

THE HOUSEHOLD OF QUEEN MARGARET OF ANJOU, 1452-3

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Adhuc recepta denariorum de custumis in portu ville Suthampton

Set reddit de denariis recepturis de Thoma Coke et Johanne Somerton collectoribus custumarum in portu ville predicte de parte Mccclxxij.li.xv.s.vij.d. de quadam summa MMMDclvij.li.xvij.s.xj.d., videlicet Dlxiiiij.li.xiiij.d. anno xxv^{to} Regis Henrici sexti ac Mvj.li.ix.s.iiij.d. anno xxvij^o et MDclvij.li.xvij.s.xj.d. anno xxviii^o eiusdem Regis prefate Regine debita de MDclvij.li.xvij.s.xj.d. de supradictis MMMDclxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. concessis et assignatis eidem Regine, habendis et percipiendis annuatim ad terminum vite sue ad terminos Pasche et Sancti Michelis per equales porciones in partem dotis sue ad scaccarium Regis heredum et successorum suorum, per manus thesaurarij et camerariorum eiusdem scaccarij pro tempore existentium, tam de primis denariis prouenientibus de proficuis vicecomitum et escaetorum Regis heredum et successorum suorum quam de quibuscumque alijs exitibus proficuis, firmis, debitis, et reuencibus ad idem scaccarium soluendis, quousque idem dominus Rex heredes et successores sui eidem Regine de terris, tenementis, redditibus, et alijs possessionibus ad valorem dictarum MMMDclxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. infra regnum Anglie in partem dotis sue seu alias ad terminum vite sue habendum fecerint prouidere et recompensare, videlicet, de quodam assignamento MMMDclvij.li.xvij.s.xj.d. per dictum Regem eidem Regine anno xxvij^o predicto habendum et percipiendum eidem Regine de quibuscumque denariis prouenientibus et crescentis, tam de subsidio duodecim denariorum de libra et trium solidorum de dolio quam de subsidio lanarum et pellium lanutarum in portu predicto et singulis portubus et locis eidem portui adiacentibus, per manus custumariorum siue collectorum eorundem subsidiorum ibidem pro tempore existentium, per restitutionem diuersarum talliarum summam predictam continencium pro eadem Regine pro clamio suo annuo ad scaccarium Regis nuper leuatarum de Thoma Pounce et Thoma Coke collectoribus custumarum et subsidiorum in portu ville Suthampton dampnandarum et adnichillandarum per literas eiusdem Regis patentes¹ datas decimo die Aprilis anno xxvij^o dicti Regis Henrici sexti penes receptorem generalem Regine remanentem vltra MMcciiiiiij.li.ij.s.viiij.d. in compoto de anno xxx^m^o eiusdem Regis oneratos et ad ij vices, videlicet prima vice

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¹ C.P.R. 1446-1452, p. 267.

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xx^m die Octobris supradicto anno xxxij^o per manus Thesaurarij Anglie et Johannis Wode ad manus Johannis Norrys M.li. et secunda vice xxvj^{to} die Januarij eodem anno per manus Johannis Wode xiiij.li.vj.s.viiij.d. per duas indenturas inde penes customarios predictos remanentes—M.xiiij.li.vj.s.viiij.d.

De cclx.li.viiij.s.xj.d. residuis supradictorum Mccclxxiiij.li.xv.s.vij.d. prefate Regine per dictum Regem Henricum sextum per literas suas patentes in forma predicta assignatorum hoc anno non reddit, eo quod restant nondum soluti. De quibus quidem cclx.li.viiij.s.xj.d. predicti collectores vel collector ibidem pro tempore existentes debent Regine respondere. Et recepit—————nihil.

Nec reddit de M marcis¹ de quodam assignamento per dictum Regem Henricum sextum prefato Regine facto per literas ipsius Regis patentes predictas in forma supradicta pro denariis quos prefata Regina pro eodem domino Rege ante decimum diem Aprilis anno xxvij^o dicti Regis Henrici sexti ex certa sciencia sua soluit et contentauit, habendis et percipiendis eidem Regine de quibuscumque denariis prouenientibus et crescentibus tam de subsidio duodecim denariorum de libra et trium solidorum de dolio quam de subsidio lanarum et pellium lanutarum in portu predicto et singulis portibus et locis eidem portu adiacentibus, per manus customariorum siue collectorum eorundem subsidiorum ibidem pro tempore existentium, eo quod restant nondum soluti. De quibus quidem M marcis collectores predicti vel collector ibidem pro tempore existentes debent Regine respondere. Et recepit—————nihil.

Summa—————Mxiiij.li.vj.s.viiij.d.

Recepta denariorum ad receptam scaccarij Regis²

De MDiiij^{xx}xvj.li.v.s.v.d. de parte MDclvij.li.xvij.s.xj.d. de supradictis MMMDclxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. concessis et assignatis dicte Regine, habendis et percipiendis annuatim ad terminum vite sue ad terminos Pasche et sancti Michelis archangeli per equales porciones in partem dotis sue ad scaccarium Regis heredum et successorum suorum per manus thesaurarij et camerariorum eiusdem scaccarij pro tempore existentium, tam de primis denariis prouenientibus de proficuis, firmis, debitis, et reuencibus ad idem scaccarium soluendis, quousque idem dominus Rex heredes et successores sui eidem Regine, de terris, tenementis, redditibus, et alijs possessionibus ad valorem dictarum MMMDclxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. infra regnum Anglie in partem dotis sue seu alias ad terminum vite sue habendum fecit prouidere et recompensare et pro anno xxix^m Regis predicti eidem Regine debitis non reddit, eo quod restant nondum soluti, nec alique tallie ex assignacione inde habentur et non plus quia dicta Regina percepit lxj.li.xij.s.vj.d. de exitibus et proficuis manerij de Berkhamstede ad valorem xl marcarum per annum ab viij^o die Junij anno eiusdem Regis xxvj^{to} vsque festum Sancti Michelis anno xxix^m in partem recompensacionis satisfactionis et deduccionis dicte summe MDclvij.li.xvij.s.xj.d. infra summam MMMDclxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. habendum—————nihil.

fol. 7a. See footnote to fol. 8a

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¹ C.P.R. 1446-1452, p. 267.² Rot. Parl. v. 120b.

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Adhuc recepta denariorum ad receptam scaccarij Regis

Nec reddit de MDxij.li.viii.s.vj.d. de parte MDclvij.li.xvij.s.xj.d. de predictis MMMDclxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. concessis et assignatis dicte Regine, habendis et percipiendis annuatim ad terminum vite sue ad terminos predictos equaliter in partem dotis sue ad scaccarium Regis heredum et successorum suorum, per manus thesaurarij et camerariorum eiusdem scaccarij pro tempore existencium vt supra, et eidem Regine pro anno xxx^mo dicti Regis Henrici vj^{ti} debitis non receptis, eo quod restant nondum soluti, nec alique tallie ex assignacione inde habentur et non plus quia dicta Regina percepit exitus et proficua manerij de Berkhamsted ¹ ad valorem xl marcarum per annum, ac xxj.li.xiiij.s.j.d.ob. de exitibus et proficuis feodifirme ville Bristoll' a xiiij^o die Julij anno dicti Regis Henrici vj^{ti} xxix^o vsque festum

Sancti Michelis extunc proxime sequentem, necnon ^{xx}iiijxvij.li.ij.s.xj.d.ob. de exitibus et proficuis domaniorum et maneriorum de Hauerford West, ² Pembrok, ³ Kilgarran, et Llanstephan, a xxiiij^mo die Julij dicto anno xxix^mo vsque dictum festum Sancti Michelis extunc proxime sequentem in partem recompensacionis satisfaccionis et deduccionis dicte summe MDclvij.li.xvij.s.xj.d. infra predictam summam MMMDclxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. habendum———nihil.

Nec reddit de Mvij.li.iiij.s.viiij.d. de parte MDclvij.li.xvij.s.xj.d. de supradictis MMMDclxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. concessis et assignatis dicte Regine, habendis et percipiendis annuatim modo quo supra et eidem Regine anno xxxj^mo debitis, eo quod restant nondum soluti, neque alique tallie ex assignacione inde habentur et non plus, quia dicta Regina percepit exitus et proficua manerij de Berkhamsted ad valorem xl marcarum per annum ac exitus et proficua domanij et comitatus Pembrok ad valorem cccc.li.ij.s.viiij.d. per annum, necnon exitus et proficua domanij de Hauerford West ad valorem cxxj.li.ij.s.ix.d. per annum et exitus et proficua feodifirme ville Bristoll' ad valorem cij.li.xv.s.vj.d. per annum in partem recompensacionis satisfaccionis et deduccionis dicte summe MDclvij.li.xvij.s.xj.d. infra dictam summam MMMDclxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. habendum———nihil.

Nec reddit de Dcccxxviiij.li.xv.d. de parte MDclvij.li.xvij.s.xj.d. de supradictis MMMDclxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. concessis et assignatis eidem Regine habendis vt supra et sibi pro anno xxxij^do debitis, eo quod restant nondum soluti, et non plus, quia dicta Regina percipit xl marcas de exitibus et proficuis domanij de Berkhamsted, cccc.li.ij.s.viiij.d. de exitibus ⁴ maneriorum de Gillyngham * (et Odyham, domanij de Rokyngham, manerij de Briggestok, feodifirma ville Suthampton, feodifirma ville Norwici, feodifirma ville Gippewici, feodifirma ville Notyngham, firma ville Derb', feodifirma vilate de Kyngesthorp, et feodifirma ville Ripe Regine, in recompensacione domanij et comitatus de Pembroke, cxxj.li.ij.s.ix.d. de exitibus domanij de Hauerford West, cij.li.xv.s.vj.d. feodifirme ville Bristoll') ^{xx}iiijx.li.xvj.s.

¹ BULLETIN, xl (1957), 101, n. 5. ² Ibid. 104, n. 2. ³ Ibid. 104, n. 1.

⁴ Odiham, Gillingham, Rockingham, Brigstock, with the the fee-farms of Southampton, Norwich, Ipswich, Nottingham, Derby, Kingsthorp, and Queenhithe were all granted in 1453 as part of the compensation for the loss of Pembroke (*Rot. Parl.* v. 261b, 262a); cf. BULLETIN, xl (1957), 105, nn. 1 and 2; *ibid.* 108, n. 3, 109, n. 1.

* The section in brackets was omitted by the writer of the account and was included on a strip of parchment, fol. 7, sewn into the account between fols. 6b & 8a.

v.d. de exitibus et proficuis ~~manerij de Bradwell~~ (sic) cum pertinentibus manerij de Haueryng-atte-Boure¹ cum pertinentibus domanij siue manerij de Hadley cum pertinentibus feodifirme ville Colcestr' et firme manerij de Redwell alias Ryddeswell in comitatu Essex ad valorem clvj.li. per annum a primo die Marcij anno xxxj^mo vsque festum Sancti Michelis extunc proxime, scilicet per eundem annum et xxx dies, ac lv.li.vj.s.iiij.d. de exitibus et proficuis villatarum de Kingescliff, Briggestroke, Kyngesthorp, Corby, et manerij de Morehende in comitatu Norhampon ad
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 valorem iiijxv.li. per annum per tempus supradictum, necnon c.s.vj.d. de exitibus et proficuis domanij et foreste de Fekenham ad valorem xxv.li.vj.s.viiij.d. per annum a xix^o die Junij dicto anno xxxj^mo vsque festum Sancti Michelis extunc proxime sequentem, scilicet per lxxij dies, et xxvij.li.xix.s.iiij.d. de exitibus et proficuis duarum partium manerij de Bradewell in comitatu Essex ad xlviij.li. per annum a primo die Marcij anno xxxj^o vsque festum sancti Michelis anno tunc proxime sequente per dimidium annum et xxx dies in partem recompensationis satisfaccionis et deduccionis dicte summe MDclvij.li.xvij.s.xj.d. infra predictam summam MMMDclxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. habendum———nihil.

Recepta denariorum mutuatorum

De c.li. de parte D.li. Regi per supradictam Reginam mutuatis resoluendis et satisfaciendis eidem Regine super literis patentibus Regis,² tam de custuma et subsidio Regis in portu ville Suthampton' quam de custuma et subsidio Regis in portu ciuitatis Regis Londonie, hoc anno non reddit, eo quod restant nondum soluti. De quibus quidem c.li. collectores in portubus predictis existentes debent Regine respondere. Et recepit———nihil.

Summa pagine———Nullum.

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Aurum Regine

De xxvj.s.viiij.d. de auro Regine vocato Quenesgold proueniente de quibuscumque finibus in aliquibus curiis domini Regis factis per aliquos sponte oblationes eidem Regi factos, se extendent ad summam x marcarum, vnam marcam Regine et sic iuxta quantitatem maioris siue minoris summe, videlicet, de huiusmodi auro Regine pertinente et anno xxv^{to} Regis Henrici sexti debito de quodam fine³ xx marcarum facto per abbatem et conuentum monasterij de Hayles pro licencia quod ipsi terras et tenementa ad annum valorem vij marcarum vltra onera, que de Rege non tenentur in capite, de quibuscumque personis sibi placuerit perquirere, valeant tenenda sibi et successores suis ad manum mortuam non reddit, eo quod aliquos denarios inde minime recepit nec recipere potuit——nihil.

¹ For the revenues from Havering-at-Bower, Hadley, Colchester, Redwell, Kingscliff, Brigstock, Kingsthorp, Corby, and Moor End, see *C.P.R. 1452-1461*, p. 340; also *BULLETIN*, xl(1957), 105, n. 6.

² These letters patent do not appear to have been enrolled.

³ There is no precise reference in the chancery enrolments to this transaction, which may, however, be connected with the grant for life to the abbot and convent of Hayles to be quit of the levying of tithes, charges, and subsidies, except in Rutland, for a fine of 20 marks paid into the hanaper (*C.P.R. 1441-1446*, p. 406, 21 February 1446).

Nec reddit de xxvj.s.viii.d. de huiusmodi auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ¹ xx marcarum facto per Johannam nutricem domini Regis et alios duos parochianos ecclesie parochialis sancti Botolphi extra Aldresshgate Londonie dicto anno xxv^{to} pro licencia quod ipsi seu duo vel vnus eorum aut executores vel assignatores sui seu eorum aliquis vnam fraternitatem siue gildam de vno magistro et duobus custodibus de fratibus ac sororibus de parochianis eiusdem ecclesie in ecclesia predicta incipere fundare et stabilire valeant seu valeat perpetuis futuris temporibus duraturis; et quod prefatus magister et custodes ac fratres et sorores sui terras et tenementa et redditus cum pertinentibus ad valorem decem marcarum per annum in Londonia, que de Rege non tenentur in liberum burgagium, perquirere possint et tenere sibi et successoribus suis ad manum mortuam causa predicta—————nihil.

Nec reddit de xl.s. de consimili auro eidem Regine pertinente de quodam fine ² xx.li. facto per abbatem et conuentum de Whitby anno xxv^{to} predicto pro confirmatione quarundam cartarum et literarum diuersorum regum eisdem abbati et conuentui de certis libertatibus et franchesiis factarum clausula licet habendis etc causa predicta—————nihil.

De xxxvj.s. de consimili auro dicte Regine pertinente de quodam fine ³ xviiij.li. facto per abbatem et conuentum de Hida iuxta Wynton' pro licencia quod ipse et successores sui terras tenementa et redditus cum pertinentibus, que de Rege in capite seu de aliis per seruicium militare tenentur, ad valorem xx.li. per annum acquirere possint et tenere sibi et successoribus suis ad manum mortuam et prefate Regine dicto anno xxix^{no} debitis hoc anno non reddit, eo quod aliquos huiusmodi denarios inde minime recepit nec recipere potuit—————nihil.

Nec reddit de xxiiij.s. de huiusmodi auro eidem Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁴ xij.li. predicto anno xxv^{to} facto per Thomam Badby ciuem et piscenarium Londonie et alios pro licencia quod ipsi tres vel duo ipsorum quandam canteriam perpetuam fraternitatem in honorem Sancti Johannis Baptiste et Assumpcione Beate Marie de vno capellano perpetuo diuina in singulis diebus ad altare gloriosi Confessoris, Sancti Michelis, et Beate Katerine virginis in ecclesia parochiali Sancti Johannis Baptiste de Dunberry in comitatu Essex imperpetuum celebratura facere fundare et stabilire valeant, et quod idem capellanus cantarie predictae, postquam ea sic fundata et stabilita fuerit, terras tenementa et redditus ad valenciam c.s. per annum, que de Rege non tenentur, de quacumque persona ea ei dare concedere siue assignare volente seu volentibus perquirere posset, tenenda sibi et successoribus suis in sustentacionem suam imperpetuum causa supradicta—————nihil.

Set reddit de denariis recepturis de Anna Cobham, domina de Sterburgh, et aliis, de consimili auro prefate Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁵ xl marcarum in cancellaria domini Regis facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipsa et alii manerios de

¹ *C.P.R. 1441-1446*, p. 451 (9 July 1446).

² *Calendar of Charter Rolls, 1427-1516*, p. 51. (3 December 1445) ("Inspeximus and confirmation . . . in favour of Hugh, the abbot, and the convent of Whitby of letters patent dated at Westminster, 25 April, 24 Henry VI, not found on the Patent Roll . . .").

³ *C.P.R. 1441-1446*, p. 459 (15 July 1446).

⁴ *Ibid.* p. 357 (25 August 1445).

⁵ *C.P.R. 1446-1452*, pp. 240-1 (1 March 1449).

Hexstowe et Bylesherssh et alias terras et tenementa ad valenciam xij.li. per annum dare possent et concedere ad manum mortuam imperpetuum———liij.s.iiij.d.

Et de Thoma Lane, clerico, et aliis executoribus Willelmi Sponne, de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine¹ xx marcarum per ipsos facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipsi quandam cantariam de duobus capellanis diuina singulis diebus ad altare Beate Marie in ecclesia parochiali Sancti Laurencij de Toucestr' celebratura fundare creare et stabilire possent———xxvj.s.viiij.d.

Summa pagine———iiii.li.

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Adhuc aurum Regine

Et de Johanne, archiepiscopo Cantuariensis, et aliis, de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine² xx marcarum in dicto cancellario facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipsi quandam fraternitatem siue gildam in honore Sancte Trinitatis de vno capellano diuina singulis diebus in quadam capella Sancti Johannis Baptiste in villa de Westbarnet scituata celebratura fundare erigere et stabilire possent———xxvj.s.viiij.d.

Et de Roberto Roo, clerico, et aliis executoribus testamenti Roberti Darcy de comitatu Essex armigeri defuncti, de consimili auro Regine vt supra pertinente de quodam fine³ xxvij marcarum in dicta cancellaria facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipsi quandam cantariam de duobus capellis diuina singulis diebus ad altare Sancte Trinitatis in ecclesia Omnium Sanctorum de Maldon fundare possent———xxxvj.s.

Et de Johanne Sudbury clerico et aliis de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine⁴ xvij.li.iiij.s.iiij.d. in dicta cancellaria Regis facto, pro licencia habenda quod cum quedam gilda siue fraternitas Sancte Trinitatis in ecclesia parochiali de Louth per ipsos pretextu literarum Regis patencium fundata fuerit, aldermannus fratres et sorores eiusdem gilde terras et tenementa ad valenciam x.li. adquirere possent ad manum mortuam imperpetuum———xxxvj.s.v.d.

Et de Thoma Forester capellano, et aliis, de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine⁵ xx marcarum in dicta cancellaria facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipsi terras et tenementa ad valorem xij.li. per annum dare possent primo capellano et aliis capellanis cuiusdam in cantarie ecclesia Beate Marie Magdalene de Newark, tenendas sibi et successoribus suis ad manum mortuam imperpetuum———xxvj.s.viiij.d.

Et de Hugone Ellerton Abbate de Whitby, de huiusmodi auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine⁶ xx.li. in predicta cancellaria Regis facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipse et successores sui ecclesiam parochialem de Hoton Bussell' Eboracensis diocese appropriare et eam in proprios usus suos tenere possent sibi et successoribus suis———xls.

Et de magistro Georgio Radcliff, archidiacono Cestrie, de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine⁷ xx.li. in dicta cancellaria per ipsum facto, pro

¹ C.P.R. 1447-1452, pp. 204-5 (17 November 1448).

² Ibid. p. 265 (30 April 1449).

³ Ibid. 1446-1452, p. 312 (15 December 1450).

⁴ Ibid. pp. 405-6 (7 October 1450).

⁵ Ibid. pp. 450-1 (28 April 1451).

⁶ Ibid. p. 520 (6 February 1452).

⁷ Ibid. p. 549 (24 May 1452).

licencia habenda quod ipse et executores sui terras tenementa et redditus ad valorem c.s. per annum dare possit et assignare ad manum mortuam imperpetuum
xl.s.

Et de Johanne Makerell, perpetuo vicario ecclesie Sancti Olai in veteri Judaismo Londonie, et aliis, de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ¹ x.li. in dicta cancellaria facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipsi certum messuagium scituatum in parochia Sancti Laurencij in veteri Judaismo adquirere possent, tenendum sibi et successoribus suis imperpetuum in liberam puram et perpetuam elemosinam
xx.s.

Et de Johanne Hopton, armigero, de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ² xx.li. in dicta cancellaria facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipse dare possit et assignare cuidam capellano perpetuo cuiusdam cantarie perpetue diuina singulis diebus infra parochiam de Bliburgh in comitatu Suffolk' celebratura decem marcas redditus percipienda annuatim eidem capellano et successoribus de manerijs de Bliburgh et Wyset imperpetuum
xl.s.

Et de Nicholao Seintlo, armigero de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ³ l. marcarum in dicta cancellaria facto pro custodia terre et heredis Thome Mountford habenda vna cum maritagio eiusdem heredis
lxvj.s.vijj.d.

Et de Thoma Halewey et Johanna vxore eius, de consimili auro pertinente de quodam fine ⁴ xxxj.li. per ipsos in cancellaria predicta facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipsi quandam cantariam perpetuam de vno capellano in ecclesia Omnium Sanctorum Bristoll' infra diocesam Wigorniensem fundare possent
lxijj.s.j.d.

Et de Thoma Dacre, domino de Dacre, milite, et Philippa, vxore eius, de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁵ vij.li. quem fecerunt cum domino Rege in dicta cancellaria sua, pro licencia habenda quod ipsi maneriam de Irthyngton et Leysyngby alias terras et tenementa in comitatu Cumbrie que de Rege tenentur in capite dare possent et assignare Willelmo Marschall' clerico et aliis
xiiij.s.

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De xx.s. de consimili auro dicte domine Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁶ x.li. facto per Johannem Deen, magistrum domus elemosinarum Sanctorum Johannis Baptiste et Johannis Euangeliste de Shirburn, pro licencia habenda quod ipse terras et tenementa ad valorem xxxiiij.li.vj.s.vijj.d. per annum adquirere possit sibi successoribus suis imperpetuum hoc anno non reddit, eo quod aliquos denarios inde minime recepit nec recipere potuit
nihil.

Nec reddit de xiiij.s.iiij.d. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁷ x marcarum facto per Jacobum Lutrell', filium et heredes Johannes Lutrell', militis, pro licencia habenda quod ipse castrum et burgum de Dunster et alia maneria, que de Rege tenentur in capite, dare possit et concedere Edwardo Stradlyng et alijs, causa predicta
nihil.

¹ C.P.R. 1446-1452, p. 572 (1 February 1452).

² Ibid. p. 567 (17 December 1451).

³ Ibid. p. 275 (17 November 1448).

⁴ Ibid. p. 250 (18 May 1448).

⁶ Ibid. p. 201 (24 October 1448).

⁵ Ibid. p. 545 (16 May 1452).

⁷ Ibid. p. 284 (5 February 1449).

Nec reddit de xxij.s.j.d. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ¹ xj.li.xj.s. per Johannem, nuper Archiepiscopum Cantuariensem, et alios, in cancellaria predicta facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipsi quandam fraternitatem siue gildam de vno magistro et duobus custodibus fratribus et sororibus incipere fundare et erigere valerent, causa qua supra——nihil.

Nec reddit de xiiij.s.iiij.d. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ² x marcarum per Ricardum, Ducem Ebor', facto in cancellaria Regis predicta, pro licencia habenda quod ipse manerium de Hamulton cum pertinentibus dare possit et concedere Willelmo Episcopo Loncoln' et alijs, causa antedicta——nihil.

Nec reddit de xxvj.s.viiij.d. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ³ xx marcarum per dictum Ricardum, Ducem Ebor', et Cecilia, uxore eius, in cancellaria predicta facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipsi castrum manerium villam et dominium de Nerberth cum pertinentibus, que de Rege tenentur in capite, dare possent et concedere Johanni Episcopo Meneuense et alijs, causa predicta——nihil.

Nec reddit de xxvj.s.viiij.d. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁴ xx marcarum in dicta cancellaria per Johannem Thirlond, magistrum siue custodem fraternitatis siue gilde in ecclesia Sancti Botholphi, facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipse terras, tenementa, et redditus ad valorem x marcarum per annum perquirere possit ad manum mortuam imperpetuum, causa supradicta——nihil.

Nec reddit de xl.s. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁵ xx.li. per Edmundum Brudenell' et alios executores testamenti Willelmi Whaplode defuncti facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipsi quandam cantariam de vno capellano in ecclesia de Chalfhunte Sancti Petri in comitatu Buk' fundare erigere et stabilire possent, causa predicta——nihil.

Nec reddit de xxiiij.s. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁶ xij.li. per Johannem Seymore, militem, in dicta cancellaria facto, pro pardonacione habenda de transgressione quam fecit acquirendo sibi de Willelmo Ryngeburn, armigero, manerium de Fikilden, quod de Rege tenetur in capite, licencia regia inde non optenta, causa supradicta——nihil.

Nec reddit de liij.s.iiij.d. de consimili auro pertinente de quodam fine ⁷ xl. marcarum per Willelmum Asshe et alios facto, pro pardonacione habenda de transgressione quam fecerunt acquirendo sibi et heredibus suis de Johanne Roger manerium de Bryanston cum pertinentibus ac aduocacionem ecclesie de Bryanston, que de Rege tenentur in capite, et illa ingrediendo licencia regia inde non optenta, causa predicta——nihil.

Nec reddit de xxxv.js. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁸ xviiij.li.iiij.s.iiij.d. per Matildam Eueryngham, Priorissam domus monialium Beate Marie de Nunneton et conuentum eiusdem, facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipsi terras, tenementa, et redditus ad annum valorem xx marcarum vltra reprisas perquirere possent habendos sibi et successoribus suis ad manum mortuam imperpetuum, causa predicta——nihil.

¹ *C.P.R. 1446-1452*, pp. 263-4 (20 March 1449).

² *Ibid.* p. 218 (23 February 1449).

³ *Ibid.* pp. 234-5 (13 May 1449).

⁴ This fine does not appear to have been enrolled : but cf. note 2, p. 395.

⁵ *Ibid.* p. 232 (22 February 1449).

⁶ *Ibid.* p. 414 (11 November 1450).

⁷ *Ibid.* p. 411 (28 February 1451).

⁸ *Ibid.* p. 500 (2 November 1451).

Nec reddit de xxvj.s.viij.d. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ¹ xx marcarum per Ricardum Notyngham, Priorem ecclesie cathedralis Beate Marie de Couentr', et eiusdem loci conventum, facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipsi ecclesiam de Southam in comitatu Warr', que de aduocacione sua propria existit, appropriare et in proprios vsus tenere possent sibi et successoribus suis causa antedicta—————nihil.

Summa pagine—————nullum.

fol. 10a

Adhuc aurum Regine

Nec reddit de xxxij.s. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ² xxiiij marcarum per Johannem Marchall', clericum, facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipse et executores sui terras et tenementa annui valoris viij marcarum per annum vltra onera et reprisas, que de Rege non tenentur, dare possit et assignare ad manum imperpetuum, causa predicta—————nihil.

Set reddit de denariis recepturis de Roberto Constable de consimili auro dicte Regine pertinente de quodam fine³ c marcarum per ipsum in cancellaria Regis facto, pro custodia omnium terrarum et tenementorum que fuerunt Johannis Fastolf de Cowhawe in comitatu Suff' armigeri defuncti habenda vna cum maritagio Thome filij et heredis dicti Johannis—————vj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d.

De xxv.s.iiij.d. de huiusmodi auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁴ xij.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. per Humfridum, Ducem Buk', et Annam vxorem eius, in cancellaria predicta facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipsi terras tenementa et redditus ad valorem x marcarum per annum dare possent et assignare ad manum imperpetuum hoc anno non reddit, eo quod aliquos denarios inde minime recepit nec recipere potuit per tempus predictum—————nihil.

Nec reddit de lxvj.s.viij.d. de consimili auro prefate Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁵ l marcarum per Ricardum Andreu facto, pro custodia terrarum et heredis Willelmi Frogenhale habenda vna cum maritagio heredis predicti Willelmi causa predicta—————nihil.

Nec reddit de liij.s.iiij.d. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁶ xl. marcarum per Willelmum Lucy, militem, facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipse in omnia castra villas domania maneria terras et tenementa et omnia alia hereditamenta in Anglia Wallia et Marchia Wallie, que post mortem Alianore matris predicti Willelmi ad manus Regis deuenere prefatoque Willelmo descendere reuertere remanere pertinere seu spectare deberent, licite et impune ingredi et seisire et plenam et pacificam seisinam inde capere possit absque aliqua inquisicione inde capienda seu liberacione extra manus Regis prosequenda, causa qua supra—————nihil.

¹ *C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 564 (4 July 1452).

² *Ibid.* p. 524 (7 February 1452).

³ *Ibid.* p. 144 (15 April 1448). Letters patent vacated because surrendered, the king, on 7 February 31 Henry VI, having appointed Philip Wentworth to the same wardship.

⁴ *Ibid.* p. 557 (24 May 1452).

⁵ *Ibid.* p. 305 (23 October 1449). Richard Andrew was the king's secretary (J. Otway-Ruthven, *The King's Secretary in the XVth Century* (Cambridge, 1939), pp. 172-3 for his career).

⁶ *C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 86 (18 August 1447).

Nec reddit de ^{iiij}.li. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ¹ xl.li. per Willelmum Carant, armigerum, facto, pro custodia terrarum et heredis Willelmi Westbury defuncti habenda causa supradicta—————nihil.

Nec reddit de denariis recepturis de Johanne, nuper Episcopo Ebor', Geruasio Clifton, armigero, et aliis, de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ² cc.li. per ipsos facto, in cancellaria Regis pro custodia terrarum et heredis Willelmi Horsy habenda vna cum maritagio dicti heredis—————xx.li.

De ^{iiij}.li. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ³ xl.li. per Johannem Nanfan armigerum facto pro custodia terrarum et heredis Johannis Trenowith habenda vna cum maritagio eiusdem heredis hoc anno non reddit, eo quod aliquos denarios inde minime recepit nec recipere potuit per tempus predictum—————nihil.

Nec reddit de viij.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁴ ^{xx}iiijvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. per Thomam Thorp facto, pro custodia omnium terrarum et tenementorum que fuerunt Johannis Helyon defuncti, que per mortem prefati Johannis ac ratione minoris etatis Philippe, vnus filiarum et heredum predicti Johannis, ad manus Regis deuenerunt, habenda vna cum maritagio predictae Philippe, causa predicta—————nihil.

Nec reddit de viij.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam alio fine ⁵ ^{xx}iiijvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. per dictum Thomam Thorp facto, pro maritagio Isabelle, alterius filiarum et heredum predicti Johannis Helion, ac pro custodia omnium terrarum et tenementorum que ad manus Regis per mortem dicti Johannis et in manibus Regis exstiterunt ratione minoris etatis predictae Isabelle habendis, causa qua supra—————nihil.

Nec reddit de xlix.s.ix.d. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁶ xxiiij.li.xvij.s.viiij.d. per Johannem Cardinalem et Archiepiscopum Ebor', Thomam Syngleton, et aliis, facto in cancellaria Regis predicta, pro licencia habenda quod fratres et sorores fraternitatis siue gilde gloriose Virginis Marie in ecclesia parochiali de Aylesbury per ipsos preteritu literarum patencium dicti domini Regis fundandis terras et tenementa ad valorem xx.li. per annum perquirere possent ad manum mortuam imperpetuum, causa predicta—————nihil.

Summa pagine—————xxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d.

fol. 10b

Adhuc aurum Regine

Nec reddit de ^{iiij}.li. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁷ xl.li. per Nicholaum Whitbill' vicarium ecclesie parochialis de Chepyngnorton, et

¹ An entry, dated 12 March 1453, in the patent rolls (*C.P.R. 1452-1461*, p. 46) cancels letters patent of 23 April, 28 Henry VI, which were not enrolled but are obviously the letters referred to here.

² It looks as if this grant was cancelled, for, on 17 April 1448, Thomas Horsy was taken into the king's hands as his ward (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 187).

³ *Ibid.* p. 51 (12 December 1446).

⁴ Letters patent of 7 December 1453 (*C.P.R. 1452-1461*, p. 144) revoked those of 11 February 30 Henry VI, which had nullified those of 5 February, 30 Henry VI, granting to Thomas Thorp the wardship of Philippa and the marriage of Isabel.

⁵ *Ibid.*

⁶ *C.P.R.*, 1446-1452, p. 412 (12 December 1450).

⁷ *Ibid.* p. 402 (8 October 1450).

alios, in cancellaria Regis facto, pro licencia habenda quod magister siue custos fraternitatis siue gilde de Chepyngnorton terras, tenementa, et redditus ad valorem xl. marcarum per annum perquirere possent ad manum mortuam causa supradicta—nihil.

Nec reddit de xiiij.s.iiij.d. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ¹ x marcarum per Reginaldum West, dominum de la Ware, facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipse manerium de Alyngton in comitatu Wiltes' et alias terras et tenementa, que de Rege tenentur in capite, dare possit et assignare Johanni Archiepiscopo Cantuariensi et aliis, causa predicta—nihil.

Nec reddit de xl.s. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ² xx.li. per Thomam Grey, militem, facto, pro maritagio Willelmi filij et heredis Margarete que fuit vxor Thome Grey domini de Richemond defuncti habendo etc, causa qua supra—nihil.

Nec reddit de xx.s. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ³ x.li. per Ricardum Tunstall facto, pro custodia terrarum et heredis Willelmi Adam defuncti vna cum maritagio heredis predicti Willelmi habendis causa predicta—nihil.

Nec reddit de xx.s. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁴ x.li. per maiorem et ciues ciuitatis Regis Cicestr', pro confirmacione habenda quorundam priuilegiorum que idem maior et ciues tempore quo non extat memoria habuerunt, causa predicta—nihil.—

Nec reddit de xx.s. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁵ xv.li. per Willelmum Wright et alios in dicta cancellaria Regis facto, pro licencia habenda quod magister et gardiani fraternitatis mistere cissorum ciuitatis Ebor' per ipsos pretextu literarum Regis patencium fundandis acquirere possint terras et tenementa ad valorem c.s. per annum tenendas sibi et successoribus suis ad manum mortuam imperpetuum, causa supradicta—nihil.

Nec reddit de xx.s. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁶ x.li. per Thomam Chaworth, militem, facto pro licencia habenda quod ipse dare possit et concedere priori et conuentui ecclesie Sancti Johannis Baptiste de Landa et successoribus suis terras et tenementa ad valorem v marcarum per annum ad mortuam imperpetuum causa predicta—nihil.

Nec reddit de xx.s. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁷ x.li. per priorem et conuentum monachorum Beate Marie de Walsyngham facto, pro confirmacione Regis habenda de certis terris et tenementis in Riburgh et Stibrid', causa predicta—nihil.

Nec reddit de xx.s. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁸ x.li. per priorem et conuentum monachorum Beate Marie de Thetford facto, pro confirmacione Regis habenda de manerio de Bodney cum pertinentibus, causa predicta—nihil.

¹ This fine does not appear to have been enrolled, p. 311 (19 January 1450).

² *Cal. Fine Rolls, 1445-1452*, p. 256 (12 April 1452).

³ *Cal. Fine Rolls, 1452-1461*, p. 22 (27 January 1453).

⁴ *C.P.R. 1446-1452*, pp. 522-3 (3 September 1451).

⁵ *C.P.R. 1452-1461*, p. 105 (10 February 1453).

⁶ This fine does not appear to have been enrolled ; but cf. note 2, p. 395 and note 1, p. 400.

⁷ *Ibid.*, p. 68 (22 March 1453).

⁸ *Ibid.* p. 102 (23 June 1453).

Nec reddit de xxvj.s.viij.d. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ¹ xx marcarum per priorem et conuentum Sancti Andree Norhampton facto, pro vacacione prioratus predicti per concordiam inter consilium domini Regis et conuentum prioratus predicti xv^o die Februarij anno xxxj^{mo} habitam, causa predicta—————nihil.

Nec reddit de xx.s. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ² x.li. per Johannem Haryngton et Isabellam vxorem eius facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipsi et feoffati sui in certis terris et tenementis in Doncastr', Wheteley, et alibi in comitatu Ebor' dare possint et assignare predicta terras et tenementa cuidam capellano perpetuo cantarie sancti Georgij de Doncastr' per ipsos pretextu literarum Regis patencium fundando habenda sibi et successoribus suis ad manum manum mortuam imperpetuum, causa supradicta—————nihil.

Nec reddit de xiiij.s. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ³ vij.li. per Mauricium Berkeley et alios facto, pro pardonacione habenda de transgressione quam fecerunt acquirendo sibi et successoribus suis de Willelmo, nuper domino FitzHugh, manerium de Kyngeston cum pertinentibus in comitatu Not', quod tenet de domino Rege in capite, et illud ingrediendo licencia regia inde non optenta, causa predicta—————nihil.

Summa pagine—————nullum

fol. 11a

Adhuc aurum Regine

Nec reddit de l.s. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁴ xxv.li. per Hugonem Cardew et Ricardum, Episcopum Sar', et alios facto pro pardonacione habenda de transgressione quam fecerunt acquirendo sibi et heredibus suis de Roulando Lenthale milite defuncto quodam annualem redditum xx.li. quem idem Roulandus nuper habuit ex concessione Regis percipiendum annuatim sibi et heredibus suis de exitibus et proficuis comitatus Heref', causa antedicta—————nihil.

Nec reddit de xvj.li. de consimili auro dicte Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁵ cccxl marcarum per abbatem et conuentum monasterij Beate Marie de Ramesey facto, pro licencia habenda quod ipsi maneria terras tenementa redditus et seruicia ad valorem c marcarum per annum vltra reprisas acquirere possint habenda et tenenda sibi et successoribus suis ad manum mortuam imperpetuum, causa predicta—————nihil.

Nec reddit de xl.s. de consimili auro prefate Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁶ xx.li. per Willelmum Ingram, canonicum ecclesie cathedralis Beate Marie Sar', facto, pro licencia habenda quod capellanus perpetuus cantarie perpetue Sancti Nicholai in ecclesia Sancti Michelis de Heyworth per ipsum Willelmum pretextu literarum Regis patencium fiendorum terras et tenementa ad valorem x marcarum acquirere possit ad manum mortuam imperpetuum, causa predicta—————nihil.

Nec reddit de x.li. de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine ⁷ c.li. per Johannem Penycok, armigerum, facto, pro custodia terrarum et heredis Johannis Legh de Flamston in comitatu Wiltes' defuncti habenda vna cum maritagio heredis predicti Johannis, causa supradicta—————nihil.

¹ *C.P.R.*, 1452-61, p. 44 (15 February 1452).

² *Ibid.* pp. 88-9 (4 July 1453).

⁴ *Ibid.* p. 34 (15 November 1452).

⁶ *Ibid.* p. 66 (22 March 1453).

³ *Ibid.* p. 30 (26 November 1452).

⁵ *Ibid.* p. 48 (20 March 1453).

⁷ *Ibid.* p. 37 (4 January 1453).

Nec reddit de iiij.li. de consimili auro dicte Regine pertinente de quodam fine ¹ xl.li. per Edmundum Blake, armigerum, facto, pro custodia omnium terrarum et tenementorum que fuerunt Thome Clifton defuncti habenda vna cum maritagio Roberti filij et heredis predicti Johannis, causa qua supra—————nihil.

Nec reddit de iiij.li.ij.s. de consimili auro dicte Regine partinente de quodam fine ² xlj.li. per Johannem Talbot, vicecomitis de Lysle, facto, pro custodia terrarum et heredis Johannis Sandford defuncti habenda vna cum maritagio Ricardi filij et heredis predicti Johannis, causa supredicta—————nihil.

Set reddit de denariis recepturis de Roberto Godde ³ et plegiis suis de consimili auro Regine pertinente de quodam fine xl. marcarum per ipsum facto, pro quibusdam transgressionibus insurrectionibus et contemptibus vnde iudicatus fuit
—————liij.s.iiij.d.

Summa pagine—————liij.s.iiij.d.

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Summa totalis recepte

De quibus

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Summa totalis recepte vijMDlxiiij.li.xij.s.jd.)⁴ ~~vijM.Dcccvi.li.xiiij.s.vj.d.ob.g.~~ (sic).

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Feoda militum dominarum et damicellarum infra curiam Regine

Idem computat se soluisse Johanni Wenlok,⁵ camerario prefate Regine, pro feodo suo ad xl.li. per annum, percipiendo terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis equaliter, videlicet, pro dictis terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis infra tempus predictum per literas dicte Regine de warranto, quarum vna data xxiiij^{to} die Julij anno xxxj^{mo} dicti Regis Henrici sexti et alia date xij^o die Decembris anno eiusdem Regis xxxij^{do} simul cum ij acquietanciis eiusdem inter warranta huius compoti remanent—————xl.li.

Et Edwardo Hull' et Andree Ogard',⁶ militibus dapicidis prefate Regine,

¹ C.P.R., 1452-61, p. 30 (28 November 1452).

² Ibid p. 30 (15 December 1452).

³ This fine cannot be traced ; but cf. note 2, p. 395 and note 1, p. 400.

⁴ Cf. Introduction, BULLETIN, xl (1957), 81 ff.

⁵ He had already acted as usher of the queen's chamber (C.P.R. 1441-1446, p. 437 ; C.P.R. 1446-1452, p. 28), though he had become her chamberlain as early as 1448 (ibid. p. 165). The commission dated 8 April 1448 whereby Margaret appointed him to act as her proxy to lay the foundation stone of her college at Cambridge calls him her chamberlain and speaks not only of his circumspection and industry but of his fidelity and uprightness (W. G. Searle, *The History of the Queen's College* (Cambridge 1867), pp. 42-3) ; yet by July 1455 he had deserted to the Yorkist side (*Rot. Parl.* v. 278).

⁶ Both had already served in the king's household. Hull was already a squire of the body in November 1438 (C.P.R. 1436-1441, p. 232) and a knight by November 1445 (C.P.R. 1441-1446, p. 420). He was already one of the queen's carvers in November 1448 (C.P.R. 1446-1451, p. 210) and was created a Knight of the Garter in 1453 (Shaw, *Knights of England*, i. 13). Ogard, a naturalized Dane, after acting as second chamberlain to the regent Bedford (Stevenson, op. cit. ii. 434), became a king's knight by 1441 (C.P.R. 1441-1446, p. 105), though this did

cuilibet eorum pro feodo suo xl. marcarum per annum, percipiendo terminis predictis equaliter, videlicet, pro dictis terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis infra tempus predictum per supradictas duas literas de warranto et iiij acquietancias eorundem Edwardi et Andree simul inter warranta predicta remanentes
 —————liij.li.vj.s.viiij.d.

Et Ismanie, domine de Scalys¹ attendenti circa personam dicte Regine, pro feodo suo ad xl.li. per annum, percipiendo terminis predictis, videlicet, pro dictis terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis infra tempus supradictum per supradictas duas literas de warranto simul cum ij acquietancias eiusdem inter warranta predicta remanentes
 —————xl.li.

Et Isabelle Domine Grey, Domine Margarete Roos, Domine Isabelle Dacre alias Domine Isabelle Butteler,² attendentis circa personam dicte Regine,

not prevent him from acting as a member of the Duke of York's council in France in 1443 (Nicolas, op. cit. v. 289) and of his council in England in 1447 (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 231). Notwithstanding Ogard's service to the Duke of York, he seems to have won the confidence of Margaret, who is said to have kept his young son and heir, Henry, at her own costs from Andrew's death in 1454 until 1460 (*C.P.R. 1452-1461*, p. 583).

¹ Daughter of a Cornishman named Whalesburgh by Jane, daughter of Sir John Raleigh of Nettlecombe, she had married Thomas, Lord Scales, who had distinguished himself in the French wars and in opposing Jack Cade's rebellion, and was to be killed at London in the Lancastrian cause in 1460 (*C.P. xi. 504-7*; *C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 125; *C.P.R. 1452-1461*, p. 478).

² Isabel, Lady Grey had been sent out to France in 1445, along with other ladies of the English court, to escort Margaret to England (B.M. Add. MS. 23, 938, "Compotus Johannis Breknoke et Johannis Euerdon de expensis domine Margarete Regine venientis in Anglie"), and her name appears in the lists of recipients of gifts of jewels from the queen in 1445-6, 1446-7, 1448-9, 1451-2, and 1452-3 (E 101/409/14, 17; E 101/410/2, 8, 11); Sir Thomas More identifies her with Queen Elizabeth Wydeville, who was, of course, Lady Elizabeth Grey before her marriage to Edward IV (*Richard III*, ed. J. B. Lumby (1883), p. 59). This identification seems probable but not certain. As G. Smith points out in his *Coronation of Elizabeth Wydeville* (London, 1935), p. 28, there were other ladies named Elizabeth Grey at this time: in addition to the instance which he gives, of Queen Elizabeth's mother-in-law, one may cite particularly the claims of the Elizabeth who in June 1445 was described as "late the wife of Ralph Grey, knight, daily attendant on the queen's person" (*C.P.R. 1441-1446*, p. 353).

Lady Margaret Roos was the daughter of Thomas de Ros, Lord Ros. She married William de Botreaux, Lord Botreaux, as his second wife, before 1458 (*C.P. xi. 105*; ii. 242). He died in 1462 but she survived until 1488, having married between 1462 and 1464 Thomas, Lord Burgh.

Lady Isabel was the daughter of Thomas, lord Dacre. In 1454 she married, as his second wife, Sir John Butler or Botiler of Warrington (below, fol. 19b); but in 1458 the marriage was dissolved on the curious grounds that she had already in May 1453 contracted a marriage with Thomas, Lord Clifford, who fell in the first battle of St. Albans in May 1455 and had married Joan Dacre in 1414 (W. Beaumont, *Annals of the Lords of Warrington*, ii. 281 (Chetham Society, 1873)).

videlicet, cuilibet earum pro feodo suo xx.li. per annum percipiendo terminis predictis equaliter, videlicet, pro dictis terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis per literas de warranto supradictas et vj acquietancias earundem simul inter warranta supradicta remanentes———lx.li.

Et Barbaline,¹ vni damicellarum dicte Regine, pro feodo suo per annum percipiendo terminis predictis, videlicet, pro supradictis terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis infra tempus compoti per supradictas duas literas de warranto et ij acquietancias eiusdem simul inter warranta predicta remanentes———xxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d.

Et Rose Merston', Margarete Stanlowe, Katerine Penyson', Katerine Whetyng'ham', Agneti Parr, Matilde Lowes, Jamoni Sharneborne, Edithe Burgh', alias Seintelowe, Osan et Alienore Roos² damicellis prefate Regine, pro feodis

¹ Barbelina Herberquyne or Erlebequine, born in Germany, was naturalized in March, 1449 (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 240); she had in 1446 been granted an annuity of £40 for good service to the queen (*C.P.R. 1441-1446*, p. 445).

² Rose Merston was the wife (*C.P.R. 1452-1461*, pp. 109, 339, 481) of John Merston, esquire, who had been treasurer of the king's chamber and keeper of the king's jewels since before 1445 (*Foedera*, v. i. 139) and probably gave up the post during this year, at Easter 1453 (*C.P.R. 1452-1461*, p. 293).

Katherine Whetyng'ham or Whittingham had married in 1448 (Wedgwood, op. cit. p. 943) Sir Robert Whittingham, usher of the king's chamber from before 1451 (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 410) and keeper of the queen's great wardrobe from before April 1458 (*C.P.R. 1452-1461*, p. 429). Attainted after Towton (*Rot. Parl.* v. 479a), he went into exile with Margaret in Scotland and France, returned 1471, and died fighting for her at Tewkesbury (Scofield, op. cit. passim; cf. *R.P.* vi. 27b).

Agnes Parr was the wife of Gilbert Parr, who was an esquire for the body and usher of the chamber for the king (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, pp. 84, 401, 429, 431, 547). He was no longer young, for he had been yeoman of the crown to Henry V (*C.P.R. 1452-1461*, p. 16). Agnes had been one of those who brought over Margaret from France in 1445 (Stevenson, op. cit. i. 454).

Jamona Sharneborne had married Thomas Sharnebourne or Shernbourne between 1445 and 1447 (C. Munro, *Letters of Queen Margaret of Anjou* (Camden Soc., 1863) pp. 107-8). She was Jamona Cherneys or Sharneres, born in the duchy of Anjou, and naturalized in 1449 (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, pp. 212, 240). In 1451 Thomas is said to have done good service to the king and queen (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 454). In 1462 a pardon to Jamona Sharnebourne of Sharnebourne, Norfolk, speaks of her as "widow of Thomas Sharnebourne esq., late sheriff, and executive of his will" (Wedgwood, op. cit. p. 764).

Edith Burgh married Giles St. Loo (Seintelowe, Saintlo, Senelowe, etc.) in 1454 (below, fol. 19b). His previous wife, Denise, had died before December 1450 (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 435), leaving him properties in Hertfordshire and Middlesex. It will be seen that Giles St. Loo, like Thomas Sharnebourne, served during this financial year 31-32 Henry VI in Margaret's household (below, fol. 12b); Giles was also a king's esquire and he and Edith were granted in 1455 an annuity of 20 marks for their services to the king and queen (*C.P.R. 1452-1461*, p. 243).

Osan, or Osanna, was another lady who had come to England with Margaret.

suis cuilibet earum x.li. per annum percipiendis terminis predictis, videlicet, pro dictis ij terminis infra tempus predictum per supradictas ij literas de warranto et xx acquietancias earundem vt supra remanentes————c.li.

Et Johanne Prynce,¹ vni cameriarum prefate Regine, pro feodo suo per annum, percipiendo terminis predictis, videlicet, pro supradictis terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis infra tempus predictum per ij literas de warranto supradictas simul cum ij acquietancias eiusdem inter warranta supradicta remanentes——c.s.

Et Johanne Bateresby² alteri camerariarum prefate Regine, pro feodo suo per annum, percipiendo terminis supradictis, videlicet, pro dictis terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis infra tempus predictum per ij literas de warranto predictas simul et ij acquietancias eiusdem inter warranta antedicta remanentes——lxvj.s.viij.d.

Summa feodorum militum dominarum et damicellarum infra curiam et hospicium domine Regine————cccxxviij.li.vj.s.viij.d.

fol. 12b

Vadia armigerorum

Et in denariis solutis diuersis armigeris ipsius Regine subscriptis infra curiam suam in singulis officijs existentibus et expectantibus a primo die Octobris anno xxxj^mo dicti Regis Henrici sexti vsque vltimum diem Septembris extunc proxime sequentem cuilibet vij.d.ob.³ per diem dum in officijs suis infra curiam dicte Regine attendentes et finientes vt in rotulis vocatis chekrolles annotati existant vbi omnium armigerorum nomina ac numerus dierum sic seruiencium et expectancium singillatim specificantur, per ij literas dicte Regine de warranto quarum vna data xxiiij^{to} die Julij dicto anno xxxj^mo et altera data xij^o die Decembris anno xxxij^do eiusdem Regis inter warranta huius compoti remanentes——videlicet

Henrico Bourghchier per xxxv dies————xxj.s.x.d.ob.

Ricardo Drayton per cij dies————lxiiij.s.ix.d.

Egidio Saintlowe per cclvj dies————viiij.li.

Thome Sharnbourne per ciii^{xx}xvij dies————vj.li.iiij.s.j.d.ob.

Thome Burneby per cccxlvi dies————x.li.xv.s.vij.d.ob.

Born in the Duchy of Burgundy, she was naturalized in 1449 (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 240).

As for "Alienore Roos", there was a Lady Eleanor Ros, who was the widow of Thomas, Lord Ros (died 1430) and mother of Lady Margaret Ros, (mentioned above); but this Lady Eleanor had married before 1438 Edmund Beaufort, Earl of Dorset, who was in 1448 created Duke of Somerset. Apart from the fact that this Lady Eleanor would presumably have been anxious to take her second husband's name, her rank, as Duchess and as the daughter of the Earl of Warwick (*C.P.* xi. 104), would have raised her well above the other ladies named in this paragraph. There is no other known "Alienore Roos" who will fit the case.

¹ In the distribution of jewels for 30-31 Henry VI, by the queen's treasurer of the chamber, Prince and Bateresby are grouped with "Joan Clyvers" and "Jacquetta", two "damicellae Regine" not mentioned here (*E 101/410/11*).

² *Ibid.*

³ This was the standard basis rate of pay for squires in the royal household. Cf. the Black Book of the Household of Edward IV in *Household Ordinances* (London, 1790), p. 45.

Edmundo Clere per ccxlvi dies	_____	vij.li.xiiij.s.ix.d.
Thome Parker per xxxiiij dies	_____	xxj.s.iiij.d.
Thome Saintbarbe per ccxxxvij dies	_____	vij.li.viiij.s.j.d.ob.
Johanni Fetiplace per cclxxiiij dies	_____	vij.li.xj.s.iiij.d.
Roberto Chicheley per ccxxxiiij dies	_____	vij.li.v.s.vij.d.ob.
	xx	
Waltero Lewkenore per iiij ij dies	_____	lj.s.iiij.d.
Sewar de la Bere per cccv dies	_____	ix.li.x.s.vij.d.ob.
Johanni Bassyngbourne per cxxxviiij dies	_____	iiij.li.vj.s.iiij.d.
Henrico Roos per cccix dies	_____	ix.li.xiiij.s.j.d.ob.
	xx	
Johanni Gilbert per cciiijv dies	_____	viiij.l.xviiij.s.j.d.ob.
Johanni Saintbarbe per clxiiij dies	_____	cj.s.x.d.ob.
Roberto Mounteney per ccxxxix dies	_____	vij.li.ix.s.iiij.d.ob.
Humfrido Stafford per cliij dies	_____	iiij.li.xv.s.vij.d.ob.
Roberto Merefeld per cclvij dies	_____	viiij.li.vij.d.ob.
Johanni Cristemasse per ccciiij dies	_____	ix.li.ix.s.iiij.d.ob.
David Lloyd per cclxv dies	_____	xj.li.viiij.s.j.d.ob.
Roberto Coton per xxxvij dies	_____	xxiiij.s.j.d.ob.
Willelmo Wanneford per xx dies ¹	_____	xij.s.vj.d.

(Summa) cxliiiij.li.iiij.s.iiij.d.ob.

Vadia clericorum infra hospicium Regine

Et Willelmo Crosseley, clerico closette Regine, ² pro vadiis suis ad iiij.d.ob. per diem per ccxlvi dies _____vj.li.ix.s.ix.d.

Et Georgio Assheby, clerico signeti Regine ³ pro feodo suo per annum

¹ Some of these squires had already had experience of service as squires in the royal household ; e.g. Edmund Clere, who is described as a king's esquire as early as January 1444 (*C.P.R. 1441-1446*, p. 229) and wrote to tell Sir John Paston about Henry VI's recovery of his wits in January 1455 (*Paston Letters*, i. 314-16). Some of these squires subsequently showed devotion to Margaret's cause ; e.g. Henry Roos, son and heir of Sir Robert Roos (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 276), who was one of the king's carvers (E 101/409/11, fol. 33a), was one of those who fled with Margaret to Scotland after Towton (*Paston Letters*, ii. 46). (Henry Bouchier is not an example of desertion ; for the Henry Bouchier who was made Earl of Essex by Edward IV was already Viscount Bouchier by 1446 (*C.P. v. 137*)). David Lloyd is of especial interest to the student of fifteenth-century ranks, for though in March 1444 he was still only one of the master-cooks of the royal household, he is described as a king's esquire (*C.P.R. 1441-1446*, p. 259) ; and he remained a king's esquire in September 1445 when he was already the queen's master-cook (*ibid.* p. 374). Some of these men served as members of parliament sooner or later, and information about them may therefore be found in *Wedgwood, Biographies*.

² The sole surviving account of Queen Elizabeth Wydeville's household (E 36/207) includes no record of payment to a clerk of the queen's closet.

³ Queen Elizabeth's clerk of the signet was paid a fee of only £4 a year (E 36/207, p. 19). George Ashby was a clerk of the signet to the king as early as 1438—(*C.P.R. 1436-1441*, p. 177)—but not from 1422, as stated in *D.N.B.*—and was

percipiendo terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis equaliter, videlicet pro eisdem terminis infra tempus predictum accidentis——vj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d.

Et Jacobo Fynaunce,¹ clerico jocalium prefate Regine, pro feodo suo ad vj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. per annum percipiendo terminis predictis equaliter, videlicet de huiusmodi feodo suo a vij^o die Marcij dicto anno xxxj^{mo} vsque festum Sancti Michelis extunc proxime sequentem, scilicet per dimidium anni et xxv dies iuxta ratam feodi predicti per idem tempus——lxxv.s.ix.d.ob.

fol. 13a

Vadia valletorum

Et in denariis solutis diuersis valettis ipsius Regine subscriptis existentibus et expectancibus infra curiam suam in singulis officijs suis a predicto primo die Octobris dicto anno xxxj^{mo} vsque vltimum diem Septembris anno xxxij^{do} supra dicto, cuilibet iij.d. per diem² dum in officijs suis infra curiam dicte Regine attendentes et seruientes vt in predictis rotulis vocatis chekrolles annotati existant per supradictas literas de warranto vt supra remanentes——videlicet——

Ricardo Elenedon per v dies——xv.d.

Roberto Sauage per ^{xx}ciijxij dies——xlviij.s.

Willelmo Lepton per ^{xx}cciiijvj dies——lxxj.s.vj.d.

Thome Babham per ccxx dies——lv.s.

Samps' Vykers per cccxxiiij dies——iiij.li.ix.d.

Roberto Catton per ^{xx}ciijxviiij dies——xljix.s.vj.d.

Radulfo Gamage per ccclx dies——iiij.li.x.s.

Johanni Weston per ccclxij dies——iiij.li.x.s.vj.d.

Humfrido Whitgrene per ccc dies——lxxv.s.

Henrico Cripsheld per ccclxv dies——iiij.li.xj.s.iiij.d.

Micheli Belwell per ccclxv dies——iiij.li.xj.s.iiij.d.

Thome Vaus per cccxviiij dies——lxxix.s.vj.d.

Willelmo Burton per ^{xx}ciijxij dies——xlviij.s.

made clerk of the queen's signet in 1445 (Wedgwood, *Biographies*, p. 22). He had also been writer to the signet to Humphrey, Duke of Gloucester (A Prisoner's Reflections, line 61, in *George Ashby's Poems*, ed. M. Bateson (E.E.T.S., Extra Series, 1899), p. 3). In his "Active Policy of a Prince" Ashby advises Edward, Prince of Wales, Margaret's son, on the choice of a secretary and other household servants (ibid. pp. 27-8), doubtless drawing on his experience in the queen's as well as the king's household. His grandson was a clerk of the signet to Henry VII (*Letters and Papers of Richard III and Henry VII*, ed. J. Gairdner (Rolls Series, 1863), ii. 90). For his writings see *D.N.B.* and *Cambridge Bibliography of Engl. Lit.* i. 253; for his career see Wedgwood, *Biographies*, p. 22.

¹ Cf. *C.P.R. 1452-1461*, p. 507 for grant, dated 7 July 1459, to John Besynbe, yeoman of the Crown, of all lands late of Agnes Fynawns, late wife of James Fynawns, to hold during minority of John, her son and heir. That clerks such as James Fynaunce could marry is shown by George Ashby's case (*Cal. Papal Registers, 1447-1455*, p. 681 and *D.N.B.*).

² This was the standard rate of pay for yeomen in the king's household (*Household Ordinances*, p. 38).

Thome Mouseherst per ^{xx} ciiijxij dies	xxxviiij.s.
Georgeo Dale per ccclxv dies	iiij.li.xj.s.iiij.d.
Johanni Sergeaunt per clj dies	xxxvij.s.ix.d.
Edmundo Bolton per ccclviiij dies	iiij.li.ix.s.vj.d.
Johanni Wyke per cccxxxviiij dies	iiij.li.iiij.s.vj.d.
Johanni Bere per cccxxiiij dies	iiij.li.xij.d.
Johanni Traile per cccvj dies	lxxvj.s.vj.d.
Roberto Gray per ccxxxiiij dies	lviiij.s.iiij.d.
Galfrido Wright per cccxvij dies	lxxix.s.iiij.d.
Thome Brown per cxlvij dies	xxxvj.s.ix.d.
Johanni Scoriar per cccxxxij dies	iiij.li.iiij.s.
Johanni Hill per cccvj dies	lxxvj.s.
Johanni Braughyng per cccxlviij dies	iiij.li.vj.s.ix.d.
Roberto Aleigh per cccxliij dies ¹	iiij.li.v.s.vj.d.
(Summa)	^{xx} iiijxiiij.li.xv.s.vj.d.

Willelmo Fawkener, herbigeour ² Regine, ad c.s. per annum percipiendos ad terminos Pasche et Sancti Michelis, videlicet, pro terminis predictis infra dictum tempus huius compoti per literas de warranto supradictas _____ c.s.

Johanni Skynner, valetto de la scaldyngous, ³ ad xl.s. per annum percipiendos ad terminos predictos equaliter, videlicet, pro eisdem terminis infra tempus predictum per easdem literas de warranto _____ xl.s.

Willelmo Barnet, valletto pulletrie ⁴ capienti per diem iiij.d. tam infra hospicium quam extra a supradicto primo die Octobris anno xxxj^{mo} vsque vltimum diem mensis Septembris tunc proxime sequentem per ccclxv dies per literas predictas _____ iiij.li.xj.s.iiij.d.

Johanni Browe, ⁵ valetto de cateria, pro vadiis suis ad vd. ob. tam infra

¹ Many of these yeomen had held, or still held, posts in the king's household. Thus, William Lepton, Thomas Babham, and Thomas Vaus had been named as yeomen of the crown (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 509; *C.P.R. 1452-1461*, p. 392); John Traile was in 1455 a purveyor to the royal household (*ibid.* p. 194); and when Michael Belwell had been naturalized, in 1443, he had been described as "valettus ac sirurgicus noster" (*Foedera*, v. i. 117).

For letters from Margaret on behalf of Thomas Burneby, sewer to the queen's mouth, and Thomas Mouseherst, king's serjeant, who was in 1446 groom of the queen's chamber (*C.P.R. 1441-1446*, p. 437), see Munro, *op. cit.* pp. 97, 151. For details of Humphrey Whitgreue, a Duchy of Lancaster official, see *BULLETIN*, xl (1957), 100, n. 6.

² Herbigeour means harbinger, the official who was responsible for securing lodgings for members of the queen's household as they toured about the country.

³ The scaldinghouse dressed poultry supplied by the office of poultry, ready for the cook (*Household Ordinances*, pp. 237-8).

⁴ William Barnet was also frequently employed as a purveyor of poultry to the king's household (e.g. *C.P.R. 1446-1452*, pp. 63, 125, 228, 324, 400; *C.P.R. 1452-1461*, pp. 22, 141, 194, 387, 388, 462, 525).

⁵ John Browe was by 1457 described as "esquire", and in 1458 was yeoman of the catery in the king's household (*C.P.R. 1452-1461*, pp. 403, 387). If he is to be

hospicium quam extra a supradicto primo die Octobris anno xxxj^mo vsque vltimum diem mensis Septembris tunc proxime sequentis, scilicet, per ccclxv dies per easdem literas———vij.li.vij.s.iiij.d.ob.

Marione Lauender pro feodo suo per annum percipiendo terminis supradictis equaliter, videlicet, pro eisdem terminis infra dictum tempus huius compoti accidentibus per literas de warranto supradictas———xl.s.

fol. 13b

Vadia garcionum

Et in denariis solutis diuersis garcionibus ipsius Regine subscriptis infra curiam suam in singulis officijs suis existentibus et expectancibus a dicto primo die Octobris dicto anno xxxj^mo vsque vltimum diem Septembris anno xxxij^do supradicto per supradictas duas literas de warranto vt supra remanentes videlicet

Ricardo Medewe, garcione robarum Regine	} videlicet, cuilibet eorum pro terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis infra tempus compoti xiiij.s. iiij.d. de feodo et liij.s. iiij.d. de regardo——— ———xxx.li.
Johanni Steuens, garcione lectorum	
Thome Eyr, garcione camere	
Ricardo Bircheley, garcione camere	
Edwardo Hesketh, garcione camere	
Johanni Turges, garcione camere	
Ade Salley, garcione camere	
Roberto Wadenyng, garcione camere	
Rogero Otteley, garcione camere	

Ricardo Frewey, garcione camere Regine, pro huiusmodi feodo et regardo suis a supradicto primo die Octobris anno xxxj^mo vsque finem Pasche extunc proxime sequentis, scilicet, per dimidium annum per supradictam literam de warranto datum xxiiij^to die Julij eodem anno xxxj^mo vt supra remanentem——xxiiij.s.iiij.d.

Radulfo Bere, garcione camere prefate Regine, pro consimili feodo et regardo suis a xx^mo die Maij dicto anno xxxj^mo vsque vltimum diem Septembris tunc proxime sequentis, scilicet, per cxxxiiij dies, iuxta ratam feodi et regardi predictorum per idem tempus per supradictam literam de warranto datam xij^o die Decembris supradicto anno xxxij^do remanentem vt supra———xxiiij.s.iiij.d.ob.

Ricardo Jonet garcione, paynmaynbaker Regine	} videlicet, cuilibet eorum pro supradictis terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis infra tempus predictum xiiij.s.iiij.d. de feodo et xl.s. de regardo ———xxxij.li.	
Galfrido Loveles		} garcionibus cellarie
Petro Marchall'		
Willelmo Heron		} garcionibus coquine
Galfrido Willyam		
Thome Wadelove, garcione lardarie		
Ricardo Lowesdale, garcione squillerie		
Roberto Feriby, garcione aquarie		
Willelmo Pepir, garcione lavendrie		
Johanni Roche, garcione estuffure		
Ricardo Bede, garcione pulletrie		
Thome Saundres, garcione elemosinarie ¹		

identified with John Brown, he had been earlier yeoman of the poultry and under-clerk of the kitchen in the king's household (*C.P.R. 1441-1446*, pp. 4, 372, 373).

¹ Many of the grooms, like the yeomen, had served in the royal household, e.g. Thomas Eyre (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 433) ; Richard Bircheley (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 510) ; John Turges, who was harper to Queen Margaret (*ibid*, pp. 250, 512) ;

Radulfo Bere, garcione panetrie, pro huiusmodi feodo et regardo suis a predicto primo Octobris anno xxxj^mo vsque festum Pasche tunc proxime sequentem, scilicet, per dimidium annum per supradictam literam de warranto datam xxiiij^to die Julij eodem anno xxxj^mo inter warranta supradicta remanentem
 _____xxvj.s.viiij.d.

Johanni Baret, garcione panetrie, pro consimili feodo et regardo suis a supradicto festo Pasche anno xxxj^mo vsque festum Sancti Michelis extunc proxime sequentem, scilicet, per dimidium annum per supradictam literam de warranto datam xij^o die Decembris dicto anno xxxij^do vt supra remanentem
 _____xxvj.s.viiij.d.

fol. 14a

Vadia pagetorum

Et in denariis solutis diuersis pagettis dicte Regine subscriptis infra curiam suam in singulis officijs suis existentibus et expectancibus a dicto primo die Octobris anno xxxj^mo dictim Henrici sexti vsque vltimum diem Septembris anno eiusdem Regis xxxij^do per supradictas duas literas de warranto—videlicet—

Rogero Euerdon,¹ pagetto robarum Regine
 Roberto Quykerell, pagetto camere Regine

videlicet, vtrique eorum pro terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis infra tempus predictum vj.s. viij.d. de feodo et xxxiiij.s.iiij.d. de regardo—iiiiij.li.

Johanni Mathewe, pagetto lectorum Regine
 Willelmo Wenham, pagetto camere

videlicet, vtrique eorum pro consimili feodo et regardo suis pro termino Pasche infra tempus predictum—xl.s.

Johanni Sergeaunt, pagetto lectorum Regine
 Johanni Felder, pagetto camere Regine

videlicet, vtrique eorum pro consimili feodo et regardo suis pro termino Michelis infra tempus huius compoti—xl.s.

Johanni Bene, pagetto paynmaynbaker
 Johanni Groue, pagetto coquine
 Hugone Johnson, pagetto coquine
 Willelmo Brown, pagetto pulletrie
 Roberto Lichfeld, pagetto de la scaldynghous
 Willelmo Bony, pagetto squillarie
 Thome Pauer, pagetto ewerie
 Ricardo Brynkeley, pagetto wafferie
 Waltero Phelipp, pagetto lauendrie

videlicet, cuilibet eorum vj.s. viij.d. de feodo et xxvj.s.viiij.d. de regardo pro terminis predictis infra tempus predictum
 _____xv.li.

Geoffrey Lovelace (*C.P.R. 1452-1461*, pp. 478, 577); Geoffrey William (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, pp. 31, 44, 210).

¹ The grant to Roger Everdon of the parkership of Chaddesley and Walsall in 1446 (*C.P.R. 1441-1446*, p. 433) is typical of the energy displayed and the success achieved by Queen Margaret in securing rewards for her servants and friends. In the same week grants of offices were obtained for four more of her household servants (*ibid.* p. 433).

Johanni Baret, pagetto panterie, pro consimili feodo et regardo suis a supra dicto primo die Octobris anno xxxj^mo vsque festum Pasche extunc proxime sequentem, scilicet per dimidium annum———xvj.s.viiij.d.

Johanni Wadnyng, pagetto panetrie, pro consimili feodo et regardo suis a supradicto festo Pasche dicto anno xxxj^mo vsque Sancti Michelis tunc proxime sequentem, scilicet per dimidium annum———xvj.s.viiij.d.
Summa vadiorum armigerorum, clericorum, valettorum, garcionum, et pagetorum infra hospicium dicte Regine cum regardis eorundem———ccclxix.li.xix.d.

fol. 14b

Feoda et vadia officiariorum Regine extra hospicium

Et Johanni, Vicecomiti Beaumont,¹ consanguineo prefate Regine, quem eadem Regina ordinavit, constituit, et fecit capitalem senescallum suum omnium castrorum, diuersorum maneriorum, terrarum, et tenementorum, que prefata Regina habet vel habere poterit in Anglia, Wallia, et Marchia Wallie, habendum et occupandum officium illud per se vel sufficientem deputatum suum quamdiu se bene et fideliter gesserit in eodem officio, percipiendum annuatim de prefata Regina pro officio predicto c marcas legalis monete Anglie, per manus receptoris generalis eiusdem Regine pro tempore existentis, per literas ipsius Regine patentes datas xvj^o die Marcij anno xxx^mo dicti Regis Henrici sexti penes ipsum remanentes, videlicet, de huiusmodi feodo suo hoc anno ac per acquietanciam dicti vicecomitis inter warranta huius compoti remanentem———lxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d.

Et in feodo magistri Laurencij Bothe,² clerici, quem supradicta Margareta Regina ordinavit, fecit, et constituit cancellarium suum, habendum et occupandum illud officium quamdiu idem Laurencius se bene gesserit in officio predicto cum omnimodis feodis, vadiis, et proficuis dicto officio debitis et consuetis, percipiendis annuatim per manus receptoris generalis eiusdem Regine pro tempore existentis ad festa Pasche et Sancti Michelis equaliter, per literas eiusdem Regine patentes datas vij^o die Marcij anno xxix^mo dicti Regis Henrici sexti penes ipsum remanentes, videlicet, de huiusmodi feodo suo pro terminis predictis infra tempus predictum et prout allocatum est consimilibus in compotis precedentibus ac per acquietanciam eiusdem magistri Laurencij inter warranta predicta remanentem———xl.li.

Et eidem magistro Laurencio Bothe, clerico, cancellario prefate Regine pro hospicio suo in Londonia, per literas dicte Regine de warranto datas vij^o die Junij anno xxx^mo dicti Regis Henrici sexti et inter warranta de eodem anno remanentes, per quas quidem literas eadem Regina inter alia voluit et prefato receptore suo generali mandavit quod annuatim eidem cancellario suo solueret x.li. pro dicto hospicio suo in Londonia et vj.s.viiij.d. per diem quando ipse equitauerit pro expedicione alicuius materij (sic) prefate Regine incumbentis siue pertinentis eisdem modo et forma, prout Johannes Wodehous, nuper cancellarius Katerine nuper Regine Anglie, de eadem Regina habuit et percepit et prout

¹ As is well known, he was the first viscount in English history. Constable of England 1445-50, Great Chamberlain, 1450, he was appointed chamberlain to the queen on 16 March 1452 (Somerville, op. cit. p. 209). He was slain in 1460 at the Battle of Northampton fighting on the Lancastrian side (C.P. ii. 62).

² For his career see BULLETIN, xl (1957), 92-3; D.N.B.; and A. H. Thompson, in *Dictionnaire d'Histoire et de Géographie Ecclésiastiques*, tome 9, col. 1164.

hujusmodi allocacio facta fuit eidem Johanni Wodehous in compoto Thome Rokes,¹ nuper receptoris generalis prefate Katerine nuper Regine, de anno (sic) eiusdem regis Henrici sexti———x.li.

Et eidem cancellario pro vadiis equitantis de Londonia vsque Wyndesoram mensibus Decembris et Januarij supradicto anno xxxij^{do} regis Henrici sexti per diuersas vices ex mandato dicte Regine pro diuersis materijs commodum dicte Regine tangentibus, scilicet, eundo morando et redeundo per ix dies, capienti per diem vj.s.viij.d. per supradictas literas de warranto in proxima particula precedenti annotatas ac per billam ipsius camerarij inter warranta huius compoti remanentem———lx.s.

fol. 15a

Adhuc feodo et vadia officiariorum Regine extra hospicium

Et in feodo Willelmi Cotton² armigeri generalis receptoris omnium castrorum honorum, annuitatum, reuencuum, terrarum, et tenementorum suorum, ac aliarum commoditatum quaruncumque eidem Regine pertinentium et in manibus suis existentium et que in manibus eiusdem Regine imposterum devenirint quamdiu idem Willelmus erga prefatam Reginam se bene et fideliter gesserit, habendum et occupandum officium predictum cum feodis, vadiis, et proficiuis eidem officio debitis et consuetis, per literas patentes dicte Regine datas xix^{mo} die Julij anno xxiiij^{to} dicti Regis Henrici sexti superius in titulo huius compoti allegatas necnon per literas eiusdem Regine de warranto datas dicto xix^{no} die Aprilis anno dicti Regis xxv^{to} auditoribus suis directas inter warranta de eodem anno xxv^{to} remanentes———l.li.

Et eidem Willelmo de regardo sibi facto per prefatam Reginam vltra predictas l.li per annum, causa officij supradicti pro hospicio suo et mora sua Londonie per literam de warranto remanentem vt supra———x.li.

Et eidem Willelmo pro vadiis suis equitantis de domo sua propria in comitatu Suff' vsque Londoniam pro denariis recipiendis et diuersis materijs prefate Regine cum alijs de magno consilio suo communicandis et post quemlibet terminum de Londonia vsque domum suam propriam eundo et redeundo in quolibet termino per iiij dies, videlicet terminis Sancti Michelis, Sancti Hillarij, Pasche, et Sancte Trinitatis infra tempus compoti, capiendo per diem v.s.———iiij.li.

Et eidem Willelmo pro vadiis suis equitantis de Landewade in comitatu Cantebrie vsque Royston mense Maij predicto anno xxxj^{mo} cum moneta Johanni Hattecliff,³ clerico avenarij prefate Regine, super expensis officij sui liberanda et deinde vsque Walsyngham cum moneta prefate Regine super priuatis expensis camere sue liberanda, eundo morando et redeundo per viij dies ac equitantis de Landewade predicta vsque Walden mense Augusti supradicto xxxij^{do} pro colloquio habendo cum senescallo auditore et ceteris ministris Regine

¹ It was evidently common practice in the queen's household to quote such a precedent. See Introduction BULLETIN, xl (1957), 90, n. 5. Rokes was in 1454 a clerk of the greencloth in the king's household (Nicolas, op. cit. vi. 226).

² For his biography see Somerville, op. cit. p. 399.

³ Possibly a kinsman of the well-known and important William Hattecliffe, later to be physician and secretary to Edward IV; for William Hattecliffe was not only one of Henry VI's doctors (C.P.R. 1452-1461, pp. 26, 147, 195, 235) but was also physician to Queen Margaret (ibid. pp. 195, 339).

ibidem pro renouacione rentalis eiusdem manerij, eundo morando et redeundo per ij vices vtraque vice per iij dies, necnon equitantis de Landewade predicta vsque Wyndesoram mense Januarij anno predicto ac de ibidem vsque Londoniam et deinde iterato vsque Wyndesoram predictam pro moneta dicte Regine super priuatis expensis camere sue ac custodia iocalium eiusdem Regine super expensis officij sui liberanda, eundo morando et redeundo per xij dies in toto per xxvj dies, capienti per diem vt supra———vj.li.x.s.

Et in feodo Roberti Tanfeld,¹ generalis attornati dicte Regine, ad prosequenda et defendenda omnimoda placita, querela, mota seu mouenda pro predicta Regina vel contra Reginam in omnibus curiis Regis, et ad lucrandum et perdendum in eisdem et ad facienda et ordinanda omnimoda breuia de execucione vel aliter Reginam tangencia in scaccario Regis, et ad essendum clericum dictorum breuium ibidem, habendo et occupando quamdiu dicte Regine placuerit, percipiendo annuatim x.li. sterlingorum ad festa Pasche et Sancti Michelis per manus receptoris generalis sui per literas dicte Regine patentes datas sexto die Julij anno xxiiij^{to} dicti Regis Henrici sexti et acquietanciam eiusdem inter warranta huius compoti remanentem.

fol. 15b

Adhuc feoda officiariorum Regine extra hospicium

Et in vadijs diurnis dicti Roberti Tanfeld, generalis attornati Regine, morantis Londonie ante principium termini Pasche supradicto anno xxxj^{mo} pro diuersis materijs Regine Suthampton et Pembroke tangentibus a xiiij^o die Aprilis eodem anno vsque xviiij^{mo} diem eiusdem mensis per iij dies et vltra finem termini pro diuersis materijs Regine partes predictas tangencibus a xiiij^o die Maij anno predicto vsque sextum diem Junij extunc proxime sequentem per xxiiij dies ac ibidem morantis vltra finem termini Sancte Trinitatis pro exemplificacione actus de Suthampton et Pembroke et literis patentibus de libertatibus Regine prosequendis et pro liberacione habenda in cancellaria Regis de manerio de Fekenham ac pro quadam materia domine de Dacres ex mandato Regine ab xj^{mo} die Julij dicto anno xxxj^{mo} vsque vltimum diem eiusdem mensis per xix dies necnon ibidem morantis vltra finem termini Sancti Michelis cum alijs de consilio Regine, tam pro diuersis materijs eiusdem Regine coram consilio domini Regis quam in scaccario et ad recepta eiusdem prosequendis a xxix^{no} die Nouembris supradicto anno xxxij^{do} vsque xix diem Decembris extunc proxime sequentem per xx dies et ibidem morantis vltra finem termini Sancti Hillarij eodem anno pro diuersis materijs dicte Regine in parlamento ibidem existentibus et pro alijs materijs eiusdem Regine necessarijs prosequendis a xij^o die Februarij dicto anno xxxij^{do} vsque xiiij^o Aprilis die extunc proxime sequenti per lx dies, in toto per cxxviiij dies, capientis per diem iij.s.iiij.d. per billam ipsius Roberti inter warranta huius compoti remanentem———xxj.li.vj.s.viiij.d.

Et in feodo Johannis Walssh et Nicholai Sharp,² auditorum, receptorum, balliuorum, feodariorum, prepositorum, et aliorum ministrorum seu officiariorum

¹ For his biography see Wedgwood, op. cit. pp. 840-1. Tanfield succeeded Cotton in 1455 as chamberlain to Queen Margaret (Somerville, op. cit. p. 209).

² Walsh and Sharp were both auditors of the Duchy of Lancaster. For their biographies see Somerville, op. cit. pp. 399-400, 439-40. Sharp succeeded Cotton as receiver-general of the Duchy (ibid. p. 209). They not only audited

quorumcumque, in Anglia, Wallia, et Marchijs, eiusdem prefate Regine computabilium, percipiendo per manus receptoris generalis pro tempore existentis pro determinacione huiusmodi compotorum per annum per commissionem suam die anno (sic) xxiii^{to} dicti Regis Henrici sexti penes ipsos remanentem _____x.li.

Et in vadijs dicti Johannis Walssh pro equitacionibus suis in officio auditoris circa capcionem et determinacionem compotorum ministrorum et receptorum, necnon receptoris generalis, magistri iocalium, clerici auenarie, clerici operacionum manerij de Pleasaunce, ac aliorum officiarum et ministrorum Regine quorumcumque determinandis hoc anno per billam inde inter memoranda huius compoti remanentem _____xxx.li.xvj.s.viiij.d.

Et in vadijs eiusdem Johannis pro equitacionibus suis in officio suo predicto circa capcionem et determinacionem compotorum ministrorum et receptorum de Tuttebury, Leye, et Kenelworth hoc anno per xl dies per billam remanentem vt supra _____vj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d.

Et in vadijs dicti Nicholai Sharp pro equitacionibus suis in officio auditoris circa capcionem et determinacionem compotorum ministrorum ac receptorum, necnon receptoris generalis magistri iocalium, clerici auenarie, clerici operacionum manerij de Pleasaunce, et aliorum officiariorum et ministrorum Regine quorumcumque determinandis hoc anno, per billam inde inter memoranda supradicta remanentem _____viiij.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d.

Et solutis dictis Johanni Walssh et Nicholao Sharp pro valoribus omnium domaniorum maneriorum terrarum et tenementorum dicte Regine extrahendis et compilandis ac ingrossandis de regardo eis facto pro eodem _____liij.s.iiij.d.

fol. 16a

Adhuc feoda et vadia officiariorum Regine extra hospicium

Et solutis Ricardo Croke, clerico registrarum cancellarie Regine ad c.s. per annum¹ pro feodo suo ad terminos Pasche et Sancti Michelis, videlicet, pro eisdem terminis infra tempus predictum per literam dicte Regine de warranto datam septimo die Februarij supradicto anno xxxij^{do} inter warranta huius compoti remanentem _____c.s.

Et Willelmo Nanseglos² clerico recepte Regine scribenti rotulum feodorum militum, indenturas, acquietancias, obligaciones, et alia diuersa memoranda officium receptoris generalis tangentia, pro feodo suo per annum per eandem literam de warranto vt supra remanentem _____c.s.

Et in feodo Johannis Vailard attornati Regine in cancellaria domini Regis terminos predictos, videlicet, pro eisdem terminis infra tempus predictum per

the queen's household accounts but some of the king's as well (e.g. *C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 60; *C.P.R. 1452-1461*, p. 293).

¹ Queen Elizabeth Wydeville's clerk of the registers, Alexander Rowton, should also have received 100s, but it was disallowed "mandato domine Regine" (E 36/207, p. 24). The fee of Elizabeth's clerk of the receipt, Thomas Holbache, was also disallowed.

² Also receiver of the queen's revenues from Essex, Hertfordshire, Middlesex, and London (above, fol. 12b). He was one of the executors of the will of William Cotton (D.L. 28/5/9).

dictam literam de warranto et acquietanciam eiusdem simul vt supra remanentem
 -----xl.s.

Et in feodo Thome Lloid attornato dicte Regine in Banco Regis ad xl.s. per annum ad terminos predictos, videlicet, pro eisdem terminis infra tempus predictum per predictam literam de warranto et acquietanciam eiusdem simul vt supra remanentem
 -----xl.s.

Et Simoni Elleryngton, attornato dicte Regine in communi Banco Regis, pro feodo suo per annum ad terminos predictos, videlicet, pro eisdem terminis infra tempus predictum per supradictam literam de warranto ac acquietanciam eiusdem Simonis simul inter warranta predicta remanentem
 -----xl.s.

Et Willelmo Essex et Johanni Croke, attornatis dicte Regine in scaccario domini Regis,¹ ad c.s. per annum pro eorum feodo a festo Sancti Michelis anno xxix^{no} dicti Regis Henrici sexti vsque idem festum Sancti Michelis anno eiusdem Regis xxxij^{do} per iij annos integras per literam ipsius Regine de warranto datam xxij^e¹⁰ die Februarij supradicto anno xxxij^{do} necnon acquietanciam eorundem simul inter warranta supradicta remanentem
 -----xv.li.

Et solutis Radulfo Poole, Roberto Danby, Waltero Moile, Thome Billyng, et Johanni Nedeham,² apprenticiis ad legem retentis cum dicta Regina de consilio, cuilibet eorum, pro feodo suo xxvj.s.viij.d. per annum, percipiendo ad terminos predictos per supradictam literam de warranto datam vij^o die Februarij dicto anno xxxij^{do}, scilicet, pro terminis predictis infra tempus predictum
 -----x.li.

Et solutis Willelmo Randolf,³ hostiario domus magni consilij, xx.s., et septem alijs hostiarijs tam scaccarij domini Regis quam recepte eiusdem scaccarij, xxij.s.iiij.d., de quodam regardo sibi facto pro eorum attendencia consilio prefate Regine in officijs suis per supradictam literam de warranto remanentem vt supra
 -----xliij.s.iiij.d.

Et in vadijs Johannis Sharp, custodis magni gardini manerij de Pleasaunce, ad vj.d. per diem sibi concessis, habendis et occupandis durante beneplacito dicte Regine, percipiendis annuatim ad festa Pasche et Sancti Michelis per manus receptoris generalis pro tempore, per literas dicte Regine patentes datas xxvij^o die Julij anno xxv^{to} dicti Regis Henrici vj^{ti} penes ipsum remanentes, videlicet, pro dictis terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis infra tempus predictum ac per acquietanciam eiusdem Johannis inter warranta huius compoti remanentem

ix.li.ij.s.vj.d.

Et in vadijs Johannis Russhewe, custodis parvi gardini subtus fenestras

¹ They also represented the Duchy of Lancaster in the royal exchequer (Somerville, op. cit. p. 458).

² Danby, Moyle, and Billing were also retained by the Duchy of Lancaster (Somerville, op. cit. p. 451). All five eventually became judges—Poole or Pole was made justice of the king's bench in 1452, Danby became chief justice of the common pleas in 1461, Moyle and Needham were created justices of the same court in 1454 and 1457, Billing rose to be chief justice of the king's bench in 1469 (E. Foss, *The Judges of England*, iv. 353, 426, 447, 415).

³ Cf. *C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 149 for grant for life on 8 February 1448 to John Randolf "of the keeping of the council-chamber within the palace of Westminster and of the office of usher of the Receipt of the Exchequer". Cf. *Cal. Fine Rolls, 1445-1452*, pp. 208, 253, which seems to confirm the impression that "William" is a mistake for John.

camerarie dicti manerij de Pleasaunce, ad ij.d. per diem sic sibi per dictam Reginam concessis, habendis et occupandis durante beneplacito dicte Regine, percipiendis annuatim per manus receptoris generalis pro tempore existentis ad festa Pasche et Sancti Michelis equaliter, per literas dicte Regine patentes datas xxvij^o die Julij anno xxv^{to} dicti Regis Henrici sexti penes ipsum remanentes, videlicet, pro dictis terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis infra tempus predictum et per acquietanciam eiusdem Johannis inter warranta supradicta remanentem

lx.s.x.d.

fol. 16b

Adhuc feoda et vadia officiariorum Regine extra hospicium

Et in vadiis Roberti Ketilwell, cui dicta Regina concessit officium clerici operacionum manerij sui de Pleasaunce in comitatu Kancie,¹ habendum et occupandum dictum officium a festo Sancti Michelis anno xxvj^{to} dicti Regis Henrici sexti quamdiu sibi placuerit, percipiendis in eodem officio iij.d. per diem de exitibus et reuencibus dotis eiusdem Regine per manus generalis receptoris sui pro tempore existentis cum consimili vestura prout alij clerici de suo gradu in hospicio Regine percipient, percipiendis in magna garderoba Regine per manus custodis eiusdem, per literas eiusdem Regine patentes datas xj^{mo} die Maij dicto anno xxvj^{to} penes ipsum remanentes, videlicet, in persolucionem vadiorum predictorum hoc anno ac per acquietanciam eiusdem Roberti inter warranta huius compoti remanentem

vj.li.xx.d.

Et in vadiis Johannis Claydon,² cui dicta Regina concessit officium custodis parci sui de Grenewyche et turre sui infra dictum parcum, habendum et occupandum dictum officium a decimo die Septembris anno xxix^{no} dicti Regis Henrici sexti per se vel sufficientem deputatum suum quamdiu eidem Regine placuerit cum vadio vnus denarij per diem, percipiendis annuatim per manus receptoris generalis eiusdem Regine pro tempore existentis ad terminos Sancti Michelis et Pasche per equales porciones ac cum aliis feodis et proficuis eidem officio iuste debitis et consuetis, per literas ipsius Regine patentes datas xj^{mo} die Maij anno dicti Regis xxx^{mo} penes ipsum remanentes, videlicet, in persolucionem huiusmodi vadiorum suorum hoc anno pro terminis predictis infra tempus predictum ac per acquietanciam eiusdem Johannis inter warranta supradicta remanentem

xxx.s.v.d.

Et in feodo siue vadiis Rogeri Morecroft,³ quem dicta Regina constituit et ordinavit nuncium pro consilio suo ac hostiarium et custodem noui turre apud Westmonasterium iuxta scaccarium domini Regis prefate Regine assignati, tam pro consilio suo quam pro conseruacione et salua custodia euidentiarum et librorum eiusdem Regine, habendum et occupandum dicta officia quamdiu eidem Regine

¹ For his account as clerks of the works of the manor of Pleasance at Gravesend, from Easter 25 Henry VI until Michaelmas, 35 Henry VI, see D.L. 28/1/11.

² Possibly the same John Clayton who was in 1441 a page of the king's buttery, in 1445 a page of the king's cellar, and in 1446, when he was made joint keeper of Fanhope park, described as "of the king's cellar" (C.P.R. 1441-1446, pp. 55, 335, 433). He had become a groom of the king's cellar by 1454 (Nicolas, op. cit. vi. 227).

³ See Introduction, BULLETIN, xl (1957), 95, n. 7.

placuerit cum omnimodis feodis vadiis et proficuis dictis officijs debitis et consuetis temporibus aliarum Reginarum per literas dicte Regine patentes datas xij^o die Januarij anno xxix^{no} dicti Regis Henrici vj^{ti} ac per literas dicte Regine de warranto datas xx^{mo} die Marcij dicto anno xxix^{no} inter warranta de anno xxx^{mo} eiusdem Regis remanentes, per quas quidem literas eadem Regina voluit et eidem receptori suo generali mandauit quod soluat eidem Rogero annuatim iij.d. per diem pro feodis et vadijs pro officijs predictis a supradicto xij^o die Januarij quousque aliter per dictam Reginam aut eius consilium habuerit in mandatis, videlicet de huiusmodi feodis et vadijs suis iij.d. per diem infra tempus compoti, ac per acquietanciam ipsius Rogeri inter warranta huius compoti remanentem

—iij.li.xj.s.ij.d.

Et in vadijs eiusdem Rogeri equitantis diuersis vicibus hoc anno in negocijs ipsius Regine ad diuersas partes Anglie per mandatum dicte Regine et consilij sui sui cum diuersis literis pro maiori commodo Regine per xxvij dies infra tempus compoti, capientis per diem xij.d. per billam ipsius Rogeri inter warranta predicta remanentem

—xxvij.s.

Summa feodorum et vadiorum officiariorum }
Regine extra hospicium } cccxlix.li.iiij.s.vij.d.

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Annuitates

Et in quadam annuitate centum marcarum per dictam dominam Margaretam Reginam Anglie carissimo consanguineo suo Edmundo Duci Somerset¹ pro bono consilio suo et laudabili servicio quod predictus consanguineus suus eidem Regine impendit et impendet infuturum ac eciam propter magnam affectionem et beneuolenciam quam dictus consanguineus Regine eidem in vrgentibus negocijs suis ostendet concessa, percipienda annuatim de exitibus et reuencionibus dotis eiusdem Regine per manus generalis receptoris sui pro tempore existentis, per literas dicte Regine patentes xvj^o die Nouembris anno xxx^{mo} dicti Regis Henrici sexti penes ipsum remanentes ac per literas eiusdem Regine de warranto datas xvij^o die Februarij anno eiusdem Regis xxxj^{mo} prefato receptori suo generali directas et inter warranta de eodem remanentes, per quas quidem literas eadem Regina voluit et eidem receptore suo generali mandauit quod soluat prefato consanguineo suo annuatim c marcas ad terminos Pasche et Sancti Michelis, eo quod eadem Regina per easdem suas de warranto concessit prefato consanguineo suo quod percipiet dictas c marcas annuatim a festo Sancti Michelis dicto anno xxx^{mo} ad terminos predictos per equales porciones, non obstante quod mencio non fit in eisdem literis patentibus Regine de predictis diebus solucionis, videlicet in persolucionem annuitatis predicte pro terminis predictis infra tempus predictum et per ij acquietancias ipsius ducis inter warranta huius compoti remanentes

—lxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d.

Et solutis Waltero Bursthede,² valetto equorum dicte Regine, de quodam regardo c.s. per annum sibi concesso annuatim, percipiendo durante beneplacito

¹ Edmund Beaufort had been created Marquis of Dorset in 1443 and Duke of Somerset in 1448; he was killed at the first battle of St. Albans in 1455 (*C.P.* xii. 53).

² He was one of the four commissioned on 27 August 1444 to provide horses for the conducting of the new queen (*Foedera*, v. i. 137).

dicte Regine per manus receptoris generalis pro tempore existentis ad festa Pasche et Sancti Michelis equaliter, per literas dicte Regine patentes datas xiiii^o die Aprilis anno xxv^{to} dicti Regis Henrici vj^{ti} penes ipsum remanentes, videlicet, pro dictis terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis infra tempus predictum ac per acquietanciam ipsius Walteri inter warranta predicta remanentem———c.s.

Et in quadam annuitate decem marcarum concessa Henrico Babyncourt, aresmaker, percipienda annuatim durante beneplacito dicte Regine per manus receptoris generalis pro tempore existentis ad festa Pasche et Sancti Michelis equaliter per literas eiusdem Regine patentes datas xiiii^{to} die Julij dicto anno xxv^{to} penes ipsum remanentes, necnon per acquietanciam dicti Henrici inter warranta huius compoti remanentem, videlicet, in persolucionem annuitatis predictae pro terminis supradictis infra tempus predictum———vj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d.

Et in quodam riguardo xl.s. per annum concesso Henrico Fisher, vni pedestrium dicte Regine, percipiendo annuatim durante beneplacito prefate Regine de exitibus et reuencibus dotis eiusdem Regine per manus generalis receptoris sui pro tempore existentis ad terminos Sancti Michelis et Pasche equaliter, per literas eiusdem Regine patentes datas xiiij^o die Nouembris dicto anno xxvj^{to} penes ipsum remanentes ac acquietanciam dicti Henrici inter warranta predicta remanentem, videlicet, pro dictis terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis infra tempus predictum———xl.s.

Et in quadam annuitate cvj.s.viiij.d. concessa Micheli Belwell,¹ sirurgico Regine, percipienda annuatim durante beneplacito dicte Regine per manus receptoris generalis pro tempore existentis ad festa Pasche et Sancti Michelis equaliter per literas eiusdem Regine patentes datas xviiij^o die Aprilis dicto anno xxv^{to} penes ipsum remanentes, videlicet, pro terminis predictis infra tempus predictum ac per acquietanciam eiusdem inter warranta predicta remanentem———cvj.s.viiij.d.

Et in quodam annuo certo xl.s. concesso Johanni Pecok, valetto estuffure dicte Regine, in recompensacione custuum et expensarum per ipsum in dies habitorem et sustentacione equitando super equum ad suos proprios custos et expensas quamdiu eidem Regine placuerit, percipiendo annuatim ad festa Pasche et Sancti Michelis equaliter de exitibus et proficuis dotis sue Regine per manus receptoris generalis eiusdem Regine pro tempore existentis, per literas dicte Regine patentes datas xx^m^o die Februarij anno xxvj^{to} dicti Regis Henrici sexti penes ipsum remanentes ac per acquietanciam dicti Johannis inter warranta supradicta remanentem, videlicet, pro dictis terminis Pasche et Sancti Michelis infra tempus predictum———xl.s.

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Adhuc annuitates

Et in quodam riguardo xl.s. per annum concesso Jacobo Ainsley, vni pedestrium dicte Regine, percipiendo annuatim de exitibus et reuencibus dotis ipsius Regine per manus receptoris generalis eiusdem Regine pro tempore existentis ad terminos Pasche et Sancti Michelis equaliter durante beneplacito ipsius Regine, per literas suas patentes datas die Aprilis (sic) anno xxvj^{to} dicti Regis Henrici sexti penes ipsum remanentes, ac per acquietanciam dicti Jacobi inter warranta huius compoti remanentem———xl.s.

¹ See note 1, p. 409.

Et in quodam regardo xl.s. per annum concesso Johanni Skynner,¹ valetto de scaldynghouse dicte Regine, pro bono servicio eidem Regine in officio suo impenso et sic annuatim durante beneplacito ipsius Regine, per literas suas de warranto datas xxix^{no} die Septembris anno xxviii^o dicti Regis Henrici sexti, necnon acquietanciam eiusdem Johannis inter warranta predicta remanentem———x.ls.

Et in quodam regardo c.s. per annum per prefatam Reginam Ricardo Whityngdon, valetto ferrure sue, concesso, percipiendo annuatim ad terminos Pasche et Sancti Michelis equaliter, per literas dicte Regine patentis datas xxvij^o die Marcij anno xxvij^o dicti Regis Henrici sexti penes ipsum remanentes, ac acquietanciam ipsius Ricardi inter warranta supradicta remanentem———c.s.

Summa annuitatum predictarum———^{xx}iiiijxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiiiij.d.

Custus et expense necessarie

Et in pergameno, papiro, cera rubea et encausto emptis et expenditis (sic) in literis patentibus et alijs warrantis prefate Regine in officio cancellarie superscribendis hoc anno, per supradictas literas dicte Regine de warranto datas vij^o die Februarij anno xxxij^{do} dicti Regis Henrici sexti inter warranta huius compoti remanentes———lx.s.

Et in pergameno, papiro, cera rubea, et encausto, ac alijs diuersis necessarijs emptis et expenditis in officio dicti receptoris generalis Regine per dictum tempus huius compoti, per billam de parcellis inter warranta predicta remanentem———xlvj.s.viiij.d.

Et in pergameno et papiro emptis pro valoribus et memorandis et memorandis tocius dotis dicte Regine tam in Anglia quam in Wallia hoc anno superscribendis———xiiij.s.iiiiij.d.

Et solutis magistro Nicholao Carent,² clerico, secretario prefate Regine, pro pergameno, velym, encausto, et cera ad vsum dicte Regine per ipsum inuentis in officio secretarij iuxta appunctuamentum consilij ipsius Regine, per literas eiusdem Regine de warranto datas secundo die Decembris anno xxxj^{mo} dicti Regis Henrici sexti inter warranta eiusdem anni remanentes, per quas quidem literas eadem Regina voluit et prefato receptori suo generali mandauit quod soluat prefato secretario suo annuatim xl.s. quamdiu idem secretarius Regine inueniet stuffuram predictam iuxta appunctuamentum consilij predicti, videlicet, in persolucione dictorum xl.s. pro stuffura predicta per ipsum hoc anno inuenta———xl.s.

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Adhucustus et expense necessarie

Et in diuersis pixidibus emptis pro warrantis, acquietancijs, et alijs memorandis dicte Regine intus ponendis et saluo custodiendis hoc anno———xx.d.

Et in iij virgis panni viridis emptis pro tabula computatoria dicti receptoris generalis pro moneta dicte Regine desuper muneranda et superponenda, precio virge ij.s.iiiiij.d.———vij.s.

¹ Cf. above, fol. 13a, for his wage of 40s. a year.

² He was already Dean of Wells, an office to which he had been elected, probably with Margaret's help, in 1446 (Le Neve, op. cit. i, 152). For a letter written on his behalf by Margaret to the executor of his predecessor as Dean of Wells, see Munro, op. cit. pp. 93-4.

Et in v duodenis computatoriorum emptis pro officio dicti computus hoc anno, precio duodene iiij.d. _____xx.d.

Et solutis Johanni Deryngton¹ clerico receptoris generalis Ducatus Lancastrie pro intendencia et magno labore suo habitis in solucionem Mcccxxxiiij.li.vj.s.viiij.d. prefate Regine de ducatu predicto assignatis, de riguardo sibi facto pro eodem ex consideracione magni consilij Regine _____xxvj.s.viiij.d.

Et solutis Willelmo Nanseglos, clerico recepte Regine, pro expensis suis morantis Londonie temporibus vacacionis per vices pro denarijs de diuersis receptoribus prefate Regine in absentia ipsius receptoris generalis, percipiendis ac pro denarijs de diuersis mercatoribus comitatus Cornubie per obligaciones custume pro cunagio stanni ibidem similiter recipiendis, per xxxij septimanas, capiendo per septimanam xx.d. _____liij.s.iiij.d.

Et in batellagio dicti Willelmi de Londonia vsque Grenewiche ac de Londonia vsque Westmonasterium pro diuersis negocijs prefate Regine ibidem faciendis, quam pro moneta diuersis vicibus ibidem anno predicto super solucionem feodorum militum, dominarum, et damicellarum hospicij ac vadiorum armigerorum clericorum et aliorum officiariorum eiusdem hospicij ac privatarum expensarum eiusdem Regine, soluendo hoc anno _____vj.s.viiij.d.—

Et in bagis de correo et panno lineo emptis tam pro rotulis valorum quam pro moneta Regine vsque Wyndesore et alibi cariandis et alijs ministris eiusdem Regine liberandis hoc anno _____vj.s.viiij.d.

Et solutis Johanni Vailard, attornato dicte Regine, in cancellaria domini Regis de riguardo sibi facto pro grandis laboribus suis pro dicti Regina in cancellaria predicta habitis, per supradictas literas Regine de warranto datas vij^o die Februarij dicto anno xxxij^{do} inter warranta supradicta remanentes _____c.s.

Et solutis clericis duorum auditorum prefate Regine pro grandis laboribus suis in comptis diuersorum receptorum balliuorum et feodariorum ingrossandis, prout huiusmodi allocacio facta fuit tempore Katerine nuper Regine Anglie, cum vj.s.viiij.d. de riguardo facto cuidam clerico auditorum de auisamento consilij pro scriptura istius compoti per predictam literam de warranto, vt supra, remanentem _____xl.s.

Et solutis Roberto Tanfeld, generali attornato prefate Regine, pro diuersis custubus et expensis per ipsum factis in persecucionem breuium pro diuersis materijs dictam Reginam tangentibus ac solucionibus diuersis hominibus legisperitis pro auisamento et consilio suo habendis in diuersis materijs commodum dicte Regine tangentibus, vt patet per billam eiusdem Roberti de particulis inde inter warranta predicta remanentem _____xxix.li.vij.s.ij.d.

Et solutis Johanni Fogge,² vicecomiti Kancie, pro quodam riguardo sibi facto per auisamentum consilij ipsius Regine pro soluzione xxij.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. de auro Regine per ipsum leuato de bonis et catallis debitis auri predicti hoc anno.

_____xxxiiij.s.iiij.d.

Summa expensarum, neccessiarum, et solucionum forinsecarum predictarum _____lj.li.iiij.s.ij.d.

¹ For his biography, see Somerville, op. cit. pp. 399-400.

² It is interesting to find a reward being paid to one who was soon to be such a prominent Yorkist. For his biography, see Wedgwood, op. cit. pp. 339-42.

Soluciones per warrantam

Et solutis Willelmo Cotton, armigero, receptori generali Ducatus Lancastrie, cui prefata Margareta, considerans qualiter Galfridus Louthur, nuper receptor generalis ducatus predicti, habuit ex concessione et regardo excellentissime principesse Katerine, nuper Regine Anglie, pro solucione certarum annuitatum quas ipsa habuit de exitibus ducatus predicti per manus dicti Galfridi pro quibuslibet c.li. sic liberatis ad vsum eiusdem xx.s. concessit eidem Willelmo, nunc receptori generali eiusdem ducatus, de speciali regardo pro annuitate quas eadem Margareta Regina percipit de exitibus eiusdem ducatus per manus dicti nunc receptoris generalis pro quibuslibet c.li.xx.s., prout dictus Galfridus Louthur habuit, volens enim Regina quod idem Willelmus percipiet annuatim pro solucione quarumlibet c.li. quas idem receptor soluet ad vsum eiusdem Regine pro huiusmodi annuitate xx.s., videlicet, pro huiusmodi annuitate MM marcarum eidem Regine hoc anno liberata, per literas dicte Regine de warranto datas xxj^m die Maij anno xxvij^o dicti Regis Henrici sexti inter warranta de eodem anno remanentes—xiiij.li.vj.s.viiij.d.

Et Ricardo Bulstrode¹ pro vadijs et regardis diuersorum scissorum et pictatorum ac pro diuersis parcellis et stuffura emptis per speciale mandatum ipsius Regine pro disgisynge² facto coram Rege et prefata Regina apud manerium de Pleasaunce festo Natalis Domini anno xxxj^m dicti Regis Henrici sexti, per literas ipsius Regine de warranto datas xxx^m die Januarij eodem anno xxxj^m simul cum acquietancia ipsius Ricardi inter warranta huius compoti remanenti—xxv.li.ix.s.

Et magistro Willelmo Say³ decano capelle Regis pro oblacionibus Regine cotidianis iiij.d. per diem a retro existentibus a xij^o die Decembris anno xxx^m dicti Regis Henrici sexti vsque festum Pasche anno eiusdem Regis xxxij^o xxj diebus quolibet anno exceptis quibus eadem Regina optulit aurum, videlicet, diebus annuis Beate Marie, Parasceues, Pasche, Dominica in alibis, festo Sancti Georgij, Ascencionis, Pentecoste, Dominica in festo Sancte Trinitatis, Corporis Christi, Reliquiarum, Assumpcionis Beate Marie, Nativitatis eiusdem, die obitus Regis Henrici v^{ti}, diebus Omnium Sanctorum, Commemoracionis, Concepcionis Beate Marie, Natalis Domini, Circumsicionis, Epiphanie, die obitus Katerine nuper Regine matris dicti nunc Regis, et die Purificacionis Beate Marie,⁴ per literas dicte Margarete Regine de warranto datas x^m die Maij anno dicti nunc Regis xxxj^m ac per acquietanciam dicti decani simul inter warranta huius compoti, videlicet, pro huiusmodi oblacionibus cotidianis Regine a supradicto xij^o die Decembris anno xxx^m vsque dictum festum Pasche anno xxxij^o per ccccliij dies vltra dies (sic) in quibus dicta Regina optulit aurum—vij.li.xj.s.

¹ Cf. *ibid.* pp. 130-1.

² disgisynge, a masque or masquerade.

³ He was made dean of the king's chapel between May, 1448 and July, 1449 (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, pp. 253, 259). He continued to be dean of the chapel royal under Edward IV, and in Queen Elizabeth Wydeville's surviving household account he is described as "decanus capelle dominorum Regis et Regine" (*E 36/207*, p. 37). He became dean of St. Paul's in 1457 (*C. N. L. Brooke*, "The Deans of St. Paul's, c. 1090-1499", *B.I.H.R.*, XXIX. 243).

⁴ This is more than the number of feasts for which special offerings were authorized in the household of Edward IV (*Household Ordinances*, p. 23).

Et Ricardo Roos militi de quodam prefato lx.li. per dictam Reginam sibi in recompensationem tanti subbosci et ardi ligni, percipiendi infra forestam de Rokyngham, Whitelwode, et Saucy sicut attingere possit ad summam cxx.li., per dictum Regem eidem Ricardo concessio, quamquidem forestam idem Rex auctoritate parlamenti predictae Regine concessit,¹ et Regina considerans quod dicta concessio Regis eidem Ricardo facta (sic) vacua sit in lege concessit eidem Ricardo lx.li. per viam prestiti, de quibus idem Ricardus recepit xxx.li. in manibus et x.li., parcellam dicti lx.li., vigilia Pentecoste proxime sequenti, xxj^{mum} diem Maij anno xxxj^{mo}, et xxx.li. festo Nativitatis Sancti Johannis tunc proxime sequentis, resoluendas prefate Regine in talibus assignamentis sicut eidem Regi placuerit concedere eidem Ricardo in recompensationem supradictarum cxx.li., per literas ipsius Regine de warranto datas xx^{mo} die Maij dicto anno xxxj^{mo}, simul cum indentura inde inter warranta huius compoti remanenti. De quibus quidem assignamentis reddit in fine huius compoti———xxx.li.

Et Philippo de Pynys ² mercatori de Venys pro panno et pannis serici et auri ab ipso emptis ad vsum ipsius Regine per Ricardum Bulstrode, servientem suum, ex speciali mandato ipsius Regine per literas suas de warranto datas xxx^{mo} die Januarij dicto anno xxxj^{mo} ac per acquietanciam ipsius Philippi simul inter warranta predicta remanentem———lxxij.li.xij.s.vj.d.

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Adhuc soluciones et warranta

Et Johanni Prudde vitriatori Regis ³ pro vitro et vitriacione vnus fenestre de duobus luminibus in capella Beate Marie de le Pew operate cum duobus ymaginibus Regis et Regine genuflectantium et salutacionis Beate Marie cum armis Regis et Regine florished cum floribus necnon verbo Regine scripto, continentis large mensura peditis pauli xxxj pedites et dimidum, precio peditis xij.d. ac pro posicionem xix peditum veteris vitri scored in nouo plumbo, precio posicionis peditis iij.d. necnon pro vno Escochon de armis Edwardi Sancti posito in dicto veteri vitro, precio ij.s., et alterius Escochyn de armis Sancti Georgij

¹ R.P. v. 261. As this was an act passed in 1454 it is one of the many indications that this account was compiled, at the earliest, nearly a year after the official terminating date of Michaelmas, 1453. ² Not identified.

³ John Prudde was appointed king's glazier in September 1440 (C.P.R. 1436-1441, p. 469) with the use of "a 'shedde' called 'the glaziers logge' in the western part within Westminster palace, and a gown of the king's livery of the suit of the serjeant of the works yearly at Christmas". He and his men glazed the windows of Eton College, Fromond's Chantry in Winchester College, the resplendent Beauchamp Chapel at Warwick (J. Le Couteur, *English Medieval Painted Glass* (London, 1926), pp. 19, 21, 29, 30, 110, 120 and references there given); also the windows of All Souls College, Oxford (E. F. Jacob, "The Building of All Souls College, 1438-43" in *Historical Essays in honour of James Tait* (1933), p. 131).

The Chapel of our Lady of the Pew, mentioned here, was destroyed in Henry VII's time to make a Chapel of St. Erasmus. It stood on the north side of the ambulatory at the entrance to the present Chapel of St. John the Baptist. (F. Bond, *Westminster Abbey* (London, 1909), pp. 252-3; W. R. Lethaby, *Westminster Abbey and the King's Craftsmen* (London, 1906), pp. 352-55; *The Westminster Abbey Guide* (28th edn., London, 1936), p. 83).

positi in dicto veteri vitro, precio xij.d., in toto attingentibus ad xxxix.s.iiij.d., per literas ipsius Regine de warranto datas vij^o die Junij anno xxxj^mo dicti Regis Henrici sexti ac acquietanciam ipsius Johannis simul inter warranta predicta remanentem—xxxix.s.

Et Ricardo Salisbury de Soham in comitatu Cantebrigie et Johanni Wright tenenti eiusdem Ricardi, videlicet, tam x.li. in contentacionem et satisfacionem dampnorum et perditorum eidem Ricardo factorum in combustionem stabuli eiusdem Ricardi in Newmarket per infortunium ignis tempore quo eadem Regina ibidem perhendinauit quam lxvj.s.viiij.d. pro certis lectis bladij et alia stuffura eiusdem Johannis combustis in eadem domo, per literas Regine de warranto datas v^{to} die Julij dicto anno xxxj^mo ac acquietanciam ipsorum Ricardi et Johannis simul inter warranta predicta remanentem—xiiij.li.vj.s.viiij.d.

Et Matheo Phelipp', aurifabro Londonie,¹ in persolucionem cxxv.li.x.s.vij.d. sibi debitorum pro certis iocalibus et goldsmythwerk ab eo vsum Regine emptis, per literas eiusdem Regine de warranto datas xvij^o die Julij dicto anno xxxj^mo ac acquietanciam ipsius Mathei simul inter warranta predicta remanentem cxxv.li.x.s.

Et Johanni Wenlock,² militi camerario Regine, in plenam solucionem xxiiij.li.vj.s.viiij.d. pro tribus palfridis ab eo ad vsum Regine emptis, per literas eiusdem Regine de warranto datas xvij^o die Julij dicto anno xxxj^mo ac acquietanciam ipsius Johannis simul inter warranta predicta remanentem—xxiiij.li.vj.s.viiij.d.

Et predicto Johanni Wenlok, militi camerario Regine, pro viij.li.xiiij.s. per ipsum liberatis Johanni Hattecliff, clerico auenario Regine, mense Nouembris anno xxix^mo Regis Henrici sexti, videlicet, vj.li.xiiij.s. pro vadijs certorum seruientium stabuli Regine, xxxiiij.s.iiij.d. pro plena solucione vnus equi empti de Rogero Dyke, et vj.s.viiij.d. datis seruientibus stabuli dicte Regine de regardo ex mandato dicte Regine, per literas eiusdem Regine de warranto datas xvij^o die Julij dicto anno xxx^mo ac acquietanciam ipsius Johannis Wenlok militis simul inter warranta predicta remanentem—viiij.li.xiiij.s.

Et Thome Seintbarbe, Humfrido Stafford, ac Roberto Chicheley, armigeris hospicij Regine, Willelmo Lepton, valetto ostiario camere Regine, de regardo per prefatam Reginam de regardo sibi facto ad grandes custus quos quilibet habuit et sustinuit in graui infirmitate per visitacionem divinam, videlicet, Thome Seintbarbe xxvj.s.viiij.d., Humfrido Stafford liij.s.iiij.d., Roberto Chicheley xxxiiij.s.iiij.d., et Willelmo Lepton xiiij.s.iiij.d., per literas eiusdem Regine de warranto datas xxiiij^{to} die Julij dicto anno xxxj^mo ac acquietanciam ipsorum Thome, Humfridi, Roberti, et Willelmi simul inter warranta predicta remanentem vj.li.vj.s.viiij.d.

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Adhuc soluciones per warranta

Et Thome Bateman et Johanni Hardwik,³ clericis, ad prouidendum et ordinandum totum illud victualium et alia necessaria pro diebus sabbati et

¹ He had already become alderman of London by 1450 and was sheriff of London in 1452 (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, pp. 401, 558, 570). He had been made king's goldsmith as long ago as 1443 (*C.P.R. 1441-1446*, p. 235).

² See Introduction BULLETIN, xl (1957), 97, and n. 107.

³ In 1454 Thomas Bateman had become a clerk of the greencloth, and John Hardwick clerk of the kitchen, in the royal household (Nicolas, *op. cit.* vi. 226, 228).

dominice, iiii^{to} et v^{to} diebus Augusti anno xxxij^{do}, pro maritagiis dominarum Elizabeth Botiller et Edith Seintlowe,¹ vt pro prouidencia causa maritagiorum predictorum attingencia ad summam xvj.li.xxij.d. vltra expensis diurnis hospicij Regis, vino deducto, sicut apparet de recordo in libris compotorum hospicij predicti, per literas dicte Regine de warranto datas nono die Septembris dicto anno xxxij^{do} ac acquietanciam ipsorum Thome et Johannis simul inter warranta huius compoti remanentem——xvj.li.xxij.d.

Et Johanni Sergeant, nuncio Regine, cui prefata Margareta Regina concessit tres denarios per diem, percipiendos annuatim de exitibus et reuencibus dotis sue per manus generalis receptoris sui pro tempore existentis ad festa Pasche et Sancti Michelis per equales porciones quamdiu eidem Regine placuerit dicto Johanni infra siue extra curiam Regine existenti, non obstante prouiso semper quod idem Johannes in rotulo scaccarij Regine pro vadijs trium denariorum per diem siue infra siue extra curiam predictam extiterit a primo die Aprilis dicto anno xxxj^{mo} non ponatur siue tituletur, per literas eiusdem Regine patentes datas eodem primo die Aprilis anno xxxj^{mo} penes ipsum remanentes, necnon per literas eiusdem Regine de warranto datas xxij^{c10} die Nouembris dicto anno xxxij^{do}, ac acquietanciam eiusdem Johannis simul inter warranta predicta remanentem, videlicet, de huiusmodi vadijs suis a supradicto primo die Aprilis anno xxxj^{mo} vsque supradictum festum Sancti Michelis tunc proxime sequentem, scilicet per ^{xx}ciij j dies iuxta ratam vadiorum predictorum per idem tempus——xlv.s.ij.d.

Et Willelmo Say,² decano capelle Regis, in vno capho valoris xx marcarum per dictum Willelmum Cotton empto et eidem decano liberato, pro lumine et apparello de reignes³ pro fonte principis,⁴ quam pro le crisume,⁵ lumine et oblacione die purificationis Regine, necnon pro oblacionibus sibi debitis pro tempore quo eadem Regina custodiebat et exstitebat in camera sua, per literas eiusdem Regine de warranto datas xxix^{mo} die Nouembris dicto anno xxxij^{do} ac acquietanciam eiusdem decani simul inter warranta predicta remanentem——xiiij.li.vj.s.viiij.d.

Et valettis, garcionibus, et pagettis camere et aule domini Regis de regardo per dictam Reginam sibi pro bona attendencia circa prefatum Regem hoc anno per literas eiusdem Regine de warranto datas xij^o die Decembris dicto anno xxxij^{do} inter warranta predicta remanentes——c.li.

¹ See note 2, p. 404, and note 2, p. 405.

² See note 3, p. 422.

³ "Cloth of Raines", a kind of fine linen or lawn made at Rennes in Brittany (*N.E.D.*).

⁴ Edward, Prince of Wales, was born on 13 October 1453 (*An English Chronicle*, ed. J. S. Davies (Camden Soc., 1856), p. 70). One of his godfathers was Edmund, Duke of Somerset, mentioned in this account (fol. 17a). £10 was paid for the wax lights burnt at Edward's baptism (*Devon. Issues*, p. 478).

⁵ "chrisom-robe", a white robe put on a child at baptism as a token of innocence, and given as an offering at the mother's purification (*N.E.D.*). The embroidered chrisom-cloth, with 20 yards of russet of gold and 540 "broun sable bakkes", worth altogether £554 16s. 8d., were a present from the king to the queen (*Devon, op. cit.* p. 478).

Et Thome, domino de Scales,¹ de riguardo sibi per dictam dominam Reginam pro diurna diligencia et attendencia in consilio eiusdem Regine per literas dicte Regine datas xix^{no} die Decembris dicto anno xxxij^{do} ac quietanciam ipsius Thome domini de Scales simul inter warranta predicta remanentem———x.li.

Et Osanne Herman,³ vni domicellarum Regine, de dono suo ad maritagium eiusdem pro literas dicte Regine de warranto datas vj^{to} die Marcij dicto anno xxxij^{do} ac quietanciam ipsius Osanne simul inter warranta supradicta remanentem———cc.li.

Summa solucionum per warranta predicta———Dclxx.li.xv.s.xj.d.

Allocacio superplusagij

Et in allocacione Willelmo Cotton, receptori generali dicte Regine, pro superplusagio suo in compoto suo de huiusmodi recepta de anno proxime precedenti habito———xxxj.li.x.s.vj.d.ob.

Summa allocacionum superplusagij predicti———xxxj.li.x.s.vj.d.ob.⁴

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Liberacio forinseca

* Et Roberto Ketilwell, clerico operacionum ac prouisori stuffure manerij de Pleasaunce in Grenewich, super prouidencia et empcione stuffurarum ad idem per literas dicte Regine de warranto xx^{mo} die Julij anno xxv^{to} dicti Regis Henrici sexti inter warranta de anno xxvj^{to} eiusdem Regis remanentes ad v. vices, videlicet, prima vice secundo die Marcij anno xxxij^{do} Regis predicti xij.li., secunda vice xvij^o die Aprilis eodem anno xl.s., tertia vice vij^o die Junij anno predicto xl.s., iij^{ta} vice vij^o die Julij eodem anno iij.li., et v^{ta} vice xxiiij^{to} die eiusdem mensis vij.li.viii.s.ij.d. per vnam indenturam inde inter warranta huius compoti remanentem———xxvij.li.viii.s.ij.d.

Et Johanni Hattecliff, clerico auenario dicte Regine, super empcione et prouisione feni, auenarum, neccessariorum, ac cariagio et solucionibus pro vadijs stabuli et alijs infra tempus huius compoti, per literas eiusdem Regine de warranto datas vltimo die Decembris anno xxv^{to} dicti Regis Henrici sexti inter warranta de anno xxvj^{to} eiusdem Regis remanentes ad diuersas vices, videlicet, prima vice xvj^o die Maij dicto anno xxxj^{mo}, xxxvij.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d., secunda vice xxiij^{do} die Junij eodem anno iij.li., tertia vice xij^o die Septembris anno xxxij^{do} supradicto vij.li., iij^{ta} vice xxiiij^{to} die Nouembris eodem anno xxx.li., v^{ta} vice xx^{mo} die Februarij eodem anno cxl.li., vj^{ta} vice primo die Marcij dicto anno xxxij^{do} xx.li., vij^a vice xj^{mo} die eiusdem mensis per manus Johannis Pigot x.li.x.s.x.d., viij^a

¹ He had married Ismania, one of the queen's ladies, and was killed at London in 1460 in the Lancastrian cause; see above, fol. 12a and note 1, p. 404.

² It will be noted that this and the preceding three payments were made after Michaelmas, 1453, when the account purports to end.

³ See above, note 2, pp. 405-6.

⁴ Evidently the previous account had ended with a deficit; this was characteristic of the royal finances by this time. See Introduction, BULLETIN, xl (1957), 87, n. 3.

* This paragraph has in the left-hand margin the note "Robertus Ketilwell, clericus operacionum manerij de Pleasaunce".

vice xix^m die eiusdem mensis x.li., ix^a vice xxij^o die eiusdem mensis x.li., x^a vice xij^o die Aprilis predicto anno xxxij^{do} xv.li.xiiij.s.v.d.ob., xj^{ma} vice xvj^o die Aprilis xxxij^{do} c.s., xij^{ma} vice dictis die et anno vj.li., xiiij^{ma} vice xvij^o die eiusdem mensis xx.li. et xiiij^a vice nono die Maij dicti anno xxxij^{do}, xvij.li.vj.s.viiij.d., per vnam indenturam inde inter warranta huius compoti remanentem—

ccccx.li.v.s.iiij.d.ob.

Et Johanni Norrys,¹ armigero, custodi magne garderobe dicte Regine, pro expensis factis super empcionem prouisionum et expensas in officio garderobe

predicte ad vsum dicte Regine hoc anno in partem solucionis MMiiij.xviiij.li.ix.s.vj.d.ob.q. eidem Johanni, per literas eiusdem Regine de warranto datas xij^o die Octobris dicto anno xxxij^{do} inter warranta huius compoti remanentes ad diuersas vices, videlicet, prima vice x^m die Septembris eodem anno xxxij^{do} xvij.li., secunda vice primo die Octobris eodem anno M.li., tercia vice xx^m eiusdem mensis D.li., quarta vice dictis die et anno per manus vicecomitis ville Suthampton l.li., quinta vice dictis die et anno xxxiiij.li.ij.s.j.d.q., sexta vice xxviiij^o die eiusdem mensis x.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d., vij^a vice xx^m die Nouembris eodem anno xxxij^{do} viij.li., viij^a vice penultimo die eiusdem mensis per manus balliuorum ville Norhampton xlvi.li.xj.s.iiij.d., ix^{na} vice xx^m die Decembris eodem anno x.li., x^{ma} vice dictis die et anno ccc.li.xix.s., xj^{ma} vice xxij^{do} die eiusdem mensis lxxiiij.s.iiij.d., et

xij^{ma} vice x^m die Octobris dicto anno xxxij^{do} ^{xx}iiij.xiiij.li.vj.s.viiij.d. per xij indenturas inde inter warranta predicta remanentes—MM.lxxiiij.li.v.s.viiij.d.q.†

Et Edwardo Ellesmere,² thesaurario camere et custodi iocalium prefate Regine, pro solucionibus et expensis factis et habitis in officio iocalium predicto, in persolucionem lxxv.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. eidem Edwardo assignatis per literas dicte Regine de warranto datas xvj^o die Maij dicto anno xxxj^{mo} ad duas vices, videlicet, vna vice xx^m die eiusdem mensis Maij xxxiiij.li.vj.s.viiij.d. et altera vice viij^o die

¹ He was already a yeoman of the king's chamber in 1429 (*C.P.R. 1429-1436*, p. 37) and an esquire for the king's body by 1441 (*C.P.R. 1436-1441*, p. 568). In October 1444 he was appointed, as from the previous Michaelmas, keeper of the king's great wardrobe (*C.P.R. 1441-1446*, p. 311), an office which he retained until Michaelmas, 1446 (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 4). In April 1447 he was appointed, as from Michaelmas 1446, treasurer of the chamber and master of the jewels of Queen Margaret (E 101/409/14), an office which he retained until Michaelmas 1452 (E 101/410/8). In 1462 he was pardoned as a Lancastrian and died in 1466 (Wedgwood, op. cit. p. 639).

² He was already clerk of the queen's jewels in September 1445 (*C.P.R. 1441-1446*, p. 373) and was still occupying this post in 1451 (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 456). At Michaelmas 1452 he became treasurer of the queen's chamber (E 101/410/8). He fought on the Lancastrian side at Towton, and was attainted in the Parliament of 1461 (*Rot. Parl. v. 177b*); in 1475 the attainder was reversed, at his petition, and some of his possessions were restored (*Rot. Parl. vi. 130a-131a*). In 1485 he successfully petitioned Henry VII for the return of lands, tenements, and offices acquired by one of Edward IV's physicians, Jacques Frus, or James Friis (*ibid. p. 327b*). Ellesmere was probably dead by November 1489 (*Cal. Close Rolls, 1485-1500*, p. 144).

† This paragraph has two notes in the left-hand margin: "reddit hoc anno de Mcx.li.vj.s.viiij.d." and "reddit anno futuro de Dcccclxij.li.xix.s.q.^a".

Nouembris supradicto anno xxxij^{do} xxxiiij.li.vj.s.viiij.d. per ij indenturas simul vt supra remanentes——lxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d.

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Adhuc liberacio forinseca

Et prefato Edwardo Ellesmere, thesaurario camere ac custodi iocalium ipsius Regine, in partem solucionis Dcccxxxviiij.li.xiiij.d.ob. prefato Edwardo per literam eiusdem Regine de warranto datam iiij^{to} die Nouembris supradicto anno xxxij^{do} Regis predicti assignatis, pro solucionibus et expensis factis et habitis in officio iocalium predictorum ad x vices, videlicet, prima vice xxvj^{to} die Decembris dicti anno xxxij^{do} cc.li., secunda vice penultimo die Januarij eodem anno xl.li., tercia vice xiiij^o die Februarij eodem anno x.li., iiij^{ta} vice xiiij^o die eiusdem mensis xxxv.li.xviiij.s.xj.d.ob., v^{ta} vice tercio die Marcij dicto anno xxxij^{do} xl.li., vj^{ta} vice xj^m^o die eiusdem mensis ciiij.li., vij^a vice xviiij^o die Aprilis eodem anno xxxij^{do} x.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d., octava vice viij^o die Marcij eodem anno xl.li.x.s.x.d., ix^{na} vice per manus Thome Payn' nuper vicecomitis ville Suthampton x^m^o die Julij anno predicto l.li., et x^{ma} vice per manus dicti Edwardi receptori de Odyam et Guillyngham lxvj.li. per x indenturas inde inter warranta huius compoti remanentes——Dclxxiiij.li.iiij.s.j.d.

Et eidem Edwardo Ellesmere in persolucionem xx.li. sibi assignatarum pro solucionibus et expensis in officio iocalium predicto, per literas ipsius Regine de warranto datas xxviiij^o die Decembris supradicto anno xxxij^{do} xxij^{do} Januarij eodem anno, per indenturam vt supra remanentem——xx.li.

Et prefato Edwardo Ellesmere, thesaurario camere et magistro iocalium ipsius Regine, in partem solucionis x.li. sibi assignatarum pro huiusmodi solucionibus et expensis in officio iocalium predicto, per literas dicte Regine de warranto datas xxviiij^o die Decembris supradicto anno xxxij^{do} per manus cancellarie Regine decimo die Februarij eodem anno per indenturam inde simul cum warranto predicto inter warranta huius compoti remanentem——vj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d.

Et eidem Edwardo Ellesmere, thesaurario camere et magistro iocalium prefate Regine, in plenam solucionem xxxiiij.li. sibi vt supra assignatarum, per literas eiusdem Regine de warranto datas vj^{to} die Februarij supradicto anno xxxij^{do} ix^{no} die eiusdem mensis per indenturam vt supra remanentem——xxxiiij.li.

Et Johanni, domino Stourton,¹ nuper thesaurario hospicii Regis Henrici sexti, pro dietis diurnis et expensis eiusdem Regine in hospicio predicto vij.li. per diem a xv^m^o die Septembris anno eiusdem Regis xxviiij^o et deinceps, per literas dicte Regine de warranto datas xxvij^o die Marcij eodem anno inter warranta de anno xxx^m^o eiusdem Regis remanentes, per quas quidem literas prefata Regina mandauit dicto receptori suo generali quod de exitibus recepte sue prefato Johanni domino Stourton, thesaurario hospicii Regis predicti, dictas vij.li. per

¹ He was created Lord Stourton on 13 May 1448 and died 25 November 1462 (C.P. XII. i. 301-2). He was treasurer of the household before 18 November 1446 (C.P.R. 1446-1452, p. 8) and he still occupied this post in September 1452 (E 101/410/9). He was one of those who signed the ordinance, dated 13 November 1454, for the regulation of the royal household during the king's madness (Nicolas, op. cit. vi. 233).

diem per tempus predictum et sic deinceps secundum ratam vij.li. per diem de die in diem et anno in annum (soluat) quousque idem receptor generalis aliter habuerit in mandatis ad diuersas vices, videlicet, prima vice xxvij^o die Aprilis anno dicti Regis nunc xxix^{mo} iiii.li.xix.s., secunda vice xxix^{no} die eiusdem mensis ccj.li.xviii.s., tertia vice xv^{mo} die Decembris anno xxx^{mo} eiusdem Regis cxxxj.li. xiiii.s.vj.d.ob., iiii^{ta} vice xiiij^o die Marcij eodem anno xj.li.vj.s., v^{ta} vice xx^{mo} die Nouembris anno xxxj^{mo} cl.li., vj^{ta} vice xij^o die Februarij eodem anno xv.li., vij^a vice xij^o die Marcij eodem anno cc.li., viij^a vice xviii^o die eiusdem mensis l.li., ix^{na} vice dictis die et anno xlviij.li.xiii.s.iiii.d., x^{ma} vice xx^{mo} die eiusdem mensis xj.li.v.s.x.d., xj^{ma} vice dictis die et anno x.li., xij^{ma} vice eisdem die et anno vj.li.xiiii.s., et xiiij^{ma} vice xx^{mo} die eiusdem mensis Marcij xxiiij.li.xix.s.vij.d. per xiiij acquietancias inde inter warranta huius compoti remanentes—

Dccclxv.li.x.s.iiij.d.

Et eidem nuper thesaurario hospicii predicti super dietis diurnis et expensis predictae Regine de warranto in proxima particula precedenti annotatas ad duas vices, videlicet, vna vice primo die Januarij anno xxx^{mo} Regis predicti c.li., et altera vice xviii^o die Marcij anno eiusdem Regis xxxj^{mo} xxxvij.s., per ij acquietancias inde inter warranta predicta remanentes—cj.li.xvij.s.

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Adhuc liberacio forinseca

Et Johanni, domino de Duddeley,¹ thesaurario hospicii domini Regis, super dietis diurnis et expensis dicte Regine in hospicio predicto vij.li. per diem a xxvij^o die Marcij anno xxxj^{mo} dicti Regis Henrici sexti vsque finem Sancti Michelis tunc proxime sequentem et deinceps per literas dicte Regine de warranto datas xxvj^o die Octobris anno eiusdem Regis xxxij^{do} inter warranta huius compoti remanentes per quas quidem literas prefata Regina mandauit dicto receptori suo generali quod de exitibus recepte sue prefato Johanni domino de Duddeley thesaurario hospicii Regis predicti dictos vij.li. per diem per tempus predictum et sic deinceps secundum ratam vij.li. per diem de die in diem et anno in annum soluat quousque idem receptor generalis aliter habuerit in mandatis ad diuersas vices, videlicet, prima vice xv^o die Maij dicto anno xxxj^{mo} xlix.li., secunda vice xj^{mo} die Aprilis eodem anno x.li., tertia vice xvij^o die Junij anno predicto xx.li., iiii^{ta} vice xxj^{mo} die eiusdem mensis x.li., quinta vice dictis die et anno

¹ He succeeded Lord Stourton as treasurer of the household at Michaelmas 1452 (see previous note), but he did not hold the office long. By October 1454 he had been succeeded by William Fallen (E 101/410/15) who was in 1455 followed by John Brecknock (*C.P.R. 1452-1461*, p. 295). Brecknock was one of those who had conducted Margaret to England in 1445 (B.M. Add. MS. 23,938; Stevenson, *op. cit.* i. 448); in this account he appears as receiver-general of the Duchy of Cornwall (ff. 5b, 6a) and by 1454 he had become clerk of controlment in the king's household (Nicolas, *op. cit.* vi. 226).

John Sutton was summoned to parliament from 15 February 1440 to 1 September 1487 as Lord Dudley; he died 30 September 1487 aged 86 (*C.P.* iv. 479-80). He was one of the king's councillors against whom the Commons petitioned in 1451 (*Rot. Parl.* v. 216b). He was taken prisoner with Henry VI at the first battle of St. Albans (*Paston Letters*, i. 327, 336) and was wounded on the Lancastrian side at Blore Heath. (*R.P.* v. 348).

x.li., sexta vice octavo die Augusti dicto anno xxxj^o ix.li.iiij.s., septima vice ix^o die eiusdem mensis iiij.li.vij.s.iiij.d., octava vice xviii^o die Septembris supradicto anno xxxij^{do}, lxvj.s.vij.d., nona vice penultimo die Octobris eodem anno, c.li., decima vice sexto Nouembris eodem anno, lxv.li.xvij.s.vij.d.ob., xj^{ma} vice tercio die Decembris anno predicto xiiij.li.vj.s.vij.d., xij^{ma} vice xx^{mo} die eiusdem mensis, c.li., et xiiij^a vice iiij^{to} die Junij supradicto anno xxxij^{do} xlviij.s.vij.d., per xiiij acquietancias ipsius thesaurarij inde inter warranta supradicta remanentes

Dcciiij^{xx}.xvij.li.vij.s.xj.d.ob.

Liberacio denariorum in cameram Regine

Et in denarijs liberatis prefate Regine in cameram suam ad v. vices, videlicet, prima vice xx^{mo} die Maij anno xxxj^{mo} dicti Regis Henrici sexti c.li., secunda vice xxv^{to} die Junij eodem anno c.li., tercia vice primo die Decembris anno xxxij^{do} eiusdem Regis cc.li., quarta vice primo die Januarij eodem anno c.li., et quinta vice sexto die Marcij eodem anno lxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. per v acquietancias sub magno sigillo ipsius Regine inter warranta predicta remanentes—Dlxvj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d.¹ Summa liberacionum denariorum predictorum—v M.Dcxliij.li.xvij.s.vj.d.q^a.

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Summa omnium allocacionum solucionum et liberacionum denariorum predictorum—vij M.Dxxxix.li.xv.s.iiij.d.ob.q^a.²

Et debet—xxiiij.li.xvj.s.vij.d.q^a.

De quibus.

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(In a very cursive hand) cccxxiiij.li.xj.li.xj.s.iiij.d. de recompensacione Regine pro annuitatibuz diuersarum personarum qui acciderunt in manibus eiusdem Regine per mortem earundem, videlicet, anno xxxiiij^o ccciiij^{xx}.j.li.x.s.v.d. Item, pro Bradfeld vj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. Item, Et remanet—xxxvj.li.vij.s.vj.d.

Item, pro anno xxxiiij^{to} ccciiij^{xx}.j.li.x.s.v.d. Item, pro Bradfeld vj.li.xiiij.s.iiij.d. Item pro Johanne Marshall³ lx.s.vij.d. Et remanet—xxxiiij.li.vj.s.x.d.⁴

¹ See Introduction, BULLETIN, xl (1957), 98.

² Ibid. p. 88.

³ Both Thomas Bradfeld and John Marshall were yeomen of the king's chamber (*C.P.R. 1446-1452*, p. 543; *C.P.R. 1452-1461*, p. 21), and these may have been payments for services rendered to the queen.

⁴ It was stated in the introduction that this account "does not appear to have been used by any of the biographers of the queen" (BULLETIN, xl (1957), 80). Since writing this I have noted that in the third edition of her *Lives of the Queens of England* Miss Agnes Strickland added a reference to this account (3rd edn., 1864, reprinted 1891, i. 565-6). It was enterprising for a woman to have used such a source in mid-Victorian days; but the reference is only slight and the source is in various respects both misquoted and misunderstood.

GLOSSARY

(This list includes only those non-classical words which cannot readily be found in the *Medieval Latin Word-List*, ed. J. H. Baxter and C. Johnson, Oxford, 1934).

aquaria = ewry.

auenaria = office which provided fodder.

cateria = acatery, the office which bought meat and fish for the household.

cunagium stanni = fee for stamping tin.

finire = to pay.

paynmaynbaker = baker of fine bread.

scaldinghous = household office for boiling poultry.

squilleria = scullery.

sirurgicus = surgeon.

superplusagium = balance in favour of the accountant.

valettus = yeoman.