marshes (16 acres), all occupied by JW, in Battle, with the tithes of corn, subject to a right of way to HB's Great Park Timber and trees, and the right to enter and take them, hunting, hawking, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty for ploughing meadow. Witnesses: [blank]</p>

	<p>Notes: Although the deed has been signed by Montague, it is unwitnessed and the text is incomplete.</p> <p>Related materials: For unexecuted counterpart, see Volume 69, Item 37.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 172/4</p>
Volume 69 Item 36	<p>Cancelled counterpart lease for 15 years from 25 March 1714 at £10. 1 October 1714.</p> <p>Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to Tobias Daw of Hooe, yeoman Three pieces of upland (10 acres) and four of brookland (30 acres) called The Kitchenhams in Hooe, occupied by TD The rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £2 an acre for ploughing meadow.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Jackson, John Tournier</p> <p>Notes: Tobias written over an erasure throughout; the deed has been cancelled by the removal of the seal.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 172/5</p>
Volume 69 Item 37	<p>Unexecuted counterpart lease. 1 October 1714.</p> <p>Related materials: For unexecuted lease, see Volume 69, Item 35.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 172/4</p>
Volume 69 Item 38	<p>Unexecuted lease for 21 years from 29 September 1714 at £12. 1 October 1714.</p> <p>Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to Lawrence Luff of Battle, yeoman Six closes called Brandhill Spittle Land (19 acres), three closes called St Marys Croft (12 acres), and a piece of land called Muddles Croft 2 acres), occupied by LL, in Battle, with the great tithes Timber and the right to enter and take them reserved; the rent payable at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: [blank]</p> <p>Notes: Although the deed has been signed by Montague, it is unwitnessed.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 172/3</p>
Volume 69 Item 39	<p>Lease for 9 years from 25 March 1713 at £8. 19 September 1713.</p> <p>Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to George Huntley of Whatlington, yeoman Four pieces of land in Whatlington and Battle, with the corn-tithe of the land in Battle, occupied by GH Timber, trees, hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; GH to deliver a parchment terrier of the boundaries of the land, which shall specify their names, boundaries, quantities and abuttals, by 19 September 1714.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Jackson, John Cockrum</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 69, Item 29.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 172/1</p>
	<p>Deeds of estates in Battle. 1718-1767.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9935/4</p>
Volume 70 Item 1	<p>Lease for 21 years from 25 March 1718 at £3 12s 0d. 5 October 1718.</p> <p>Description: Anthony [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Rutter of Battle, cordwainer Two closes of land, formerly one close, called The Ten Acres (10 acres), formerly part of the Little Park in Battle, occupied by TR</p>

	<p>Timber and trees, quarries of stone and metals, and the right to enter and take them, reserved; the rent payable at Battle Place.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tourner, William Murry</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 173/1</p>
Volume 70 Item 2	<p>Cancelled lease for 16 years from 25 March 1718 at £13. 5 October 1718.</p> <p>Description: Anthony [Browne], viscount Montague to John Weston of Battle, yeoman Two pieces of marsh called Bushey Marshes in Bexhill, occupied by JW Timber and trees, hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle Place; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tourner, William Murry</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 173/2</p>
Volume 70 Item 3	<p>Contract for sale of wood at 10 shillings a cord. 9 November 1719.</p> <p>Description: James Ashenden of Battle, gent (on behalf of Anthony [Browne], viscount Montague) and Thomas Cover of Brightling, gent (on behalf of Maximilian Western, esq) All the wood and underwood on the stub (except timber trees) now fellable in a coppice called Batherst Wood (20 acres), in Battle TC to cut into cords 3 feet and one carfe long, not above 3 feet in height and 14 feet in length, according to the custom of the country, to be cut by 10 April 1720, after which date he may enter the woods with teams, wains and carriages, make coalpits and colliers' lodges in the woods and coal the wood until 29 September 1720; the wood to be ready for delivery by 10 May 1720; TC to pay 10s a cord in moieties on the day of delivery and on 11 November; JA may have the rise and spray, and as many hop-poles as he shall think fit; TC to leave twelve tellows standing on each acre.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Brewer, Samuel Brewer</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 173/5</p>
Volume 70 Item 4	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 25 March 1719 at £11 10s 0d. 4 August 1719.</p> <p>Description: Anthony [Browne], viscount Montague to John Lingham of Sedlescombe, miller Messuage, stable, watermill, buildings and 12 acres in Battle and Sedlescombe, occupied by JL, late Joseph Lingham Timber, trees, wood and underwood, and the right to enter and take them, reserved; game, fish and fowl reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow; JL to repair the property within six months, AB finding rough timber.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Ashenden, Edward Rodgers</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 173/4</p>
Volume 70 Item 5	<p>Cancelled counterpart lease. 12 December 1728.</p> <p>Related materials: For cancelled lease, see Volume 70, Item 16.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 176/7</p>
Volume 70 Item 6	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 25 March 1722 at £86. 12 March 1722.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Place, bt, to Mary Huntley of Battle, widow 1 Messuage called Marley House with the stable, barns and land called The Great House Field (9 acres), The Little House Field (3 acres), Great Wellands (19 acres), The Long Wellands (11 acres), The Round Wellands (5 acres), The Square Wellands (8 acres),</p>

	<p>The Long Cornes (7 acres), The Square Cornes (6 acres), The Old Garns (12 acres), The Sheep Land (15 acres), The Acre Spot (1 acres), The Hangmans Croft (5 acres), The Lower Furzy Field (7 acres), The Upper Furzy Field (8 acres), The Well Field (9 acres), The Alder Plot (1 acre), The Little Clarks (4 acres), The Great Clarks (9 acres), The Little House Field (7 acres), The Great Broomy Field (20 acres), The Upper Furzy Field adjoining Bathurst Wood (12 acres), The Lower Furzy Field (7 acres), The Felons joining Petley Wood (21 acres), The Rye Gratten (8 acres), The Barn Meadow (5 acres), The Old House Meadow (4 acres), The Pond Field (7 acres), The Devonshire Field (5 acres), The Hemp Plot (1 acre)</p> <p>2 Three pieces of brookland adjoining The Rye Gratten and Felons, the upper of 2 acres, the middle 4 acres and the lower 5 acres; four pieces of brookland called Bowland Brooks containing 6 acres, 5 acres, 4 acres and 4 acres; seven pieces of brookland called Sedlescombe Brooks containing 6 acres, 7 acres, 2 acres, 7 acres, 5 acres, 2 acres, 1 acre</p> <p>3 A piece of marsh called Todds Marsh (8 acres) [in Bexhill]</p> <p>In all 310 acres in Battle, Sedlescombe and Bexhill, occupied by MH</p> <p>Timber, trees, wood and underwood, quarries of mine, stone and marl and the right to enter and take them, the fish in the rivers and ponds, hunting, hawking and fowling reserved; penalty of £10 an acre for ploughing meadow, and £2 an acre for more than three crops of arable without marling and liming; TW to allow 12d for every rod of dead fence that MH turns into living or quick fence; TW to allow 12 cords of wood annually.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Ashenden, William Brewer, Samuel Brewer</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 174/1</p>
Volume 70 Item 7	<p>Cancelled lease for 11 years from 25 March 1722 at £100. 24 January 1723.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Place, bt, to Thomas Duke of Bexhill, yeoman</p> <p>1 Messuage and farm called Barkham Farm with barns, stables and buildings, and land called The Upper Cowding (9 acres), The Lower Cowding (4 acres), The House Field (5 acres), The Barnfield (11 acres), The Forestall Field (2 acres), The Woodfield (9 acres), The [blank] (5 acres), The Furnace Field (12 acres), The Millfield (24 acres), The Little Ponden (5 acres), The Great Ponden (12 acres), The Little Pavis (7 acres), The Great Pavis (9 acres), three other pieces containing 10 acres, 12 acres, 21 acres, and five pieces containing 5 acres in all, subject to a right of way for TW across The Millfield to Barnhorn Pond</p> <p>2 Twelve pieces of marsh containing 6 acres, 2 acres, 5 acres, 7 acres, 2 acres, 4 acres, 3 acres, 5 acres, 3 acres, 2 acres, 3 acres and 5 acres</p> <p>3 Upper Barnhorn Wood (10 acres) and Lower Barnhorn Wood (5 acres)</p> <p>In all 225 acres, occupied by TD, in Bexhill</p> <p>Timber and trees, quarries of mine, and stone and the right to enter and take them, hunting, hawking, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow, marsh The Little Ponders or The Little Pavies.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Ashenden, Samuel Brewer</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 173/9</p>
Volume 70 Item 8	<p>Conveyance ([lease and] release) for £360. [24]-25 July 1723.</p> <p>Description: Frances Newington of Boughton Monchelsea, Kent, spinster, only daughter of Samuel Newington of London, woollendraper, deceased (only brother and heir of Joseph Newington of Battle, gent, deceased), to Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt</p> <p>1 Barn and 52 acres called Watses otherwise Burnt Chimneys in Battle, occupied by Marmaduke Sadler and Robert Overy, late John Wood, before John Longley (E: Thankfull Bishopp, gent, Belcher Stringer, clerk, late Richard Weeks, gent; S: a watercourse from Breadsell to Westfield, land of [blank] Weller, before Abraham</p>

	<p>Yeilding; W: FN's copyhold called Chaunces, once Anthony Olley; W,N: TW's woodland, late Viscount Montague)</p> <p>2 piece of land (½ acre) called Bowlsters Well (N,W: watercourse from Breadsell to Westfield)</p> <p>Which descended to Alice wife of Joseph Newington of Burwash, esq, as niece and heir of William Langham of Battle, bequeathed by her to JN.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Frewen, Charles Frewen</p> <p>Related materials: For draft of the lease and release, see Volume 70, Item 9.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 174/4</p>
Volume 70 Item 9	<p>Draft for the lease and release, approved by Nathaniel Pigot [for the purchaser]. 17 July 1723.</p> <p>Related materials: For lease and release, see Volume 70, Item 8.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 174/3</p>
Volume 70 Item 10	<p>Deed of sale for £24 5s 0d. 1 October 1724.</p> <p>Description: Richard Hay of Battle, esq, to John [Ashburnham], Lord Ashburnham, and Thomas Webster of Battle Place, bt</p> <p>A pair of furnace bellows with the pipes, leathers, nails and all wood and iron tackle belonging to them, a pair of smith's bellows, a vice, a bickiron, an anvil, a roule, a spilling chiswell, three ships, two stopping hooks, a cinder hook, a harger, a moulding ship, a turn sow, a tuire hook [?tuyere], two plucketts, a shetter, a small moulding ship and two ringers</p> <p>All of which is at Beech Furnace, Battle.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Ashenden, Samuel Brewer</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 174/9</p>
Volume 70 Item 11	<p>Lease for 9 years from 29 September 1724 at £20. 10 August 1724.</p> <p>Description: Richard Hay of Battle, esq, with William Hills of Steyning, gent and his wife Mary, David Stone of Framfield, gent and his wife Martha, and Elizabeth Hay of Battle, spinster (three of the daughters and heirs of RH and his wife Mary deceased) to John [Ashburnham], Lord Ashburnham, and Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt</p> <p>Furnace or ironworks called Beech Furnace in Battle, with the messuage, outhouses, workhouses, ponds, bays, flood-gates, wheels, banks, streams, waters, boringhouse, buildings, yards, gardens and wastegrounds</p> <p>The rent to be paid to RH for life, and thereafter to his daughters named above and to his other daughter, Katherine Hay; tenants to pay rates and taxes, except those to be paid by landlords by act of parliament, and quitrents; RH to put the ironworks in tenantable repair by 29 September; lessors may have the fish in the ponds, and sew them three times during the term at times convenient to JA and TW; JA and TW may dig loam, sand and clay for repairs on RH's neighbouring land, the tenants of which may use all the usual ways across the furnace land.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Collier, John Eatten; William Dennett, Elizabeth Robinson; Sarah Kenward, Richard Banister</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 174/7</p>
Volume 70 Item 12	<p>Cancelled lease for 11 years from 25 March 1725 at £75. 10 November 1724.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Place, bt, to Thomas Smith the elder of Battle, gent, and his son Thomas Smith the younger of Battle, gent</p> <p>1 Meadows called The Hop Garden Meadow (5 acres), Horspond Meadow (5 acres), The</p>

	<p>Weenyard Meadow (4 acres), Hammonds Close (1 acre), Weenyard Pond Meadow (3 acres) and Hammonds Hopgarden (2 acres), lately occupied by TW</p> <p>2 pasture called The Standings (9 acres), The Upper Butts (4 acres), Upper Baldings (6 acres), The Lower Butts (5 acres) and The Lower Baldings (7 acres), lately occupied by TW</p> <p>3 Farm called Betts Farm, barn called Saxtrey Barn, ten pieces of land (60 acres), The Two Lower Fields (5 acres) and meadow called The Eight Acres (8 acres), lately occupied by Thomas Hull</p> <p>4 a right of way to Park Gate and Battle through TW's land let to John Tassell and William Dullvy</p> <p>In all 111 acres, in Battle, subject to a right of way for TW, and to the right of his tenants to dig marl; timber, trees, wood and underwood, quarries of mine and stone and the right to enter and take them, hunting, hawking, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing land in 2 above, and £2 an acre for taking more than three crops off the other land without marling and liming; TW to put the property in tenantable repair; TS and TS may take underwood from the hedges but not elsewhere; should TW raise his ponds and drown any part of the land, an allowance of rent is to be assessed by two persons.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Ashenden, William Brewer, Samuel Brewer</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 175/1</p>
Volume 70 Item 13	<p>Cancelled lease for 11 years from 25 March 1729 at £28. 20 November 1728.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Place, bt, to George Huntley of Whatlington, yeoman The Eastlands (40 acres) in Battle and Whatlington, occupied by GH</p> <p>Timber, trees, wood and underwood, quarries of mine and stone and the right to enter and take them, hunting, hawking, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle Place; TW to retain a key to the gates in the field next to the great road between Battle and Whatlington, with the right to pass through it; GH to repair the fences, boundaries <and lodge>.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Ashenden, Christopher Smith, Samuel Brewer</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 70 Item 14	<p>Underlease for 11 years from 25 March 1729 at £10. 12 December 1728.</p> <p>Description: Robert Furner of Battle, yeoman, to James Ashenden of Battle, gent The half-barn, the upper part of The Barn Field, The Stumble, The Lodge Field and Croft, The Fourteen Acres and lane, The Yew Tree Field, the croft next the Deanery Land, in all 40 acres occupied by JA, part of the Little Park in Battle, leased to RF by Thomas Webster, bt, by deed of even date.</p> <p>JA may take 1½ cords of the 12 cords of wood allowed by TW in the lease.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Furner, William Brewer, Samuel Brewer</p> <p>Endorsed: Consent to assignment by Thomas Webster, 13 December 1728.</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart underlease, see Volume 70, Item 15; for cancelled lease from TW to RF, see Volume 70, Item 16, and for cancelled counterpart, see Volume 70, Item 5.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 176/6</p>
Volume 70 Item 15	<p>Counterpart underlease. 12 December 1728.</p> <p>Related materials: For underlease, see Volume 70, Item 14.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 176/6</p>
Volume 70	<p>Cancelled lease for 11 years from 25 March 1729 at £82. 12 December 1728.</p>

<p>Item 16</p>	<p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Place, bt, to Robert Furner of Battle, yeoman</p> <p>1 messuage and land called Loose Farm</p> <p>2 two pieces of marsh (9 acres)</p> <p>3 barn called The Little Park Barn with the closes and gate-room, The Barn Field E of the barn with the adjoining stublet, The Lodge Field beyond with the adjoining Little Croft, with the field beyond to the E with the adjoining lane, in all 46 acres, part of the Little Park</p> <p>4 Pieces of land (32 acres), part of the Little Park, adjoining Marley Lane and The Deanery Land</p> <p>5 Pieces of land called The Ruffe Lands with the hopgarden (22 acres) all in Battle, with their tithes</p> <p>6 two pieces of marsh called Boulters Marsh (15 acres) in Barnhorn Level, Bexhill</p> <p>Timber and trees, wood and underwood, quarries of mine and stone and the liberty to enter and take them and to dig coal-pits and saw-pits, hunting, hawking, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle Place; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow; TW may make a hedge and ditch on the outside of any of the enclosed woods next to the property when it shall be felled, to be maintained by RF; RF may take 1000 faggots annually from TW's woods when they are felled; detailed agricultural covenants relating to marl and lime.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Brewer, John Furner, Samuel Brewer</p> <p>Endorsed: Surrender by RF's executor James Ashenden the elder and principal devisees William Ashenden, John Ashenden and James Ashenden the younger of the half-part of the barn, the upper part of The Barn Field, The Stumble, The Lodge Field and Croft, The Fourteen Acres and lane, the croft next the Deanery Land, and part of Martins Brooke, in all 37 acres, and a way to the barn through the retained part of The Barn Field where it stands, all of which is used by James Ashenden the elder, for an abatement of £9 15s 0d; Witnesses: Christopher Smith, George Worge; 11 February 1738.</p> <p>Related materials: For cancelled counterpart, see Volume 70, Item 5; for underlease from RF to James Ashenden, see Volume 70, Item 14.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 176/5</p>
<p>Volume 70 Item 17A</p>	<p>Contract for sale of wood at 6 shillings a cord. 4 October 1731.</p> <p>Description: Richard Hay of Battle, esq, to Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt</p> <p>All the underwood on the stub in RH's coppice called The Long Ashes Wood (37 acres) near Beech Furnace, Battle</p> <p>Trees, tops and lops and as many tellows as RH shall think proper reserved; TW to cut into cords 3 feet and one carfe long, not above 3 feet and one small draw-bat in height and 14 feet in length, according to the custom of the country, to be cut by 10 May 1732, after which date he may enter the woods with teams, wains and carriages, make coalpits and colliers' lodges in the woods and coal the wood until 29 September 1732; TW to pay 6s a cord in moieties on 10 May and 11 November 1732.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Hay, George Worge</p> <p>Endorsed: Receipt for £15 in part-payment in advance at RH's request; W: Christopher Smith, George Worge, 4 October 1731.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 177/6</p>
<p>Volume 70 Item 17B</p>	<p>Contract by Richard Hay to sell all such timber as shall be felled on his Battle estate in 1731 and 1732 to Thomas Webster, bt, at £1 7s 0d a ton, the timber to be delivered and cleared and the money paid at the usual and customary times. 9 October 1731.</p> <p>Witness: George Worge.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 177/7</p>
Volume 70 Item 18	<p>Unexecuted lease from 29 September 1733 for the life of the grantor at £20. 1 February 1732.</p> <p>Description: Richard Hay of Battle, esq, to Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt Beech Furnace in Battle, with the messuage, outhouses, workhouses, ponds, bays, floodgates, wheels, banks, streams, waters, boringhouse, buildings, yards, gardens and wastegrounds. RH may have the fish in the ponds, and the liberty to sew them once a year without prejudice to TW's work at the furnace; TW may take loam, sand and clay from RH's adjoining land for use at the furnace. Witnesses: [blank]</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 177/8</p>
Volume 70 Item 19	<p>Contract for a lease for 11 years from 25 March 1734 at £51 4s Od. 29 May 1734.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster, bt, to Thomas Tress of Salehurst, yeoman 1 Messuage, barns, buildings and land called Downbarn and Rayles in Battle, with the tithes, late Simmonds 2 the land in the Great Park beside the Cherry Garden, which Mr Thomas Smith now rents of TW, with the Cherry Garden, and two pieces of marsh in Barnhorn Level, [in Bexhill], now used by Thomas Smith, late Tinion, to hold from the expiry of his lease until the end of the term in 1 above, on the same terms as Smith holds, but with the liberty to plant 2 acres of hopground Timber, wood and underwood, mines of stone and ore, fish and fowl reserved; TW to put the buildings in repair by 29 September 1734 and to build a lodge and close, but no more than two closes to be on the land; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow; TT may plant 2 acres of hop-ground, and have 10 cords of wood and 600 faggots annually during the first two years, and 15 cords and 1000 faggots thereafter, to be cut and carried by TT, to include any wood to which TT is entitled by the lease of 2 above to Thomas Smith; TT to pay Mrs Simmons and TW for the wheat and corn now in the ground and for ploughing as is usual and customary. Witnesses: John Holman, George Worge, James Ashenden</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 177/10</p>
Volume 70 Item 20	<p>Unexecuted lease for 11 years from 25 March 1735 at £86. 5 January 1736.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to John Huntley of Battle, yeoman Marley Farm in Battle as 70/6, in all 310 acres in Battle, Sedlescombe and Bexhill, lately occupied by Mary Huntley, widow Timber, trees, wood and underwood, and the right to enter and take them, hunting, hawking and fowling reserved; penalty of £10 an acre for ploughing meadow, and £5 an acre for more than three crops of arable without marling and liming; TW to allow 12d for every rod of dead fence that JH turns into living or quick fence; TW to allow 12 cords of wood annually. Witnesses: [blank] Related materials: For unexecuted counterpart, see Volume 70, Item 21.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 178/1</p>
Volume 70 Item 21	<p>Unexecuted counterpart lease. 5 January 1736.</p> <p>Related materials: For unexecuted lease, see Volume 70, Item 20.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 178/1</p>

Volume 70 Item 22	<p>Cancelled lease for 9 years from 25 March 1736 at £158. 5 July 1736.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to Thomas Tress of Battle, yeoman 1 Messuage, barns, buildings and land (100 acres) called Downbarn and Rayles, late Simmonds, in Battle 2 barn, cherry garden and land (112 acres) in The Great Park, Battle, lately used by Mr Smith 3 two pieces of marshland in Barnhorn Level, Bexhill Timber, wood and underwood, mines of stone and ore, fish and fowl reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow; TT may have 15 cords of wood and 1000 faggots annually; TT not to have more than 4 acres of hops, 2 acres on 1 and 2 acres on 2 above, which are to be left in good condition at the end of the term. Witnesses: W Davis, William Masterson Endorsed: That the fields reserved from ploughing on the Great Park Farm (2 above) are The Standings, The Upper Butts, The Upper Baldings, The Lower Butts, The Eight Acres adjoining Mill Lane, The Hop Garden Meadow, The Horsepond Meadow, The Weenyard Meadow, The Hammonds Close, The Weenyard Pond Meadow and The Hammonds Hopgarden Notes: The document is endorsed 11 years and nine in the text is written over an erasure. Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 178/2</p>
Volume 70 Item 23	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 25 March 1738 at £100. 1 February 1738.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle, bt, to Thomas Duke of Bexhill, yeoman Barkham Farm in Bexhill as 70/7, in all 225 acres, occupied by TD, in Bexhill Timber and trees, quarries of mine, and stone and the right to enter and take them, hunting, hawking, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle Abbey; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow, marsh, The Little Ponders or The Little Pavies; TW to pay waterscots exceeding 18d an acre. Witnesses: George Worge, William Masterson Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 178/3</p>
Volume 70 Item 24	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 25 March 1740 at £23 7s 0d. 5 May 1740.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to William Baker of Battle, butcher 1 Three pieces of land called The Lower Lidcocks (10 acres) in Battle, occupied by WB, late James Ashenden 2 a piece called The Upper Lidcocks and several pieces called The Martins Land (31 acres) in Battle, lately occupied by Thomas Smith the elder, deceased Timber and trees, hunting and fowling reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow, but WB may plough those parts of The Lower Lidcocks near the hedges as have recently been grubbed for three or four crops at the beginning of the term. Witnesses: H Moore, George Worge Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 178/7</p>
Volume 70 Item 25A	<p>Copy receipt for the deeds of the house in Battle given by Mr [Maximilian] Western to the poor of Battle, left in the parish chest at a vestry called for the purpose. 18 September 1720.</p> <p>Description: Francis Weller and Thomas Carly, churchwardens, Thomas Hunt and Thomas Highland, overseers, to William Simmonds, dean of Battle, Richard Fuller, gent, and Thomas Smith, gent 1 lease and release, Thomas Western and Thomas Bard to Robert Benson, esq, 19 and 20 December 1672 2 lease and release, Thomas Western and Robert Benson to Maximilian Western, 22 and 23 March 1700</p>

	<p>3 admission of Maximilian Western to a piece of land six feet square, upon which a chimney is built, Battle court baron, 9 October 1714</p> <p>4 copy of those parts of Maximilian Western's will which relate to the house, 20 June 1718.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 173/6</p>
Volume 70 Item 25B	<p>Copy lease for 40 years from 29 September 1724 at £8. 1 December 1724.</p> <p>Description: William Simmonds, dean of Battle, Thomas Smith of Battle, gent, and Richard Fuller of Battle, gent (devisees in trust of Maximilian Western of Battle, esq, deceased), to Richard Hay of Battle, esq</p> <p>Capital messuage with the outhouses, buildings, coach-houses, stables, yards, backsides and garden in Battle town, occupied by RH and John Eaton.</p> <p>Original endorsed: RH may pull down the brewhouse and the room over it.</p> <p>Witnesses: Margaret Snapp, Samuel Brewer</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 175/2</p>
Volume 70 Item 26	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 25 March 1740 at £44 10s 0d. 10 April 1740.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to James Ashenden the younger of Battle, yeoman</p> <p>Barn, lodge and 14 pieces of land and hopgarden (90 acres), lately occupied by Thomas Hull, piece of land called The Upper Baldings and a cherry garden (19 acres) <and Lower Baldings (7 acres)>, all in Battle, occupied by JA, late Thomas Tress</p> <p>Timber, trees, wood and underwood, quarries of mine and stone and the right to enter and take them, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing The Eight Acre Meadow, Hammonds Hopgarden adjoining, a former hopgarden of 3 acres adjoining the powdermill pond at one end, and a piece called The Stumlets, and £5 an acre for taking more than three crops off the other land without marling and liming; TW to allow four cords of wood for firewood in lieu of the wood on the land.</p> <p>Witnesses: H Moore, George Worge</p> <p>Endorsed: Betts Farm; assignment from JA to his brother Robert Ashenden of Battle, yeoman, from 29 September 1741; W: George Worge, William Masterson, 22 September 1741.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 178/6</p>
Volume 70 Item 27	<p>Unexecuted lease for 11 years from 25 March 1740 at £72. 5 April 1740.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to Thomas Longly of Battle, yeoman</p> <p>1 Messuage, barns, stables, outhouses and land called Looze Farm in Battle, with the tithes</p> <p>2 pieces of land called The Rough Lands (22 acres) in Battle, with the tithes</p> <p>3 messuage, brick-kiln and land called The Kiln Lands (10 acres) in Battle, with the tithes</p> <p>4 four pieces of marshland (24 acres) in Barnhorn Level, Bexhill, all occupied by TL, late William Ashenden, before Robert Furner, deceased</p> <p>Timber, trees, wood and underwood, quarries of mine and stone and the right to enter and take them, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing seven pieces of meadow and brookland, and £5 an acre for taking more than three crops off the other land without marling and liming; TW to allow 12 cords of wood for any purpose, to include any wood saved in making hedges, and sufficient rise for 1000 faggots annually.</p> <p>Witnesses: [blank]</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>

<p>Volume 70 Item 28</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for a year from 25 March 1746 at £15. 1 September 1746.</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, esq, to William Gibbs of Battle, husbandman Barn and several pieces of land (60 acres) in Battle, occupied by WG Timber, trees, wood and underwood, quarries of mine and stone and the right to enter and take them, reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing seven pieces of meadow and brookland, and £5 an acre for taking more than three crops off the other land without marling and liming, should WW permit WG to continue in occupation so long.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Worge, Charles Thornton</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 179/2</p>
<p>Volume 70 Item 29</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 25 March 1747 at £40 10s 0d. 12 November 1747.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to Thomas Kellett of Battle, yeoman Barn, lodge and several pieces of land and hoggarden (74 acres), piece of land called The Upper Baldings and a cherry garden (19 acres), The Lower Baldings (7 acres) and two pieces of meadow called The Wainhouse Pond and Hammonds Hoggarden (7 acres), all in Battle, occupied by TK, late Robert Ashenden Timber, trees, wood and underwood, quarries of mine and stone and the right to enter and take them, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing The Nine Acres, The Seven Acre Meadow, Hammonds Hoggarden and The Wainhouse Pond, £5 an acre for taking more than one crop off The Barn Field and Upper Baldings without marling and liming and for taking more than three crops off the remainder; TW to allow four cords of wood and 400 of rise for faggots for firewood in lieu of the wood on the land; TK may take up to two loads of hay to his dwelling annually, replacing ten load of dung for each load.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Worge, Christopher Smith</p> <p>Endorsed: TK may have up to 2 acres of hop-garden, and may displant it if mouldy and replant elsewhere on the farm at a place to be assigned by TW; TK to take no more than one crop from the former hop-garden, and then lay it to meadow; TK to leave 2 acres of hop-garden well planted with setts at the end of the term</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 179/7</p>
<p>Volume 70 Item 30</p>	<p>Lease for 21 years from 29 September 1745 at £106 15s 0d. 12 November 1747.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to Thomas Peters of Sedlescombe, yeoman, and Robert Peters of Battle, yeoman 1 Messuage called Marley with the stable, barns and land (305 acres), in Battle and Sedlescombe, subject to a right of way to and from TW's powder-mill at Sedlescombe, worked by William Gillmore 2 Pieces called Part of Todds Marsh (8 acres), in Bexhill Timber, trees, wood and underwood, and the right to enter and take them, fish in the rivers and ponds, hunting, hawking and fowling reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow or brookland, and for taking more than three crops of arable without marling and liming from the remainder; should TP and RP clear any of the rough land, TW to allow 4s 6d for every 100 loads of marl spread on the cleared land, provided that they spread more than 300 loads an acre; TW to allow 11 cords of wood in lieu of the wood on the land, and spray for 1100 faggots annually for firewood, to be cut by TP and RP; should TW enlarge the Sedlescombe powder-mill during the term, he may take as much of the land as is necessary, making an allowance from the rent to be determined by two indifferent persons.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Worge, Christopher Smith</p> <p>Endorsed: TP and RP may have up to 4 acres of hop-garden, and may displant it if mouldy and replant elsewhere on the farm at a place to be assigned by TW; TP and RP to take no more than one crop from the former hop-garden, and then lay it to meadow; TP and RP to leave 3 acres of</p>

	<p>hop-garden well planted with setts at the end of the term.</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 70, Item 31.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 179/9</p>
Volume 70 Item 31	<p>Counterpart lease. 12 November 1747.</p> <p>Related materials: For lease, see Volume 70, Item 30.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 179/9</p>
Volume 70 Item 32	<p>Lease for 11 years from 25 March 1748 at £122. 13 October 1747.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to George Gell of Benenden in Kent, gent</p> <p>1 Messuage and farm called Barkham Farm with barns, stables and buildings, and land called The Upper Cowding (9 acres), The Lower Cowding (4 acres), The House Field (5 acres), The Barnfield (11 acres), The Forestall Field (2 acres), The Woodfield (9 acres), The [blank] (5 acres), The Furnace Field (12 acres), The Millfield (24 acres), The Little Ponder (5 acres), The Great Ponder (12 acres), The Little Pevis (7 acres), The Great Pevis (9 acres), three other pieces containing 10 acres, 12 acres, 21 acres, and five pieces containing 5 acres in all, subject to a right of way for TW across The Millfield to Barnhorn Pond</p> <p>2 twelve pieces of marsh containing 6 acres, 2 acres, 5 acres, 7 acres, 2 acres, 4 acres, 3 acres, 5 acres, 3 acres, 2 acres, 3 acres and 5 acres</p> <p>3 Upper Barnhorn Wood (10 acres) and Lower Barnhorn Wood (5 acres)</p> <p>4 four pieces called Totts Marshes (32 acres)</p> <p>In all 257 acres, lately occupied by Thomas Duke, in Bexhill. Timber and trees, quarries of mine, and stone and the right to enter and take them, hunting, hawking, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle Abbey; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow, marsh, The Little Ponders or The Little Pavis; TW to pay waterscots exceeding 18d an acre; TW to allow 1½ loads of post and rail annually.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Worge, Christopher Smith</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 70, Item 33.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 179/4</p>
Volume 70 Item 33	<p>Counterpart lease. 13 October 1747.</p> <p>Related materials: For lease, see Volume 70, Item 32.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 179/4</p>
Volume 70 Item 34	<p>Lease for 19 years from 25 March 1747 at £51. 12 November 1747.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to Thomas Peters of Sedlescombe, yeoman, and Robert Peters of Battle, yeoman</p> <p>Barn and pieces of land called Ashenshaw and Forster Lands otherwise The Course (113 acres) in Battle, lately occupied by Solomon Glyde, with pieces of brookland (14 acres) in Battle and Sedlescombe, subject to a right of way to and from TW's powder-mill at Sedlescombe, worked by William Gillmore</p> <p>Timber, trees, wood and underwood, and the right to enter and take them, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow or brookland, and for taking more than three crops of arable without marling and liming from the remainder; TW to allow 5 cords of wood in lieu of the wood on the land, and spray for 500 faggots annually for firewood; should TW enlarge the Sedlescombe powder-mill during the term, he may take as much of the land as is</p>

	<p>necessary, making an allowance from the rent to be determined by two indifferent persons. Witnesses: George Worge, Christopher Smith Endorsed: TP and RP may have up to 1 acre of hop-garden, and may displant it if mouldy and replant elsewhere on the farm at a place to be assigned by TW; TP and RP to take no more than one crop from the former hop-garden, and then lay it to meadow. Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 70, Item 34.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 179/8</p>
Volume 70 Item 35	<p>Counterpart lease. 12 November 1747. Related materials: For lease, see Volume 70, Item 34.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 179/8</p>
Volume 70 Item 36	<p>Counterpart lease for 6½ years from 29 September 1751 at £35. 6 July 1751. Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to Thomas Kellett of Battle, yeoman Messuage, barn, buildings, orchard and land in Battle, lately occupied by William Wybourne, four pieces of land (one lately a hop-garden and now sowed with barley), one piece of meadow and two of pasture in Battle, now in hand Timber, trees, wood and underwood, quarries of mine and stone and the right to enter and take them, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing four pieces of land lately used by William Wybourne, of which one adjoins the road on one side and the land used by [blank] Blundell on the other, and two of the pieces now in hand, and £5 an acre for taking more than two crops off the remainder without marling and liming; TK to maintain the thatch of the buildings which are presently thatched, and the window-glass in the messuage. Witnesses: George Worge, Isaac Ingall Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 180/1</p>
Volume 70 Item 37	<p>Contract for a lease for 11 years from 10 October 1767 at £33. 30 April 1767. Description: John Furner, on behalf of Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, with Samuel Cook of Battle, husbandman Farm, land and wood called Burnt Chimney (71½ acres) in Battle WW to put the buildings in repair and maintain them during the term; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing the field next to Chauncestream Wood and the field above adjoining the Barn Spot, and not to exceed 35 acres in tillage at any one time; SC to use five loads of lime every second crop or 300 of marl every third crop per acre; the coppice wood to be valued to SC by two men to be chosen by WW and SC; SC to cut the coppice wood between 12 and 16 years' growth, and be allowed for its growth at the end of the term; SC may plant up to 2 acres of hop-ground to be allotted by WW, to be laid to meadow after one crop when laid down. Witnesses: William Cook, John Jeffery Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 70 Item 38A	<p>Contract for a lease for 11 years from 10 October 1767 at £70. 5 May 1767. Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, with John Martin of Westfield, yeoman Messuage, barns, buildings and land called Down Barn, Railes, Thorne and Stevens (140 acres) in Battle, occupied by Eleanor Archer, widow WW to put the messuage and buildings in repair and maintain them during the term (the straw for thatching and window-glass, and carriage of materials excepted); timber, trees, quarries of stone and ore reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing The Oasthouse Field, the field next to it, and the field next to the close by the barn; JM to use five loads of lime every second crop</p>

	<p>or 300 of marl every third crop per acre, under penalty of £5 an acre; JM may take one crop from the hop-ground should he displant it, and then put it down to meadow; Eleanor Archer may use the barns, closes and convenient land for foddering until 12 May 1768, any dispute to be determined by two men to be chosen by each of them; the agreement to be carried into a lease as soon as possible.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Furner, John Fox</p> <p>Related materials: For a draft of this document, see Volume 70, Item 38B.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 70 Item 38B	<p>Draft contract for a lease. 5 May 1767.</p> <p>Related materials: For the final document, see Volume 70, Item 38A.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
	<p>Deeds of estates in Sussex. 1623-1772.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9936/1</p>
Volume 71 Item 1	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Barnhorn. 2 March 1689.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Mildred Betts age 7, daughter of John Betts of Bexhill, gent, and his wife Mildred, on the out-of-court surrender of Richard Weekes (in the presence of Richard Farley and John Woodall, tenants) to the use of his will, 9 April 1685. The third part of a customary tenement and land called Kewarst, which he had lately bought from Elizabeth Holloway, and another third part, lately bought from Ann Holloway. Admission of Mildred Betts as above on the out-of-court surrender of Jame Holloway, spinster, before John Purfeild, deputy steward, 19 July 1687. The third part of a customary tenement and land called Kewarst. Custody of the property and of Mildred Betts granted to her father John Betts until her majority. Deputy steward: John Purfeild.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 71 Item 2	<p>Conveyance for £900 and covenant to levy fine. 22 July 1633.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Brigden of Ewhurst, yeoman, to John Snett of Westfield, yeoman</p> <p>1 Messuage called Pralles Tenement with the barns, buildings and 120 acres of land and wood, occupied by TB, in Ewhurst (N: Pralle Crouch-Ewhurst Church road; E: land called Sherhams and Cateward, land late Thomas Rootes, gent, land late Thomas Peirce, gent, called Finches; S: Robertsbridge copyhold held by Thomas Pooke, Robertsbridge copyhold held by John Shether, land of Thomas Jordaine called Brasses; W: land of Thomas Jordaine, gent, called Brasses, and his customary land)</p> <p>2 A tenement, house and barn called Little Pralles (2 acres), occupied by Joseph Darbie, in Ewhurst (S: Staplecross-Ewhurst road; W: land called The Gonnes; N: the earl of Thanet's land; E: land called Homes)</p> <p>3 Two pieces of land called Gonnes (4 acres), occupied by Joseph Darbie, in Ewhurst (N: the earl of Thanet's land; S: Staplecross-Ewhurst road; W: land late Thomas Peirce, gent, Thomas Jordeine's land called Brasses; E: land called The Little Pralles)</p> <p>4 Two pieces of land called Homes (6 acres), occupied by Joseph Darby, in Ewhurst (N: the earl of Thanet's land; S: Ewhurst-Staplecross road; W: Little Pralles; E: customary land late Stephen Iden)</p> <p>5 Piece of marsh called Padiham Marsh (3 acres), occupied by TB, in Ewhurst (N,S,W: the earl of Thanet's land; E: a watercourse called The Mill Stream)</p>

	<p>Warranty against acts of TB's father Thomas Brigden; fine to be levied before Easter term 1634; of the consideration, £400 has been paid, and JS covenants to pay TB an annuity of £34 until his son Richard Brigden comes of age, and then to pay Richard £250 on his execution of a conveyance, then to pay TB an annuity of £17 until his son Thomas Brigden comes of age, and then to pay Thomas the son £250.</p> <p>Witnesses: Andrew Carter, Giles Burton</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 154/1</p>
<p>Volume 71 Item 3</p>	<p>Counterpart mortgage for £300 at 10%. 3 May 1621.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Brigden the elder of Northiam, gent, and his son Thomas Brigden, to Stephen Iden of Ewhurst, yeoman</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Messuage called Pralles Tenement with the barns, buildings and land and wood, occupied by John Aldridge, in Ewhurst (N: Pralle Crouch-Ewhurst Church road; E: land of John Tufton, kt called Sherhams and Cateward, land late Thomas Rootes gent, land of Thomas Peirce, esq, called Finches; S: Robertsbridge copyhold once held by John Randal, Robertsbridge copyhold once held by Edward Shether, land of William Jorden called Brasses; W: land of William Jorden, gent, called Brasses, John Randal's customary land) 2 Two crofts called Coby's Croftes (3 acres), in Ewhurst (W: Staplecross-Bodiam road; E: John Tufton, kt, Lawrence Peirse, esq; N: Lawrence Peirse, William Jorden's land called Brasses; S: John Snowe) 3 Two pieces of land called Gones (4 acres), in Ewhurst (N: John Tufton, kt; S: Staplecross-Ewhurst road; W: Lawrence Peirse, William Jorden's land called Brasses; E: land called Little Pralles) 4 Two pieces of land called Homes (6 acres), in Ewhurst (N: John Tufton, kt; S: Ewhurst-Staplecross road; W: Little Pralles; E: customary land late the heirs of Nicholas Partridge) 5 Piece of marsh called Padiham Marsh (3 acres), in Ewhurst (N,S,W: John Tufton, kt; E: a river called The Mill Stream). <p>Recites: lease to John Aldridge at £42 which has two years to run; sale of the wood on the premises to Mr Colepeper.</p> <p>Witnesses: Anthony Tuttesham the elder, Edward Brigden, John Conyers, John Snowe, Richard Freeman</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 151/7</p>
<p>Volume 71 Item 4</p>	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1635 at £90. 1 October 1634.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Bromfeild of Ewhurst, esq, to Nathaniel Powell of Ewhurst, gent</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 Manor house or messuage called The Court Lodge of Ewhurst, with the barns, stables, stalls, gardens and orchards, and the land late TB's father John Bromfeild, esq, deceased, in Ewhurst, occupied by NP and Joshua Freeman 2 The fair of Ewhurst with its fees and profits 3 Messuage, barn, garden and backside, occupied by John Carrier <p>Reserved: 105¼ acres marsh usually scotted for the waterworks of the River Rother; timber trees, with the right to enter, cut and take them; the right to keep courts at the Court Lodge, and the heriots, quitrents, reliefs and profits; hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling; penalty of 20 shillings an acre for sowing more than 20 acres with oats during the last three years of the term; TB to allow 20 cords of firewood annually or £5: TB to pay 5 shillings for every acre of underwood cut during the last year of the term, and 5 shillings an acre for every spring or summer's growth of wood or underwood after the last felling; NP to maintain the property, damage by fire or lightning excepted; NP to spread 2000 cartloads of marl, each of ten bushels, during the last ten years of the term; NP not to follow one crop of oats with another.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Thomas Lethbridge, John Kenward</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 154/2</p>
Volume 71 Item 5	<p>Counterpart lease from 25 March 1642 at £10. 4 October 1638.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague, Henry Compton of Brambletye [in East Grinstead], kt, William Ford of Harting, kt, and William Yalden of Lodsworth, gent, to William Carr of Mountfield, clerk</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">The rectory, advowson and impropriate church of St Mary in the Castle, Hastings, with all its tithes, glebe, offerings and profits</p> <p>For as long as WC shall remain parson of Hastings St Clement; the rent payable to FB at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Gyles, John Turner</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 154/5</p>
Volume 71 Item 6	<p>Grant of an easement for 5 shillings. 10 August 1659.</p> <p>Description: John [Tufton], Earl of Thanet, with his son and heir Nicholas [Tufton], Lord Tufton, to Nathaniel Powell of Ewhurst, esq</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">The right for NP to place pipes and conveyances in Knowle Well on JT's Shoreham Farm in Ewhurst, lately occupied by Richard Hoford, to dig trenches and gutters to lay pipes to bring water to NP's dwelling-house called Ewhurst Court Lodge, and to enter JT's land to cleanse and scour the pipes, compensating JT or his farmer for any damage 'by reason of the said aquaduct'.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Farbrace, Anthony Greene, Thomas Howell; George Hope, John Oker</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 160/4</p>
Volume 71 Item 7	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1661 at £20. 7 December 1660.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Richard Alchorne of Crowhurst, gent</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Piece of land called Barnhorn Pond (60 acres), with the closes of upland (20 acres) formerly used with it, in Bexhill and Hooe, occupied by RA, late Edward Randoll, Ralph Britton, Thomas Nepacre and Nicholas Maynard</p> <p>Wood, underwood, timber and trees, and the right to enter, cut, coal and take them, reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; RA covenants to drain Barnhorn Pond, and to maintain the hedges, ditches, grips and drains around it.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Thymelbye, John Tournier</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 161/6</p>
Volume 71 Item 8	<p>Schedule of deeds of three shops in Hastings, 1611-1715. Approximately 1730.</p> <p>Description:</p> <p>13 November 1611 mayor and jurats of Hastings to Thomas Stevenson, subject to a rent of 2s</p> <p>16 June 1619 Sebastian Stevenson and wife Sarah to William Barker for £23; three shops and an adjoining outlet; fine in Hastings court; bond to perform covenants</p> <p>6 & 7 December 1694 Richard Barker to William Taylor for £37; five shops and two chambers under the same roof; bond</p> <p>27 & 28 June William Taylor and wife Mary to Henry Carleton</p> <p>1695 £30; bond</p>

	<p>28 June 1695 bond from William Taylor and Thomas Elliot for quiet enjoyment</p> <p>1 & 2 March 1698 Elizabeth Marshall, widow, and Ann Barker, daughters and heirs of Richard Barker, eldest son of William Barker, to Henry Carleton for £6, the costs of a trial in which Carleton obtained the verdict</p> <p>11 March 1699 fine in Hastings court, William Taylor and wife Mary to Henry Carleton</p> <p>19 March 1715 mayor and jurats of Hastings to Henry Carleton; piece of waste N of the shops (E-W: 8½'; N-S: 7½'), rent 6d.</p> <p>Henry Carleton is still in possession.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 191/5</p>
Volume 71 Item 9	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1766 at 1s for £4 4s 0d. 3 November 1766.</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, lord of the manor of Robertsbridge, to William Bishop of Robertsbridge [in Salehurst], yeoman</p> <p>1 Cottage, garden and piece of land (17 perches), occupied by WB, in Salehurst (N: William Hicks; S: Robertsbridge-Brightling road)</p> <p>2 A piece of land (4 perches) opposite the cottage (S: William Hicks; N: the Robertsbridge-Brightling road).</p> <p>Witnesses: John Freeland, Richard Campbell</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 181/1</p>
Volume 71 Item 10	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1767 at 2 shillings for £2 2s 0d. 19 October 1767.</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, lord of the manor of Robertsbridge, to Thomas Hyland of Robertsbridge in Salehurst, yeoman</p> <p>Cottage and garden (22 perches), occupied by TH, in Salehurst (W: Battle – Robertsbridge road; E: William Hicks).</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Pearson, John Freeland</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 181/1</p>
Volume 71 Item 11	<p>Lease for 11 years from 25 March 1669 at £13. 1 September 1669.</p> <p>Description: Robert [Sidney], earl of Leicester, to Andrew Skynner of Sedlescombe, yeoman</p> <p>Pieces of land called The Hollow Whale, The Long Whale and The Neck of the Whale, Upper, Middle and Lower Genslyns, Fursey Genslyns, Wimble Cotts Croft and Calcots Field (33 acres), occupied by AS, late John Lockerson, in Sedlescombe and Whatlington Wood, underwood, timber and trees, and the right to enter, cut, coal and remove them, reserved; mines of ore and quarries of stone, fishing, hunting, hawking and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Penshurst Place, Kent; AS to fence against the woods called Calcottes, Wimblecotes and Cotterells Woods adjoining the premises every time they are felled, and keep horses, bullocks and cattle out of them for six years after each felling; AS not to plough meadow without licence, to marl between crops, not to follow oats with oats, and not to sow crops within the last three years of the term, all under penalty of 20s an acre; AS not to plant hoproots or hopsetts or sow clover seed.</p> <p>Witnesses: Gill Spencer, James Minch</p> <p>Endorsed: AS may have the herbage of three woods called Calcottes, Wimblecottes and Cotterelles Woods adjoining the premises from six years after they are felled until the end of the</p>

	<p>term.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 202/1</p>
Volume 71 Item 12	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 25 March 1701 at £10. 27 August 1701.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Tettesham [signs Tuttesham] of Hooe, yeoman Brook called The Redwish (4 acres), two pieces of arable called The Denzicks (20 acres) and a piece of pasture called The Millfield (6 acres), all joining the wall against the sewer, in Bexhill, occupied by JT, late John Burt Wood, underwood, timber, trees, hawking, hunting and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow. Witnesses: Ralph Stapler, Samuel Brewer</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 169/9</p>
Volume 71 Item 13	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 29 September 1704 at £63. 8 November 1704.</p> <p>Description: Elizabeth [Sidney], dowager countess of Leicester, to John Lulham of Robertsbridge in Salehurst, innholder Messuage, barns, stables, stalls, buildings and plain land called Brownes Farm and George Brook in Salehurst and Mountfield, occupied by JL, late William Harris Timber, trees, mines of ore and stone, and the established rights of way reserved; the term subject to ES's life. Witnesses: George Hooper, Thomas Callis</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 202/5</p>
Volume 71 Item 14	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 29 September 1704 at £140. 2 October 1704.</p> <p>Description: Elizabeth [Sidney], dowager countess of Leicester, to William Clarke of Salehurst, yeoman Tenement and farm called The Abbey Farm with its barns, buildings and land in Salehurst, occupied by WC Timber, trees, mines of ore and stone reserved; subject to the established ways, waters and watercourses for ES and the occupiers of the forge and furnace at Robertsbridge; the term subject to ES's life. Witnesses: Charles Olmieres, George Hooper</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 202/4</p>
Volume 71 Item 15	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 29 September 1707 at £10 for 6 years and £20 for 5 years. 1 July 1707.</p> <p>Description: Elizabeth [Sidney], widow of Robert [Sidney] earl of Leicester, and John [Sidney] earl of Leicester, to Thomas Snapp the elder of Battle, yeoman, and his eldest son and heir Thomas Snapp 1 Furnace or ironworks called Robertsbridge Furnace in Salehurst, and the furnace house, smith's forge and buildings usually held with it 2 The furnace pond and bays, with liberty of penning up the water and letting it down, to operate the furnace or to repair the bays, dams and floodgates 3 The brick-kiln near the furnace, with liberty of digging clay in the usual places to make brick and tile Reserving the fish in the pond and liberty of fishing, and to draw out the water to take the fish, except when the furnace is working, or within two months before; right of entry to survey for repairs.</p>

	<p>The rent to be paid to Elizabeth for life, thereafter to John; TS and TS to maintain, the landlords allowing rough timber; TS and TS may use all the usual ways across the landlords' estate; TS and TS may bring all such stock to the furnace necessary for its blowing and working before the beginning of the term; they may take the rise and spray of all the timber to be cut by the landlords, for use at the furnace.</p> <p>Witnesses: Charles Olmieres, George Hooper</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 202/6</p>
Volume 71 Item 16	<p>Counterpart lease, unexecuted. [blank] 1713.</p> <p>Related materials: For the lease, see Volume 69, Item 33.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 171/7</p>
Volume 71 Item 17	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1715 at £3. 8 December 1715.</p> <p>Description: John [Sidney], earl of Leicester, to John Warden of Cuckfield, gent All the wood and underwood on JW's copyhold tenements called Malladams and Philpots (160 acres), in Fairlight, held of JS's manor of Robertsbridge Timber and trees reserved; the rent payable at Robertsbridge Abbey, with a penalty of 6s 8d for late payment; JW to preserve 40 acres of coppice and woodland, cutting and coaling it from time to time so that the springs of the wood prosper; JW may grub up the wood, roots and bushes on the remaining 120 acres and make it fit for arable and pasture.</p> <p>Witnesses: Francis Langford, William Burt</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 203/2</p>
Volume 71 Item 18	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1722 at £12. 18 October 1722.</p> <p>Description: John Sambrooke of London, esq, to Richard Campbell of Robertsbridge in Salehurst, victualler Messuage called The Seven Stars in Robertsbridge, occupied by RC, with outhouses, barns, stables, yards and orchards.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Ekins, Robert Draper</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 173/8</p>
Volume 71 Item 19	<p>Counterpart lease for 15 years from 29 September 1723 at £60. 28 September 1723.</p> <p>Description: John Sambrooke of London, esq, to John Luck of Mountfield, husbandman Messuage, barns, stables, outhouses called Brownes Farm in Salehurst and Mountfield, with land called the site of the house (34 perches), The Town Field (5 acres 1 rood 10 perches), The Claypitt Field (5 acres 1 rood 4 perches), Smiths Field (2 acres 3 roods 32 perches), The Osthuse Field (2 acres 2 roods 17 perches), Toloft Field (3 acres 1 rood 38 perches), The House Meadow (4 acres 3 roods 29 perches), The House Field (4 acres 0 roods 17 perches), The Barn Meadow (3 acres 3 roods 8 perches), The Barn Plot (2 acres 1 rood 35 perches), The Starven Wood (5 acres 1 rood 24 perches), The Husher Field (10 acres 1 rood 2 perches), The Brickkiln Field (4 acres 0 roods 38 perches), The Stumblets (4 acres 3 roods 31 perches), The Thistley Field (6 acres 1 rood 34 perches), The Acre Brook (1 acre 2 roods 22 perches), Coplodge Field (7 acres 1 rood 21 perches), Brick Earth Field (4 acres 3 roods 14 perches), The Coplodge Brook (1 acre 2 roods 30 perches), The Great Round Field (2 acres 1 rood 9 perches), The Little Round Field (1 acre 0 roods 3 perches), The Long Brook (2 acres 1 rood 21 perches), The Two Acre Brook (2 acres 0 roods 21 perches), The Three Acre Brook (3 acres 1 rood 33 perches),</p>

	<p>The Seven Acre Field (7 acres 1 roods), The Ten Acre Field (10 acres 3 roods 30 perches), The Nine Acre Field (9 acres 3 roods 3 perches), The Strack (1 acre 1 rood 26 perches), The Eight Acre Field (8 acres 1 rood 2 perches), The Four Acre Field (5 acres 0 roods 11 perches), part of Brownes (3 roods 34 perches), Mine Pitty Field (3 acres 0 roods 34 perches), Bushey Field (4 acres 0 roods 2 perches), The Gate Field (5 acres 0 roods 21 perches), The Great Clean Field (7 acres 3 roods 3 perches), The Little Clean Field (3 roods 6 perches), The Wood Field (4 acres 0 roods 8 perches), The Six Acre Field (6 acres 3 roods 16 perches), The Rough Field (5 acres 1 rood 24 perches), The Upper Cleen Field (4 acres 2 roods 12 perches), The Lower Cleen Field (5 acres 0 roods 34 perches) and The Slip (1 acre 2 roods), in all 185 acres 1 rood 33 perches, occupied by JS Timber, trees, mines of ore and stone, and the established ways and watercourses for JS's tenants and the occupiers of Robertsbridge Furnace reserved; whenever adjoining woods are cut, JS may make a hedge, ditch and fence against JL's farm, which JL is to maintain; JL to cut the wood and hedges so that the whole is cut once in the term and no more; penalty of 40s an acre for failing to marle and lime after two crops, and £5 an acre for ploughing meadow without licence.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Ekins, John Tyhurst</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 174/5</p>
Volume 71 Item 20	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 25 March 1728 at £78 14s 0d. 5 December 1728.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Place, bt, to Thomas Foster of Robertsbridge in Salehurst, yeoman</p> <p>1 Messuage, barns, orchard and farm called Redlands, Henlands and Andrews Land, the rights and profits of the annual fair held at Robertsbridge, and 33 pieces of land belonging to it (135 acres 1 rood), occupied by TF, late Robert Glover</p> <p>2 Thirteen pieces of land called The Wimbletotts and The Badlands (50 acres), now fenced off from TW's woods</p> <p>3 A way through TW's Park Farm, occupied by John Blundell, to fetch and carry hay, straw and grain</p> <p>All in Salehurst, Ewhurst, Whatlington, Mountfield and Sedlescombe, occupied by TF; timber, trees, wood and underwood, quarries of mine and stone, with liberty to enter, make sawpits and coalpits, and remove them, reserved; rights of way with mine, coal and iron for the use of TW's ironworks reserved; hunting, hawking and fowling, and the fish in the rivers and ponds, reserved; whenever adjoining woods are cut, TW may make a hedge and ditch against TF's farm, which TF is to maintain; the rent payable at Battle Place; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow, and for taking more than three crops after marling or four after liming; penalty of £40 an acre for having more than 6-acre hopground without licence; TF to leave the hopgrounds stocked with roots, hills and poles, TW paying for the poles according to the valuation of two persons, and allowing TW entry during the last 6 months of the term to manure and look after the hopground; fireboot not to be used for making charcoal; TW may take any part of the farm in hand for enlarging or rebuilding his works or for widening the streams and watercourses, making an allowance of rent to be determined by two persons, giving six months' notice; TW may enter to scour the watercourses belonging to his ironworks, and throw the soil on the banks.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Brewer, Samuel Brewer</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 176/5</p>
Volume 71 Item 21	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 25 March 1726 at £64 4s 0d. 23 March 1726.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Place, bt, to Thomas Foster of Robertsbridge in Salehurst, yeoman</p> <p>Messuage and farm called Redlands, Henlands and Andrews Lands, the rights and</p>

	<p>profits of the annual fair held at Robertsbridge, and pieces of land called the site of the house, yard and orchard (1 acre 1 rood 32 perches), The Oasthouse Field (6 acres 1 rood 8 perches), The Oasthouse Brook (7 acres 2 roods 15 perches), The Parkwood Field (4 acres 1 rood 13 perches), The Stumletts Field (1 acre 1 rood 5 perches), The Hopgarden Field (6 acres 2 roods 6 perches), The Pound Field (3 acres 0 roods 3 perches), The Stonepitts (1 acre 3 roods 2 perches), The Garden Field (4 acres 2 roods 1 perches), The Brickeln Field (2 acres 1 rood 25 perches), The Lumpitts Field (1 acre 3 roods 13 perches), Gravel Pitts Field (4 acres 1 rood 2 perches), Fulling Mill Field (1 acre 2 roods 20 perches), The Spitts (1 acre 0 roods 20 perches), The Spitts (2 acres 2 roods 39 perches), The Spitt Brook (2 acres 0 roods 11 perches), The Lower Spitt Brook (5 acres 0 roods 22 perches), The Floodgate Brook (3 roods 16 perches), Great Floodgate Brook (9 acres 1 rood 38 perches), The Church Brook (4 acres 2 roods 7 perches), Rumney Marsh (1 acre 3 roods 10 perches), Henlands Sompetty Brook (2 acres 0 roods 20 perches), The Three Acre Brook (2 acres 0 roods 15 perches), Euhurst Brook (2 acres 3 roods 38 perches), The Wish (4 acres 1 rood 36 perches), The Bridgefield (3 acres 2 roods 20 perches), The Sheepfield (2 acres 1 rood 9 perches), The Barnfield (3 acres 1 rood 27 perches), The Orchard Field (4 acres 0 roods 4 perches), The Montfield (3 acres 2 roods 8 perches), The Montfield (5 acres 1 rood 12 perches), Andrews Land Seven Acre Field (7 acres 2 roods 11 perches), The Brickeln Plat (2 acres 0 roods 22 perches), The Gatefield (3 acres 0 roods 3 perches), The Five Acre Field (5 acres 3 roods 6 perches), The Fursey Field (5 acres 1 rood 37 perches and The Six Acre Field (5 acres 2 roods 24 perches), in all 135 acres 1 rood in Salehurst, Whatlington, Mountfield and Ewhurst, lately occupied by Robert Glover, with a way from TF's house through TW's Park Farm, lately occupied by Richard Chamberlain, to fetch and carry hay, straw and grain</p> <p>Timber, trees, wood and underwood, mines of ore and stone, and the established ways and watercourses for TW's farmers and the occupiers of Robertsbridge Furnace reserved; whenever adjoining woods are cut, TW may make a hedge, ditch and fence against TF's farm, which TF is to maintain; TW to repair the house and outhouses, and to build a convenient hovel to put carts under, all to be maintained by TF; penalty of £40 an acre for extending the hopground without licence; TF to leave the hopgrounds stocked with roots, hills and poles, TW paying for the poles, and allow TW entry during the last 6 months of the term to manure and look after the hopground; detailed covenants for marling, liming and fallow; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing meadow without licence.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Ashenden, William Brewer, Samuel Brewer</p> <p>Related materials: For 23 March 1723 counterpart lease between John Sambrooke and Robert Glover, see Volume 71, Item 23.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 175/5</p>
Volume 71 Item 22	<p>Counterpart lease for 60 years from 29 September 1729 at 5 shillings, heriot and suit. 9 September 1730.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, lord of the manor of Robertsbridge, to John Oxley the younger of Mountfield, carpenter Piece of waste (30 roods x 4 roods) near Johns Cross in Mountfield, with the intent that JO may erect any building or buildings.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Oxley the elder, George Worge</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 177/4</p>
Volume 71 Item 23	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 25 March 1723 at £64 4s 0d. 23 March 1723.</p> <p>Description: John Sambrooke of London, esq, to Robert Glover of Robertsbridge in Salehurst,</p>

	<p>husbandman. Messuage and farm called Redlands, Henlands and Andrews Lands, the rights and profits of the annual fair held at Robertsbridge, and pieces of land as Volume 71, Item 21 (135 acres 1 rood) in Salehurst, Whatlington, Mountfield and Ewhurst, occupied by RG, exceptions and covenants as Volume 71, Item 21.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Campbell, Edmund Bright, Robert Draper</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 174/2</p>
Volume 71 Item 24	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 25 March 1747 at £100. 10 December 1747.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to William Jukes and George Jukes of London, founders and ironmongers</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The furnace for working and making iron called Robertsbridge Furnace in Salehurst, with the founder's house, buildings and workhouses belonging to it, and the great pond called The Furnace Pond 2 The forge for making and working iron called Robertsbridge Forge in Salehurst, with the house called The Forgerman's House, its orchard, two sheds on either side of the forge now used as boring-houses, a house called The Ironhouse and a moiety of a building now used as a storehouse for coals, together with the use of the water in the cut out of the River Rother to the forge 3 All coalplaces, places to lay cinders, floodgates, bays, banks, sluices and waterlays All now occupied by WJ and GJ. <p>Reserving the fish in the cut and ponds, with the right to fish them, and to draw the water from the cut to take the fish and fill TW's stews; the cinders to be made at the furnace and forge; WJ and GJ to repair, TW providing sufficient rough timber within 40 days of notice in writing, which is not to extend to repairing or renewing the water-wheels, bellows or utensils used at the ironworks; if TW fail to provide the timber, WJ and GJ may purchase it and deduct the sum from the rent; WJ and GJ may take loam, sand and clay for moulding and casting from the places from which it has been taken in the past; WJ and GJ to have three months beyond the term to remove their stock; TW will take from WJ and GJ at the end of the term all the gun tackle, tools of wrought iron, cast plates and other iron things, and pay for them at £10 a ton for gun tackle and wrought iron tools, and £6 a ton for the rest. If TW cut any underwood of 16 years' growth on his estates within 14 miles of the ironworks, he shall give notice to WJ and GJ by 24 August, and sell it to them at 7s the cord plus cutting costs; if TW decides not to cut in any year, he is to give WJ and GJ notice by 24 June to enable them to make alternative provision; by prior arrangement, WJ and GJ may agree with any of the copyhold tenants of any of TW's manors to draw mine on their land for use at the furnace or forge, to be accounted for at the rate of one load of mine for two cords or wood. WJ and GJ agree to take all the wood which TW cuts, and pay for it half in May and half in November annually; all the goods and merchandise made at the ironworks shall be carried by the navigation of the River Rother which belongs to TW, WJ and GJ paying the usual freight for its carriage by TW's barges and small craft, he reserving the entire property and management of the river. If, by the dryness of the season, WJ and GJ require water for the furnace pond, TW will, on application, draw up to 5 feet from his pond called The New Pond, according to the marks on the shaft which draws up the gate of the sluice. Whereas the furnace is much out of repair and in a decayed and ruinous condition, WJ and GJ agree to expend £100 on repairs before 25 March 1748, TW providing rough timber only.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Cranston, Henry Penfold</p> <p>Related materials: For 1754 lease of property, see Volume 71, Item 28.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 179/3</p>
Volume 71 Item 25	<p>Unexecuted lease for [blank] years from 29 September 1743 at £96. 24 January 1744.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to William Curtis of Salehurst, yeoman</p>

	<p>Messuage, barns, building and land called The Abbey Farm (180 acres) in Salehurst, occupied by WC</p> <p>Timber, trees, wood and underwood, mines of ore and stone, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing brookland, or for failing to marl or lime after every third crop; TW to allow 12 cords of firewood annually, to be cut by WC, in lieu of the wood on the farm.</p> <p>Witnesses: [blank]</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 71 Item 26	<p>Cancelled lease for 21 years from 29 September 1746 at £96. 10 November 1747.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to Thomas Foster the elder of Salehurst, yeoman, and Thomas Foster the younger of Salehurst, yeoman</p> <p>Messuage, barns, building and land called The Abbey Farm (180 acres) in Salehurst and Ewhurst, occupied by TF and TF, late William Curtis</p> <p>Timber, trees, wood and underwood, mines of ore and stone, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing brookland, or for failing to marl or lime after every third crop; the farm's dung to be spread on the meadow and hopgarden and not elsewhere; TW to allow 12 cords of firewood and rise for 1000 faggots annually, in lieu of the wood on the farm; TF and TF may have the barns, closes and granary, the little stable and land called The Pondfield, The Calves Croft and The Hammonds (12½ acres) until 1 May after the end of the term.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Worge, Christopher Smith</p> <p>Endorsed: Reservation by TW of ways and watercourses for the occupiers of Robertsbridge Forge and Furnace; the hopgarden to be reduced to 6 acres after 29 September 1748, the surplus land being ploughed once and then put down to pasture; 6 acres of hopgarden to be kept and delivered to TW, well planted with setts, at the end of the term. Surrender to Whistler Webster, bt, by TF and TF. Witnesses: John Weston, George Worge, 31 October 1755.</p> <p>Related materials: For cancelled counterpart, see Volume 72, Item 14.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 179/6</p>
Volume 71 Item 27A	<p>Account between Sir Whistler Webster and George and Thomas Jukes [tenants of Robertsbridge Furnace and Forge], charging an iron roller, bellows, land tax and the amount of the inventory against rent, repairs, boatage and repairs at the floodgate; the balance of £104 8s 4d paid to GJ and TJ. 21 June 1754.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 180/7</p>
Volume 71 Item 27B	<p>Estimate of dilapidations at [Robertsbridge] Furnace, Forge and Works, valued at £90, with an promise by the incoming tenant, John Churchill, to undertake the repairs for an allowance of that sum by Sir Whistler Webster; Witness: George Worge. 21 June 1754.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 180/7</p>
Volume 71 Item 28	<p>Lease for 7 years from 25 March 1754 at £100. 16 March 1754.</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to John Churchill of Hints, Staffordshire, ironmaster</p> <p>Robertsbridge Furnace and forge as Volume 71, Item 24, (except that the forge pond is described as in Salehurst and Ewhurst, and two houses called the forgerman's houses are mentioned), all late in the occupation of George Jukes</p> <p>Terms and conditions as Volume 71, Item 24, except that the payments for timber to be in July and January; JC may sink minepits in the demesnes of Robertsbridge manor, but in woods only in the years in which they have been cut, paying WW 1s a load; WW covenants not to sell hop-</p>

	<p>poles during the term to other than his tenants bellows, a pair of smith's bellows, four pairs of forge bellows, a pair of smith's bellows and a forge-hammer at the end of the term, being the property of WW, who paid and allowed the late tenant for them.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Churchill the younger, George Worge</p> <p>Endorsed: Covenant by JC to surrender two pairs of furnace.</p> <p>Related materials: For 1747 lease of property, see Volume 71, Item 24.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 180/7</p>
Volume 71 Item 29	<p>Agreement. 5 January 1760.</p> <p>Description: John Churchill has represented to Sir Whistler Webster that it would be greatly to the advantage of Robertsbridge Furnace to have an addition to the forgerman's house, and has proposed to build a parlour 18 or 20 feet square, a chamber over it and a chimney and leanto to the parlour; they agree that if JC undertakes the building WW shall pay half the costs when the work, which is to be executed under the direction of JC, is complete.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Worge, Joseph Acton</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 180/7</p>
Volume 71 Item 30	<p>Counterpart lease for 1 year from 25 March 1768 at £100. 21 March 1768.</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to William Polhill of Hastings, ironmonger, David Guy of Rye, ironmonger, and James Bourne of Salehurst, ironmaster</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The furnace for working and making iron called Robertsbridge Furnace in Salehurst, with the founder's house, buildings and workhouses belonging to it, and the great pond called The Furnace Pond 2 The forge for making and working iron called Robertsbridge Forge in Salehurst and Ewhurst, with two houses called The Forgerman's Houses, the orchard, two sheds on either side of the forge now used as boring-houses, a house called The Ironhouse and a building now or lately used as a storehouse for coals, together with the use of the water in the cut out of the River Rother to the forge 3 All coalplaces, places to lay cinders, floodgates, bays, banks, sluices and waterlays <p>WW covenants to repair the hammer wheel, the fall belonging to the forge, and the furnace wheel gut as soon as possible, and to provide an anvil block; lessees may take loam, sand and clay for moulding and casting from the places from which it has been taken in the past; lessees may have 3 months after the expiration of the term to remove their stock; WW to sell lessees 800 cords of wood in specified woods in Ewhurst, Salehurst and Battle at 7s a cord, 16d a cord for cutting and 20s per 100 cords for setting; WW to sell all the wood cut in 1767 in Well Head and Chance Stream Woods at 7s a cord, and the coal now being made in the woods, allowing 2 cords of wood for every load of coal, the lessees meeting the cost of coaling; lessees may sink minepits in the demesnes of Robertsbridge manor, but in woods only in the years in which they have been cut, paying WW 1s a load; at the end of the term, the lessees will leave two pairs of furnace bellows, two pairs of smiths' bellows, 4 pairs of forge bellows and a forge hammer, the property of WW, in good condition; all the merchandise made at the furnace to be carried by the Rother Navigation to Scotts Float or Rye Harbour by WW's craft, the lessees paying the usual rates. If, by the dryness of the season, the lessees require water for the furnace pond, TW will, on application, draw up so much water from his pond called The New Pond as can reasonably be used without injuring the fish in it.</p> <p>Executed by WP only.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Furner, Charles Nairn</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 181/3</p>
Volume 71	Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1770 at 5 shillings for £2 2s 0d. 10 March

Item 31	<p>1770.</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, lord of the manor and hundred of Robertsbridge, to Laurence Noakes of Salehurst, yeoman Cottage, garden and ground (17 perches), occupied by John Knight (N: Swailes Green-Robertsbridge road; S: heirs of Thomas Couchman).</p> <p>Witnesses: Charles Nairn, William Talbot</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 181/1</p>
Volume 71 Item 32	<p>Unexecuted counterpart lease. 1 May 1673.</p> <p>Related materials: For lease, see Volume 72, Item 43.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 163/1</p>
Volume 71 Item 33	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 1 May 1623 for £700. 27 September 1623.</p> <p>Description: Robert [Sidney] earl of Leicester, John Locherson of London, esq, Kenrick Parrey and Thomas Beare of London, gents, to John Culpeper of Astwood, Worcestershire, esq, and Henry English of Salehurst, yeoman</p> <p>Recites: sale of wood and underwood and lease of an iron forge for 21 years from 1 May 1609 at £240, Roger [Manners], earl of Rutland, and his wife Elizabeth [daughter of Philip Sidney], both deceased, to Thomas Culpeper of Wigsell [in Salehurst], esq, deceased, 30 May 1609, the interest in which is now vested in HE [followed by an erasure], and the reversion in RS as cousin and heir of the countess; since the decease of the earl and countess, Richard [Bourke] earl of Clanricard and his wife Lady Frances [widow of Philip Sidney] in her right, have evicted RS from Udiam Farm and its lands, since when it has been conveyed by them, [Robert Devereux] earl of Essex and RS to JL, KP and TB in trust for RS; now RS and his trustees have sold HE for £700:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 All the timber and dottard trees of oak, elm, ash and beech on the woods belonging to Udiam Farm called Cotterells, Calcottes, Wimbletottes, Hallowe Whale, Lampfeild, The Upper and Lower Parts of Welland Wood, Holland Wood, The Boviers Shawes, Stocke Wood, Great Morgey Wood with the shaws in the fields adjoining it, and Little Morgey Wood, to be felled within 7 years from 1 May 1623 [details follow of the number of trees and how they are to be chosen] 2 The underwood following: that part of Welland Wood left unfelled last year, Little Morgey Wood and the shaws adjoining, the little wood of 6 acres which is part of the farm occupied by Alexander Randall, The High Lid Wood or shaw which is of the oldest growth, the lower part of The Frenchmans Wood otherwise the Forgemans Wood, to be cut within a year 3 The underwood in The Deadman Wood, The Park Wood, that part of Clynes which is occupied by George Petitt or John Petitt, to be cut within two years 4 The underwood in the woods part of Robertsbridge manor copyhold tenements of Nicholas Tufton, kt, in Northiam, leaving the copyhold tenants sufficient for their botes, The Wellhead Wood and the Curtens Wood, to be cut within 3 years 5 The underwood in Great Morgey Wood, Lower Timber Wood, Stocke Wood and Badlands Wood, to be felled within 4 years 6 The underwood in Wimbletotts, Colecottes, Coterelles, The Winders otherwise Winditch Wood, the residue of Clynes and Fowle Brook Wood, to be cut within 5 years 7 The underwood in Andrewes Wood and The Maynardes Wood, to be cut within 6 years 8 The Iron House at Udiam, and, if it is not demised, a small piece of land near it (¼ acres), surrounded with water

	<p>9 The right to dig 800 loads of iron mine on Udiam Farm and on all the land of RS and his trustees in Salehurst, Ewhurst, Watling and Whatlington, as granted to TC by the lease of 1609</p> <p>10 The right to carry iron, coal, timber and other necessities to the forge by a watercourse from the forge to Udiam Oak or Udiam Pell in Ewhurst, and by another watercourse from Redland in Salehurst to the forge, and to the iron house over any of the demesne of Robertsbridge manor and of Udiam Farm</p> <p>RS and trustees release JC and HE from all covenants in the lease of 1609 except those concerning the payment of rent; RS to save JC and HE harmless from tithes on the woods; HE may take wood from Robertsbridge demesne necessary for repairs to the forge, furnace, ironworks, houses, wheels, floodgates, bellows, bays, sluices, bridges and watercourses; HE to be responsible for assigning wood to the leaseholders of Robertsbridge demesnes for their firebote etc, first within their own shaws and then, if necessary, within the woods sold to him; RS provisionally assigns such part of HE's rent to JC as shall compensate him for any damages he may sustain by virtue of the sum of £2000 in which he is bound, on RS's behalf, to Lettice [Sidney], countess of Leicester; HE covenants to leave at least 4000 standells growing for timber at the end of the term; HE and JC release the option for a further 21-year lease at £240 granted to TC by the lease of 1609.</p> <p>Witnesses: Ralph Whitfeld, William Mott, Richard Mascall, Thomas Russell</p> <p>Endorsed: Declaration by HE that he takes no benefit against JL, KB and TP from the covenants in the lease except as regards Udiam Farm and the other premises recovered by Lord and Lady Clanricard. The ironworks at Robertsbridge.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 201/8</p>
	<p>Deeds of estates in Sussex, 1673-1774, and of estates in Kent, of the Drayton family of Hackington and Chart, 1546-1745. 1546-1774.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9936/2</p>
Volume 72 Item 1	<p>Counterpart lease for 13 years from 25 March 1675 at £29. 23 August 1675.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Richard Farly of Bexhill, yeoman Pieces of land called The Oxe Marshes (14 acres), Little Loose Marsh (4 acres), Little Pondens, Little Pavis, two pieces called The Hog Marshes (7 acres), all in Bexhill, occupied by RF</p> <p>Game, hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent to be paid at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing.</p> <p>Witnesses: Moses Purfeild, Francis Hardres</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 163/4</p>
Volume 72 Item 2	<p>Copy of the glebe terrier of Ewhurst; 16 September 1678, copied from the original in the Lewes registry and examined by Robert Wise. 17 July 1772.</p> <p>Description:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The Parsonage Crofts (2 acres; E,N: Ewhurst Church-Staplecross Road; S,W: other glebe) 2 The Hopgarden and Hopgarden Field (5 acres; E: road; S: Mr Edward Muddle; N,W: other glebe) 3 The Westfield (7½ acres; N: Ewhurst Church-Staplecross road; S,W: Mr Edward Muddle, Henry Henley) 4 The Four Acres (W: Mr Edward Muddle, Henry Henley; S: Nicholas [Tufton] earl of Thanet; E: Mr Edward Muddle, other glebe; N: other glebe) 5 The Braky Field (5 acres; N,E: Mr Edward Muddle; S: Nicholas earl of Thanet, Mr

	<p>Edward Muddle; W: other glebe) 6 The Raglingham (3 acres; S: Ewhurst Church-Staplecross road; W: Henry Henley; E,N: Nathaniel Powell, bt) 7 The Parsonage Brook (3 acres; W: Sir Thomas Peirce; N,E,W: Nathaniel Powell, bt) 8 A parsonage house and stable, but no barn 9 All tithes great and small, due in kind</p> <p>Witnesses: Nathaniel Ashe, rector, Thomas Gorham and Thomas Wren, churchwardens</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 164/6</p>
Volume 72 Item 3	<p>Lease for 11 years from 29 September 1680 at £17 10s 0d. 2 September 1680.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Richard Alfrey of Bexhill, gent Closes called Thistley Field and The Homestall (20 acres), part of the manor of Barnhorn, in Bexhill, occupied by RA, late Thomas Grover, subject to the usual ways Wood, timber and trees, reserved; the rent to be paid at Battle House; penalty of 30s an acre for ploughing, and for mowing in succeeding years.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tournier, James Keith, William Wainman</p> <p>Related materials: For unexecuted counterpart, see Volume 72, Item 4.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 165/3</p>
Volume 72 Item 4	<p>Unexecuted counterpart lease. 2 September 1680.</p> <p>Related materials: For lease, see Volume 72, Item 3.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 165/3</p>
Volume 72 Item 5	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1683 at £8. 20 November 1683.</p> <p>Description: Philip [Sidney] earl of Leicester to George Brown of Robertsbridge [in Salehurst], yeoman Piece of meadow or pasture, now divided in two, called West Pell Mead (7 acres) in Salehurst, occupied by GB, penalty of £2 an acre for ploughing.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Watkins, William Pinnockes</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 202/3</p>
Volume 72 Item 6	<p>Unexecuted lease for 9 years from 29 September 1683 at £50. 20 November 1683.</p> <p>Description: Philip [Sidney] earl of Leicester to Thomas Goreham of [blank], yeoman Messuage called Udiam with all that part of Udiam Farm which is occupied by TG, in Salehurst and Ewhurst, subject to the rights of way for the tenants of Robertsbridge Furnace formerly granted to Mr Roberts or used by him and his predecessors Timber, trees, coppices, mines and quarries with liberty to enter and take them, reserved.</p> <p>Endorsed: The lands in the lease and Murgy Lands, late in Goreham's occupation at £55 from 29 September next for 11 years under the covenants in that lease, quarterly paid if demanded; to be 11 years from 25 March last, to have liberty in the coppices where other tenants of the farm had liberty after 6 years' growth, 10 cords to be taken yearly.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 202/2</p>
Volume 72 Item 7	<p>Lease for a year in respect of unexecuted mortgage. 5 March 1731.</p> <p>Related materials: For unexecuted mortgage, see Volume 72, Item 8.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

Thorpe page/entry: 177/5	
Volume 72 Item 8	<p>Unexecuted mortgage for [blank] (release). 6 March 1731.</p> <p>Description: George Fellows of Hastings, mariner (only son of Robert Fellows of Hastings, mariner, deceased), to Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt</p> <p>Messuage and dwelling houses with the yards, courts, backside, deezes, buildings and gardens in Hastings St Clement (W: road from the Sea Gate to Northens Cross; N: a lane once called Griggs Lane; S: messuage late John Steevens).</p> <p>Related materials: For lease, see Volume 72, Item 7.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 177/5</p>
Volume 72 Item 9	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 25 March 1740 at £50. 5 September 1737.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to William Jukes and George Jukes of London, founders and ironmongers</p> <p>The furnace for working and making iron called Robertsbridge Furnace in Salehurst, with the ironhouses, workhouses, workmen's houses, coalplaces and places to lay mine and cinder, with the use of the Rother navigation for their own merchandise only, all occupied by William Harrison of London, founder, WJ and GJ by lease from TW</p> <p>Reserving the fish in the ponds and rivers, with the right to fish them, and all cinders to be made at the furnace; lessees to repair, TW providing sufficient rough timber within 40 days of notice in writing, which is not to extend to repairing or renewing the water-wheels, bellows or utensils used at the ironworks; if TW fail to provide the timber, WJ and GJ may purchase it and deduct the sum from the rent; WJ and GJ agree to pay TW a sum amounting to half of whatever they pay the boatman, and one-sixth of any sum they spend on the provision of their own craft by reason of the lack of TW's craft; WJ and GJ to repair, TW providing sufficient rough timber within 40 days of notice in writing; if TW fail to provide the timber, WJ and GJ may purchase it and deduct the sum from the rent; WJ and GJ may take loam, sand and clay for moulding and casting from the places from which it has been taken in the past; WJ and GJ to have three months beyond the term to remove their stock; TW will take back from the lessees at the end of the term all the gun tackle, tools of wrought iron, cast plates and other iron things at £20 a ton for gun tackle and wrought iron tools, and £6 a ton for the rest. If TW cut any underwood of 16 years' growth on his estates in Sussex, he shall give notice to the lessees by 24 June, and sell it to them at 6s the cord plus an allowance in lieu of cutting costs, together with the topwood of the timber felled in the same places; WJ and GJ agree to take all the wood which TW cuts on his estates in Sussex, and pay for it half in May and half in November annually; by prior arrangement, WJ and GJ may agree with any of the copyhold tenants of any of TW's manors to draw mine on their land for use at the furnace, to be accounted for at the rate of one load of mine for two cords of wood. TW covenants not to allow Beech Furnace [in Battle], which he holds by lease for the life of Richard Hay esq, to be used as a furnace, WJ and GJ paying an annual fee of £12 as consideration; he may lease it for any other purpose.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Johnson, John Vaughan, scrivener in Lombard Street</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 72 Item 10	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 29 September 1737 at £130. 14 February 1738.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to Samuel Chester of Ewhurst, yeoman</p> <p>1 Capital messuage and farm called The Court Lodge Farm with the barns, stables, malhouses, buildings, gardens and orchards, land called The Farther Horselands, The Compleate, The Dornex, The Alder Field, The Horseland Wood, The Wren Crofts, The Selmstead Brooks, The British Field, The Church Field (now in two), The Middle Morgeys, The Farther Morgeys, The Brempons, The Brick Clampfield, The Bunjep Croft and The Lords Croft (172 acres), pasture and marsh called The Outer Floate Marsh, The</p>

	<p>Inner Floate Marsh, The Thirteen Acres, The Outward Rushy Marsh, The Inner Rushy Marsh, The Little Willow Marsh, The Four Acres, Worleys Brooks, The Sand Banks, The Alder Field, The Five Acres, The Lower Nine Acres, The Court Marsh and The Forelands (80 acres), and the piece of coppice formerly let with the farm</p> <p>2 Messuage and butcher's shop on Ewhurst Green, lately occupied by SC</p> <p>All occupied by SC, in Ewhurst; timber, trees, wood and underwood, quarries of mine and stone, ponds and stews and the fish in them, hunting, hawking and fowling, reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing marsh, for sowing more thn 40 acres in one year and for failing to marl or lime after every third crop; SC to reside in the capital messuage but may underlet the messuage (described as a 'little house') without licence; the great gut through the channel wall into the channel excepted from the maintenance clause; exception for damage from thunder, lightning, and 'hurricanes of wind which blow the buildings down' inserted in maintenance clause; SC to leave the old hopgarden (5 acres) in good heart, well stocked and planted with the best stocks and plants, at the end of the term; fireboot not to be used for making charcoal.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Worge, William Masterson</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 178/4</p>
Volume 72 Item 11	<p>Lease for one year in respect of conveyance (Volume 72, Item 12). 13 March 1740.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 178/5</p>
Volume 72 Item 12	<p>Conveyance (release) for £. 14 March 1740.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to Whistler Webster of St James Westminster, esq</p> <p>Burgage or messuage, barn, stable, buildings, yard, backside and portland in East Grinstead, lately occupied by Edward Jenner (N: the backstreet; E: burgage and portland of Joseph Ferrers esq, lately occupied by John Shewen; S: Windmill Field, lately occupied by Samuel Adams; W: burgage, messuage and portland of Henry Lintott, occupied by Richard Austen the younger), conveyed by Edward Jenner and his wife Ann and Richard Moore to Edward Conyers, and by him to TW, 19 & 20 June 1735.</p> <p>Witnesses: H Moore, Isaac Ingall; Benjamin Faulconer, John James</p> <p>Related materials: For related lease, see Volume 72, Item 12; for a 1750 unexecuted conveyance (release) for the property, see Volume 72, Item 17.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 178/5</p>
Volume 72 Item 13	<p>Counterpart lease for 9 years from 29 September 1742 at £50. 2 June 1742.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle, bt, to Thomas Colgate of Ewhurst, yeoman</p> <p>Messuage, barns, buildings, malthouse, lodges, gardens, orchards and land (100 acres), occupied by Hugh Gladwish, in Ewhurst</p> <p>Timber, trees, wood and underwood, quarries of mine and stone, hunting, fishing and fowling, reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing The Brookland, The Horselands, The Little Barnfield and The Wellfield and Strake, and for failing to marl or lime after every third crop; damage from fire, storms, hurricanes of wind, thunder and lightning excepted from maintenance clause; TW to allow rough timber and brick and tile at the kiln for maintenance, and nine cords of wood, and rise to make 1000 faggots for firewood, to be cut by TC, in lieu of all wood on the farm.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Worge, William Masterson</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 178/9</p>
Volume 72 Item 14	<p>Cancelled counterpart lease. 10 November 1747.</p> <p>Related materials: For cancelled lease, see Volume 71, Item 26.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 179/6</p>
Volume 72 Item 15	<p>Contract for a lease for 11 years from 29 September 1747 at £114. 7 November 1747.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to Edward Cox of Beckley, yeoman Messuage, barns, buildings and land called Udiam Farm in Ewhurst and Bodiam, lately occupied by William Carter (who now lives in the dwelling house) Penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing brook or meadow, for failing to marl or lime every third crop and for having more than 80 acres in tillage; dung to be spread on brook, meadow and hopgardens only; timber, trees, wood and underwood, quarries of stone and ore, reserved; TW to allow 14 cords and rise for 1000 faggots in lieu of fireboot, to be taken on TW's estate in Robertsbridge or Ewhurst; TW to allow 4s 6d for every 100 loads of marl if EC will marl 30 acres in three years, the land to be chosen by view; TC may increase the hopgarden to 6 acres, to be planted in the old hopgarden near the house and in the piece of brookland where the present hopgarden is; TC to leave 3 acres of hops well planted at the end of the term, and to take only one crop from any displanted hopgarden, and then to lay it down for meadow; TW to make a lean-to to square with the main house, to divide and ceil the garrets, to make a cellar in a convenient place in or about the dwelling house, to remove the oasthouse, tile it, and carry up at one end a place to lay the hops in, which oasthouse is to be 22 feet wide and 40 feet long and to have four oasts in it, each 11 feet square; TW to repair the roofs of the lodge which are now fallen in, and to do all necessary repairs before 31 May 1748; EC to maintain thereafter; TW to build a bullock pound and a sheep pound adjoining, to be divided in two, at a convenient place on the farm; the agreement to be carried into a lease as soon as possible.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Worge</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 179/5</p>
Volume 72 Item 16	<p>Lease for a year in respect of unexecuted conveyance (Volume 72, Item 17). 18 October 1750.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 72 Item 17	<p>Unexecuted conveyance (release). 19 October 1750.</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, esq, to George Worge of Battle, gent Of the burgage and portland in East Grinstead in Volume 72, Items 11-12, for 10s.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 72 Item 18	<p>Lease for 21 years from 29 September 1751 at 5 shillings. 30 June 1752.</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, lord of the manor and hundred of Robertsbridge, to John Knight of Robertsbridge in Salehurst, husbandman Cottage, garden and ground (17 perches), occupied by John Knight (N: Swailes Green-Robertsbridge road; S: heirs of Thomas Couchman).</p> <p>Witnesses: George Worge, Henry Mallory Bishop</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 180/3</p>
Volume 72 Item 19	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1771 at 5 shillings for £2 2s 0d. 1 September 1768.</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, lord of the manor of Robertsbridge, to Edward Grayling of Ewhurst, yeoman Cottage and piece of land (1 acre) in the old lane between the forge and Staplecross in Ewhurst, late Olivers</p>

	<p>Timber, trees, tops, lops and tan reserved. Witnesses: John Freeland, Thomas Cook Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 181/5</p>
Volume 72 Item 20	<p>Contract for a lease for 15 years from 10 October 1763 at £105. 10 January 1763. Description: George Worge of Battle, gent, on behalf of Whistler Webster of Battle, bt, to Isaac Baker of Sedlescombe, yeoman, and Samuel Baker of Sedlescombe, yeoman 1 Messuage, farm and land called Prawls in Ewhurst, pieces of marsh called The Ewhurst Marshes on the Ewhurst side of the River Rother 2 Farm and land called Hollands or Wrens in Ewhurst Both occupied by Stephen Holman; WW to put the buildings, ditches, closes and fences in repair and maintain the buildings (except glass windows and the house on Wrens Farm) during the term, IB and SB finding glass and straw for the thatched buildings; WW to reserve 20 acres upland near the house on Prawls and the close on Wrens for meadow, to be particularly mentioned in the lease; IB and SB may have 10 acres hopground in poles at the same time, with liberty to maintain that acreage anywhere on the upland except as excepted, notifying WW of their intentions; any displanted hopground to be cropped once and laid to pasture; IB and SB to have at least 6 acres hopground well planted with sets at the end of the term; IB and SB to have use of the barns and closes until 1 May after the end of the term; Bodiam Marshes are not intended to be let by this agreement. Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 180/9</p>
Volume 72 Item 21	<p>Counterpart lease for 12 years from 10 October 1766 at £105. 8 November 1766. Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to Isaac Baker of Ewhurst yeoman, and Samuel Baker of Ewhurst, yeoman 1 Messuage, farm and land (135 acres) called Prawls in Ewhurst, pieces of marsh called The Ewhurst Marshes (21 acres) on the Ewhurst side of the River Rother 2 Farm and land (29 acres) called Hollands or Wrens in Ewhurst Both occupied by IB and SB; timber, trees, tops, lops and tan reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing Guns Meadow, Barn Meadow, Stiff Field, Sidehill Field and Wrens Meadow, for having more than 35 acres arable or for taking more than two crops without marling or liming; IB and SB may have 10 acres hopground in poles at the same time, with liberty to maintain that acreage anywhere on the upland except as excepted, notifying WW of their intentions; any displanted hopground to be cropped once and laid to pasture; IB and SB to have at least 6 acres hopground well planted with sets at the end of the term; WW to maintain the messuage, barn and buildings, but not the messuage on Wrens Farm; IB and SB to have use of the barns and closes at Prawls, The Crabtree Field, Wood Field, Joiners Field and two pieces on Wrens Farm (3 acres adjoining Boveyers Shaw and Wrens Wood), until 11 May after the end of the term; WW may sow 4 acres of clover in the last year of the term. Witnesses: Charles Nairn, Edward Maynard Bristow Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 181/2</p>
Volume 72 Item 22	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 10 October 1768 at 2s 6d for £2 2s 0d. 28 September 1768. Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, lord of the manor of Robertsbridge, to Samuel Goodsall of Ewhurst, carpenter Piece of former waste on which a cottage is intended to be built, in Ewhurst, (110' by the lane from Staplecross to Robertsbridge, and 40' wide; N: Welland Wood otherwise The Cross Wood). Witnesses: John Freeland, John Chester Reference numbers:</p>

	Thorpe page/entry: 181/6
Volume 72 Item 23	<p>Counterpart lease for 21 years from 29 September 1768 at 8d for £2 2s 0d. 25 May 1768.</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, lord of the manor of Robertsbridge, to John Chester of Northiam, yeoman Newly built cottage and piece of waste (5 perches), occupied by JC, in Northiam, (NE: land late Oxes where two roads meet).</p> <p>Witnesses: John Freeland, Samuel Goodsall</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 181/4</p>
Volume 72 Item 24	<p>Unexecuted lease for 11 years from 25 March 1766 [or 1767] at £24. [blank] 1766.</p> <p>Description: John Clare of Battle, watchmaker, to John Barden of Mountfield, yeoman Messuage, barn, buildings and land called Fullers School Lands and The Fish Pitts (70 acres) in Burwash, lately occupied by John Ford Timber and trees reserved; penalty of £3 an acre for ploughing meadow (6 acres), and £2 an acre for ploughing more than 20 acres of the remainder or for taking more than two crops without liming or marling; JB to provide wheat straw for thatching the messuage and buildings, and to spread the dung on the meadow or hopground.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 72 Item 25	<p>Lease for 21 years from 10 October 1773 at 5 shillings. 12 March 1774.</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, lord of the manor of Robertsbridge, to William Edgar of Robertsbridge [in Salehurst], gent Cottage and two gardens spots ($\frac{3}{4}$acres), lately occupied by William Adams, in Salehurst (N,S: Robertsbridge-Vinehall road; W: WW's Browns Farm; E: William Peckham esq's copyhold, late Groves Timber and trees reserved.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Fox, Charles Nairn</p> <p>Endorsed: Licence to assign to Richard Waters of Salehurst, yeoman; 12 March 1774. new lease to Sarah Sims of Mountfield, widow; nd, approximately 1790; annotated in pencil for a lease by Godfrey Vassall Webster to William Noakes of Salehurst, farmer, and Charles Verrall of Salehurst, farmer, 37 Geo 3 [1796-1797].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 181/9</p>
Volume 72 Item 26A	<p>Memorial of the inhabitants of the town of Robertsbridge and parish of Salehurst to Whistler Webster, bt. Approximately 1770.</p> <p>Description: Encouraged by WW's recent great expense in building a lock to maintain the navigation on the River Rother to his forge, they represent the advantage of continuing the navigation to the town; the present exorbitant rate set for the land carriage from the forge makes it less trouble and cheaper to bring heavy goods from Hastings by road, whereby the navigation is solely used for carrying goods from WW's forge and furnace, whereas the town's inhabitants, and WW's copyholders in particular, would prefer a navigation, to the general advantage; the recent improvements to the roads would make the navigation more useful could boats be brought up to the turnpike; the expense would be repaid by the increase of business for WW's barge.</p> <p>William Haffenden, Francis Daw, James Vigor, T Freeman, William Jannings, Robert Chambers, William Haffenden, John Jones, John Hilder, John Hammond, William Mills, Samuel Jones, F Hickes, Edward Frewen, William Braban, Samuel Durrant, Richard Pearson, Richard Swaine, Samuel Godfrey, Thomas Chrismas, George Huntly, John Cruttenden, George Russell, Robert</p>

	<p>Oxley, Henry Marten, Thomas Daw.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 181/7</p>
Volume 72 Item 26B	<p>Draft contract for a lease for 11 years from 29 September at £140. [17 September 1765].</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to John Hyland of Westfield, yeoman Messuage, barns, buildings and land (305 acres) called Udiam Farm and land called Andrews in Ewhurst, Salehurst and Bodiam, lately occupied by Edward Cox, deceased WW to put the messuage, barns and buildings in repair; timber, trees, quarries of stone and ore, reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing brook or meadow, for failing to marl or lime every third crop and for having more than 90 acres in tillage; dung to be spread on brook, meadow and hopgardens only; JH may cut the underwood on Church Field and Boveyer Shaws at between 14 and 16 years' growth; the representatives of Edward Cox may have the use of the barns until 12 May next, any dispute to be determined by two men; TC may increase the hopgarden to 8 acres, and change it only with consent; TC to leave 4 acres of hops well planted at the end of the term, and to take only one crop from any displanted hopgarden, and then to lay it down for meadow; the agreement to be carried into a lease as soon as possible.</p> <p>Related materials: For dated preliminary draft of lease, see Volume 76, Item 58B, for dated heads of agreement, see Volume 76, Item 58A.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 72 Item 27	<p>Defeasance of conveyance. 1 July 1539.</p> <p>Description: John Androwe the elder of Little Chart, Kent, with his son Thomas Androw A messuage, three gardens and ten pieces of meadow, brookland and woodland in Great Chart Thomas Androw to pay his father £44 in six-monthly instalments of 30s, and £9 to each of his brothers Nicholas, George and John Androw, after the death of their father JA the elder, in six-monthly instalments of £3, otherwise JA the elder may expel TA.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 203/3</p>
Volume 72 Item 28	<p>Release and quitclaim by widow. 16 September 1595.</p> <p>Description: Dorothy Drayton of Hackington in Kent, widow of William Drayton of Hackington, to David Drayton of Hackington, husbandman, one of WD's sons Her dower and other rights in the lands and tenements bequeathed by WD to DD Recites will of WD, bequeathing £66 13s 4d to DD on condition that she execute releases to his sons.</p> <p>Witnesses: Walter Stylworth, John Fidge, William Drayton</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 203/6</p>
Volume 72 Item 29	<p>Probate (Canterbury Archdeaconry) of the will (26 October 1558) of Margaret Drayton, widow of Richard Drayton of Hackington, yeoman. 23 January 1560.</p> <p>Description: To be buried at Hackington near her husband, with dirige and five masses, and 6s 8d to the poor of Hackington in money or bread, both to be repeated at month's mind.</p> <p>Pecuniary and chattel bequests to eldest son Henry Drayton, sons James Drayton, Thomas Drayton and William Drayton, daughters Joan Drayton and her husband Thomas Swame (including a cloth cloak bought of Parret's widow) and Agnes Drayton, her godson John Drayton son of Henry Drayton, Margaret Blacamore.</p>

	<p>Sons Thomas Drayton and William Drayton residuary legatees.</p> <p>Executors: James Drayton, Thomas Drayton, William Drayton.</p> <p>Proved before Stephen Nevinson, LLD, official, on the oaths of the witnesses. Witnesses: Thomas Brocke, Austin Fidge, Giles Wynston</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 203/4</p>
Volume 72 Item 30	<p>Licence as curate. 8 October 1724.</p> <p>Description: William [Wake], archbishop of Canterbury, to Silas Drayton, clerk, MA. To serve as curate at Cranbrook or elsewhere in the diocese, on condition of residence. John Sheldon, registrar.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 205/2</p>
Volume 72 Item 31	<p>Release and quitclaim by widow. 20 June 1606.</p> <p>Description: Dorothy Drayton of Hackington otherwise St Stephens in Kent, widow of William Drayton of Hackington, yeoman, to David Drayton, one of WD's sons Two small tenements and two gardens at Stowerseate in Hackington, occupied by Michael Pembroke and Widow Sharpe Recites will of WD, bequeathing the tenements to DD during her widowhood, with successive remainders in tail male to his sons David Drayton and Peter Drayton, on condition that DD release her dower in other property to his sons James Drayton, David Drayton, Richard Drayton and Peter Drayton, 24 October 1594. Witnesses: John Pakenham, Edmund Goodwin</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 203/6</p>
Volume 72 Item 32	<p>Probate (Canterbury Archdeaconry) of the will (4 March 1624) of David Drayton of Westgate Holy Cross, [Canterbury], yeoman. 16 March 1624.</p> <p>Description: Pecuniary and chattel bequests to daughter Joan (besides the lands at Stowerseate in Hackington already given by deed), the poor of Holy Cross, John Filmer, shoemaker.</p> <p>Half barn and land at Stowerseate in Hackington, occupied by Thomas Gradell, the lease of the house DD lives in and of the malthouse, to son Francis Drayton, or to daughter Joan Drayton (allowing Francis £10 a year) if he does not prove the will.</p> <p>Executor: son Francis Drayton. Proved before George Newman, kt, LLD, official; Charles Coventrey, deputy registrar. Witnesses: John Jenkinson, Robert Norman</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 204/2</p>
Volume 72 Item 33	<p>Counterpart pre-nuptial settlement (covenant to stand seised). 16 December 1633.</p> <p>Description: Francis Drayton of Canterbury, clerk, to John Downes of Canterbury, tailor FD to marry Mary, one of the daughters of Silas Johnson of Canterbury, gent, deceased Barn, garden, orchard and four pieces of land (12½ acres) at Stowerseate in Hackington otherwise St Stephens, Kent, late FD's father David Drayton To FD for life, remainder to Mary for life in lieu of dower, remainder to their heirs in tail. Witnesses: William Gibbon, Thomas Richardson, Peter Pyarde, Godfrey Pyard, Edward Pyarde</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 204/3</p>

Volume 72 Item 34	<p>Counterpart lease for 7 years from 29 September 1695 at £24. 10 September 1695.</p> <p>Description: Basil Drayton, rector of Little Chart, Kent, to Thomas Baker of Little Chart, husbandman</p> <p>Messuage, barn, stable, outhouses, yards, close, gardens, orchard and ten pieces of arable, meadow and pasture called The Upper Ground (22 acres), five pieces of land called The Lower Ground (20 acres), a piece of land with a barn on it called Wiles (5 acres) and a piece of meadow called Fowles Tyes (3 acres), with the usual way to it, all near Bolcombs Forstall in Little Chart, occupied by TB</p> <p>Two woods (3 acres), all the elm trees growing in and near the yards and closes, and all other timber and trees with the tops and tan, reserved; TB to maintain, allowing BD five cop of straw for thatching; penalty of £2 an acre for ploughing meadow and other specified fields; TB not to pay tithe during BD's incumbency, and shall be allowed £2 from the rent annually should tithes be demanded by a successor; TB may use the barn, yards and closes until 25 March after the end of the term.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Pemble, George Poole</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 204/4</p>
Volume 72 Item 35	<p>Cancelled unexecuted conveyance for £12. 20 June 1696.</p> <p>Description: Basil Drayton of Little Chart in Kent, clerk, to John Owen of Kenardington, Kent, yeoman</p> <p>Small tenement or cottage and backside or spot (1 yard) at Woodchurch in Kent, lately occupied by [blank] Reynolds (S: road; E,N: BD; W: John Munns, gent).</p> <p>Witnesses: [blank]</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 204/6</p>
Volume 72 Item 36	<p>Cancelled counterpart mortgage for £100 at 5%. 15 December 1701.</p> <p>Description: Basil Drayton, of Little Chart, Kent, clerk, to John Nowers of Pluckley, Kent, clothier</p> <p>Messuage, two barns, kitchen, buildings, yards, close, gardens, orchard and ten pieces of arable, pasture, meadow, wood and brook (22 acres), five pieces of land (20 acres), a piece of land (5 acres) and a piece of meadow called Fowesleys Meadow (3 acres), with the usual way to it from the road called Eastlane through land late John Andrewes, then Anthony Auchers, all near a forestall called Balsomes Forstall in Little Chart, occupied by Thomas Baker.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edward Heald, George Poole</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 204/5</p>
Volume 72 Item 37	<p>Settlement (lease [and release]). 7-[8] July 1713.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Hatton of Hythe in Kent, gent, to Basil Drayton of Little Chart in Kent, clerk</p> <p>1 Messuage, stable, outhouses, yard and garden in the west ward of Hythe, occupied by TH (N: road; W: messuage of the heirs of John Arthurs)</p> <p>2 Messuage, barn, outhouses, yards, gardens, orchards and three pieces of land (10 acres) in Molash in Kent, occupied by Richard Amis (E,N: William Lockett; W,N: [blank] Clement, heirs of Samuel Wanstall; W,S: road)</p> <p>3 Two pieces of arable called Dane Lands (5 acres) in Molash, occupied by Henry Farbrace</p> <p>The release to include BD's only daughter Elizabeth Drayton, spinster, as the party of the third part.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Reader, Barnabas French</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

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Volume 72 Item 38	<p>Cancelled mortgage for £200 at 5%. 31 January 1715.</p> <p>Description: Basil Drayton of Little Chart in Kent, clerk, and his only son and heir (by his wife Jane) Silas Drayton of Little Chart, gent, to Ann Wade of Wye in Kent, widow Messuage previously called Wises, a great barn called Wises Great Barn, with malthouses, dovecotes, barns, stables, buildings, gardens and orchards, a little cottage and backside belonging to the messuage and let with it, 13 pieces of upland adjoining the messuage (50 acres) in Woodchurch, occupied by Thomas Cockrell and William Pollington</p> <p>The dower of BD's present wife Isabella included in warranty.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Reader, Barnabas French</p> <p>Endorsed: Receipt for principal and interest, 29 January 1718.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 205/1</p>
Volume 72 Item 39	<p>Cancelled mortgage for £100 at 4%. 29 May 1745.</p> <p>Description: Silas Drayton of Crundall in Kent, clerk, to James Hanson of Canterbury, gent Messuage and 62 acres in Woodchurch in Kent, occupied by Abraham Richardson, late Thomas Cockrell and William Pollington.</p> <p>Witnesses: J Pomfret the younger, Thomas Browne</p> <p>Endorsed: Receipt for principal and interest, 23 June 1752.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 205/3</p>
Volume 72 Item 40	<p>Bond in £20 for quiet possession. 1 January 1593.</p> <p>Description: Henry Draiton of Canterbury, yeoman, to William Draiton of Hackington by Canterbury, yeoman. To keep the covenants in a release and quitclaim of an annuity of 20s from two messuages, a barn, gardens and 14 acres in Hackington belonging to WD, made by HD and his son Thomas Draiton of Canterbury, merchant, to WD.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Halke, Richard Wodland</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 203/5</p>
Volume 72 Item 41	<p>Counterpart lease for 9½ years from 29 September 1737 at £20. 5 September 1737.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to William Harrison, William Jukes and George Jukes of London, founders and ironmongers The furnace for working and making iron called Robertsbridge Furnace in Salehurst, with the ironhouses, workhouses, workmen's houses, coalplaces and places to lay mine and cinder, lately occupied by TW</p> <p>Reserving the fish in the ponds and rivers, with the right to fish them, and all cinders to be made at the furnace; lessees to repair, TW providing sufficient rough timber within 40 days of notice in writing, which is not to extend to repairing or renewing the water-wheels, bellows or utensils used at the ironworks; if TW fail to provide the timber, WJ and GJ may purchase it and deduct the sum from the rent; WJ and GJ may take loam, sand and clay for moulding and casting from the places from which it has been taken in the past; WJ and GJ to have three months beyond the term to remove their stock; TW will take back from the lessees at the end of the term all the gun tackle, tools of wrought iron, cast plates and other iron things, which he has sold them at £20 a ton for gun tackle and wrought iron tools, and £6 a ton for the rest, at the same rates. If TW cut any underwood of 16 years' growth on his estates in Sussex, he shall give notice to the lessees by 24 June, and sell it to them at 6s the cord plus an allowance in lieu of cutting costs; WJ and GJ agree to take all the wood which TW cuts on his estates in Sussex, and pay for it half in May and</p>

	<p>half in November annually; by prior arrangement, WJ and GJ may agree with any of the copyhold tenants of any of TW's manors to draw mine on their land for use at the furnace, to be accounted for at the rate of one load of mine for two cords of wood.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Johnson, John Vaughan, scrivener in Lombard Street</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 72 Item 42	<p>Counterpart lease for 5½ years from 29 September 1734 at £50. 29 August 1734.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to William Harrison, William Jukes and George Jukes of London, founders and ironmongers</p> <p>The furnace for working and making iron called Robertsbridge Furnace in Salehurst, with the ironhouses, workhouses, workmen's houses, coalplaces and places to lay mine and cinder, lately occupied by TW, reserving the fish in the ponds and rivers, with the right to fish them, and all cinders to be made at the furnace; lessees to repair, TW providing sufficient rough timber within 40 days of notice in writing, which is not to extend to repairing or renewing the waterwheels, bellows or utensils used at the ironworks; if TW fail to provide the timber, WJ and GJ may purchase it and deduct the sum from the rent; WJ and GJ may take loam, sand and clay for moulding and casting from the places from which it has been taken in the past; WJ and GJ to have three months beyond the term to remove their stock; TW will take back from the lessees at the end of the term all the gun tackle, tools of wrought iron, cast plates and other iron things, which he has sold them at £20 a ton for gun tackle and wrought iron tools, and £6 a ton for the rest, at the same rates. If TW cut any underwood of 16 years' growth on his estates in Sussex, he shall give notice to the lessees by 24 June, and sell it to them at 6s the cord plus an allowance in lieu of cutting costs; WJ and GJ agree to take all the wood which TW cuts on his estates in Sussex, and pay for it half in May and half in November annually; by prior arrangement, WJ and GJ may agree with any of the copyhold tenants of any of TW's manors to draw mine on their land for use at the furnace, to be accounted for at the rate of one load of mine for two cords of wood.</p> <p>Witnesses: H Moore, Benjamin Manning, scrivener in Cornhill</p> <p>Endorsed: Agreement that the topwood from the timber felled in the woods from which the underwood is to be taken by the lessees shall be taken by them on the same terms.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 177/11</p>
Volume 72 Item 43	<p>Lease for 6 years from 25 March 1673 at £36. 1 May 1673.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to Richard Longley of Bexhill, yeoman</p> <p>Messuage, two adjoining closes, two pieces called The Great Barkhams, The Six Acres, The Squires Marshes, The Two Rabbetts Marshes, The Two Furnace Fields, The Old Town, and Barnhorn Copces (12 acres), all part of the demesnes of the manor of Barnhorn in Bexhill, occupied by RL</p> <p>Timber, trees and right of way through the land reserved; the rent to be paid at Battle House.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Tourner, John Frauncis, William Dongane</p> <p>Related materials: For unexecuted counterpart, see Volume 71, Item 32.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 163/2</p>
Volume 72 Item 44	<p>Counterpart lease for 13 years from 29 September 1675 at £16 10s 0d. 24 November 1675.</p> <p>Description: Francis [Browne], viscount Montague to John Mathews of Bexhill, yeoman</p> <p>Three pieces of marsh called Totts Marshes (23 acres), two pieces called The Lookers Crofts (2 acres) and a piece called The Spott (½ acre), all in Bexhill, occupied by JM</p> <p>Game, hawking, hunting, fishing and fowling reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing.</p> <p>Witnesses: Moses Purfeild, Francis Hardres</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 164/1</p>
Volume 72 Item 45	<p>Lease for 60 years from 29 September 1711 at 5 shillings. 3 October 1711.</p> <p>Description: John [Sidney] earl of Leicester, lord of the manor of Robertsbridge, to Stephen Cavey of Ewhurst, collier Cottage and piece of land (1 acre) in the old lane between the forge and Staplecross in Ewhurst, late Olivers Timber and trees reserved. Witnesses: William Goffe, George Fothergell</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 203/1</p>
Volume 72 Item 46	<p>Counterpart lease for 5 years from 25 March 1710 at £62. 24 September 1710.</p> <p>Description: Henry [Browne], viscount Montague to Jeremiah Gilbert of Hooe, yeoman Piece of land called Barnhorn Pond with four pieces called The Two Ponds Fields, The Thistley Field and The Hams, in Bexhill and Hooe, occupied by JG Timber and trees and the right to enter and take them, reserved; the rent payable at Battle House; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing without licence; JG to deliver a parchment terrier of the boundaries of the land, which shall specify their names, boundaries, quantities and abutments, by 29 September 1710, and renew it every [blank] years if requested; clause permitting HB to pull down and remove the materials of the mill or water-engine on the premises deleted. Witnesses: Nicholas Jackson, James Ashenden Endorsed: Endorsed and deleted: JG to pay half the taxes due to the queen for The Little Pound Field and The Thistley Field, but shall not be obliged to repair or scour the ditches.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 171/1</p>
Volume 72 Item 47	<p>Counterpart lease for 11 years from 29 September 1717 at £130. 1 October 1717.</p> <p>Description: Elizabeth Powell of Boughton Monchelsea in Kent, widow of Barnham Powell of Boughton Monchelsea, esq, with his only son Christopher Powell, bt, to William Pix of Ewhurst, gent</p> <p>1 Capital messuage and farm called The Court Lodge Farm with the barns, stables, malthouses, buildings, gardens and orchards, land called The Farther Horselands, The Compleate, The Dornex, The Alder Field, The Horseland Wood, The Wren Crofts, The Selmstead Brooks, The British Field, The Church Field (now in two), The Middle Morgeys, The Farther Morgeys, The Brempons, The Brick Clampfield, The Bunjep Crofts and The Lords Croft (172 acres), pasture and marsh called The Outer Floate Marsh, The Inner Floate Marsh, The Thirteen Acres, The Outward Rushy Marsh, The Inner Rushy Marsh, The Little Willow Marsh, The Four Acres, Worleys Brooks, The Sand Banks, The Alder Field, The Five Acres, The Lower Nine Acres, The Court Marsh and The Forelands (80 acres), and the piece of coppice called The Morgey Wood, The Church Wood, Cony Burrough Wood and The Flettice Wood (25 acres)</p> <p>2 Messuage and butcher's shop on Ewhurst Green, occupied by [blank] Hilson, widow, late Thomas King</p> <p>All occupied by WP, in Ewhurst. Timber, trees, quarries of mine and stone, ponds and stews and the fish in them, hunting, hawking and fowling, reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing marsh, for sowing more than 40 acres in one year and for failing to marl or lime after every third crop; WP to reside in the capital messuage but may underlet the messuage (described as a 'little house') without licence; the little house and the great gut through the channel wall into the channel excepted from the maintenance clause; WP to leave the old hopgarden (5 acres) in good heart, well stocked and planted with the best stocks and plants, at the end of the term; Flettice, Cony Burrough and Church Woods to be cut only once, and to be left at the end of the term with</p>

	<p>seven, five and three years' growth respectively, under penalty of £5 an acre.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Frewen, Charles Frewen</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 172/7</p>
	<p>Deeds relating to the manor of Samford Orcas, Somerset, 1640-1739, and to estates in Buckinghamshire, Minshull family, 1632-1699. 1632-1739.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9937</p>
Volume 73 Item 1	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Sandford Orcas. 2 April 1640.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Edward Haggard and his sons Thomas Haggard and Edward Haggard the younger for their lives on the surrender of EH the father 3½ acres pasture called Depford in Sandford Orcas, part of a tenement in the tenure of EH, late Thomas Toogood, rent 3 shillings With the interest of EH, Ambrose Haggard and John Haggard, with the former copy cancelled; fine £2. Signed by the lords Henry Winter, gent, and his wife Mary; Richard Wotton, gent, deputy steward.</p> <p>Endorsed: Ambrose Haggard; [he] is dead, tenement in lord's hands</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 205/5</p>
Volume 73 Item 2	<p>Counterpart lease for 99 years or lives at 6s 8d for £25 10s 0d. 1 September 1645.</p> <p>Description: Henry Winter of Sandford Orcas, gent, and wife Mary, with Thomas Knoyle, esq, son and heir of Mary's late husband Thomas Knoyle of Sandford Orcas, esq, deceased, to Walter Lambert of Sherborne, parchment-maker, for the lives of Honor Jeanes, daughter of John Jeanes of Sherborne, butcher, deceased, her sister Dorothy Jeanes, and William Oldish, son of Richard Oldish of Sherborne, mercer Two closes of meadow and pasture called Tinsill (7 acres) in Sandford Orcas, occupied by WL, before John Jeaves, before Bernard Gould of Sandford Orcas, gent, in the right of his wife Joan, both deceased On the surrender of a former lease with 50 years unexpired by WL and his wife Joan, mother of Honor Jeanes; timber and trees reserved; WL to do suit twice a year to the manor of Sandford Orcas; lessors may take any crop grown on the land.</p> <p>Witnesses: River Murton, William Bankes, James Byrt</p> <p>Endorsed: Each of the lives to be subject to a heriot of 1s. Thomas Mansell assignee of Walter Lambert for Honor Mansell his wife, Dorothy the wife of Robert Avoake and William Oldis; all dead except Dorothy Avoake</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 205/7</p>
Volume 73 Item 3	<p>Lease for 99 years or lives at 6 shillings. 1 April 1640.</p> <p>Description: Henry Winter of Sandford Orcas, gent, and wife Mary, to John Haggard of Sandford Orcas, clothier, for life, remainder to his wife Florence for life, remainder to their son Robert Haggard Land, meadow and pasture (8 acres) called Palmers Barn in Sandford Orcas, enclosed by Blaise Haggard, with common of pasture for eight sheep in Paddesdowne and Hayle. Recites: undertaking by William Clavell, kt, and William Clavell, esq (committees of the king's ward William Knoyle, esq), and his mother Grace Knoyle, that William Knoyle, Edward Knoyle or Thomas Knoyle, on their majority, would grant a lease to Frances Haggard, widow (now wife of Richard Yeatman of Sandford, yeoman) and her sons John Haggard and Edward Haggard, for £100, secured by bond, 22 December 1612; death of William Knoyle and Edward Knoyle in their minorities; death of Thomas Knoyle before he could execute an engrossed lease; lease of the</p>

	<p>above and other land by Mary Winter to Frances and Richard Yeatman, John Haggard and Edward Haggard for 99 years or their successive lives for £10, now surrendered, 9 July 1627. JH to do suit to the manor of Sandford Orcas. Witnesses: Richard Wotton, Edward Pearce, John Taylor.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Wotton, Edward Pearce, John Taylor</p> <p>Endorsed: Unexecuted assignment to Edward Pearce of Sandford Orcas, yeoman, in trust as in the deed, with the proviso that JH's brother Edward Haggard to have first refusal if the land is sold, 2 April 1640; John is dead and Florence and Robert assigned to Mr Thomas Knoylle, who has surrendered by deed to Francis Cheeke; nd, approximately 1674.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 205/4</p>
Volume 73 Item 4	<p>Counterpart lease for 99 years or lives at 6s 8d for £1 15s 0d. 29 September 1652.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Knoyle of Sandford Orcas, esq, to Richard Yeatman of Sandford Orcas, yeoman, for the lives of Ann Beaton, John Beaton and Richard Beaton, children of Robert Beaton of Over Adver in Trent, deceased</p> <p>Close of land, meadow and pasture (6 acres) called Knole Furlonge in the manor of Wethergrove, occupied by RY, late Thomas Norman and John Norman, deceased</p> <p>RY to pay a heriot of 3s 4d on the death of each of the lives, and do suit of court to the manor of Sandford twice a year; RY may take fuel without cutting trees.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Swayne, Thomas Pearce, John Haggard</p> <p>Endorsed: Ann Beaton, administratrix of Richard Yeatman, now wife of Thomas Stone; John and Richard Beaton taken to be dead, not heard of in 14 years; nd, approximately 1674.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 206/1</p>
Volume 73 Item 5	<p>Counterpart lease for 99 years or lives at 3s 4d for £8 10s 0d. 10 February 1662.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Knoylle of Sandford Orcas, esq, and Francis Cheeke of Lyons Inn, Middlesex, gent, to Richard Pitman of Sandford Orcas, clothier, for the lives of his children William Pitman, Rebecca Pitman and Susannah Pitman</p> <p>Tenement or cottage with the backside in Sandford Orcas, occupied by John Robertes, late his father Robert Robertes, deceased</p> <p>On the surrender of a former copyhold estate by John Robertes and Robert Robertes; RP to pay a heriot of 3s 4d on the death of each of the lives, and do suit of court to the manor of Sandford Orcas.</p> <p>Witnesses: Hugh Hodges, John Haggard, James Norman</p> <p>Endorsed: Richard Pitman dead; his assigns Robert Beaton and Francis Devenish hold; nd, approximately 1674.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 206/5</p>
Volume 73 Item 6	<p>Counterpart lease for 99 years or lives at 3s 4d for £12. 7 June 1656.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Knoylle of Sandford Orcas, esq, to William Freeke the elder of Corton Denham, Somerset, yeoman, for the lives of his children Robert Freeke, William Freeke the younger and Joan Freeke</p> <p>Close of arable (3 acres) called Knowle in Sandford Orcas (S: close of Richard Yetman, once John Norman; N: a way or halter path), lately occupied by John Lye of Rimpton, yeoman</p> <p>WF to do suit of court to the manor of Sandford; WF may take fuel without cutting trees; TK will substitute one of the lives within four years if requested.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Baller of Sherborne, shoemaker, George Cuffe</p> <p>Endorsed: WF to pay 20s to exchange a life. Robert Freke assign of William Freke hath this.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 206/2</p>
Volume 73 Item 7	<p>Counterpart lease for 99 years or lives at 10 shillings for £9 15s 0d (pre-nuptial settlement). 5 June 1657.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Knoyle of Sandford Orcas, esq, and Christian Hellier of East Coker, Somerset (daughter of Henry Hellier of East Coker, esq, deceased) to Robert Collie of Rimpton, shoemaker, his wife Margaret, William Hammon of Rimpton, yeoman, RC's son-in-law Richard Martine and WH's daughter Alice Hammon, for the lives of RC, RM and AH; RM to marry AH Two closes of meadow and pasture (9 acres), one near Mr Hooper's close and one next a ground of John Higgens, part of the manor of Wethergrove in Sandford Orcas, occupied by RC RC and WH to hold in trust for RC for life, remainder to RM for life, remainder to AH for life, subject to a £5 annuity on the death of RC to his wife Margaret Collie; recites the surrender of a former 99-year lease for the lives of RC, RM and Peter Fudge, son of William Fudge of Rimpton, yeoman; RC and WH to pay a heriot of 10s on the death of each of the lives, and to do suit of court to the manor of Sandford; timber and trees reserved, but not to be cut without the leave of RC and WH; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing; WF may take fuel without cutting trees; TK will substitute one of the lives within four years if requested. Witnesses: John Baller of Sherborne, shoemaker, George Cuffe Endorsed: WF to pay 20s to exchange a life. Robert Freke assign of William Freke hath this.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 206/2</p>
Volume 73 Item 8	<p>Counterpart lease for 99 years or lives in reversion at 4s 4d for £40. 20 August 1659.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Knoyll of Sandford Orcas, esq, and Francis Cheeke of Lyons Inn, Middlesex, gent, to Richard Pitman of Sandford Orcas, clothier, for the lives of his children William Pitman and Susannah Pitman, in reversion on the death of Edward Lovelace Messuage with adjoining garden and orchard, a close of pasture called The Backside (3 acres), and 3 acres in Brookfurlong (N,S: late Robert Jerard, esq, deceased) in Sandford Orcas, occupied by Edward Lovelace, except a dwelling-house and its garden, occupied by John Bullen the elder, lately built on part of the tenement Recites a lease by Henry Winter, gent, his wife Mary, and TK, to Edward Lovelace for 99 years or the lives of EL, his wife Agnes and Lewis Atwell (both now deceased), 23 October 1624; RP to pay a heriot of 5 shillings on the death of each of the lives, and do suit of court to the manor of Sandford Orcas. Witnesses: Hugh Hodges, Hugh Hodges the younger, Strode Bisse Endorsed: Memorandum by Henry Dampier, son-in-law of RP deceased, of a grant by RP of a plot as Volume 73, Item 9, to Richard Condon of Sandford Orcas, 2 February 1668; 10 May 1669; Susan Pitman living, in the tenure of Sarah Pitman; nd, approximately 1674.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 206/4</p>
Volume 73 Item 9	<p>Counterpart lease for 99 years or lives at 1 shilling. 1 June 1669.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Knoyll of Sandford Orcas, esq, and Francis Cheeke of Lyons Inn, Middlesex, gent, to Richard Condon of Sandford Orcas, cordwainer, for the lives RC, his wife Joan and son John Condon Plot of land 42' long and 30' wide, with a dwelling-house and buildings built on it by RC, and a garden on its N, 30' long and 22½' wide, at the E end of Robert Popley's dwelling-house in Sandford Orcas, part of the tenement leased to Richard Pitman [Volume 73, Item 8]. RC to do suit of court to the manor of Sandford Orcas twice a year. Witnesses: Hugh Hodges, George Cox Endorsed: Richard Condon dead, Joan Condon widow and John her son living; nd, approximately</p>

	<p>1674.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 206/7</p>
Volume 73 Item 10	<p>Counterpart lease for 99 years or lives at 8 shillings, and for 99 years or lives in reversion at 2 shillings, for £210. 30 March 1667.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Knoyle of Sandford Orcas, esq, and Francis Cheeke of Lyons Inn, Middlesex, gent, to Thomas Emblen of Rimpton, clothier, for the lives of TE, his wife Margaret and daughter Margaret Emblen</p> <p>1 Messuage or dwelling-house, with the adjoining gardens, orchards and backsides (except as 2 below), formerly occupied by Grace Pople, widow, then her children John Pople and Priscilla Pople, both deceased, with four closes of pasture (formerly described as one) called Great Pitts (8 acres), formerly occupied with the messuage by Grace Pople, lately occupied by Edward Wayfold otherwise Hooper, now TK and FC</p> <p>2 That part of the messuage in 1 above from the entrance eastwards, the garden used with the eastern part and the moiety of the orchard adjoining the garden (formerly called Hornetts), occupied by Mary widow of John Pople, in reversion on her marriage, surrender, death or forfeiture, as tenant for her widowhood by the custom of the manor of Sandford Orcas</p> <p>Timber and trees reserved; TE to pay a heriot of 40s on the death of each life, and do suit of court to the manor of Sandford Orcas.</p> <p>Witnesses: Hugh Hodges, Strode Bisse, George Cox</p> <p>Endorsed: Margaret [his] wife, Margaret their daughter; nd, approximately 1674.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 206/6</p>
Volume 73 Item 11	<p>Deed of indemnity (lease for 99 years in escrow). 25 September 1674.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Knoyle of Sandford Orcas, esq, and his wife Elizabeth, to Francis Cheeke of Lyons Inn, St Clement Danes, Middlesex, gent</p> <p>Close of pasture called Great Gaston (50 acres), part of the farm and demesne lands of Sandford Orcas</p> <p>Recites: purchase by FC of the reversion of the manor, capital messuage, barton, farm and demesnes of Sandford Orcas, the advowson of Sandford Orcas, the water grist-mill called Sandford Mill or Mills and the adjoining Millhams, and lands called Weathergrove in Sandford Orcas; outstanding term in a copyhold messuage in the tenure of Ambrose Haggard for life previously granted to Richard Beaton and John Beaton, now supposed to be dead beyond the seas; outstanding term in two closes of pasture called Knole in Sandford Orcas, held by Ann Beaton, wife of Thomas Stone, for her life and that of Richard and John Beaton; outstanding term in 1-acre meadow called Pricke Elme held by Ann Beaton, wife of Thomas Stone, for her life and that of Ann Haggard and John Beaton; lease by FC to TK and EK of capital messuage and farm, mill, a close of enclosed meadow called East Mead otherwise East Field (4 acres) lately occupied by Robert Freeke, and a close called Knowle (4 acres) lately occupied by John Hooper, all in Sandford Orcas, for 99 years or the lives of TK and EK at 10s 0d, 25 September 1674; this lease to come into effect after any entry made by Richard Beaton or John Beaton under any of the terms recited.</p> <p>Witnesses: Hugh Hodges, William Martyn, Strode Bisse, Edmund Hill</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 206/8</p>
Volume 73 Item 12A	<p>Assignment of lease for £30 with surrender endorsed. 2 December 1674.</p> <p>Description: Florence Haggard of Sandford Orcas, widow, and Robert Haggard of Sandford Orcas, tobacco-cutter, to Thomas Knoyle of Sandford Orcas, esq</p> <p>Close of pasture called Palmers barn (8 acres), with common of pasture for eight sheep,</p>

	<p>in Sandford Orcas, part of the manor of Sandford Orcas</p> <p>Recites: lease by 'an imperfect writing' by Henry Wynter, gent, deceased and his wife Mary, mother of TK, in his minority, to John Haggard, FH and their son RH, for 99 years or their lives at 6s, [1 April 1640, see Volume 73, Item 3]; rent in arrears for many years and suits moved between TK and FH for the rents and profits.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Williams, William Knoyle, Tristram Addams, Ambrose Haggard, John Beaton</p> <p>Endorsed: Surrender by TK to Francis Cheeke of Lyons Inn, St Clement Danes, Middlesex, gent, the property part of his manor of Sandford Orcas; W: Henry White, William Fisher, 18 April 1675.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 207/1</p>
Volume 73 Item 12B	<p>Counterpart lease for 99 years or lives at 3s 4d for £21. 24 December 1675.</p> <p>Description: Francis Cheek of Lyons Inn in St Clement Danes, Middlesex, gent, to Michael Rayment of Marston Magna, Somerset, yeoman, for the lives of his son Michael Rayment, daughter Mellior Rayment and Thomas Cunnoek, son of William Cunnoek of Marston Magna, victualler</p> <p>Close of arable and pasture called Knowle (3 acres) in Sandford Orcas, part of FC's manor of Sandford Orcas, which came into his hands on the death of Robert Freake of Corton Denham, yeoman, the former tenant</p> <p>Timber and trees reserved; heriot of 1s on the deaths of each of the lives; MR to do suit to FC's manor of Sandford Orcas.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Sheane, John Fisher, William Fisher</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 207/2</p>
Volume 73 Item 13	<p>Lease for 7 years from the lessor's death in trust. 12 January 1677.</p> <p>Description: Francis Cheeke of Lyons Inn, Middlesex, gent, to William Fisher of Sherborne in Dorset, gent, and Henry Martyn of West Camel, Somerset, yeoman</p> <p>Manor, capital messuage, barton, farm and demesne lands of Sandford Orcas, the mill called Sandford Mill and the farm called Steart Farm in Babcary, Somerset</p> <p>In trust to pay £20 to Hugh Hodges of Lincolns Inn, esq, £20 to WF, £20 to Andrew Parsons of West Camel, gent, £5 to John Eastmont of Sherborne, gent, £10 to HM, £5 to the poor of Babcary and £5 to the poor of Sandford Orcas, and any further sums which FC may appoint in writing, with remainder to the person entitled to FC's estate on his death; revocable by FC, or by the remainderman paying the legacies within six months.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Babington, Robert Chamberlayne, Henry Doughty, Edward Haberfield</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 207/3</p>
Volume 73 Item 14	<p>Pre-nuptial settlement for £1500. 3 April 1678.</p> <p>Description: Edward Cheeke, citizen and soapmaker of London, with Gabriel Whistler of Combe in Hampshire, esq, Henry Whistler of London, gent, and his daughter Mary Whistler.</p> <p>EC to marry MW.</p> <p>EC covenants to convey within two years [blank] good brick messuages or tenements or lands within 40 miles of London, worth £100 a year clear, of good free or copyhold title, to GW and HW in trust for MW after EC's death for life, with remainder as EC shall appoint by will; MW to have the option to refuse the estate as jointure and enjoy her dower rights under the common law and the custom of the city of London; £1200 of the portion has been paid and £300 secured.</p> <p>Witnesses: John West, scrivener, his servants William Smith and John Blake</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 207/4</p>

<p>Volume 73 Item 15</p>	<p>Settlement (deed to declare the uses of a fine and recovery). 16 February 1687.</p> <p>Description: Edward Cheek of London, soapmaker, to William Fisher of Sherborne in Dorset, gent, Edward Parsons of London, tallow-chandler, and Henry Whistler of London, esq, in trust</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The manor, capital messuage, barton, farm and demesne land of Sandford Orcas, the advowson of Sandford Orcas, the mill called Sandford Mill or Mills 2 The capital messuage and land called Steart Farm in Babcary, Somerset 3 Two messuages in Little Eastcheap in St Andrew Hubbard and St Mary at Hill, London <p>Recites: conveyance by fine to WF and EP to be tenants to a recovery brought by HW, who is to hold in trust for EC for life, remainder to his heirs in tail male, remainder to his daughter Jane Cheek for life, remainder to her heirs in tail male, remainder in tail female, remainder to EC's right heirs; power reserved to EC to make leases for years or lives, and to revoke the trusts by deed.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Alice, Robert Whittingham, Ma Chambrelan</p> <p>Related materials: For the exemplification of common recovery of property, see Volume 73, Item 17; for the revocation of trusts and resettlement, see Volume 73, Item 16.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 207/6</p>
<p>Volume 73 Item 16</p>	<p>Revocation of trusts and resettlement. 16 May 1687.</p> <p>Description: Edward Cheeke of London, soapmaker, to Gabriel Whistler of Combe in Hampshire, esq, Henry Whistler of London, esq, and Peter Joy of London, merchant, in trust. EC revokes the trusts of the settlement of 16 February 1687 [see Volume 73, Item 15], and conveys to GW, HW and PJ in trust for himself and his heirs in tail male, remainder for a term of 15 years if his daughter Jane Cheeke lives (in trust to pay £100 each to themselves, £10 to Hugh Hodges esq, £10 to Mr William Eastman, £30 to William Fisher and £10 to [blank] Parsons of Camel, Somerset, gent, £10 to the poor of Sandford Orcas, and £5 to the poor of Steart, paying any remainder for the education and maintenance of Jane Cheeke), remainder to her heirs in tail, remainder to his wife Mary Cheeke for life, remainder to his right heirs.</p> <p>Witnesses: Elizabeth Boylston, Richard Vincent (executed by HW only)</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 208/1</p>
<p>Volume 73 Item 17</p>	<p>Exemplification of common recovery of London property. 29 November 1686.</p> <p>Related materials: For 16 February 1687 settlement specifying property, see Volume 73, Item 15.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 207/5</p>
<p>Volume 73 Item 18</p>	<p>Draft conveyance for £1050. 1739</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall in Essex <Battle Abbey in Sussex>, bt, his wife Jane (only daughter and heir of Edward Cheek of London, soapmaker, deceased) and son Whistler Webster, esq, [with their other children Godfrey, Jane and Elizabeth Webster deleted], Joseph Biscoe of the Inner Temple, London, gent, <and Elisha Biscoe of The Inner Temple, gent>, to John <Samuel> Hutchings of Sherborne in Dorset <South Cadbury in Somerset>, gent [and his trustee Joshua Cooke of Sherborne, bookseller deleted]</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The manor of Sandford Orcas 2 Messuage, garden, orchard, close called The Backside (3 acres) 3 acres of land and pasture at Brook Furlong, pasture close called Rixlade (4½ acres), occupied by Henry Dampier by leases from TW for 99 years, 1 November 1708 3 Pasture close called Mead Furlong (16 acres), lately occupied by George Raymond deceased by lease from TW for 99 years, 29 September 1707, before Richard Young, before Joan Young, before Joan Longman, widow 4 Messuage, garden, orchard and 16 acres occupied by Richard Rothrey of London,

coatmaker, or his undertenant John Braine, by lease from TW for 99 years, 16 August 1728, late Eleanor Kidle, widow

5 Messuage, garden, backside, orchard and 10 acres, formerly occupied by Margaret Emlin, deceased, two closes of pasture (8 acres) called Palmers Barn, with common of pasture for eight sheep on Padsdown and Hayle, lately occupied by Florence Haggard, widow, and a close of pasture (3 acres) called Peppard, all late Thomas Knoyllle by lease from TW for 99 years, 29 September 1703

6 Close of meadow or pasture called Great Weather Grove (13 acres), occupied by Thomas Lambert or Grace Lambert, widow, before Samuel Lambert, before John Norman, before John Paine, closes of pasture called Tinrill (8 acres), formerly occupied by Dorothy Avoake, widow, deceased, and Little Dolcombe (3 acres), formerly occupied by Robert Flookes, both then occupied by John Norman, late Samuel Lambert, now Thomas Lambert or Grace Lambert

7 Messuage, garden, orchard and 30 acres, formerly copyhold occupied by Hannah Haggard for her widowhood, then John Norman, late Samuel Lambert, now Thomas Lambert or Grace Lambert

8 21 acres former copyhold held by Hannah Haggard for her widowhood, then George Smith, then Samuel Lambert, now Thomas Lambert or Grace Lambert

9 Messuage, garden, orchard and 15 acres, formerly copyhold occupied by Mary Pope for her widowhood, then Samuel Lambert, now Thomas Lambert or Grace Lambert

10 Messuage or cottage and garden plot occupied by John Hobbs, late George Gregory the elder by lease from TW for 99 years, 29 September 1704

11 Dwelling-house or cottage and gardens occupied by Peter Condon by lease from TW for 99 years, 25 September 1727

12 Two copyhold tenements and land held by Edward Smith, late his father Edward Smith

13 Two copyhold cottages held for the life of Simon Braine

14 Rent of 4s from the lands of Henry Portman, esq, in Sandford Orcas

15 Rent of 4d from a dwelling-house in Sandford Orcas, formerly occupied by Stephen Lovelas

All part of the manor of Sandford Orcas, formerly held by Edward Cheeke and his wife Mary, before Thomas Knoyle, esq, and held by their respective tenants by leases for lives or by copy of court roll for lives.

Recites: deeds of 18 & 19 May 1733 and 31 May and 1 June 1733 by settling TW's estates on William Northey and Nathaniel Pigot in trust for sale to pay TW's debts; death of Pigot and appointment of JB as trustee by Northey, 10 & 11 July 1738; £400 of the purchase price advanced by EB on mortgage at 4%.

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Settlement (deed to lead the uses of a recovery). 2 November 1631.

Description: Francis Pulton late of Bourton in Bucks, esq, his son and heir Ferdinando Pulton and brother Giles Pulton of Windsor in Berks, gent, to Isham Parkins of Bonny, Notts, esq, Sebastian Goode of Maldon, Surrey, esq, Thomas Stich of London, gent, John Smith of London, esq, and Robert Bowyer of London, esq

1 The manors of Bourton, Skirrettes and Durrantes in Bourton

2 The capital messuage and demesnes of Bourton in Bourton, Maids Morton and Buckingham, late the inheritance of Ferdinando Pulton, esq, deceased, and all messuages and land occupied by Ferdinando Pulton, Thomas Wells, Richard Stutsbury, John Stutsbury, Thomas Smith, David East, Thomas Reeve, Francis Turpyn, Giles Lucas, Ralph Sherley, Thomas Philpott, Robert Wells, John Jones and Richard Medcrofte

IP, SG and TS to sue a recovery against JS and RB (who hold by an enrolled deed of 1 October

	<p>1631), and hold according to the trusts declared in deeds between Francis Pulton, his wife Ann, Thomas Cooper of London, gent, and IP, SG, TS and Richard Mynshull of Lincolns Inn, kt, 2 June 1631, and between Francis Pulton and his wife Ann, Richard Ingolsby the younger of Lethenborough in Bucks, kt, and IP, SG, TS and Richard Mynshull, kt, 2 June 1631, preserving annuities of £52 granted to Giles Pulton and £53 and £100 to Richard Ingoldsby in these deeds. Enrolled before Francis Harvey 1 December 1631.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Ingleby, Mary Troughton, Ann Pulton, William Robertes, Charles Greene, Christopher Smithson</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 213/3</p>
Volume 73 Item 20	<p>Release of legacies, debts and claims by beneficiaries with letters of attorney. 13 July 1633.</p> <p>Description: Anthony Dormer of Grove Park in Warwickshire, esq, and Robert Dormer of Peterley in Bucks, esq, to Edward [Somerset] lord Herbert (son and heir of Henry [Somerset], earl of Worcester), Richard Mynshull of Gobions in Essex, kt, and John Bold of Wing in Bucks, gent (executors of Elizabeth [Dormer], lady Dormer, widow)</p> <p>All debts, legacies, actions, claims, accounts and demands arising from ED's will EH, RM and JB appoint AD and RD their attorneys to get in the estate, and undertake not to act without their authority.</p> <p>Witnesses: Ferrers Randolph, Richard Betham, Francis Perkins, John Randolphe, Athanasius Beamount</p> <p>Endorsed: I Sir R[ichard] M[inshull] delivered to them my Lord of Carnarvon's several releases.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 213/4</p>
Volume 73 Item 21	<p>Counterpart post-nuptial settlement for £4000 ([lease and] release). [29]-30 January 1639.</p> <p>Description: Richard Mynshull of Bourton in Bucks, kt, QC, with his wife Alice (daughter of Humphrey Lee of Langley in Shropshire, bt, deceased), to John Corbett of Adderley in Shropshire, bt, Richard Lee of Langley, bt and Humphrey Mackworth of Grays Inn, esq, in trust</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 The manor of Bourton, lately purchased from Edmund West, esq 2 The manor of Bourton, once the inheritance of Ferdinando Pulton, esq, deceased 3 The manor of Skirrettes and Durrantes in Bourton 4 The capital messuage or manor house of Bourton with its barns, stables, dovehouses, buildings, gardens and orchards, and the demesne lands, occupied by RM, land called The Weld occupied by Richard Snow, Southam and adjoining meadows occupied by William Woolhead and [blank] Kinge, close called Haigwell occupied by Thomas May 5 Three mills called Bourton Mills with adjoining land, occupied by [blank] Channell 6 Messuages, cottages, farms and land in Bourton, Maids Moreton, Buckingham, Stowe, Lamport and Dodford, late Edmund West or Ferdinando Pulton 7 Messuage and farm in Bourton, purchased from Edward Vaux, lord Harrowden 8 All RM's other estates in Buckinghamshire 9 Leasehold house in Drury Lane, Middlesex, with 18 years unexpired, in which RM lives, with the furniture (except jewels, plate, linen and pictures) <p>To hold 4 and 5 in trust for RM for life, remainder to AM for life in lieu of dower, remainder to their heirs in tail male, with successive remainders to RM's second son Richard, third son John and eldest son Thomas Mynshull and their heirs in tail male; to hold 1-3, 6-8 in trust for RM for life, remainder to his heirs as above; JC to hold 9 above in trust for RM for life, remainder to AM for life, remainder to RM's executors.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Peray, Sarah Minshull, Thomas Heyes, Ellen Bloome, William Wise</p> <p>Endorsed: Memorandum, signed by RM and AM, that they were married 6 February 1636.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 213/5</p>

Volume 73 Item 22	<p>Release and quitclaim for 5 shillings. 15 May 1654.</p> <p>Description: Richard Waddesdon of Bourton in Bucks, yeoman, to William Hudson of Bourton, yeoman</p> <p>Three pieces of land (62 acres) in The Hayfield of Bourton, now staked out from the rest of the field</p> <p>RW to make and maintain a quickset hedge and ditch on the dividing mound from the road down to the river, marked out but as yet unmade, and WH to make and maintain the other moiety of the mound.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Audly, Thomas Cranley</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 214/5</p>
Volume 73 Item 23	<p>Counterpart lease for 3 years from 25 March 1656 at £145 and two capons. 15 January 1656.</p> <p>Description: Richard Minshull of Bourton in Bucks, esq, to Stephen Holloway of Lenborough in Bucks, yeoman</p> <p>Messuage called Whites House with the barn, stable, the yard and backside as now divided, an orchard, Moore Meadow, Fulling Mill Meadow, the after-pasture of Sir Richard Temple's Meadow, The Fulling Mill Holmes and a pasture called Buckford Field, now in three, all in Bourton or Maids Moreton, occupied by John Dyer</p> <p>Fishing and fowling, timber and trees, flags in the river and the willows, and the right to plough the land and to scour the river reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas ..., John Minshall, Thomas Mathewe</p> <p>Endorsed: Covenant by SH not to mow the three Buckford Fields; 'you will find part of the lands mentioned in the decree'.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 214/5</p>
Volume 73 Item 24	<p>Revocation of settlement. 21 March 1657.</p> <p>Description: Richard Minshull of Bourton in Bucks, kt</p> <p>The trusts of the settlement of 29 and 30 January 1639</p> <p>With a view to their resettlement by a deed of even date between RM, his wife Elizabeth, his sons Richard Minshull, esq, John Minshull, esq and Thomas Minshull, esq, his brothers John Minshull, gent and Geoffrey Minshull, gent, John White, esq, Uriah Babinton, esq, John Smith, esq, Robert Bowyer, esq, Isham Parkins, esq, Sebastian Good, esq, Henry Stich, esq, Edmund West, esq, and Henry [Somerset], lord Herbert (son and heir of Edward [Somerset], earl and marquess of Worcester), and Henry [Pierpoint], earl of Kingston and marquess of Dorchester, his brother William Pierpoint, esq, Charles Good, gent, Roger Price, esq and Joseph Busby, gent.</p> <p>Witnesses: [Edward Somerset, marquess of] Worcester, Robert Brudenell, Thomas Mathewe, Edward Deakin</p> <p>Related materials: For the 29 & 30 January 1639 settlement, see Volume 73, Item 21; for two texts of the 9 January 1658 revocation of settlement, see Volume 73, Items 25-26.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 214/6</p>
Volume 73 Item 25	<p>Revocation of settlement. 9 January 1658.</p> <p>Description: Richard Minshull esq, one of the sons of Richard Minshull of Bourton in Bucks, kt, (created Lord Minshull of Minshull in Cheshire and Viscount Minshull of Leominster by the late king Charles), with his father's consent</p> <p>The trusts in the settlement of 21 March 1657 recited by Volume 73, Item 24.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Ashfeild, Seymour Bowman, John Davies</p> <p>Related materials: For another text of this document, see Volume 73, Item 26.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

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Volume 73 Item 26	<p>Revocation of settlement, witnessed by Richard Spencer, Thomas Stanley, George Boswell, Joseph Busbye, Simon Neale. 9 January 1658.</p> <p>Notes: This is another text of Volume 73, Item 26.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 215/2</p>
Volume 73 Item 27	<p>Lease for a year in respect of pre-nuptial settlement (release). 15 January 1658.</p> <p>Related materials: For the pre-nuptial settlement, see Volume 73, Item 28.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 215/3</p>
Volume 73 Item 28	<p>Pre-nuptial settlement (release) for £3000. 16 January 1658.</p> <p>Description: Richard Minshull of Bourton in Bucks, kt (created Lord Minshull of Minshull in Cheshire and Viscount Minshull of Leominster in Herefordshire by the late king Charles), with his wife Elizabeth, his sons Richard Minshull, esq, Thomas Minshull, esq and John Minshull, esq, [his brother] Geoffrey Minshull of Burton in Cheshire, gent and Henry Stich of Orpington in Kent, gent, with Jane Enyon, widow of James Enyon of Flore in Northants, bt, his second daughter Constance Eynon, Henry [Pierpoint], earl of Kingston and marquess of Dorchester, his brother William Pierpoint, esq, William Spencer of Orpington, esq, Henry Puckering otherwise Newton of The Priory near Warwick, bt, Thomas Stanley of Cumberlow in Clothall, Herts, esq, George Boswell of Clipston in Northants, esq, to Simon Neale of St Clement Danes, Middlesex, gent and Joseph Busby of Hoggston, Bucks, gent, in trust</p> <p>RM the son to marry Constance Enyon</p> <p>1 Messuage called The Whitehowse and half the yard, two closes called The Whitehowse Grounds otherwise Northweald Pastures, closes called Gilbertes Weare Meadow, Crowne Hill Mead and Crowne Hill Slade, messuage and yard late Whites and the closes called Buckford Field (now in three), Fulling Mill Holmes, Fulling Mill Meadow, Midsomer Meadow and Pagehill with the after-pasture of Sir Richard Temple's Meadow, and all lands late Lawrence Chamells, in Bourton, Maids Moreton and Buckingham</p> <p>2 Messuage and farm called Southams, two closes called Southam Pastures, with the furzes growing upon them, Southam Meadows, all occupied by JB; messuage called The New Whitehowse, a close called The Southweald with the furze growing upon it, and two closes called The Dole Meadows, lately occupied by John Miller; messuage, orchard and homeclose, with closes called Meere Way, Baise Moor (excepting the brickyard lately taken out of it), Bradnettes Mead 'and the nyne pole and hook' in Maids Moreton Field, occupied by John Harris; all in Bourton, Maids Moreton, Padbury and Thornborough, worth £400 a year clear</p> <p>3 Messuage and farm called Graces with closes called Lincroft Pasture and The Great Wall Meadow, with the after-pasture of The Little Wall Meadow, occupied by Richard Grace, with the brickyard excepted from 2, in Bourton, Maids Moreton, Padbury and Thornborough</p> <p>4 The remaining parts of the manors of Bourton, Bourton Skerrettes and Bourton Durantes in Bourton and all the messuages, farms and land in Buckingham, Bourton, Maids Moreton, Padbury, Thornborough, Stowe, Lillingston, Luffield, Lamport and Dodford, except the honor of Giffords and the manor, castle, farm and borough of Buckingham</p> <p>RM, EM, RM, TM, JM, GM and HS will convey by fine to TS and SN, against whom a recovery will be sued by JE and GB, who will hold in trust from JB until the marriage takes place, and then hold 1 above in trust for RM the son absolutely, 2 above for RM the son for life, remainder to CE for life in lieu of dower, 3 above to RM the son for life, 4 above to HP and WP for the life of Sir</p>

	<p>RM, remainder to RM the son for life; remainder as to the whole in trust for the heirs of RM in tail male, remainder to RS and HP in trust for any unborn children, successive remainders to Sir RM, JM and TM in tail male, reversion to Sir RM's right heirs.</p> <p>RM may grant leases for up to 11 years, to dig stone, make brick and have estovers of furze.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Ashfeild, Seymour Bowman, John Davies</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 216/2</p>
Volume 73 Item 29	<p>Counterpart lease. 15 January 1658.</p> <p>Witnesses: Katherine Whitby, Walter Rand, Nicholas Wainewright, John Whiteman, Thomas Stanlyes, Richard Corney</p> <p>Related materials: For the lease, see Volume 73, Item 27; for the pre-nuptial settlement, see Volume 73, Item 28.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 215/3</p>
Volume 73 Item 30	<p>Counterpart lease for 1 year from 25 March 1656 at £43 and two fat capons. 15 April 1656.</p> <p>Description: Richard Minshull of Bourton in Bucks, esq, to Stephen Holloway of Lenborough in Bucks, yeoman</p> <p>Meadow called Midsomer Mead in Bourton, lately occupied by Francis Woodcock</p> <p>Hawking and hunting reserved.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Minshull, John Minshull, Thomas Mathewe</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 214/8</p>
Volume 73 Item 31	<p>Lease for 21 years from 25 March 1658 at £44. 31 January 1659.</p> <p>Description: William Baylye of Mursley in Bucks, gent, to Stephen Holloway of Bourton in Bucks, gent</p> <p>Messuage, barns, outhouses, an adjoining pightle and closes of arable and meadow (which WB has not exchanged), and arable, pasture and meadow recently acquired from Richard Wadsden by exchange, in all 60 acres, occupied by SH, in Bourton</p> <p>Wood, underwood, timber, trees and lops (except of the willows by the river) reserved; penalty of £10 an acre for ploughing the exchanged land and a piece of arable abutting Stratford Way and NE of a piece of the exchanged lands, and of £10 an acre for ploughing any of the land after 29 September 1661; WB to fence and ditch against the exchanged meadow-land by 25 March 1662; WB may make further exchanges for land of equal value; WB may pull down any of the buildings except the messuage and the great barn; SH may have 12 acres (now arable) next the fulling mill adjoining to the Sallow Meadow side, and 8 acres next Morton Gate by Stratford Way, rent-free, until 29 September 1679.</p> <p>Witnesses: Richard Carter, Oliver Lawrence</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 73, Item 32.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 216/3</p>
Volume 73 Item 32	<p>Counterpart lease. 31 January 1659.</p> <p>Related materials: For lease, see Volume 73, Item 31.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 216/3</p>
Volume 73 Item 33	<p>Reconveyance by executors of trustee for £1000 ([lease and] release). [9]-10 November 1661.</p> <p>Description: Roger Price of Westbury in Bucks, esq, William Brent of Grays Inn, Middlesex, esq, Joseph Sheldon of St Pauls Churchyard, London, woollendraper and William Mayne of</p>

	<p>Hoggeston in Bucks, gent (executors of Joseph Busby of Poplar in Middlesex, gent), to Richard Minshall of Bourton in Bucks, esq</p> <p>Messuage and yard late Whites, closes called Buckford Field (now in three), Fulling Mill Holmes and Fulling Mill Meadow, with the after-crop of Sir Richard Temple's Meadow, occupied by Stephen Holloway and his brother-in-law [blank] Lathwell, in Bourton, Maids Moreton, Padbury and Thornborough</p> <p>Recites: will of JB, instructing his executors to reconvey to RM on repayment, 18 October 1659.</p> <p>Witnesses: Francis Fortescu, Charles Norwood, Jo Winchcombe, Harman Atwood, John Harison</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 216/5</p>
Volume 73 Item 34	<p>Reconveyance by executors of trustee after chancery decree. 14 December 1671.</p> <p>Description: Joseph Sheldon of London, kt, William Brent of Grays Inn, Middlesex, esq, and Roger Price of Westbury in Bucks, esq, to Richard Minshall of Bourton in Bucks, esq, and his trustee Ambrose Holbech of Mollington in Warwickshire, gent</p> <p>Messuage called The Whitehouse and half the yard, two closes called The Whitehouse Grounds otherwise Northweald Pastures, closes called Gilbertes Weare Meadow, Crowne Hill Mead and Crowne Hill Slade, messuage and yard late Whites and the closes called Buckford Field (now in three), Fulling Mill Holmes, Fulling Mill Meadow, Midsomer Meadow and Pagehill with the after-pasture of Sir Richard Temple's Meadow, and all lands late Lawrence Channells, in Bourton, Maids Moreton and Buckingham</p> <p>Recites: conveyance by RM to Joseph Busby of Hoggeston in Bucks, gent, deceased, by deed enrolled in chancery, 15 February 1658; will of JB, instructing his executors JS, WB, RP and William Maine, since deceased in trust, [18 October 1659]; reconveyance of part of the premises to RM, 9 & 10 November 1661 [Volume 73, Item 33]; decree in RM v Mary widow of Joseph Busby, JS, WB and RP in chancery ordering the execution of the trust, 8 November 1671. Acknowledged before R Stewart, master in chancery, and endorsed on the close roll by Roger Gillingham, 16 December 1671.</p> <p>Witnesses: W Sheldon, Gilbert Sheldon, Thomas Dodson, William Batsford</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 217/1</p>
Volume 73 Item 35	<p>Settlement with provision for mortgage of up to £8000 (covenant to levy fine). 7 December 1699.</p> <p>Description: Richard Minshall of Bourton in Bucks, esq and his wife Catherine, Francis Jernegan of Costessey Hall in Norfolk, bt, Walter Kirkham Blount of Sodington in Worcs, bt, Thomas Perkins of Bunny in Notts, bt, John Howse of Bierton in Bucks, esq, to Edward Blount of London, esq and Charles Yallop of Bowthorpe in Norfolk, esq, in trust</p> <p>1 Messuage and farm called The White House, lately occupied by Henry ..., gent, with pieces of land called The Well Ground, Crown Hill Slade, The Hill Ground, ... and Gilberts Ware, occupied by Thomas Sheene, gent, at £102</p> <p>2 Piece of land called Baldmoore with a messuage standing on it, three adjoining closes called The Slades and land called The Lealands, occupied by Thomas Sheene, gent, at £127</p> <p>3 Messuage or farm with land called ..rds, occupied by William Woolhead at £123</p> <p>4 Mead called ...ner Mead with the two meadows called The Twinns, occupied by RM, worth £... a year</p> <p>5 Messuage, farm and land called Reeves with two closes called Corkemore Hills and closes called The Scotch Close, The Little Common Close, The Two New Closes and The Two Little Palmers, occupied by Lawrence Bishop and Christopher Bishop at £59</p> <p>6 Smiths Great Ground (now in two), occupied by William Hascarr and Roger Massey at £20</p>

	<p>7 Skerretts Mead, occupied by RM, worth £16 a year 8 Millers Close, occupied by William Hascarr at £3 9 The remaining parts of the manors of Bourton, Bourton Skerritt and Bourton Durrant in Bourton and all RM's messuages, farms and land in Buckingham, Bourton, Maids Moreton, Padbury, Thornborough, Stowe, Lillingston, Luffield, Lamport and Dodford, except the Wadsdones Farm, being part of The Hayfield and occupied by Ralph Judkins, lately bought by RM from Francis Hext</p> <p>RM, CM, FJ, WKB, TP and JH to convey by fine to EB and CY, who are to hold in trust for RM for a term of 500 years (to permit him to mortgage the estate for up to £8000 to compensate him for improvements already made), remainder to RM for life and to WKB, TP and FJ to preserve the contingent remainders, remainder of 1-8 above in trust for CM for life in lieu of dower and of 9 above to WKB and JH for 2000 years to protect the jointure estate from any mortgage made by RM and to raise portions of up to £3500 for daughters and annuities for sons, remainder to the heirs of RM and CM in tail male; RM may confirm leases made to John Rogers, esq, Richard Wise, gent, William Woolhead, yeoman, Ralph Judkins, yeoman and Benjamin Nasby, tailor, 10 February 1699.</p> <p>Witnesses: Anthony Barry, Wynne Davies, Richard Monox, Nathaniel Pigot, Charles Umfreville, Henry Bell, Frances Haynes</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 218/6</p>
Volume 73 Item 36	<p>Commission of bankruptcy. 24 May 1736.</p> <p>Description: The crown to Thomas Vandrey, esq, Francis Capper, esq, Robert Fransham, gent, Samuel Baldwyn, gent and Stephen Hervey, gent (of whom TV or FC must be one) To proceed in the bankruptcy of John Fowler and Thomas Burel of St Mary Overies, Southwark, founders, under the statutes of 1571, 1604, 1624 and 1728, to pay Thomas Skipp of Aldersgate Street, London, merchant, Robert Barlow of St George the Martyr, Surrey, vintner and the other creditors</p> <p>Attached: petition of Thomas Skipp and Robert Barlow to Charles [Talbot], lord Talbot, lord chancellor, 24 May 1736.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 197/3</p>
	<p>Volume entitled Relating to the Hudsons Bay Company; contains documents relating to Godfrey Webster of London, merchant, as executor of Henry Summers of London, merchant, and of a suit brought against GW in chancery by the beneficiaries. 1701-1709.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9938</p>
Volume 74 Item 1	<p>Sale of share in residuary estate for £120. 23 April 1701.</p> <p>Description: Joseph Summers of Black Notley in Essex, yeoman, to Mathias Hickeringill of Colchester, gent His share in the residuary estate of his kinsman Henry Summers of London, merchant, with power to recover it from the executor, Godfrey Webster of London, merchant</p> <p>Recites: will of Henry Summers bequeathing the remainder of his personal estate to his kinsmen John Summers of Witham in Essex, weaver, William Summers of Colchester and his sons John, William, Henry and Thomas Summers, JS and his sons Joseph and Geoffrey Summers and to Nathan Summers of Stisted in Essex, husbandman, and his son Nathan Summers, 18 April 1698.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Summers, Nathan Summers</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/7</p>
Volume 74 Item 2	<p>Bond in £200 to keep covenants in sale of share in residuary estate (Volume 74, Item 1). 23 April 1701.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 3	<p>Letters of attorney by Joseph Summers to Mathias Hickeringill as Volume 74, Item 1, to recover the sums to which he is entitled from Godfrey Webster. 23 April 1701.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 4	<p>Bond in £100 to keep covenants in sale of share in residuary estate (Volume 74, Item 6). 31 August 1703.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 5	<p>Bond in £100 to keep covenants in sale of share in residuary estate (Volume 74, Item 14). 22 December 1703.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 6	<p>Sale of shares in residuary estate for £255. 31 August 1703.</p> <p>Description: William Summers the elder of Colchester, weaver, his sons John Summers of London, pewterer and William Summers the younger of Colchester, weaver, Joseph Summers the younger of Great Baddow, yeoman, and his brother Geoffrey Summers of Black Notley, yeoman, with Nathan Summers the elder of Stisted, husbandman, to Mathias Goodfellow of London, merchant</p> <p>Six eleventh parts of a sum of £500 and interest owed by the Hudsons Bay Company, part of the residuary estate of Henry Summers of London, merchant, secured by a bond which has since been lost</p> <p>Recites: will of Henry Summers bequeathing the remainder of his personal estate to his cousins WS, his four sons JS, WS, Henry Summers the younger and Thomas Summers, to Joseph Summers the elder of Black Notley, yeoman and his sons JS and GS, to NS and his son Nathan Summers the younger and to John Summers of Witham, yeoman, 16 April 1698; payment of £42 10s to each beneficiary.</p> <p>The parties make MG their attorney to recover the sums; Godfrey Webster of London, merchant, executor of Henry Summers, consents to the use of his name in any action against the company to recover the debt.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Hargrave, Robert Burget, Nathaniel Dyer</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 7	<p>Contract for sale of their shares in the residuary estate of Henry Summers for £255 by the Summers parties in lease (Volume 73, Item 6) to Henry Hargrave of London, gent. 14 August 1703.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Clarke at the Half Moon Tavern in Gracious Street, London, and his drawer Gilbert Selioke</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 8A	<p>Sale as Volume 74, Item 6, by Nathan Summers the elder of Stisted, yeoman, on behalf of his son Nathan Summers the younger, and infant, to Mathias Goodfellow for £42 10s 0d to be paid at his majority with interest, or to be repaid with interest at 6% in case of Nathan's death. 31 August 1703.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 8B	<p>Bond in £100 for performance of covenants in sale (Volume 74, Item 8A). 31 August 1703.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Thorpe page/entry: 200/8
Volume 74 Item 9	<p>Sale as Volume 74, Item 8B by William Summers the elder of Colchester in Essex, weaver, on behalf of his son Thomas Summers, an infant. 31 August 1703.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 10A	<p>Letters of attorney of John Summers of Witham in Essex, weaver, to Mathias Hickingill of Colchester, gent, as to receive his share according to sale of share in residuary estate (Volume 74, Item 11). 10 June 1703.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 10B	<p>Order of the lord keeper in Summers v Webster in chancery in the estate of Henry Summers of London, merchant, deceased. 13 December 1703.</p> <p>Description: On the petition of William Summers the elder, John Summers the elder, Joseph Summers the elder, Nathan Summers the elder, John Summers the younger, William Summers the younger, Joseph Summers the younger and Geoffrey Summers, 19 November 1703, it is ordered that the defendant Godfrey Webster pay the shares of the three infant beneficiaries of the residuary personal estate to their respective fathers, who are to give security to the master to put the sums out at interest and to pay them to their sons at 21, and to pay eight eleventh parts of a sum deducted for Webster's expenses from both the real and personal estates out of a sum paid into court by Mr Edmund Hickingill.</p> <p>Recites: order that Godfrey Webster should account before master Keck of sums disbursed by William Summers the elder and Webster on behalf of the infant plaintiff Henry Summers, and to tax the costs, to be paid out of the rents and profits left to the infant, and to distribute the residuary personal estate among the 11 residuary legatees, 27 October 1699; transfer of reference to Sir John Francklyn, his reports that £500 and interest in the Hudsons Bay Company, a house in Pelham Street, a mortgage of a house in Dublin and £2836 16s 9d are in Webster's hands, 21 March 1701 and 20 May 1702; report that Webster had paid the petitioners £100 each and £300 into court for the infant legatees, 15 April 1701; other payments recited in more detail in Volume 74, Item 12, with costs taxed at £494 1s, and orders that the sums should be deducted from the real estate, 4 August 1701, 12 July 1703; order to allow those expenses to be deducted from the personal estate, 17 June 1703; agreement between beneficiaries and Webster [Volume 74, Item 12] allowing him £106 10s 6d, which two sums reduce the amount owing to £1303 8s 11d, of which Webster has paid eight eleventh shares and retains the three shares of the infant petitioners.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 11	<p>Sale of share in residuary estate for £150. 10 June 1703.</p> <p>Description: John Summers of Witham, weaver, to Mathias Hickingill of Colchester, gent His share in the residuary estate of his kinsman Henry Summers, with power to recover it from the executor, Godfrey Webster of London, merchant</p> <p>Recites: As Volume 74, Item 1.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Harlee, John Carter</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 12	<p>Receipt and release. 29 October 1703.</p> <p>Description: Mathias Hickingill of Colchester, gent, to Godfrey Webster, esq, of London, merchant £236 19s 8d, being the two eleventh shares of the residuary estate of Henry Summers</p>

	<p>of London, merchant, sold to MH by Joseph Summers the elder, 23 April 1701 and John Summers the elder, 10 June 1703</p> <p>Recites: will of Henry Summers as 74/1, 16 April 1698; chancery orders and reports as recited by Volume 74, Item 10B, by which it appears that £11,084 10s 1d of the estate came into GW's hands, out of which the master allowed £8,247 13s 4d for debts, funeral expenses and disbursements, reducing the sum owed by GW to the 11 beneficiaries to £2,836 16s 9d, over and above £500 and interest on a lost bond owed by the Hudsons Bay Company, the value of a leasehold messuage in Pelham Street, London, for the remainder of a term of 61 years from 25 March 1681 (subject to £3 12s ground rent), and £256 1s owed on a mortgage of several houses in Fleece Alley near Fish Shambles Street in Dublin; payment to the beneficiaries by GW of sums totalling £1100; receipt of £46 8s from Samuel Hannett for rent of the house in Pelham Street and £147 10s for the sale of the house to him, of £55 for the sale of the interest in the Dublin houses, leaving £1,985 14s 9d in his hands; allowance by the master of £494 1s costs, £75 16s 10d for clothes and schooling for Henry Summers the younger and £5 18s 4d for coach-hire and petty expenses, and that the sums should be deducted from the real estate, 4 August 1701, 12 July 1703; expenditure by GW of £56 3s in costs more than the master's allowance, £3 0s 6d in managing the executorship and £25 2s for the board and schooling of Peter, a Tartar boy sent from Russia to the testator and with him at his death; payment by GW of £10 4s to Mr Edward Burrow for wine had by the testator, and £12 1s to Mr John Baker of Dublin, merchant, for administration of the mortgage and for probate, reducing the sum in GW's hands to £1,303 8s 1d.</p> <p>Witnesses: Susannah Kimpton, Henry Hargrave, Edward Bussey the younger</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 13	<p>Assignment of shares in residuary estate for £85. 23 December 1703.</p> <p>Description: Mathias Hickeringill of Colchester, gent, to Mathias Goodfellow Two eleventh shares of a sum of £500 with interest owed by the Hudsons Bay Company, part of the residuary estate of Henry Summers of London, merchant, sold to MH by Joseph Summers the elder of Black Notley, 1 November 1703 and John Summers the elder of Witham, 10 June 1703.</p> <p>Recites: Will of Henry Summers, 16 April 1698.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Hargrave, his clerk Edward Bussey the younger</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 74 Item 14	<p>Sale of share in residuary estate for £42 10s 0d. 22 December 1703.</p> <p>Description: Henry Summers the younger, with the consent of his father William Summers the elder of Colchester, weaver, to Mathias Goodfellow of London, merchant One eleventh share of a sum of £500 with interest owed by The Hudsons Bay Company, part of the residuary estate of Henry Summers of London, merchant, to which HS is entitled.</p> <p>Recites: will of Henry Summers as Volume 74, Item 6, 16 April 1698.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Hargrave, his clerk Edward Bussey the younger, William Jeffery</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 15	<p>Another text of sale of share in residuary estate (Volume 74, Item 11). 10 June 1703.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Lacy, William Harlee</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 16	<p>Sale as Volume 74, Item 11, by Joseph Summers the elder of Black Notley, yeoman, to Mathias Hickeringill of Colchester, gent, for £110. 1 November 1703.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Daniel Clarke, Elizabeth Wood</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 17	<p>Bond to keep covenants in sale of share in residuary estate (Volume 74, Item 11). 10 June 1703.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 18A	<p>Receipt and release. 13 August 1703.</p> <p>Description: William Summers the elder of Colchester, weaver, his sons John Summers of London, pewterer and William Summers the younger of Colchester, weaver, Joseph Summers the younger of Great Baddow, yeoman, and his brother Geoffrey Summers of Black Notley, yeoman, with Nathan Summers the elder of Stisted, husbandman, to Godfrey Webster esq of London, merchant</p> <p>£711 4s, being six eleventh parts of a sum of £1303 8s 1d in the hands of GW as executor of their kinsman Henry Summers of London, merchant.</p> <p>Recites as Volume 74, Item 12.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Hargrave, Robert Burget, scrivener, his servant Nathaniel Dyer</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 18B	<p>Memorandum by G[odfrey] W[ebster] of his uncertainty concerning which of the residuary legatees of Henry Summers he had paid their sums of £118 9s 0d [recte £118 9s 10d], and that he had paid Henry Summers the heir on 5 May 1706. Approximately 1707.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 18C	<p>Memorandum by G[odfrey] W[ebster] listing the residuary legatees of Henry Summers, with a note that all but Nathan Summers the younger had been paid. 25 April 1707.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 19	<p>Receipt and release. 25 April 1707.</p> <p>Description: William Summers the elder of Colchester, weaver, as administrator of his son Thomas Summers, deceased, to Godfrey Webster esq of London, merchant</p> <p>£118 9s 10d, being the eleventh share of a sum of £1303 8s 1d in the hands of GW as executor of their kinsman Henry Summers of London, merchant, to which TS was entitled at his death.</p> <p>Recites as Volume 74, Item 12.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edmund Abbott, Henry Hargrave, his clerk Edward Bussey</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 20	<p>Receipt and release as Volume 74, Item 19, by Henry Summers the younger of Sible Hedingham, gent. 13 May 1708.</p> <p>Witnesses: J Sparrow, Henry Hargrave, his clerk Edward Bussey</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 21	<p>Receipt and release as Volume 74, Item 19, by Nathan Summers the younger of Stisted, carpenter, son of Nathan Summers of Stisted, husbandman, deceased. 9 November 1708.</p> <p>Witnesses: Matthew Browne, Henry Hargrave, Henry Hargrave the younger</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

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Volume 74 Item 22	<p>Sale by Nathan Summers the younger of Stisted, carpenter, son of Nathan Summers of Stisted, husbandman, deceased, to Mathias Goodfellow of London, merchant, of his eleventh share of £500 with interest owed by the Hudsons Bay Company as Volume 74, Item 14, for £42 10s 0d. 9 November 1708.</p> <p>Witnesses: Matthew Browne, Henry Hargrave, Henry Hargrave the younger (as Volume 74, Item 21)</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 23	<p>Two pages of calculations of sums paid to the parties to Volume 74, Item 18A, showing deductions from £118 9s 10d [?for sums already advanced], further annotated 28 July 1709. Approximately 1703.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
Volume 74 Item 24	<p>Sale by William Summers the elder of Colchester, weaver, as administrator of his son Thomas Summers, deceased, to Mathias Goodfellow of London, merchant, of Thomas's eleventh share of £500 with interest owed by the Hudsons Bay Company as 74/14 for £42 10s 0d. 25 April 1707.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edmund Abbott, Henry Hargrave, his clerk Edward Bussey (same as as Volume 74, Item 19)</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/8</p>
	<p>Volume labelled Deeds miscellaneous; Minshall quietus; Langham Chances Land, Battle; early Webster of London; Battle estate. 1620-1760.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9940</p>
Volume 76 Item 1	<p>Quietus of Richard Minshull of Lincolns Inn, kt, for the payment of a £50 fine imposed by the privy council and charged in 1635-1636, of which £41 2s 1d was paid 2 March 1639, and £4 6s 11d for Humphrey Mildmay, kt, sheriff of Essex in 1636-1637, for the issues of a dwelling-house called Gubbins and 20 acres of land in Collier Row in the liberty of Havering at Bower, Essex, occupied by RM, seized by the sheriff for the same debt; Henry Croke, clerk of the pipe. 2 March 1639.</p> <p>Endorsed: This debt is freed from the manor of Gobions in Michaelmas 14 James [recte Charles] by judgement on the king's remembrancer's side; Mr Paine; Trinity 1638 rot 58.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 2	<p>Memorandum of an out-of-court surrender, manor of Battle. 2 December 1620.</p> <p>Description: Richard Boys of Hastings, gent, (by the acceptance of Nicholas Manser, gent, and in the presence of John Rygate and Henry Sheather, tenants), to William Langham of Battle, gent, and his wife Constance, for their lives, remainder to WL's heirs Copyhold tenement and 18 acres called Chaunceys, occupied by William Olly and Anthony Olly.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Manser, John Raygat, Henry Sheather</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 151/6</p>
Volume 76 Item 3A	<p>Bond in £40. 15 April 1620.</p> <p>Description: John Thatcher of Battle, yeoman, to William Langham of Battle, gent</p>

	<p>To keep the covenants in a bargain and sale of even date.</p> <p>Witnesses: Nicholas Manser, Arnold Edwardes, Thomas Saxpes, Thomas Jefferey</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 151/3</p>
Volume 76 Item 3B	<p>Extract of the entry for Chaunces Land, a copyhold in the borough of Uckham and parish of Battle held by Richard Boyes, from the [1569] survey of the manor of Battle. 20 October 1659.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 161/2</p>
Volume 76 Item 4	<p>General release and quitclaim specified by arbitrator's award (Volume 76, Item 5). 12 January 1646.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 183/9</p>
Volume 76 Item 5	<p>Arbitrators' award. 3 January 1646.</p> <p>Description: John Ballowe the elder and Thomas Murthwaite of London, merchants, arbitrators between Thomas Jorden of London, merchant (as administrator with the will annexed of Thomas Hoddiloe of Danzig in Prussia, merchant), and Elizabeth Wynne, widow and executrix of Thomas Wynne of London, merchant</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 TJ to deliver three bills of exchange on Samuel Travell, merchant of Danzig, for the payment of 392 Polish guilders and 9 grush to the assigns of EW, by 15 January; if they are not accepted and paid, TJ to make the sums good 2 EW to pay TJ two-thirds of the outstanding debts for goods sold by John Collins for the partnership between her husband and TH which shall prove bad, and then retain two-thirds of any which are collected; TJ to account to EW for two-thirds of any which come into his hands; which debts are as follows: Barnard van Amster 2 Clo: 404 27 13½ Polish guilders, Stensell Suskey 5 Clo: 964 24 9, Henrick Renner 19 Clo: 3616 10, Fabian Horne 4½ Clo: 879 20 and George Weggent 9½ Clo: 1637 16 13½ Polish guilders 3 TJ to help EW recover nine bundles of hemp which he consigned to Mrs Craddock, which have now come into the hands of her husband Richard Glover and which are already allowed to him in the account, by testifying to his consignment 4 EW to pay a third of any debts recovered from Thomas Goff (£62 13s 3d), William Bates (£14 13s 1d) and John Patrickson (£102), which are deemed desperate 5 TJ to pay EW two-thirds of what he recovers from a debt of 108 guilders owed by Michael Seavart for mohairs sold by TJ for the partible account of Matthew Craddock and Thomas Wynne 6 TJ and EW to execute mutual releases of all actions at the dwelling-house of Francis Manestey, scrivener, in Cornhill, London, by 15 January 1646 <p>Recites: arbitration bond, the award to be delivered at the dwelling-house of John Hatt, gent, in Milk Street, London; 3 December 1645.</p> <p>Witnesses: Francis Manestey, scrivener, his servant Nehemiah Rogers, Richard Twyford</p> <p>Related materials: For general release and quitclaim, see Volume 76, Item 4.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 183/8</p>
Volume 76 Item 6	<p>List of settlements of the Bourton estate by Richard Minshull and his trustees including Volume 73, Items 27-29, Volume 73, Items 33-34, and the deeds which they recite. Approximately 1690.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 7	<p>Bond in £106. 11 May 1699.</p> <p>Description: John Whistler of Tortington, yeoman, to William Longueville, esq, and John Coggs,</p>

	<p>esq</p> <p>For the payment of £53 on 15 May 1699</p> <p>Subscribed: £4 in part received by John Dean, 1 March 1700.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edward Staker, William Vincent</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 188/2</p>
Volume 76 Item 8	<p>Sale of shares in a ship for £100. 17 September 1683.</p> <p>Description: William Nash of London, merchant, to Henry Summers, citizen and feltmaker of London</p> <p>One 32nd part of the Port Royal (formerly the Experiment), merchant of London, 330 tons, Edward Brooke master, now lying in the Thames, and of the tackle, guns, gunpowder, artillery, shot and munitions.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Pym, John Liddiard, notary</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 199/6</p>
Volume 76 Item 9	<p>Bond in £1300. 28 September 1687.</p> <p>Description: William Bowtell of London, merchant, to Godfrey Webster of London, merchant WB to pay GW £658 and insurance if the value of the Asia Minor (120 tons, Stephen Appleby master), sold by WB to GW by bill of sale of even date, does not amount to the price paid.</p> <p>Witnesses: Joseph Burroughes, scrivener, his servants Thomas Abraham and Thomas Matthew</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 200/1</p>
Volume 76 Item 10	<p>Charterparty for £4 5s 0d per ton. 7 July 1692.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Ward of London, mariner, master of the Yarmouth (450 tons, riding at anchor in the Thames), with Henry Summers, John Edwards and Thomas Stiles of London, merchants</p> <p>TW lets the vessel to HS, JE and TS for a voyage to Castle Archangel in Russia and back, to leave the river by 20 June and Gravesend by 13 July 1692, to discharge the cargo at Archangel, receive 450 tons of Muscovia tonnage from their factors (350 tons of which is to be Kentillage [ballast] goods), return for London on 29 September, discharge her cargo within 14 days and end her voyage; TW to be paid £6 a day demurrage for every day spent at Archangel after 29 September</p> <p>TW warrants the ship and her tackle, with 24 guns, master and 30 crew, three-quarters of whom are to be English; two able seamen to be sent in each loddie to see the goods on board; the ship not to be laded above 15 feet of water</p> <p>TW to be paid at £4 5s 0d per ton (according to the custom of the Muscovy Company), one moiety within 10 days of discharge, the other within a month.</p> <p>Witnesses: Peter Power, Edward Stracey, scrivener</p> <p>Endorsed: Covenant by Samuel Meverill of London, merchant, to take 20 tons of kentillage goods of the share of TS, W: James Howard, Edward Stracey, and by Thomas Hawes of London, merchant, to take 25 tons of the share of TS, W: Thomas Vaughan; 8 July 1692.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Thorpe page/entry: 200/2</p>
Volume 76 Item 11	<p>Charterparty for £4 per ton. 4 April 1694.</p> <p>Description: Stephen Thomas of Yarmouth, master mariner, master of the Thomas Thomas and Stephen (300 tons, at anchor in the Thames), with Henry Sommers of London, merchant</p>

	<p>TW lets the vessel to HS for a voyage from England or Scotland to Castle Archangel in Russia and back, to leave at the first good wind after 10 May, to spend up to 14 days loading goods from HS's factors (more than three drum vats to be at ST's discretion), to proceed as near as possible to Kola on the river Kola in Muscovy and spend up to 20 days loading as much stockfish as can be carried, to return for London, discharge her cargo and end her voyage; HS to discharge the ship within a month of arrival; ST to be paid £3 a day for up to 20 days' demurrage</p> <p>TW warrants the ship and her equipment, with [blank] pieces of ordnance, master and 18 crew; ST to be paid at £4 per ton (according to the rates of the Muscovy Company) for the goods and £5 per tons for the fish, one moiety within 10 days of discharge, the other within 20 days; ST to be acquitted of port charges if the cargo amounts to 200 tons, not to include any duty on shipping which may be imposed by the present parliament; HS to pay ST 2s 6d a ton for primage.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert Burges, scrivener, his servant Richard Turner</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 12	<p>Receipt for legacy and release of dower. 17 June 1698.</p> <p>Description: James Hannott of Great Yarmouth, gent, and Samuel Hannott of Stepney, dyer (executors of Ann Summers, widow of Henry Summers of London, merchant), to his executor Godfrey Webster</p> <p>The share of AS by the custom of London in the estate of HS on payment of a legacy of £3000, as in his will of 16 April 1698</p> <p>Recites: bequest to AS of £3000 and a life estate in the manor of Gaynes in Huntingdonshire; proof of both wills in PCC.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Vaus, Edward Edmonds, John Jacob</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 200/4</p>
Volume 76 Item 13	<p>Bond in £200. 27 July 1699.</p> <p>Description: Geoffret Littell of London, merchant, to Thomas Grassingham of Rotherhithe, shipwright</p> <p>To pay £100 at 6%.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Grassingham, George Parmenter</p> <p>Endorsed: Receipts for interest by Roger Grassingham, 6 May 1700, TG, 15 May 1701 and Elizabeth Grassingham, 22 May 1702.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 14	<p>Assignment of debt and warrant of attorney as further security for a loan. 7 June 1700.</p> <p>Description: John Higgs of St Ann Westminster, cordwainer, to Godfrey Webster of London, esq</p> <p>Debt of £172 10s owed to JH by Thomas Gratwick and Benjamin Bayly for boots supplied to the duke of Schomberg and Leinster's regiment of foot</p> <p>Recites: assignment by Meinhard [Schomberg], duke of Scomberg and Leinster, to Thomas Gratwick of Kensington, gent, and Benjamin Bayly of St Paul Covent Garden, woollendraper, of all the offreckonings of the corporals and privates of his regiment of horse from 1 October 1698 for the payment of £4208 19s for clothes and accoutrements which they had furnished, 18 March 1700; undertaking by Gratwick and Bayly to pay £172 10s 0d, part of that sum, to JH for boots supplied by him, 26 March 1700; bond for the payment of £100 on 7 August, JH to GW, 7 June 1700.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Kimpton, Richard Turner, servant to Robert Burges, scrivener</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Thorpe page/entry: [not found]
Volume 76 Item 15A	<p>Final concord. October 1616.</p> <p>Description: Thankful Bysshopp v John Thatcher and his wife Rebecca Messuage, barn, garden, 30 acres land, 4 acres meadow, 8 acres pasture, 4 acres wood and 4 acres heath in Battle.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 15B	<p>Final concord. April 1620.</p> <p>Description: William Langham, gent, v John Thatcher and his wife Rebecca Barn, 15 acres land, 10 acres meadow, 10 acres pasture and 20 acres wood in Battle.</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 76, Item 15C.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 15C	<p>Counterpart final concord. April 1620.</p> <p>Related material: For final concord, see Volume 76, Item 15B.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 16	<p>Sale of a ship for £650. 3 November 1703.</p> <p>Description: Richard Wells of Rotherhithe, shipwright, to William Lone of London, merchant The new ship called the Dolphin frigate, lately built by RW at his yard in Rotherhithe (140 tons, Roger Carnaby commander), now lying in the Thames.</p> <p>Witnesses: Jos Walkley, Robert Lucking, James French</p> <p>Endorsed: Sale of a third to Richard Levitt and a third to Francis Levitt, 4 November 1703; sale of an eighth of the vessel and its cargo by WL to Godfrey Webster, esq, for £283 11 10⁴d; W: Edward Price, James Dunnidge, 25 September 1706; sale of an eighth to Thomas Shackle and Co for £283 11s 10d, 4 November 1706, bought back for £386 2s 10d, 25 June 1708; sale of ¼ to ... Wright for £547 13s and another ¼ to Daniel James, 5 October 1708; sale of ¼ to Henry Hankey for £1000 in trust for his daughter Elizabeth, on condition that his father Shackle made good to him the fortune of £2000, 20 December 1708.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 201/1</p>
Volume 76 Item 17	<p>Copy sale of shares in ships for £2500. 19 July 1705; approximately 1710.</p> <p>Description: Susannah Levett of London, widow and administratrix of Francis Levett, citizen and mercer of London, to William Lone of London, merchant</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1 A quarter of the William and Elizabeth, William Drake master, with a third of her cargo 2 Three-eighths of the Richard and William, Thomas Matticks commander, with a third of her cargo 3 A third of the Dolphin frigate, Roger Carnaby commander, with a third of her cargo 4 A quarter of the Mairmaid galley, James French commander, with a quarter of her cargo 5 A debt of £60 for wines and insurance claimed by WL from FL's estate, £1500 of the consideration to be paid within 6 months. <p>Witnesses: John Ward, Edward Shaller, Henry Wood; W to copy: Henry Wood, Thomas Gearing</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 201/2</p>
Volume 76	Assignment of a bond and release for £140. 27 February 1706.

Item 18	<p>Description: John Randall of Minchinhampton, Gloucs, clothier, to Thomas Webster of London, bt</p> <p>Bond in £1100 for the payment of £550, Geoffrey Littell of London, merchant (against whom a commission of bankruptcy is in execution) to JR, 6 June 1702.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Gardiner, James Dowell</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 19	<p>Bond in £200. 31 August 1706.</p> <p>Description: John Blenco of London, mason, to Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], bt To pay £100 by 24 May 1707.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Humberstone, Edmund Abbott</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 20	<p>Bill of sale of a third share of the Dolphin frigate, Roger Carnaby master, and her cargo by Richard Levett of London, kt, to William Lone of London, merchant, for £203 6s 8d. 14 June 1706.</p> <p>Witnesses: Benjamin Hatley, John Godman.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 201/1</p>
Volume 76 Item 21	<p>Bill of sale of an eighth share of the Dolphin frigate (140 tons), Nevinson Taylor master, and of the cargo now on board at Falmouth, by William Lone of London, merchant, to Thomas Shackle and Company of London, merchants, for £283 11s 10d. 4 November 1706.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Dunnidge, John Rookwood.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 201/1</p>
Volume 76 Item 22	<p>Bill of sale of an eighth share of the Dolphin frigate and of her homeward-bound cargo by Thomas Shackle to William Lone (as Volume 76, Item 21), for £253 11s 10d; signed by Thomas Shackle the younger for his father and himself. 25 June 1708.</p> <p>Witnesses: Daniel Legg, Edward Price</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 201/1</p>
Volume 76 Item 23	<p>Assignment of debts to principal creditors. 30 November 1706.</p> <p>Description: Samuel Shephard of London, esq and James Isaacson of Walton in Essex, esq (executors of Roger Smith, citizen and haberdasher of London), to Godfrey Webster of London, esq and Randolph Knipe of London, merchant</p> <p>Debts still owed to the estate, specified in an attached schedule of 39 names and sums. Recites: payment of debts by SS and JI with the exception of, £175 9s 11d owing to GW and RK for goods delivered to RS; GW and RK to hold any surplus for the benefit of any further creditors, or for RS's wife and child; SS and JI make GW and RK their attorneys to recover the debts, and promise not to make releases without their consent.</p> <p>Witnesses: Jeronime Winckeler, Henry Bedell, scrivener, his servant John Curryer</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 24	<p>Bill of sale of a quarter share of the John and Thomas hoy (80 tons, John Overstall master) and of her tackle on 19 March 1707 when he bought her at public sale, by Michael Savary of London, merchant, to Thomas Webster of Copthall in Essex, bt, for £75. 29 March 1707.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: William Cumberland, Nathaniel Cumberland.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 25	<p>Bond in £30 for the payment of £16, John Biggs of Leyton in Essex, bricklayer, to Thomas Webster of Copthall in Essex, kt and bt. 8 January 1711.</p> <p>Witnesses: Arthur Twogood, Robert Aylett.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 26	<p>Contract for sale of wood at 8 shillings a cord. 2 March 1719.</p> <p>Description: Anthony [Browne], viscount Montague to Thomas Hussey of Battle, gent and Thomas Gilbert of Battle, gent All the lops and tops of the timber trees in Chance Stream Wood in Battle marked to be felled this Spring The cords to be set 14' long and 3' high and to be cut 3' but one carf long; TH and TG to cut before 24 June, to set and cord for delivery by 1 September and to coal and remove by 29 September; TH and TG to pay in moieties on 10 July and 11 November; AB may take as much as he thinks convenient to make posts; AB's tenants to carry the coal and wood as cheaply as any other person.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Ashenden, Samuel Brewer, William Brewer</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 173/3</p>
Volume 76 Item 27	<p>Building contract. 28 August 1721.</p> <p>Description: William Davis of Battle, bricklayer, with Thomas Webster of Battle Place, bt WD agrees to build a new dwelling-house on TW's farm occupied by John Tassell, 32' wide and 52' long, to dig and draw the stone, make the walls 2½' thick from the foundation to the water-table, 2' thick from the water-table to the first floor and 1½' thick from the first floor to the roof, performing all the mason's and bricklayer's work so that the walls may be ready for the carpenters by 31 October 1721, and to heal and tile the house within 14 days after the carpenters have got it ready.</p> <p>TW agrees to pay 24s per square for outside stonework, cellars included, superficial measure; 20s for carrying up two chimneys; 1½d a foot for internal partitions; 3s a square for tiling; 2½d a square yard for plastering to be measured on both sides; 20s for a chimney in the brewhouse; a moiety to be paid when the first floor is raised, the rest on completion.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Ashenden, Samuel Brewer, William Brewer</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 28	<p>Building contract. 28 August 1721.</p> <p>Description: James Roads of Battle, carpenter, with Thomas Webster of Battle Place, bt JR agrees to do all the carpenter's work on a new house on TW's farm lately let to John Tassell, to fell, hew, saw and work out the timber to be used for windows, doors, cases, mantles, laying of floors, making stairs and other necessities; to lay the parlour floor and find deals for it at his own charge; to frame the building with girders 11 x 12, joists 3¾ x 5¼, principals 7 x 9, interstizes 7 x 8, rafters 5 x 4, beams 7 x 8, posts 7 x 9, punchions 5 x 6 and long intertizies 7½ x 8 [inches], performing all the carpenter's work to be ready for the masons to tile by 5 November 1721.</p>

	<p>TW agrees to pay £53 17s, one moiety to be paid on rearing the house, the rest on completion.</p> <p>Witnesses: James Ashenden, Samuel Brewer, William Brewer</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 29	<p>Conveyance by trustee in remainder for £502. [3]-4 March 1718.</p> <p>Description: Godfrey Webster of Fenchurch Street, London, kt, (surviving trustee of Samuel Meverell of London, merchant), by the direction of Samuel Brian of London, gent (attorney of Thomas Meverell), Charles Goodfellow of London, esq and Robert Mainwaring of London, merchant (assignees in bankruptcy of Josias Meverell), Catherine Meverell of Chertsey in Surrey, spinster and William Meverell of Chertsey, gent (children of SM) to George North of Merchant Taylors Hall, London, gent and his trustees Thomas Bartholomew of Chertsey, gent and Richard Samborne of St Andrew Holborn, gent</p> <p>1 Messuage, yards, gardens, orchards, barns, stables, buildings in Chertsey, occupied by Mary Meverell</p> <p>2 Four pieces of meadow (8 acres) occupied by Thomas Martyr (W: the yard of the messuage, and to Mary Meverell's garden occupied by Anthony Fry; E: [blank] Chapman; S: the brook; N: Mary Meverell's land called White Hart Mead or Tuckers Mead, occupied by John Barker)</p> <p>Recites: will of Samuel Meverell of London, merchant, bequeathing to his wife Mary for life, remainder to GW and George Grove of London, merchant, in trust for sale to pay legacies, remainder to his children Thomas, Josias, WM, CM and Eleanor Meverell at 21 equally, 25 August 1696; death of Eleanor Meverell under 21 and of George Grove; that the house is ruinous and likely to fall before the death of Mary Meverell the life-tenant, and that GN has agreed to take a lease for her life and to repair the house in consideration of its purchase; letters of attorney by Thomas Meverell, now in the East Indies, to SB, 6 January 1705; commission of bankruptcy against Josias Meverell, 16 June 1714, whose creditors assigned to CG and RM, 28 July 1714. Now GW conveys to TB and RS in trust for GW (according to the trusts of the will) for the life of Mary Meverell, remainder to GN on the payment of £502 on her death.</p> <p>Witnesses: Paul Calton and Robert New (clerks to Mr North), John Saint and John Butler at Chertsey</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 201/7</p>
Volume 76 Item 30	<p>Bond in £60 for the payment of £30 at 5%, Ralph Whistler of St John Hackney, surgeon, to Grantham Bird of London, gent; 21 October 1721, with receipt for principal and interest paid by Thomas Webster, bt. 22 December 1722.</p> <p>Witnesses: Stephen Thompson, James James</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 31	<p>Bond in £20 for the payment of £10, Joseph Butcher of Colchester in Essex to Thomas Webster of Cophall in Essex, bt. 31 May 1722.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Williamson, John Lucas.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 32	<p>Bond in £60 for the payment of £30 and interest, Jacob Bonnel of London, merchant, to Thomas Webster of Cophall in Essex, bt. 8 June 1723.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Williamson, Richard Burrowes.</p>

	<p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 33	<p>Bond in £260 for the payment of £132 10s 0d, Thomas Perry of Colchester in Essex, esq, to Thomas Webster, bt. 12 December 1723.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Bradley, Andrew Bath.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 34	<p>Defeasance of statute staple. 8 February 1727.</p> <p>Description: William Northey of Compton Bassett in Wilts, esq, to Thomas Webster of Copthall in Essex, bt. That TW's statute staple in £30,000 [Volume 66, Item 12] is to secure the payment of £16,450 and interest.</p> <p>Witnesses: Edward Green, Joseph Biscoe</p> <p>Related materials: For counterpart, see Volume 76, Item 35.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 195/2</p>
Volume 76 Item 35	<p>Counterpart defeasance of statute staple, sealed by William Northey only. 8 February 1727.</p> <p>Related materials: For defeasance, see Volume 76, Item 34</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 195/2</p>
Volume 76 Item 36	<p>Assignment of waterworks share for £400. 31 August 1726.</p> <p>Description: John Taverner and John Ellis, citizens and scriveners of London, trustees of Richard Jones of London, esq, to Thomas Webster of St James Westminster, bt</p> <p>One sixtieth share of two stations or places on the River Tagus and the engines dams and premises almost perfected there by RJ for the supply of water to the City of Toledo.</p> <p>Recites: grant by Don Melchor Joseph de Zineros and Don Joseph Romo Tejero, commissioners on behalf of the imperial city of Toledo, to RJ of two stations on the River Tagus with the water of the river, 3 June 1724; expenditure of large sums by RJ, assignment of the grant and the royal letters confirming it to JT and JE to enable the issue of 60 shares, 31 August 1726.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Hyde, William Best (JT's clerk)</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 176/2</p>
Volume 76 Item 37A	<p>Bond in £100 for the payment of £150 at 5%, Edward Leigh of St Martin in the Fields, Middlesex, esq, to Thomas Webster of St James Westminster, bt. 23 January 1727.</p> <p>Witnesses: George Wood, servant at the Ship Tavern Charing Cross, Edward Hughes.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 37B	<p>Draft lease for 40 years from 25 December [1728] at £2 for £150. 1728</p> <p>Description: [John] King DD, archdeacon of Colchester, to Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham] Essex, bt, his wife Jane (administratrix with the will annexed of her grandfather Henry Whistler of Epsom, esq) and her trustee Paul Jodrell of Lincolns Inn, esq (eldest son and executor of Paul Jodrell of Chancery Lane, esq, Henry Whistler's surviving trustee, according to a chancery order in Webster v Webster, 23 December 1719)</p> <p>Brick messuage with an entry door or gateway and passage leading out of Throckmorton Street, St Bennet Fink, London, (N: messuages of Richard Chamber, John</p>

	<p>Wootton and Mr Verdier; NE: garden of Robert Bishop, undertenant to Thomas Saunders lately deceased; W: New Court; S: messuage occupied by Mrs Fore) occupied by Anthony Clerembault, late Dr Blackbourne.</p> <p>Draft provides for a plan to be attached; the lease was executed on 18 April 1729 (see the recital in Volume 63, Item 31).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 195/3</p>
Volume 76 Item 38A	<p>Bill of exchange of E[dward] Leigh, London, on William Johnson, merchant in Antigua, for £50 payable to Thomas Webster bt at twelve months, his second and third bills being unpaid. 24 January 1727.</p> <p>Related materials: See Volume 76, Items 38B-38C</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 38B	<p>Bill of exchange (as Volume 76, Item 38A). 24 January 1727.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 38C	<p>Bill of exchange (as Volume 76, Item 38A). 24 January 1727.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 39	<p>Bond in £80 for the payment of £40 at £3 a year, John Clark of Hornchurch in Essex, yeoman, to Thomas Webster, bt; Witnesses: William Nutton, Isaac Ingall; 2 May 1737; receipt for £14 endorsed. 30 March 1744.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 40	<p>Release by beneficiary for £450. 27 November 1730.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Byde of Ware Park in Herts, esq, administrator of the goods of Elizabeth Boylston (one of the daughters of Henry Whistler of Epsom, esq) left unadministered by his late wife Jane, her daughter, and their only daughter Elizabeth Byde, to Thomas Webster and his wife Jane (a grand-daughter of Henry Whistler) and their trustee Paul Jodrell of Lincolns Inn, esq</p> <p>All claims due on Henry Whistler's note for £900 and interest to Elizabeth Boylston (W: Thomas Brown and Jenne Soulard), 24 December 1697, in dispute between the parties.</p> <p>Recites: will of Henry Whistler, leaving £2500 due on bond from TB, £1000 East India stock and Benjo Farm to his nephews and executors Charles Joye and James Joye in trust for EB the daughter at 21, and the remainder of his estate to JW and her children, 26 August 1716; renunciation by executors and grant of administration with will annexed to JW in PCC; assignment of trusts to Edward Northey, kt, and Paul Jodrell the elder, esq, in obedience to chancery orders, their death, and descent of the trusts to PJ's eldest son PJ; delivery of assets to EB the daughter on her recent majority; action by TB against TW and JW to recover the principal and interest, Michaelmas 1730; contention of TW and JW that it had been paid long since, settlement of the dispute by an amicable proposal.</p> <p>Witnesses: Ellis Meredith, Philip Hooker</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 195/4</p>
Volume 76 Item 41	<p>Bill of sale of a half share, an eighth share and a sixteenth share of the Endeavour of Hastings (lately built, 80 tons, Mark Taught master) and similar shares of her tackle, by Mark Taught of Hastings All Saints, mariner, to Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, for £398 15s Od. 18 March 1732.</p>

	<p>Witnesses: Benjamin Stevens, Thomas Broadway</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 42	<p>Bond in £26 for the payment of £13 at 5%, Robert Hussey of Hastings, mariner, to Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt. 18 January 1733.</p> <p>Witnesses: Thomas Broadway, Henry Dodson.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 43	<p>Surrendered lease for 41 years from 1 November 1732 at £20. 7 July 1732.</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall in Essex, bt, to William Johnston of Killafeddy in County Londonderry, gent A moiety of the town lands of Killafeddy in Salters Proportion of County Londonderry (336 acres), occupied by WJ, James Duncan, David Duncan, John Duncan and their undertenants Except those parts already granted by the Society of the Governors and Assistants of London of the New Plantations in Ulster to George Salter, Nicholas Skinner, Thomas Gellybrand, Matthew Travers, Henry Goffe, Thomas Little, Richard Core, William Lane and John Smith as freehold tenants of the manor of Sal otherwise Salters, 2 or 3 June 1663, and any land set out for glebe land within 57 years before 8 June 1699; timber, trees, mines, quarries, mill-races, felons' goods and deodands reserved; power fot TW to make watercourses and dams for mills and forges; WJ to grind corn at the mills of Magherafelt or Killiboggan or pay a penalty of 2s a bushel, to attend the court of Salters manor and pay 6d a year to the moss-bailiff; other detailed provisions; the whole document on a printed pro-forma. Note of surrender subscribed, 30 November 1742. Witnesses: Rowley Hill, John Lawson Endorsed: Registered at Dublin, book 73, page 357, number 51408, William Parry, deputy registrar, 13 August 1733. Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 197/6</p>
Volume 76 Item 44	<p>Another copy of settlement (Volume 66, Item 18). 30 May 1734.</p> <p>Endorsed: Original deed in the possession of Paul Jodrell of Lincolns Inn.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 196/3</p>
Volume 76 Item 45	<p>Copy release by beneficiaries to trustees. 8 May 1735.</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster esq, Jane Webster and Elizabeth Webster, children of Thomas Webster of Copthall in Essex, bt, and grandchildren of Godfrey Webster of Nemes in Hornchurch, Essex, kt, citizen and clothworker of London, to TW and Henry Hankey kt, alderman of London, trustees of GW Their shares in £15,000 South Sea stock bequeathed by GW in trust for them by his will of 12 January 1720. Recites: detailed movements and sales of stock as shown in Volume 75, Item 17. Witnesses: William Northey, Samuel Troughton Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 197/2</p>
Volume 76 Item 46	<p>Copy assignment of judgement to secure a loan of £667 at 5%. 3 October 1741.</p> <p>Description: John Mills of St Paul Covent Garden, gent, to John Peachey of West Dean, bt Bond of John Dickins of Church Preen in Shropshire, esq, to JM in £4000 for the payment of £2000, recovered by action in kings bench in Hilary 1740</p>

	<p>Any money recovered by JP above what he is owed by JM for principal and interest to be held in trust for JM.</p> <p>Witnesses: Basil Herne, his clerk A Barbar</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 197/5</p>
Volume 76 Item 47	<p>Bond in £100 for the payment of £50 and interest, Thomas Pershowse of the Middle Temple, gent, and Lawrence Martel of London, doctor of physic, to Thomas Webster of St James Street, Middlesex, bt. 23 January 1739.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Barton (master of the Swan Tavern in Exchange Alley), William Barton (his nephew, drawer at the Swan Tavern)</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 48	<p>Schedule of deeds found in the custody of George Worge [of Battle, attorney] deceased, with draft receipt from Nicholas Gilbert; 30 September 1767 <Jane Fenner, widow, administratrix de bonis non of her brother George Worge, by the hands of Nicholas Gilbert>. 2 October 1767.</p> <p>Description: 62/2; 62/8; 65/42; 62/17; 62/20; 62/25; 62/28; 63/1; 63/9; 60/20; 76/40; 64/2; 63/33; 64/3; 63/32.</p> <p>Notes: Many of these deeds are listed in the same order in Thorpe, perhaps suggesting that the bundle remained intact when his list was made.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 187/1</p>
Volume 76 Item 49	<p>Draft conveyance for £30. [1736].</p> <p>Description: Thomas Webster of Copthall [in Waltham], Essex, bt, and his wife Jane, only daughter of Edward Cheeke of London, soapmaker, deceased, with their son Whistler Webster, esq, TW's trustees William Northey of Compton Bassett, Wilts, esq, and Nathaniel Pigot of the Inner Temple, esq, to Richard Pitman of [blank] in Somerset, yeoman Cottage and adjoining orchard and garden (15 luggs long, 4 luggs 12 feet wide), a plot or orchard to its E under the Sheep Sleight hedge, and a parrock or close called Backitts Garden and Orchard (½ acre), occupied by RP, late Jerrard Haggard deceased, in Sandford Orcas, part of TW's manor of Sandford Orcas, held by RP by lease for 99 years or the lives of Isaac Haggard and his wife Sarah Haggard, both deceased, and RP's wife Elizabeth Obourne</p> <p>Recites: vesting of estates in WN and RP in trust, 18 and 19 May 1733, and in trust for sale, 31 May and 1 June 1733. Approved by NP for the vendors, 10 February 1736.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 208/2</p>
Volume 76 Item 50A	<p>Bill of exchange of John Mills, London, on Thomas Webster, bt, St James Street, for £200 payable to Mr John Boulton on 5 October 1743. 18 May 1743.</p> <p>Description: Accepted by TW, 20 May 1743.</p> <p>Endorsed: Receipt by John Boulton, William Cokayne, George Powell, William Lawman, Witnesses: Gal Mann, 10 April 1744.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 50B	<p>Bill of exchange of John Mills, London, on Thomas Webster, bt, St James Street, for £200 payable to Mr Samson Cartwright on 25 October 1743. 18 May 1743.</p> <p>Description: Accepted by TW, 21 May 1743; endorsed with notes of payment, interest and receipt by SC, February-April [1744].</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Thorpe page/entry: [not found]
Volume 76 Item 51	<p>Bond in £2042 for the payment of £1021 and interest, John Mills of St James Westminster, gent, to Thomas Webster of Battle, bt. 14 June 1744.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Smith, victualler at Scotland Yard Gate, Henry Laremore, Boswell Court. Related materials: For assignment of the bond and judgement, see Volume 76, Item 53.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 52	<p>Deed of appointment of portions. 29 February 1748.</p> <p>Description: Jane, wife of Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to her children Godfrey Webster and Elizabeth Webster That the sum of £2000 specified in her marriage settlement should be paid by her trustees to GW and EW in equal shares Recites: settlement of a capital messuage called The Newberrys, Newberry farm and 256 acres [in Barking] by Thomas Webster on his marriage with JW [as recited by Volume 75, Item 7], granting JW a power of appointment over £2000 on TW's death, 29 September 1701. Witnesses: Elisha Biscoe, Isaac Ingall Endorsed: Receipt by GW from Whistler Webster, bt, 20 November 1760, and by Elizabeth Webster and [her husband] Edward Webster from WW, paid by GW, 2 January 1761.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 53	<p>Assignment of the bond and judgement as Volume 76, Item 46 by John Mills to Thomas Webster, bt, as security for bond (Volume 76, Item 51) and interest at 5%. 14 June 1744.</p> <p>Related materials: For the 1744 bond, see Volume 76, Item 51.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 197/7</p>
Volume 76 Item 54	<p>Letters of attorney. 20 March 1745.</p> <p>Description: John Mills to Thomas Webster of St James Westminster, bt To prosecute, defend and proceed to judgement or arbitration in a bill exhibited in chancery by Samuel Lessingham against John Dickins, esq, touching his real estate, and revived against his trustees William Gyfford, George Walker and JM, and a cross suit, whereby JM is a considerable creditor.</p> <p>Witnesses: Henry Laremore, Boswell Court</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 197/7</p>
Volume 76 Item 55	<p>Bond in £500. 11 April 1750.</p> <p>Description: George Matthews of Battle, gent, late an officer in the excise, and William Edger at The Weavers Arms, Dorset Street, Spitalfields, London, victualler, to Thomas Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, George Worge of Battle, gent and William Gillmore of Battle, gunpowder-maker GM to account to TW, GW and WG for all money, gunpowder and goods received by him as clerk of their gunpowder works in Sedlescombe.</p> <p>Witnesses: Robert L Chambers, Henry Mallory Bishop; John Thompson, William Wild</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 179/10</p>
Volume 76 Item 56	<p>Unexecuted lease for 11 years from 29 September 1755 at £80. June 1756.</p> <p>Description: Whistler Webster of Battle Abbey, bt, to Edward Sackford of Salehurst, late of Etchingam, husbandman</p>

	<p>1 Messuage, barns, buildings, stables, stalls and 100 acres called Redlands and Headlands [in Salehurst]</p> <p>2 Three pieces called The Abbey Brooks (14 acres) lying above the Churchlands towards The Redlands</p> <p>3 Small shaw or coppice (3 acres) adjoining The Orchard Field</p> <p>4 A slip of coppice wood (1 acre) adjoining a lane leading by one end of 3</p> <p>5 The toll of Robertsbridge Fair, kept on the premises, as it was taken by the late tenant Thomas Forster</p> <p>Timber, trees, quarries of stone and ore reserved; penalty of £5 an acre for ploughing brookland, or for failing to marl or lime after every third crop; ES to displant The Oasthouse Brook, currently a hopgarden, take up to two crops and lay it to meadow; ES not to have more than 4 acres of hops, to be well stocked at the end of the term; ES may cut the coppice once only.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 180/6</p>
Volume 76 Item 57	<p>Probate (Lewes) of the will (15 May 1760) of Henry King of Northiam, carpenter. 7 October 1760.</p> <p>Description: Messuage in Northiam where he lives, with the garden, orchard and another small messuage adjoining, copyhold of Ewhurst, to his wife Mary for life, remainder to his daughter Grace, wife of Edward Masters of Cranbrook, carpenter, for life, remainder to her son Edward Masters of Cranbrook, carpenter, and Richard Skeets of Effingham in Surrey, carpenter (who married her daughter Grace Masters), as trustees for sale for the benefit of his grandchildren Edward Masters and Grace Skeets, Elizabeth Baker and Ann Baker (children of his daughter Ann Baker deceased) and Judith, Henry, Elizabeth, Jacob, Grace and James Stace (children of his daughter Elizabeth, wife of James Stace of Northiam, butcher), at 21 in equal thirds. Wife Mary King executrix.</p> <p>Witnesses: William Frewen, George Noakes, Mary French</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: 180/8</p>
Volume 76 Item 58A	<p>Heads of agreement for lease. 17 September 1765.</p> <p>Related materials: For draft contract of lease, see Volume 72, Item 26B; for preliminary draft of lease, see Volume 76, Item 58B.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 58B	<p>Preliminary draft for lease. 17 September 1765.</p> <p>Related materials: For draft contract of lease, see Volume 72, Item 26B; for heads of agreement, see Volume 76, Item 58A.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Thorpe page/entry: [not found]</p>
Volume 76 Item 59	<p>Writ of execution of order in William Sumers the elder and his sons William Sumers the younger, Henry Sumers and Thomas Sumers, infants, v Godfrey Webster, executor of Henry Sumers, and others in chancery addressed to John Mason. 18 May 1700.</p> <p>Description: Recites order allowing WS the elder to be guardian to HS, that master Keck should appoint a receiver for the infant's estate, view the account annually and allow GW to view it, that HS should be placed at Eton School and to have an allowance, 22 December 1699; appointment of WS the elder as guardian and receiver, 9 March 1700; WS the elder to give security, have the deeds of the estate delivered to him and the court rolls of the manor of Gaynes delivered to a person to be approved, so that manor courts might be kept, 15 March</p>

1700.

Allegation by Serjeant Hutchins and Thomas Powys, kt, for GW that HS went to Eton School 21 January 1700, but was removed by pretence of the Lord Chancellor's order on 12 March 1700, that Edmund Hickingill and WS the elder wrote letters to Eton demanding HS's trunk on 15 March 1700, as appears by a letter written by the head master, that WS the elder has not given security, but terrifies the tenants, tries to receive the rents and has appointed Mathias Hickingill steward, who has called a court baron, that WS the elder has written to the bailiff of the manor for the same purpose, that Edmund Hickingill and WS the elder went to Mr Gibson, and attorney in the city, and took several deeds of the infant's estate by schedule; prayed that WS the elder, Edmund Hickingill and his son Mathias Hickingill be committed for breach of the orders, that HS be returned to Eton, that master Keck appoint a receiver and steward immediately; on hearing Edmund Hickingill it is ordered that master Keck take security from WS the elder within three days, that Mr John Mason deliver the court rolls and papers belonging to the estate to master Keck, who is to establish the whereabouts of the deeds and have them brought to him, Edmund Hickingill to have copies of them as he thinks fit at the HS's expense, master Keck to speed his report on the sufficiency of the interrogatories on which GW is to be examined; the complaint to be referred to Sir John Francklyn and Sir John Hoskyns, masters, to examine how HS was used at Eton and how he was removed, and the profit received from the manor court; 13 May 1700.

Reference numbers:

Thorpe page/entry: 200/5

e. Manorial court rolls and rentals (volumes 95-99)

Volume 95 **Manors of Bayham and Battle: court rolls. 1553-1559.**

Reference numbers:

Phillipps number: 9914

Volume 95 **Manor of Bayham court baron, 12 May 1553.**

Item 1

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Volume 95 **Manor of Bayham courts baron, 23 October 1553, 30 April 1554, 29 October 1554.**

Item 2

Reference numbers:

Ink number: 103; membrane: 2

Volume 95 **Manor of Bayham court baron, 29 October 1554 [deleted because before], 24 April 1555, 12 December 1555, 28 October 1556.**

Item 3

Reference numbers:

Ink number: 103; membrane: 3

Volume 95 **Manor of Bayham court baron, 15 April 1557, 29 October 1557.**

Item 4

Reference numbers:

Ink number: 103; membrane: 4

Volume 95 **Hundred of Battle, 5 October 1553, 29 March 1554.**

Item 5

Reference numbers:

Ink number: 282; membrane: 1

Volume 95 **Manor of Battle: court baron and high court 28 November 1553; high courts 19 December 1553, 9 January 1554, 13 March 1554; court baron and high court 3 April 1554; high courts 24 April 1554, 26 June 1554, 17 July 1554, 7 August 1554.**

Item 6

Reference numbers:

Ink number: 282; membrane: 2

Volume 95 **Hundred of Battle, 4 October 1554, 18 April 1555.**

Item 7	Reference numbers: Ink number: 282; membrane: 3
Volume 95 Item 8	Manor of Battle: court baron and high court 9 October 1554; high courts 11 December 1554, 22 January 1555, 12 February 1555, 5 March 1555, 26 March 1555; court baron and high court 16 April 1555 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 282; membrane: 4
Volume 95 Item 9	Manor of Battle: court baron and high court 16 April 1555 (end); high courts 7 May 1555, 28 May 1555, 18 June 1555, 30 July 1555. Reference numbers: Ink number: 282; membrane: 5
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Volume 95 Item 11	Manor of Battle: court baron and high court 22 October 1555; high courts 12 November 1555, 3 December 1555, 14 January 1556, 4 February 1556, 25 February 1556, 17 March 1556; court baron and high court 28 April 1556 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 282; membrane: 7
Volume 95 Item 12	Manor of Battle: court baron and high court 22 April 1556 (end); high courts 18 May 1556, 8 June 1556, 3 November 1556, 21 July 1556, 1 September 1556, 22 September 1556. Reference numbers: Ink number: 282; membrane: 8
Volume 95 Item 13	Hundred of Battle, 1 October 1556, 22 April 1557. Reference numbers: Ink number: 282; membrane: 9
Volume 95 Item 14	Manor of Battle: court baron and high court 13 October 1556; high courts 24 November 1556, 15 December 1556, 26 January 1557, 16 February 1557, 30 March 1557. Reference numbers: Ink number: 282; membrane: 10
Volume 95 Item 15	Manor of Battle: court baron and high court, 11 May 1557. Reference numbers: Ink number: 282; membrane: 11
Volume 95 Item 16	Manor of Battle: court baron and high court 5 October 1557; high courts 25 October 1557, 18 January 1558, 1 March 1558; court baron and high court 3 May 1558; high courts 24 May 1558, 14 June 1558, 5 July 1558, 6 September 1558, 27 September 1558. Reference numbers: Ink number: 282; membrane: 12
Volume 95 Item 17	Hundred of Battle, 30 September 1557, 14 April 1558. Reference numbers: Ink number: 282; membrane: 13
Volume 95 Item 18	Hundred of Battle, 6 October 1558, 30 March 1559. Reference numbers: Ink number: 404; membrane: 1
Volume 95 Item 19	Manor of Battle: court baron and high court 18 October 1558; high courts 8 November 1558, 29 November 1558, 20 December 1558, 10 January 1559, 31 January 1559, 14 March 1559; court baron and high court 4 April 1559 (start).

	Reference numbers: Ink number: 404; membrane: 2
Volume 95 Item 20	Manor of Battle: court baron and high court, 4 April 1559 (cont). Reference numbers: Ink number: 404; membrane: 3
Volume 95 Item 21	Manor of Battle: court baron and high court 4 April 1559 (end); high courts 25 April 1559, 6 June 1559, 27 June 1559, 29 August 1559, 19 September 1559. Reference numbers: Ink number: 404; membrane: 4
Volume 96	Court roll, manors of Barnhorn, Bayham and Battle. 1560-1581. Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9915/1
Volume 96 Item 1	Manor of Barnhorn: court baron, 30 October 1560, 15 April 1562, 21 May 1563. Description: Includes the attornment of the farmer of Barnhorn (Richard Frenche) and freehold tenants of Agmerhurst (Thomas Cowper and William a Weke in the right of his wife) and Swineham (John a Croche) to William Denton, esq, by force of a feoffment of those and other estates made by Anthony [Browne] Viscount Montague to WD and William Browne, esq, 20 October 1562, according to the conditions specified in a deed of 1 October 1562, on 21 May 1563. Reference numbers: Ink number: 350
Volume 96 Item 2	Manor of Bayham: court baron. 1560-1581. Reference numbers: Ink number: 286
Volume 96 Item 3	Manor of Bayham: court baron, 27 April 1569, 25 October 1569, 4 April 1570, 17 October 1570. Reference numbers: Ink number: 284
Volume 96 Item 4	Manor of Bayham: court baron [differs from last], 4 April 1570, 17 October 1570. Reference numbers: Ink number: 99
Volume 96 Item 5	Manor of Battle: court baron and high court 7 October 1572; high courts 20 October 1572, 18 November 1572. Reference numbers: Ink number: 293; membrane: 1
Volume 96 Item 6	Manor of Battle: high courts 9 December 1572, 20 January 1573, 10 February 1573, 3 March 1573; court baron and high court 14 April 1573 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 293; membrane: 2
Volume 96 Item 7	Manor of Battle: court baron and high court 14 April 1573 (end), high courts 5 May 1573, 26 May 1573, 7 July 1573, 28 July 1573. Reference numbers: Ink number: 293; membrane: 3
Volume 96 Item 8	Manor of Battle: high court, 12 March 1577. Reference numbers: Ink number: 98
Volume 96 Item 9	Manor of Battle: high courts, 18 October 1586, 8 November 1586 (start). Reference numbers:

	Ink number: 450; membrane: 1
Volume 96 Item 10	Manor of Battle: high courts, 8 November 1586 (end), 29 November 1586 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 450; membrane: 2
Volume 96 Item 11	Manor of Battle: high courts, 29 November 1586 (end), 20 December 1586 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 450; membrane: 3
Volume 96 Item 12	Manor of Battle: high courts, 20 December 1586 (end), 10 January 1587. Reference numbers: Ink number: 450; membrane: 4
Volume 96 Item 13	Manor of Battle: high courts, 21 February 1587, 14 March 1587 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 450; membrane: 5
Volume 96 Item 14	Manor of Battle: high courts, 14 March 1587 (end), 4 April 1587, 25 April 1587 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 450; membrane: 6
Volume 96 Item 15	Manor of Battle: high courts, 25 April 1587 (end), 6 June 1587 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 450; membrane: 7
Volume 96 Item 16	Manor of Battle: high courts, 6 June 1587 (end), 18 July 1587. Reference numbers: Ink number: 450; membrane: 8
Volume 96 Item 17	Manor of Battle: high courts, 8 August 1587, 28 August 1587 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 450; membrane: 9
Volume 96 Item 18	Manor of Battle: high courts, 28 August 1587 (end), 19 September 1587 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 450; membrane: 10
Volume 96 Item 19	Manor of Battle: high court, 19 September 1587 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 450; membrane: 11
Volume 96 Item 20	Manor of Battle: court baron, 22 December 1586 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 450; membrane: 12
Volume 96 Item 21	Manor of Battle: courts baron, 22 December 1586 (end), 25 April 1587 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 450; membrane: 13
Volume 96 Item 22	Manor of Battle: court baron, 25 April 1587 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 450; membrane: 14
Volume 96 Item 23	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 6 October 1586 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 450; membrane: 15
Volume 96 Item 24	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 6 October 1586 (end), 20 April 1587 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 450; membrane: 16

Volume 96 Item 25	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 20 April 1587 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 450; membrane: 17
Volume 96 Item 26	Manor of Battle: high court, [25 March?] 1578 (end), 15 April 1578, 6 May 1578 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 271; membrane: 1
Volume 96 Item 27	Manor of Battle: high court, 6 May 1578 (end), 27 May 1578 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 271; membrane: 2
Volume 96 Item 28	Manor of Battle: high court, 27 May 1578 (end), 17 June 1578 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 271; membrane: 3
Volume 96 Item 29	Manor of Battle: high court, 17 June 1578 (end), 28 July 1578, 19 August 1578 (heading only). Reference numbers: Ink number: 271; membrane: 4
Volume 96 Item 30	Manor of Battle: high court, 19 August 1578 (end), 9 September 1578 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 271; membrane: 5
Volume 96 Item 31	Manor of Battle: court baron, 22 October 1577 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 271; membrane: 6
Volume 96 Item 32	Manor of Battle: courts baron, 22 October 1577 (end), 15 April 1578 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 271; membrane: 7
Volume 96 Item 33	Manor of Battle: court baron, 15 April 1578 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 271; membrane: 8
Volume 96 Item 34	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 3 October 1577. Reference numbers: Ink number: 271; membrane: 9
Volume 96 Item 35	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 3 April 1578. Reference numbers: Ink number: 271; membrane: 10
Volume 96 Item 36	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 2 October 1578.
Volume 96 Item 37	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 23 April 1579; court baron, 21 October 1578 (start).
Volume 96 Item 38	Manor of Battle: courts baron, 21 October 1578 (end), 28 April 1579 (start).
Volume 96 Item 39	Manor of Battle: court baron, 28 April 1579 (end).
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Volume 96 Item 41	Manor of Battle: high court, 30 September 1578 (end), 21 October 1578 (start).
Volume 96 Item 42	Manor of Battle: high court, 21 October 1578 (end), 11 November 1578 (start).

Volume 96 Item 43	Manor of Battle: high court, 11 November 1578 (end), 23 December 1578 (start).
Volume 96 Item 44	Manor of Battle: high court, 23 December 1578 (end), 13 January 1579.
Volume 96 Item 45	Manor of Battle: high court, 3 February 1579, 24 February 1579 (start).
Volume 96 Item 46	Manor of Battle: high court, 24 February 1579 (end), 17 March 1579 (start).
Volume 96 Item 47	Manor of Battle: high court, 17 March 1579 (end), 28 April 1579, 19 May 1579 (start).
Volume 96 Item 48	Manor of Battle: high court, 19 May 1579 (end), 9 June 1579 (start).
Volume 96 Item 49	Manor of Battle: high court, 9 June 1579 (end), 30 June 1579, 21 July 1579 (start).
Volume 96 Item 50	Manor of Battle: high court, 21 July 1579 (end), 11 August 1579 (start).
Volume 96 Item 51	Manor of Battle: high court, 11 August 1579 (end), 1 September 1579 (start).
Volume 96 Item 52	Manor of Battle: high court, 1 September 1579 (end), 22 September 1579 (start).
Volume 96 Item 53	Manor of Battle: high court, 22 September 1579 (end).
Volume 96 Item 54	Manor of Battle: court baron, 15 December 1579 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 1
Volume 96 Item 55	Manor of Battle: court baron, 15 December 1579 (end), 12 April 1580. Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 2
Volume 96 Item 56	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 1 October 1579. Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 3
Volume 96 Item 57	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 7 April 1580. Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 4
Volume 96 Item 58	Manor of Battle: high court, 3 November 1579 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 5
Volume 96 Item 59	Manor of Battle: high court, 3 November 1579 (end), 15 December 1579 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 6
Volume 96 Item 60	Manor of Battle: high court, 15 December (cont). Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 7
Volume 96 Item 61	Manor of Battle: high court, 15 December (end), 5 January 1580. Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 8
Volume 96 Item 62	Manor of Battle: high court, 5 January 1580 (end), 26 January 1580 (start). Reference numbers:

	Ink number: 270; membrane: 9
Volume 96 Item 63	Manor of Battle: high court, 26 January 1580 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 10
Volume 96 Item 64	Manor of Battle: high court, 26 January 1580 (end), 16 February 1580 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 11
Volume 96 Item 65	Manor of Battle: high court, 16 February 1580 (end), 29 March 1580 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 12
Volume 96 Item 66	Manor of Battle: high court, 29 March 1580 (end), 19 April 1580 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 13
Volume 96 Item 67	Manor of Battle: high court, 19 April 1580 (cont). Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 14
Volume 96 Item 68	Manor of Battle: high court, 19 April 1580 (end), 31 May 1580 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 15
Volume 96 Item 69	Manor of Battle: high court, 31 May 1580 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 16
Volume 96 Item 70	Manor of Battle: high court, 12 July 1580 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 17
Volume 96 Item 71	Manor of Battle: high court, 12 July 1580 (end), 2 August 1580 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 18
Volume 96 Item 72	Manor of Battle: high court, 2 August 1580 (end), 23 August 1580 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 19
Volume 96 Item 73	Manor of Battle: high court, 23 August 1580 (end), 13 September 1580 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 20
Volume 96 Item 74	Manor of Battle: high court, 13 September 1580 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 270; membrane: 21
Volume 96 Item 75	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 6 October 1580. Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 1
Volume 96 Item 76	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 30 March 1581. Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 2
Volume 96 Item 77	Manor of Battle: court baron, 4 October 1580. Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 3

Volume 96 Item 78	Manor of Battle: court baron, 4 April 1581 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 4
Volume 96 Item 79	Manor of Battle: court baron, 4 April 1581 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 5
Volume 96 Item 80	Manor of Battle: high court, 4 October 1580 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 6
Volume 96 Item 81	Manor of Battle: high court, 4 October 1580 (end), 6 December 1580 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 7
Volume 96 Item 82	Manor of Battle: high court, 6 December 1580 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 8
Volume 96 Item 83	Manor of Battle: high court, 27 December 1580 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 9
Volume 96 Item 84	Manor of Battle: high court, 27 December 1580 (end), 17 January 1581 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 10
Volume 96 Item 85	Manor of Battle: high court, 17 January 1581 (end), 28 February 1581 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 11
Volume 96 Item 86	Manor of Battle: high court, 28 February 1581 (end), 21 March 1581 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 12
Volume 96 Item 87	Manor of Battle: high court, 21 March 1581 (end), 11 April 1581 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 13
Volume 96 Item 88	Manor of Battle: high court, 11 April 1581 (cont). Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 14
Volume 96 Item 89	Manor of Battle: high court, 11 April 1581 (end), 24 May 1581 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 15
Volume 96 Item 90	Manor of Battle: high court, 24 May 1581 (cont). Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 16
Volume 96 Item 91	Manor of Battle: high court, 24 May 1581 (end), 25 July 1581 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 17
Volume 96 Item 92	Manor of Battle: high court, 25 July 1581 (end), 15 August 1581 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 18
Volume 96	Manor of Battle: high court, 15 August 1581 (cont).

Item 93	Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 19
Volume 96	Manor of Battle: high court, 15 August 1581 (end), 26 September 1581 (start).
Item 94	Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 20
Volume 96	Manor of Battle: high court, 26 September 1581 (end).
Item 95	Reference numbers: Ink number: 302; membrane: 21
Volume 96	Guard for all courts 22-23 Elizabeth, 1580-1581.
Item 96	
Volume 97	Manor of Battle courts baron, views of frankpledge and high court, 1541-1546, 1581-1594; manors of Agmerhurst and Barnhorne, 1584-1591. Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9915/2
Volume 97	Manor of Battle: court baron, 24 April 1582 (start).
Item 1	Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 1
Volume 97	Manor of Battle: court baron, 24 April 1582 (end).
Item 2	Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 2
Volume 97	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 5 October 1581.
Item 3	Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 3
Volume 97	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 19 April 1582.
Item 4	Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 4
Volume 97	Manor of Battle: high court, 17 October 1581 (start).
Item 5	Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 5
Volume 97	Manor of Battle: high court, 17 October 1581 (end), 7 November 1581, 19 December 1581 (start).
Item 6	Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 6
Volume 97	Manor of Battle: high court, 19 December 1581 (end), 9 January 1582 (start).
Item 7	Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 7
Volume 97	Manor of Battle: high court, 9 January 1582 (end), 21 February 1582 (start).
Item 8	Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 8
Volume 97	Manor of Battle: high court, 21 February 1582 (end), 13 March 1582 (start).
Item 9	Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 9
Volume 97	Manor of Battle: high court, 13 March 1582 (end), 24 April 1582 (start).
Item 10	Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 10
Volume 97	Manor of Battle: high court, 24 April 1582 (end), 5 June 1582 (start).

Item 11	Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 11
Volume 97 Item 12	Manor of Battle: high court, 5 June 1582 (end), 26 June 1582 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 12
Volume 97 Item 13	Manor of Battle: high court, 26 June 1582 (end), 17 July 1582 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 13
Volume 97 Item 14	Manor of Battle: high court, 17 July 1582 (end) 7 August 1582 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 14
Volume 97 Item 15	Manor of Battle: high court, 7 August 1582 (end), 28 August 1582, 18 September 1582 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 15
Volume 97 Item 16	Manor of Battle: high court, 18 September 1582 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 16
Volume 97 Item 17	Manor of Battle: guard for all courts 24 Elizabeth, 1581-1582. Reference numbers: Ink number: 300; membrane: 17
Volume 97 Item 18	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 4 October 1582, 4 April 1583 (start). Description: The right margin of the membrane is damaged, leaving vicesimo qu.. visible in the date of the October court; the damage must have occurred in antiquity, as a virtually contemporary hand has added quinto; the correct date, 4 October 24 Elizabeth, can be established from the sequence of courts, the day of the week (courts were held on Tuesdays), and the survival on folio 31 of the court held on 3 October 25 Elizabeth, 1583. Reference numbers: Ink number: 446; membrane: 1
Volume 97 Item 19	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 4 April 1583 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 446; membrane: 2
Volume 97 Item 20	Manor of Battle: high court, 9 October 1582, 30 October 1582 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 446; membrane: 3
Volume 97 Item 21	Manor of Battle: high court, [20 November 1582], 11 December 1582, 22 January 1583 (start). Description: This roll, numbered 446, lacks membrane 4, but the sequence of three-weekly courts allows it to be established that the membrane bore the continuation of the court of 30 October 1582 and the beginning of the court of 20 November 1582. Reference numbers: Ink number: 446; membrane: 5
Volume 97 Item 22	Manor of Battle: high court, 22 January 1583 (end), 12 February 1583, 5 March 1583 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 446; membrane: 6
Volume 97 Item 23	Manor of Battle: high court, 26 March 1583 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 446; membrane: 7

Volume 97 Item 24	Manor of Battle: high court, 26 March 1583 (end), 16 April 1583. Reference numbers: Ink number: 446; membrane: 8
Volume 97 Item 25	Manor of Battle: high court, 28 May 1583. Reference numbers: Ink number: 446; membrane: 9
Volume 97 Item 26	Manor of Battle: high court, 9 June 1583, 30 July 1583 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 446; membrane: 10
Volume 97 Item 27	Manor of Battle: high court, 30 July 1583 (end), 20 August 1583 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 446; membrane: 11
Volume 97 Item 28	Manor of Battle: high court, 20 August 1583 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 446; membrane: 12
Volume 97 Item 29	Manor of Battle: court baron, 16 October 1582. Reference numbers: Ink number: 446; membrane: 13
Volume 97 Item 30	Manor of Battle: court baron, 9 April 1583 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 446; membrane: 14
Volume 97 Item 31	Manor of Battle: court baron, 9 April 1583 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 446; membrane: 15
Volume 97 Item 32	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 3 October 1583. Reference numbers: Ink number: 90; membrane: 1
Volume 97 Item 33	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 23 April 1584. Reference numbers: Ink number: 90; membrane: 2
Volume 97 Item 34	Manor of Battle: court baron, 1 October 1583, 11 April 1584 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 90; membrane: 3
Volume 97 Item 35	Manor of Battle: court baron, 11 April 1584 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 90; membrane: 4
Volume 97 Item 36	Manor of Battle: high court, 1 October 1583, 3 December 1583 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 90; membrane: 5
Volume 97 Item 37	Manor of Battle: high court, 3 December 1583 (end), 24 December 1583 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 90; membrane: 6
Volume 97 Item 38	Manor of Battle: high court, 24 December 1583 (end), 14 January 1584, 25 February 1584 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 90; membrane: 7

Volume 97 Item 39	Manor of Battle: high court, 25 February 1584 (end), 17 March 1584, 7 April 1584 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 90; membrane: 8
Volume 97 Item 40	Manor of Battle: high court, 7 April 1584 (end), 28 April 1584, 19 May 1584. Reference numbers: Ink number: 90; membrane: 9
Volume 97 Item 41	Manor of Battle: high court, 9 June 1584, 30 June 1584, 21 July 1584 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 90; membrane: 10
Volume 97 Item 42	Manor of Battle: high court, 21 July 1584 (end), 1 September 1584, 22 September 1584. Reference numbers: Ink number: 90; membrane: 11
Volume 97 Item 43	Manor of Battle: high court, [25 August 1590] (end), 15 September 1590. Description: Thorpe's pairing of this with a Barnhorn court roll as 229:1 and 2 suggests that the two membranes were already detached from their fellows. Reference numbers: Ink number: 229; membrane: 1
Volume 97 Item 44	Manor of Barnhorn: court roll, 2 September 1584. Reference numbers: Ink number: 229; membrane: 2
Volume 97 Item 45	Manor of Barnhorn: court roll, 30 July 1585. Reference numbers: Ink number: 26
Volume 97 Item 46	Manor of Agmerhurst: court roll, 2 September 1584. Reference numbers: Ink number: 364
Volume 97 Item 47	Manor of Battle: guard for all courts 27-28 Elizabeth, 1585-1586. Reference numbers: Ink number: 451
Volume 97 Item 48	Manor of Battle: court baron, 5 October 1585 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 451; membrane: 1
Volume 97 Item 49	Manor of Battle: court baron, 5 October 1585 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 451; membrane: 2
Volume 97 Item 50	Manor of Battle: court baron, 12 April 1586. Reference numbers: Ink number: 451; membrane: 3
Volume 97 Item 51	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 30 September 1585, 7 April 1586 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 451; membrane: 4
Volume 97 Item 52	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 7 April 1586 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 451; membrane: 5
Volume 97 Item 53	Manor of Battle: high court, 5 October 1585, 16 November 1585 (start). Reference numbers:

	Ink number: 451; membrane: 6
Volume 97 Item 54	Manor of Battle: high court, 16 November 1585 (end), 7 December 1585, 28 December 1585 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 451; membrane: 7
Volume 97 Item 55	Manor of Battle: high court, 28 December 1585 (end), 18 January 1586, 1 March 1586 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 451; membrane: 8
Volume 97 Item 56	Manor of Battle: high court, 1 March 1586 (end), 22 March 1586 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 451; membrane: 9
Volume 97 Item 57	Manor of Battle: high court, 22 March 1586 (end), 12 April 1586, 24 May 1586 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 451; membrane: 10
Volume 97 Item 58	Manor of Battle: high court, 24 May 1586 (end), 16 June 1586, 5 July 1586, 27 July 1586. Reference numbers: Ink number: 451; membrane: 11
Volume 97 Item 59	Manor of Battle: high court, 6 September 1586, 27 September 1586. Reference numbers: Ink number: 451; membrane: 12
Volume 97 Item 60	Manor of Barnhorn: court roll, 10 January 1588, 17 April 1588. Reference numbers: Ink number: 455
Volume 97 Item 61	Manor of Battle: high court, 1 October 1588, 12 November 1588. Reference numbers: Ink number: 279; membrane: 1
Volume 97 Item 62	Manor of Battle: high court, 3 December 1588, 24 December 1588, 13 January 1589 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 279; membrane: 2
Volume 97 Item 63	Manor of Battle: high court, 13 January 1589 (end), 25 February 1589, 18 March 1589, 8 April 1589. Reference numbers: Ink number: 279; membrane: 3
Volume 97 Item 64	Manor of Battle: high court, 29 April 1589, 20 May 1589, 10 June 1589, 1 July 1589, 22 July 1589 (heading only). Reference numbers: Ink number: 279; membrane: 4
Volume 97 Item 65	Manor of Battle: high court, 22 July 1589 (end), 2 September 1589, 23 September 1589. Reference numbers: Ink number: 279; membrane: 5
Volume 97 Item 66	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 3 October 1588. Reference numbers: Ink number: 279; membrane: 6
Volume 97 Item 67	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 3 April 1589. Reference numbers: Ink number: 279; membrane: 7

Volume 97 Item 68	Manor of Battle: court baron, 19 December 1588, 8 April 1589 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 279; membrane: 8
Volume 97 Item 69	Manor of Battle: court baron, 8 April 1589 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 279; membrane: 9
Volume 97 Item 70	Manor of Battle: guard for all courts 30-31 Elizabeth, 1588-1589.
Volume 97 Item 71	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 2 October 1589. Reference numbers: Ink number: 285
Volume 97 Item 72	Manor of Barnhorn: court roll, 24 March 1589. Reference numbers: Ink number: 298
Volume 97 Item 73	Manor of Battle: high court, [23 June 1590, end, continued from folio 81], 14 July 1590, 26 August 1590. Reference numbers: Ink number: 296; membrane: 1
Volume 97 Item 74	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 23 April 1590. Reference numbers: Ink number: 296; membrane: 2
Volume 97 Item 75	Manor of Battle: court baron, 8 October 1589 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 296; membrane: 3
Volume 97 Item 76	Manor of Battle: court baron, 8 October 1589 (end), 28 April 1590 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 296; membrane: 4
Volume 97 Item 77	Manor of Battle: court baron, 28 April 1590 (cont). Reference numbers: Ink number: 296; membrane: 5
Volume 97 Item 78	Manor of Battle: court baron, 28 April 1590 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 296; membrane: 6
Volume 97 Item 79	Manor of Battle: high court, 4 November 1589, 15 December 1589, 6 January 1590 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 296; membrane: 7
Volume 97 Item 80	Manor of Battle: high court, 6 January 1590 (end), 27 January 1590, 17 February 1590, 10 March 1590 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 296; membrane: 8
Volume 97 Item 81	Manor of Battle: high court, 10 March 1590 (end), 21 April 1590 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 296; membrane: 9
Volume 97 Item 82	Manor of Battle: high court, 21 April 1590 (end), 23 June 1590 (start) [continued on folio 72]. Reference numbers: Ink number: 296; membrane: 10

Volume 97 Item 83	Hundred of Battle: 7 October 1544, 9 April 1545. Reference numbers: Ink number: 297; membrane: 1
Volume 97 Item 84	Manor of Battle: high court, 13 October 1544, 4 November 1544, 16 December 1544, 13 January 1545, 3 February 1545, 24 February 1545, 17 March 1545, 14 April 1545. Reference numbers: Ink number: 297; membrane: 2
Volume 97 Item 85	Manor of Battle: court baron 14 April 1545, high court 5 May 1545, 26 May 1545, 16 June 1545, 7 July 1545, 11 August 1545, 15 September 1545. Reference numbers: Ink number: 297; membrane: 3
Volume 97 Item 86	Hundred of Battle: 8 October 1545, 29 April 1546. Reference numbers: Ink number: 297; membrane: 4
Volume 97 Item 87	Manor of Battle: high court and court baron, 13 October 1545; high court 2 November 1545, 15 December 1545, 27 January 1546, 16 February 1546, 30 March 1546, 11 May 1546. Reference numbers: Ink number: 297; membrane: 5
Volume 97 Item 88	Manor of Battle: court baron 11 May 1546, high court 1 June 1546, 22 June 1546, 13 July 1546, 3 August 1546, 14 September 1546. Reference numbers: Ink number: 297; membrane: 6
Volume 97 Item 89	Manor of Battle: high court 4 April 1542; court baron 25 April 1542; high court 25 April 1542, 16 May 1542, 6 June 1542. Reference numbers: Ink number: 297; membrane: 7
Volume 97 Item 90	Manor of Battle: high court 4 October 1541, 22 October 1541, 16 November 1541, 6 December 1541, 10 January 1542, 30 January 1542, 21 February 1542, 14 March 1542. Reference numbers: Ink number: 297; membrane: 8
Volume 97 Item 91	Hundred of Battle: 6 October 1541, 17 April 1542. Reference numbers: Ink number: 297; membrane: 9
Volume 97 Item 92	Manor of Battle: court baron, 5 October 1591. Reference numbers: Ink number: 294; membrane: 1
Volume 97 Item 93	Manor of Battle: court baron, 4 April 1592. Reference numbers: Ink number: 294; membrane: 2
Volume 97 Item 94	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 30 September 1591, 30 March 1592. Reference numbers: Ink number: 294; membrane: 3
Volume 97 Item 95	Manors of Barnhorn and Agmerhurst court roll, 30 March 1591. Reference numbers: Ink number: 129
Volume 97 Item 96	Manor of Battle: high court: first high court of Magdalen [Browne] Viscountess Montague, 6 March 1593, 27 March 1593, 17 April 1593, 29 May 1593.

	<p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 399; membrane: 1</p>
Volume 97 Item 97	<p>Manor of Battle: high court 19 June 1593, 31 July 1593, 21 August 1593, 11 September 1593.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 399; membrane: 2</p>
Volume 97 Item 98	<p>Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 19 April 1592; first court baron of Magdalen [Browne] Viscountess Montague, 11 January 1593.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 399; membrane: 3</p>
Volume 97 Item 99	<p>Manor of Battle: court baron, 24 April 1593.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 399; membrane: 4</p>
Volume 97 Item 100	<p>Manor of Battle: guard for all courts 35-36 Elizabeth, 1593-1594.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 81; membrane: 1</p>
Volume 97 Item 101	<p>Manor of Battle: court baron, 9 October 1593, 9 April 1594 (start).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 81; membrane: 2</p>
Volume 97 Item 102	<p>Manor of Battle: court baron, 9 April 1594 (end), 2 October 1594 (start).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 81; membrane: 3</p>
Volume 97 Item 103	<p>Manor of Battle: court baron, 2 October 1594 (end).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 81; membrane: 4</p>
Volume 97 Item 104	<p>Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 4 October 1593, 4 April 1594.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 81; membrane: 5</p>
Volume 97 Item 105	<p>Manor of Battle: high court, [11 September 1593, copy of last six entries on folio 96], 2 October 1593, 23 October 1593, 13 November 1593 (start).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 81; membrane: 6</p>
Volume 97 Item 106	<p>Manor of Battle: high court, 13 November 1593 (end), 4 December 1593, 15 January 1594 (start).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 81; membrane: 7</p>
Volume 97 Item 107	<p>Manor of Battle: high court, 15 January 1594 (end), 26 February 1594 (start).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 81; membrane: 8</p>
Volume 97 Item 108	<p>Manor of Battle: high court, 26 February 1594 (end), 19 March 1594, 9 April 1594 (start).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 81; membrane: 9</p>
Volume 97 Item 109	<p>Manor of Battle: high court, 9 April 1594 (end), 30 April 1594.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 81; membrane: 10</p>
Volume 97 Item 110	<p>Manor of Battle: high court, 21 May 1594, 2 July 1594, 23 July 1594 (heading only).</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p>

	Ink number: 81; membrane: 11
Volume 97 Item 111	Manor of Battle: high court, 23 July 1594 (end), 3 September 1594, 24 September 1594 (heading only). Reference numbers: Ink number: 81; membrane: 12
Volume 97 Item 112	Manor of Battle: high court, 24 September 1594 (end).
Volume 98	Manor of Battle courts baron, views of frankpledge and high court, 1594-1602; manor of Barnhorn courts baron, 1573, 1602. Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9915/3
Volume 98 Folio 1	Manor of Battle: court baron, 29 April 1595 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 92; membrane: 1
Volume 98 Folio 2	Manor of Battle: court baron, 29 April 1595 (end), 7 October 1595 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 92; membrane: 2
Volume 98 Folio 3	Manor of Battle: court baron, 7 October 1595 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 92; membrane: 3
Volume 98 Folio 4	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 3 October 1594. Reference numbers: Ink number: 92; membrane: 4
Volume 98 Folio 5	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 24 April 1595. Reference numbers: Ink number: 92; membrane: 5
Volume 98 Folio 6	Manor of Battle: high court 15 October 1594, 5 November 1594, 17 December 1594 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 92; membrane: 6
Volume 98 Folio 7	Manor of Battle: high court 17 December 1594 (end), 7 January 1595, 28 January 1595 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 92; membrane: 7
Volume 98 Folio 8	Manor of Battle: high court 28 January 1595 (end), 11 March 1595 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 92; membrane: 8
Volume 98 Folio 9	Manor of Battle: high court 11 March 1595 (end), 1 April 1595, 22 April 1595 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 92; membrane: 9
Volume 98 Folio 10	Manor of Battle: high court 22 April 1595 (end), 13 May 1595 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 92; membrane: 10
Volume 98 Folio 11	Manor of Battle: high court 13 May 1595 (end), 3 June 1595 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 92; membrane: 11
Volume 98 Folio 12	Manor of Battle: high court 3 June 1595 (end), 15 July 1595 (start). Reference numbers:

	Ink number: 92; membrane: 12
Volume 98 Folio 13	Manor of Battle: high court 15 July 1595 (end), 5 August 1595 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 92; membrane: 13
Volume 98 Folio 14	Manor of Battle: high court 5 August 1595 (end), 26 August 1595. Reference numbers: Ink number: 92; membrane: 14
Volume 98 Folio 15	Manor of Battle: high court 16 September 1595 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 92; membrane: 15
Volume 98 Folio 16	Manor of Battle: high court 16 September 1595 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 92; membrane: 16
Volume 98 Folio 17	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 2 October 1595. Reference numbers: Ink number: 275; membrane: 1
Volume 98 Folio 18	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 15 April 1596. Reference numbers: Ink number: 275; membrane: 2
Volume 98 Folio 19	Manor of Battle: court baron, 5 October 1596 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 275; membrane: 3
Volume 98 Folio 20	Manor of Battle: court baron, 5 October 1596 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 275; membrane: 4
Volume 98 Folio 21	Manor of Battle: high court 7 October 1595, [28 October 1595] (start). Description: The second court lacks a heading but the amercements of the previous one are totalled. Reference numbers: Ink number: 275; membrane: 5
Volume 98 Folio 22	Manor of Battle: high court [28 October 1595] (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 275; membrane: 6
Volume 98 Folio 23	Manor of Battle: high court 30 December 1595, 20 January 1596 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 275; membrane: 7
Volume 98 Folio 24	Manor of Battle: high court 20 January 1596 (end), 2 March 1596 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 275; membrane: 8
Volume 98 Folio 25	Manor of Battle: high court 2 March 1596 (end), 23 March 1596 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 275; membrane: 9
Volume 98 Folio 26	Manor of Battle: high court 23 March 1596 (cont). Reference numbers: Ink number: 275; membrane: 10

Volume 98 Folio 27	Manor of Battle: high court 23 March 1596 (end), 13 April 1596 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 275; membrane: 11
Volume 98 Folio 28	Manor of Battle: high court 13 April 1596 (end), 15 June 1596 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 275; membrane: 12
Volume 98 Folio 29	Manor of Battle: high court 15 June 1596 (end), 27 July 1596 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 275; membrane: 13
Volume 98 Folio 30	Manor of Battle: high court 27 July 1596 (end), 17 August 1596. Reference numbers: Ink number: 275; membrane: 14
Volume 98 Folio 31	Manor of Battle: high court 7 September 1596. Reference numbers: Ink number: 275; membrane: 15
Volume 98 Folio 32	Manor of Battle: high court 28 September 1596. Reference numbers: Ink number: 275; membrane: 16
Volume 98 Folio 33	Manor of Barnhorn court roll, 16 September 1597. Reference numbers: Ink number: 22
Volume 98 Folio 34	Manor of Battle: court baron, 29 dec 1596, 5 April 1597 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 403; membrane: 1
Volume 98 Folio 35	Manor of Battle: court baron, 5 April 1597 (end), 4 October 1597 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 403; membrane: 2
Volume 98 Folio 36	Manor of Battle: court baron 4 October 1597 (end), view of frankpledge 30 September 1596 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 403; membrane: 3
Volume 98 Folio 37	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge 30 September 1596 (end), 31 March 1597. Reference numbers: Ink number: 403; membrane: 4
Volume 98 Folio 38	Manor of Battle: high court 19 October 1596 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 403; membrane: 5
Volume 98 Folio 39	Manor of Battle: high court 19 October 1596 (end), 21 December 1596 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 403; membrane: 6
Volume 98 Folio 40	Manor of Battle: high court 21 December 1596 (end), 11 January 1597 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 403; membrane: 7
Volume 98 Folio 41	Manor of Battle: high court 11 January 1597 (end), 15 March 1597 (start). Reference numbers:

	Ink number: 403; membrane: 8
Volume 98 Folio 42	Manor of Battle: high court 15 March 1597 (end), 5 April 1597 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 403; membrane: 9
Volume 98 Folio 43	Manor of Battle: high court 5 April 1597 (end), 17 May 1597 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 403; membrane: 10
Volume 98 Folio 44	Manor of Battle: high court 17 May 1597 (end), 7 June 1597 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 403; membrane: 11
Volume 98 Folio 45	Manor of Battle: high court 7 June 1597 (end), 28 June 1597 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 403; membrane: 12
Volume 98 Folio 46	Manor of Battle: high court 28 June 1597 (end), 19 July 1597 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 403; membrane: 13
Volume 98 Folio 47	Manor of Battle: high court 19 July 1597 (end), 9 August 1597 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 403; membrane: 14
Volume 98 Folio 48	Manor of Battle: high court 9 August 1597 (start), 20 September 1597. Reference numbers: Ink number: 403; membrane: 15
Volume 98 Folio 49	Manor of Battle: guard for all courts, 38-39 Elizabeth, 1596-1597.
Volume 98 Folio 50	Manor of Barnhorn court roll, 4 January 1600. Reference numbers: Ink number: 219
Volume 98 Folio 51	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge 27 March 1600, 2 October 1600 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 91; membrane: 1
Volume 98 Folio 52	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge 2 October 1600 (end); court baron 1 April 1600, 5 April 1600, 7 October 1600 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 91; membrane: 2
Volume 98 Folio 53	Manor of Battle: court baron 7 October 1600 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 91; membrane: 3
Volume 98 Folio 54	Manor of Battle: high court [18 December 1599] (end), 8 January 1600, 19 Feb 1600. Reference numbers: Ink number: 91; membrane: 4
Volume 98 Folio 55	Manor of Battle: high court 11 March 1600, 1 April 1600, 13 May 1600 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 91; membrane: 5
Volume 98 Folio 56	Manor of Battle: high court 13 May 1600 (end), 3 June 1600 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 91; membrane: 6

Volume 98 Folio 57	[Number not used]
Volume 98 Folio 58	Manor of Battle: high court 3 June 1600 (end), 15 July 1600, 5 August 1600 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 91; membrane: 7
Volume 98 Folio 59	Manor of Battle: high court 5 August 1600 (end), 16 September 1600, 7 October 1600 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 91; membrane: 8
Volume 98 Folio 60	Manor of Battle: high court 7 October 1600 (end), 18 November 1600, 8 December 1600 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 91; membrane: 9
Volume 98 Folio 61	Manor of Battle: high court 8 December 1600 (end). Related materials: For a possible continuation of this court, see folio 64. Reference numbers: Ink number: 91; membrane: 10
Volume 98 Folio 62	Manor of Battle: guard for all courts, 42 Elizabeth, 1600. Description: The roll numbered 91 by Thorpe marks a change in the steward's filing policy, changing from bundling the courts October-September to creating a bundle for December-November, conceivably following Scotland's adoption in 1600 of 1 January as the first day of the year.
Volume 98 Folio 63	Manor of Battle: court baron 21 April 1601, 16 June 1601, 6 October 1601. Reference numbers: Ink number: 80; membrane: 1
Volume 98 Folio 64	Manor of Battle: high court [8 December 1600] (end), 30 December 1600, 20 January 1601 (start). Description: The entries for the first court do not match those of the same court on folio 61, which also includes a total. Reference numbers: Ink number: 80; membrane: 2
Volume 98 Folio 65	Manor of Battle: high court 20 January 1601 (end), 10 February 1601 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 80; membrane: 3
Volume 98 Folio 66	Manor of Battle: high court 10 February 1601 (end), 3 March 1601 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 80; membrane: 4
Volume 98 Folio 67	Manor of Battle: high court 3 March 1601 (end), 24 March 1601. Reference numbers: Ink number: 80; membrane: 5
Volume 98 Folio 68	Manor of Battle: high court 14 April 1601, 5 May 1601, 26 May 1601 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 80; membrane: 6
Volume 98 Folio 69	Manor of Battle: high court 26 May 1601 (end), 16 June 1601. Reference numbers: Ink number: 80; membrane: 7
Volume 98	Manor of Battle: high court 7 July 1601, 28 July 1601 (start).

Folio 70	Reference numbers: Ink number: 80; membrane: 8
Volume 98 Folio 71	Manor of Battle: high court 28 July 1601 (end), 18 August 1601 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 80; membrane: 9
Volume 98 Folio 72	Manor of Battle: high court 18 August 1601 (end), 29 September 1601, 20 October 1601 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 80; membrane: 10
Volume 98 Folio 73	Manor of Battle: high court 20 October 1601 (end), 10 November 1601. Reference numbers: Ink number: 80; membrane: 11
Volume 98 Folio 74	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge 16 April 1601, 1 October 1601 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 80; membrane: 12
Volume 98 Folio 75	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge 1 October 1601 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 80; membrane: 13
Volume 98 Folio 76	Manor of Battle: guard for all courts, 43 Elizabeth, 1601.
Volume 98 Folio 77	Manor of Battle: high court 1 December 1601, 22 December 1601 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 1
Volume 98 Folio 78	Manor of Battle: high court 22 December 1601 (end), 12 January 1602 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 2
Volume 98 Folio 79	Manor of Battle: high court 12 January 1602 (end), 2 February 1602, 23 February 1602 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 3
Volume 98 Folio 80	Manor of Battle: high court 23 February 1602 (end), 16 March 1602 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 4
Volume 98 Folio 81	Manor of Battle: high court 16 March 1602 (end), 6 April 1602, 27 April 1602 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 5
Volume 98 Folio 82	Manor of Battle: high court 27 April 1602 (end), 18 May 1602, 8 June 1602 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 6
Volume 98 Folio 83	Manor of Battle: high court 8 June 1602 (end), 29 June 1602 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 7
Volume 98 Folio 84	Manor of Battle: high court 29 June 1602 (end), 20 July 1602 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 8
Volume 98 Folio 85	Manor of Battle: high court 20 July 1602 (end), 10 August 1602 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 9

Volume 98 Folio 86	Manor of Battle: high court 10 August 1602 (end), 31 August 1602, 21 September 1602 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 10
Volume 98 Folio 87	Manor of Battle: high court 21 September 1602 (end), 12 October 1602 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 11
Volume 98 Folio 88	Manor of Battle: high court 12 October 1602 (end), 2 November 1602. Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 12
Volume 98 Folio 89	Manor of Battle: high court 23 November 1602. Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 13
Volume 98 Folio 90	Manor of Battle: court baron 13 April 1602, 5 October 1602 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 14
Volume 98 Folio 91	Manor of Battle: court baron 5 October 1602 (end); view of frankpledge, 8 April 1602 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 15
Volume 98 Folio 92	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 8 April 1602 (end), 30 September 1602 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 16
Volume 98 Folio 93	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge, 30 September 1602 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 89; membrane: 17
Volume 98 Folio 94	Manor of Battle: guard for all courts, 44 Elizabeth, 1602.
Volume 98 Folio 95	Manor of Barnhorn court roll, 19 April 1602, 6 October 1602. Reference numbers: Ink number: 21
Volume 98 Folio 96	Manor of Barnhorn court roll, 5 November 1573. Reference numbers: Ink number: 344
Volume 99	Manor of Battle courts baron and view of frankpledge, 1615-1631; stray manor of Agmerhurst presentments and drafts, 1604-1641; rental, all manors, badly disordered, 1704 (endorsed 1680, in error); rental, not including Barnhorn, 1639. Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 9916
Volume 99 Folio 1	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge 13 April 1615; court baron 18 April 1615 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 406; membrane: 1
Volume 99 Folio 2	Manor of Battle: court baron 18 April 1615 (end); view of frankpledge 12 October 1615; court baron 10 October 1615 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 406; membrane: 2
Volume 99 Folio 3	Manor of Battle: court baron 10 October 1615 (end). Reference numbers:

	Ink number: 406; membrane: 3
Volume 99 Folio 4	Manor of Battle: court baron 9 April 1605. Reference numbers: Ink number: 375; membrane: 1
Volume 99 Folio 5	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge 10 October 1605; court baron 15 October 1605 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 375; membrane: 2
Volume 99 Folio 6	Manor of Battle: court baron 15 October 1605 (end), including proceedings of special courts on 18 July, 5 October and 8 October 1605. Reference numbers: Ink number: 375; membrane: 3
Volume 99 Folio 7	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge 24 April 1606; court baron 29 April 1606 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 303; membrane: 1
Volume 99 Folio 8	Manor of Battle: court baron 29 April 1606 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 303; membrane: 2
Volume 99 Folio 9	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge 9 October 1606; court baron 16 October 1606 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 303; membrane: 3
Volume 99 Folio 10	Manor of Battle: court baron 16 October 1606 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 303; membrane: 4
Volume 99 Folio 11	Rentals of the manors of Battle (including new rents for cottages lately built), Swineham, Barnhorn, Agmerhurst, the Prebend of Hooe, 1704. Description: Ink number 606, put the pages numbered by Thorpe 1608: 1-8 with 7 un-numbered pages, irrespective of the original order which is indicated by contemporary numbers at the head of each folio; dated both 1606 and 1680; only the rental of the manor of Agmerhurst is dated, to 1704, but it is clear that that date applies to the whole document. Reference numbers: Ink number: 606
Volume 99 Folio 12	Draft court roll, manor of Barnhorn, 24 May 1641, 21 June 1641.
Volume 99 Folio 13	Extracts [in the hand of the steward Edward Dyne] from entries in the court rolls of several manors, 1659-1692. Approximately 1692. Description: Manor of Broomsmith: 6 acres called Collyers in Iden, quitrent 6d: seizure after three proclamations of the death of John Fagg, gent, 1642; tenure with the lord's permission by his grandson John Fagg bt; sale by him to John Woodall, clerk; admission of John Woodall 1663; [overleaf] death of John Woodall's daughter and co-heir Susannah Aungier, presented 13 November [1691], admission of her nephew Stephen Sowton who surrendered to Francis Aungier and his wife Susannah, [18 January 1692, see East Sussex Record Office DAP 267/1/1, steward Edward Dyne]. Presentment by the homage of an unknown manor of the default of the heirs of JS, Thomas Bostock, Thomas Davie, the heirs of RB, William Markwick, the heirs of Robert Davy, William Hobeane and John Robinson. Extract from a court of an unknown manor that no heriot was due on the death of 'the aforesaid

	Elizabeth' because she was married. Reference numbers: Ink number: 123
Volume 99 Folio 14	Manor of Battle: court baron 21 April 1612. Reference numbers: Ink number: 402; membrane: 1
Volume 99 Folio 15	Manor of Battle: court baron 1 July 1611, 8 October 1611. Reference numbers: Ink number: 402; membrane: 2
Volume 99 Folio 16	Manor of Battle: court baron 17 April 1610, 1 July 1610. Reference numbers: Ink number: 402; membrane: 3
Volume 99 Folio 17	Manor of Battle: court baron 10 October 1609 (end, from folio 18), 20 October 1609, 18 January 1610, 4 April 1610. Reference numbers: Ink number: 402; membrane: 4
Volume 99 Folio 18	Manor of Battle: court baron 10 October 1609 (start, completed on folio 17). Reference numbers: Ink number: 402; membrane: 5
Volume 99 Folio 19	Manor of Battle: court baron 28 December 1608, 9 January 1609, 1 February 1609, 2 March 1609 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 402; membrane: 6
Volume 99 Folio 20	Manor of Battle: court baron 25 April 1609 (end, from folio 21), 28 July 1609. Reference numbers: Ink number: 402; membrane: 7
Volume 99 Folio 21	Manor of Battle: court baron 15 April 1609, 10 October 1609 (end, from folio 20). Reference numbers: Ink number: 402; membrane: 8
Volume 99 Folio 22	Manor of Battle: court baron 11 October 1608, 12 October 1608. Reference numbers: Ink number: 402; membrane: 9
Volume 99 Folio 23	Manor of Battle: court baron 5 April 1608 (end, from folio 24), 10 May 1608. Reference numbers: Ink number: 402; membrane: 10
Volume 99 Folio 24	Manor of Battle: court baron 13 October 1607, 5 April 1608 (start, completed on folio 23). Reference numbers: Ink number: 402; membrane: 11
Volume 99 Folio 25	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge 2 October 1611; court baron 8 October 1611 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 409; membrane: 1
Volume 99 Folio 26	Manor of Battle: fragment (part of one entry) of a court baron [?continuation of 8 October 1611]. Reference numbers: Ink number: 409; membrane: 2
Volume 99	Manor of Battle: court baron 21 April 1612 (start).

Folio 27	Reference numbers: Ink number: 409; membrane: 3
Volume 99 Folio 28	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge 7 October 1612; court baron 6 October 1612 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 409; membrane: 4
Volume 99 Folio 29	Manor of Battle: court baron 21 April 1613; manor of Stone court entry, 21 April 1613. Reference numbers: Ink number: 94
Volume 99 Folio 30	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge 7 April 1613; court baron 20 April 1613 (start).
Volume 99 Folio 31	Manor of Battle: court baron 20 April 1613 (end); view of frankpledge 7 October 1613, court baron [14] October 1613 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 397; membrane: 1
Volume 99 Folio 32	Manor of Battle: court baron [14] October 1613 (end). Reference numbers: Ink number: 397; membrane: 2
Volume 99 Folio 33	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge 18 April 1614; court baron 20 April 1614 (start). Reference numbers: Ink number: 380; membrane: 1
Volume 99 Folio 34	Manor of Battle: court baron 20 April 1614 (end); view of frankpledge 14 October 1614. Reference numbers: Ink number: 380; membrane: 2
Volume 99 Folio 35	Manor of Battle: court baron 18 October 1614. Reference numbers: Ink number: 380; membrane: 3
Volume 99 Folio 36	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge 15 April 1618, 12 October 1618. Reference numbers: Ink number: 410
Volume 99 Folio 37	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge 14 April 1631; court baron 5 April 1631. Reference numbers: Ink number: 84; membrane: 1
Volume 99 Folio 38	Manor of Battle: court baron 15 April 1631; view of frankpledge 1 October 1631. Reference numbers: Ink number: 84; membrane: 2
Volume 99 Folio 39	Manor of Battle: view of frankpledge 1 October 1631; court baron 11 October 1631. Reference numbers: Ink number: 84; membrane: 3
Volume 99 Folio 40	Manor of Barnhorn court roll, 6 April 1631, 2 March 1632, 27 July 1632. Reference numbers: Ink number: 17
Volume 99 Folio 41	Manor of Agmerhurst court roll, 6 April 1631, 27 July 1632. Reference numbers: Ink number: 43
Volume 99 Folio 42	Surrender, manor of Agmerhurst, 5 October 1635. Description: Thomas Stiles to Ann Wenham, daughter of John Wenham of Morehall in Ninfield,

	<p>gent</p> <p>Two pieces of land called Walters otherwise Bedleland (6 acres).</p> <p>Witnesses: John Wenham, John Robbins; steward: Robert Foster, esq.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 102; membrane: 1</p>
Volume 99 Folio 43	<p>Presentments, manor of Barnhorn, approximately 1630.</p> <p>Description: Surrender by Thomas Watters of Herstmonceux to Edward Marten; the mill, mill bay and mill house at White Down, the house of Edward Wibarne gent, house and barn of Henry Barnes, house of Joseph Weekes all in decay; John Barbar has not scoured his ditch between his copyhold called Weeks Croft and the demesne land; the marsh dike of Thomas Watters by the default of Andrew Watters; affeered by Richard Woodall and John Barber.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 102; membrane: 2</p>
Volume 99 Folio 44	<p>Draft court roll, manor of Agmerhurst, 3 ... 1615, 3 July 1615, 19 July 1617.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 102; membrane: 3</p>
Volume 99 Folio 45	<p>Conditional surrender for £100, manor of Agmerhurst, 26 November 1641.</p> <p>Description: James Boys to Thomas Harris of Lewes Tenement and land called Frickley.</p> <p>Witnesses: Benjamin Scarlett, Christopher Cratford; steward: John Porter, esq.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 102; membrane: 4</p>
Volume 99 Folio 46	<p>Steward's notes of procedure in the high court of the manor of Battle and of essoins at the court baron, approximately 1640.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 102; membrane: 5</p>
Volume 99 Folio 47	<p>Surrender, manor of Agmerhurst, 7 February 1640.</p> <p>Description: James Boys to his wife Ann Boys for life, tenement and land called Frickley, steward: John Porter, esq.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 102; membrane: 6</p>
Volume 99 Folio 48	<p>Surrender, manor of Agmerhurst, 9 January 1636.</p> <p>Description: Richard Boys, gent, of all his tenements to the use of his will.</p> <p>Witnesses: John Robbins; steward: Robert Foster, esq.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 102; membrane: 7</p>
Volume 99 Folio 49	<p>Draft court roll, manor of Agmerhurst 17 October 1606, manor of Battle 21 October 1606.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 102; membrane: 8</p>
Volume 99 Folio 50	<p>Wrapper endorsed [by John Purfeild]: 'Agmerhurst in Mr [Francis] Crompe's time and some since', approximately 1660.</p> <p>Reference numbers:</p> <p>Ink number: 102</p>
Volume 99 Folio 51	<p>Rental, manors of Battle, Agmerhurst, Swineham, Hastings College and the Prebend of Hooe, rents of tenements newly built, 16 February 1639.</p> <p>Description: Produced to George Worge and James Ashenden gents at the time of their examination for the complainant on the eighth interrogatory in Thomas Webster bt v Joseph</p>

	<p>Mercer and Robert Mercer in Chancery, John Collier and Thomas Frewen commissioners, [1735].</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 611; membrane: 1-7</p>
Volume 99 Folio 52	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Agmerhurst, 9 March 1636.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Ann Wenham, daughter of John Wenham of Morehall in Ninfield, gent, on the out-of-court surrender [for which see folio 42] of Thomas Stiles, 5 October 1635 Two pieces of land called Walters otherwise Bedleland (6 acres) Certified with the court rolls by John Purfeild, deputy of Edward Thurland, esq, steward, approximately 1650.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 351; membrane: 1</p>
Volume 99 Folio 53	<p>Copy of court roll, manor of Agmerhurst, 28 March 1663.</p> <p>Description: Admission of Mary Wenham, spinster, on the surrender of her brother John Wenham, clerk Two pieces of land called Walters otherwise Bedleland (6 acres).</p> <p>Reference numbers: Ink number: 351; membrane: 2</p>

III. 19th century manuscript catalog (Volumes 1-2)	
Volume 1	<p>Catalogus manuscriptorum Belli Abbatiae _ Tom 1. Approximately 1830.</p> <p>Description: Volume of paper slips with manuscript descriptions of individual documents and a reference number, pasted onto paper pages; begins with undated material, and then runs in chronological order until 1406; the order at the beginning is not that of Thorpe; documents thought to be of special significance come first. The slips bear the ink numbers, and those on the first 4 pages have been renumbered serially. The undated deeds annotated in pencil with notes concerning the existence of seals.</p> <p>In pencil on the flysheet: An index to the charters, grants, rolls etc of Battle Abbey. This index is very short, many tho indexed in a single line contain the greatest number of witnesses of any deeds extant. The collection is believed to be the completest and most valuable of any one known in public or private library. They fill a large chest and will be sold in mass for 600£ not seven shillings each. The seals are in the most beautiful preservation and every charter or roll is numbered the same as correspond with those in the margins of this index. Volume, paper foliated 1-113, watermarked 1827-28.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 8774/1</p>
Volume 2	<p>Catalogus manuscriptorum Belli Abbatiae _ Tom 2. Approximately 1830.</p> <p>Description: As Volume 1, covering 1406-1742 the last document a counterpart lease of 1742 [Volume 60, Item 1593], but only 12 documents after 1650 Volume, paper foliated 114-237, watermarked 1827-28.</p> <p>Reference numbers: Phillipps number: 8774/2</p>