

Alverthorp. Geoffrey de Birkenschagh gives 12^d as a heriot on a toft and 7 acres in Alverthorp, after the death of Alice de Birkenschagh, his mother.

Bailiff. John le Mariner sues Henry s. of Robert s. of Geoffrey de Stanley for debt. Surety Thomas Gates. Defendant is attached by Hugh, his brother.

Horbiry. John de Horbiri, clerk (2^d) and Richard de Dewesbiry, chaplain, agree by license.

Hiperom. William de Ryley sues Simon del Dene, Roger de Clifton, William le Squier, and John le Pynder, severally, for debt. Surety - Thomas le Taverner.

John de Skircote, 4^d; Thomas s. of Alcock, 3^d; John le Pynder 2^d; Jordan le Pynder, 2^d; William s. of Thomas, 2^d; Jordan del Brok, 2^d; Roger de Herthill, 2^d, for vert.

Alverthorp. Geoffrey de Birkinschawe 2^d for vert.

Wakefeld. Robett le Marescall, 2^d, and John de Sculbrok, 1^d for vert.

Ossete. Richard s. of John de Ossete, 2^d, and Matilda wife of Hugh Pees, 1^d for vert.

Wakefeld. Ralph s. of Laurence, 2^d for vert.

Stanlay. William Albray, 2^d; Matilda Mous, 1^d for vert.

Wakefeld. John Cussing, 4^d; John s. of Robert, 4^d, and Isabel Sparwe, 2^d for wood.

Sandale. James Carpenter, 4^d; Thomas de Milnethorp, 4^d; John Cokewald, 2^d; Thomas, Mounk, 2^d; and Henry s. of Hugh de Holgate, 2^d, for escapes, etc.

Holne. Richard de Erneschagh, 4^d; John Wlf, 6^d, and Julian widow of William. s. of Gilbert, 2^d, for vert.

Bailiff. The persons indicted at the several tourns, are to be attached.

Total of this Court -- 27^s 2^d *i.e.* services 7^s 10^d. Thornes 3^d. Ossete, 6^d. Saurby, 2^s 4^d. Hiperom, 2^s 2^d. Stanlay, 19^d. Alverthorp. 4^s 5^d. Sandale 2^s 2^d. Rastrik, 3^s 6^d. Horbiry, 2^d. Wakefeld, 15^d. Holme, 12^d

Bailiff. Thomas de Sevvill sues John de Heton, for debt. Surety - John de Toftclif.

Sandale. John s. of Elias de Horbiry, sues Henry le Quarriour for debt. Surety - Adam Hoperborn.

Bailiff. Thomas del Rode sues Thomas le Taverner and William de Castelforth for seizing animals. Surety - Ivo le W . . .

...John Attebarre sues Richard s. of Robert de Bateley, for debt. Surety--Henry Ganton.

Richard s. of Adam de Fekesby, sues Ellen de Wakefield for land.

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Rastrick. Richard s. of Adam de Fekysby sues Ellen de Wakefeld for 7 acres in Fekysby, of which one Agnes his kinswoman, was seised, from whom the right descended to one Ivo her uncle and heir; from him to Adam, his son, and from Adam to Richard his son, the plaintiff . . .

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Thomas le Pynder and John de Wyke, 3^d each for not having one another in court.

Bailiff. Adam Coly of Wodesom essoins against John de Neusom by Robert de Stodelay. Surety—Thomas, s. of Laurence.

Sarah widow of Adam Miller, in the mercy for false claim against Richard Alcock. Fine pardoned because she is poor.

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Alverthorp. William de Byrkynschagh sues Geoffrey de Byrkynschagh his brother, for mowing a meadow belonging to plaintiff, while he was ill, carrying away grass worth 5^s. An inquisition is to be taken.

He said Geoffrey sues said William for 6¾ acres in Alverthorp, as his inheritance after his father's death, which land his father acquired from Alice, his mother, before they were married; and Geoffrey is her heir. William says their father had no rights therein, except by marriage with their mother, whose inheritance it was; and that after their father's death, Alice gave the land to defendant. An inquisition to be taken.

John Torald and Edusa his wife, sues the said Geoffrey, for closing up a pathway they are accustomed to have through his courtyard; Geoffrey brings a cross-charge of trampling corn, etc. An inquisition ordered.

Bailiff. John de Burton sues Thomas de Sayuill for 20^s as surety for John de Heton, who bought from him certain tithe sheaves (*decimates*) of Dewysbury parish, which church the said John holds to farm. The debt acknowledged; fine, 6^d

Stanlay. John s. of John Pollard, surrenders a rood in Ouchethorp, committed to Henry de Swinlington; entry, 6^d

Alverthorp. Richard Gerbot surrenders 1¾ acre in Alverthorp; committed to John Gerbot, entry, 12^d

Agnes d. of William s. of Walter, gives 12^d as a heriot on a messuage and 7 acres in Alverthorp, after his father's death.

Stanlay. Alice Pollard surrenders 2½ acres in Ouchethorp; committed to Walter Gunne; entry, 12^d

Emma Gunne surrenders 7 acres in Ouchethorp; committed to Walter Gunne; entry, 12^d

Walter Gunne gives 2^s to take a messuage and 9 acres in Ouchethorp from Emma Gunne, his mother, for 7 years.

Stanneley. An inquisition finds that Richard s. of Robert, depastured animals on John Attebarre's land; damages, 4^s; fine 3^d

The said Richard sues the said John for not keeping up his fences; an inquisition to be taken.

Bailiff. Thomas s. of John de Walton, sues John de St. Swithin and Alice his wife, for land. The land to be taken into the King's hand, by reason of fresh default of Alice; order given to that effect to the bailiff of the free Court.

Wakefeld. Thomas s. of Laurence, for an escape in Lyndon, 2^d

Alvirthorp. Henry del Weld, 2^d, and Adam le Hewer, 4^d for the same. Robert Hood of Neuton, 2^d, and Richard del Ker, 6^d for vert, etc.

John Cussing surrenders 3½ acres in Alvirthorp; committed to Thomas Kay and Alice his wife, after the death of John Cussing; entry, 12d

Total of this Court—5^s 1^d

Bailiff, 15^d

Wakefeld, 2^d

Stanneley, 6^d

Holne, 3^d

Alvirthorp, 2^s 5^d

Thornes, 6^d

Bailiff. John de St. Swithin sues German Filcok and Thomas his son, for seizing cattle. Surety—Robert de Lyedes.

Beatrice d. of Thomas de Fekesby, sues Thomas de Tothill, for trespass. Surety—John s. of Henry de Rastrik.

Rastrik. Thomas de Lighterigge sues Thomas de Tothill for land.

Bailiff. Thomas Gunne sues German Filcok and Thomas his son, for seizing a cow. Surety—John de St. Swithin.

COURT held at Wakefeld on Friday next after Michaelmas, 18 Edw. II [1324].

Essoins. Ralph de Sheffeld by William Alayn. Surety—William Attekirk.

William de Nevill, by Hugh le Nodder. Surety—Henry de Swilington.

Matthew de Bosco, by Henry Tasshe. Surety—German Kay.

William de Totehill, by Robert de Mora. Surety—Thomas de Totehill.

John de Burgh, by John de Sandale.

Richard de Birstall, by William Cussing. Surety—Thomas de Birstall.

Attorney. William de Nevill appointed Hugh le Nodder his attorney to do suit of court.

Bailiff. Thomas de Totehill essoins against Thomas de Lihtrigge by German Filcok. Surety—William Filche, clerk.

Robert Nalleson sues Henry Tasshe, Thomas Thore and Thomas le Taverner, if he is present, for carrying off his cow, worth 20^s, from Stanneley, and driving her to Wakefeld, 1 Nov. 1324; they still keep her; damages, 100^s. Henry Tasshe denies the charge, and is to make his law; sureties, German Filcok and German Swerd. Thomas Thore says the cow was eating the plants in his garden, and that he gave her over to Thomas le Taverner, under-bailiff of Henry de Wakefeld, then bailiff of the free-court of Wakefeld. Robert seeks judgment on the acknowledgment of the seizure &c. of the cow. The suitors of court find for the recovery of the cow by Robert, with damages; he is fined 3^d. The cow and damages taxed at 5^s

Bailiff. John de Toftclif, 3^d for not coming to answer Thomas de Totehill.

Robert Tropinel (6^d) and Hugh Skaif agree.

John de Burton, 3^d for not prosecuting suit against John le Hunter; and 3^d for the same against Adam s. of the widow, and Elias Faber.

William de Mirfeld to be attached to answer John de Burton; he is dead.

Beatrice d. of Thomas de Fekesby, 3^d for not prosecuting suit against Thomas de Totehill.

Rastrik. Matthew de Totehill, 2^s for licence to marry Beatrice his daughter.

Osset. John Maunsel, 12^d to marry Eva his daughter.

Sandale. Elias Goldhor surrenders 3½ acres in Sandale; committed to Robert s. of John de Crigleston, for 18 years; entry, 18^d

Stanneley. Johanna d. of Thomas de Milnethorp, gives 4^d for licence to heriot on a messuage and 13 acres in Stanneley after the death of Richard del Ker, whose heir she is.

Holne. Peter s. of Ralph de Cartworth, surrenders a messuage and 20½ acres in Cartworth; committed to Nicholas Wade; entry, 6^s 8^d

Hyperum. John del Bothe, 3^d; Hugh s. of Richard de Mixendene, 2^d; Adam del Bothes, 3^d; Adam Poydeson, 2^d; John Dobson of Haldeworth, 3^d; John s. of Matilda de Haldeworth, 1^d; Thomas s. of Julian de Ovendene, 3^d; Elias de Sculcote, 3^d; William del Hyngandrode, 2^d; Adam de Stainclif, 1^d; Henry le Hucher, 2^d; William s. of Richard de Shipdene, 2^d; John de Holway, 3^d; Simon del Dene, 3^d, for escapes.

Sourby. Adam del Kirkshagh, 12^d for an escape in le Withnes.

Geoffrey del Crossilee, 12^d; Amoria de Stadeley, 2^d; Ellota del Castilstede, 4^d; William Clerk, 4^d; John del Rediker, 6^d; John Culpoun, 12^d; Hugh de Totehill, 12^d; Thomas del Dene, 6^d; William Miller, 2^d; John Miller, 2^d; Alcok de Ovendene, 6^d, and Roger de Grenewode, 8^d for escapes.

Thomas de Ceyuill essoins against John s. of Thomas de Heton, by German Kay. Surety—William Filche. John afterwards acknowledges he owes Thomas 20^s; fine, 6^d

Thornes. Henry Nelot, 2^d for not prosecuting William Graffard. Alice Goure and Ivo Faber (2^d) agree.

German Filcok sues Richard Withoundes for taking a horse of German's, worth 20^s, from the house of John s. of Hugh, in Horbiry; damages, 14^s 4^d. Richard wages his law. Surety—John Attebarre.

Stanley. William Filche sues Thomas s. of Hugh Skaif, for ½ quarter of corn, which is acknowledged; fine, 3^d.

Robert le Roller sues Philip le Sagher, for corn worth 8^s 9^d, which is acknowledged, fine, 2^d

Thornes. William s. of Robert de Castilford, 2^d for not prosecuting suit against William Cussing.

Sandale. Thomas de Milnthorp, 4^d for the same against Thomas s. of Robert the Clerk of Sandale.

Rastrik. Henry s. of Henry de Fekesby, 3^d for the same against Thomas le Tailur.

Stanley. Johanna d. of Thomas de Milnthorp, 3^d for not coming, when summoned, to answer Margaret, Eva and Isolda daughters of Thomas Nallison.

Holne. Richard del Bothes and John del Brounhill, plaintiffs, and Adam Strekeyse (4^d) and Henry Wade, agree.

Bailiff. John de Burton and Henry del Weld (3^d) agree.

Sourby. Amicia formerly wife of John de Migeley, surrenders 9 acres in Sourby; committed to John s. of William de Eland, and Julian his wife; entry, 2^s

Roger de Stanbiry surrenders 6 acres in Saltonstall; committed to Hugh s. of John de Migeley; entry, 2^s 6^d

Holne. Thomas s. of William, surrenders 7½ acres in Hepworth; committed to Richard s. of John; entry, 2^s

Bailiff. Adam Sprigonel, for default, 6^d

Wakefeld. Alice Heselay, 4^d; Magota Margery, 2^d; Robert Liftfast's handmaid, 1^d; John Wlmer, 2^d; Adam Brus, 4^d; Philip de Castilford's handmaid, 3^d, for dry wood, etc.

Osset. Adam de Goukthorp, 2^d; Robert Sonman, 1^d; Hugh de Disteford, 2^d, and Richard s. of Swayn, 2^d, for escapes.

Stanneley. Robert Ricard's handmaid, 1^d; John le Sagher, 1^d for dry wood.

Hyperum. Roger del Brighous, 3^d; John Podeson, 2^d; William Miller, 1^d; for dry wood and escapes.

Holne. John del Merish, 2^d; Agnes de Hyengeclif, 3^d; Matthew de Rammesdene, 2^d; John de Bromhill, 2^d, and Henry de Langeley, 3^d for escapes and vert.

Matilda, wife of John Kypas, 12^d for the same.

William, servant of the vicar, 2^s for drawing blood from Roger Spilwode and his wife.

Roger Spilwode's wife, from Julian d. of Thomas s. of Cecilia; 12^d

John s. of Richard de Waddesworth, from Thomas Culpoun; 12^d

Margery wife of William s. of Hugh, raised the hue without cause on Hugh Wade; 12^d

Richard s. of Thomas de Ovenden, drew blood from Thomas s. of Alexander; 12^d

Julian d. of Thomas s. of Cecilia, from Roger Spilwode's wife; 12^d

Total of this tourn—10^s 6^d—all from Sourbi.

COURT held at Brighous on Tuesday, 28th October, 20 Edw. II [1326].

Hyperum. Alice d. of Matthew de Totehill, sues William de Sondreland for land. Surety—Matthew de Totehill. She pays 3^s 4^d to have an inquisition of 24 jurors.

William de Halifax, miller, surrenders ½ acre in Northourum; committed to Bate de Halifax; entry, 6^d

Bailiff. Thomas s. of William de Fekesbi, gives 3^s 4^d as a relief on 2 messuages and 2 bovates of land in the toun of Fekesbi.

Rastrik. Thomas s. of Roger del Green, surrenders 10½ acres and ⅔ rood in Rastrik; committed to Henry del Okes for 10 years; entry only 18^d, because the land is poor and neglected.

William Forester and Agnes his wife, surrender 5¼ acres and ⅓ of a rood in Rastrik; committed to the said Henry for 10 years; entry 8^d because as above.

Agnes wife of John s. of Henry de Fekesbi, sues Henry le Waynwright for 8^s, as heir and executor of Henry his late father, who, as bailiff, received 8^s from plaintiff, by the hand of Thomas Alayn, bailiff of the Free Court of Wakefeld, for ? an adjournment, (*ad differend dce Agnet*), which he did not effect. An order given for recovery of the 8^s; fine, 4^d

Hiperum. William Peck surrenders a messuage and 10 acres in Brighous; committed to John s. of Roger de Brighous; entry, 6^s 8^d

The township of Schelf, 12^d for contempt in refusing to elect a constable.

One third of all the lands formerly held by Adam del Bothe in Northourum, to be seized into the lord's hand, because John Sutor bought the said third out of court; and carried the vesture off the said land.

John Shephird, 2^d; Henry del Banck, 3^d; William de Smalilegh, 6^d, and Jordan del Brigg, 1^d, for vert, escapes, etc.

Sworn as above; Total – 10^s 4^d – and new rent, 13^d

All from Sourby.

TOURN held at Brighous on Tuesday before the Feast of St. Mark the Evangelist (Apr. 25), 1 Edw. III [1327].

Rastrik. John de Berkesley, John s. of William de Steynland, William Whitacres, Thomas del Wod, Henry de Coldley, Richard del Rodes, Thomas de Whitwod, Richard Couhird, John de Birstall, William de Steynland, John del Hirst and Adam de Bradeley, sworn, present that John Clerk of Hertesheved stopped up a public spring in Hertesheved; fine, 6^d

Elias Smith of Clifton, 6^d; Richard s. of Cecilia de Clifton, 6^d; Roger Percy of Clifton, and Matthew de Lynthwait, 3^d each, for not coming.

Hiperum. William Milner's wife . . ., Agnes wife of Roger de Brighous, and Thomas Baude's wife, brew and sell contrary to assize. The Jury aforesaid fined 6^s for not presenting these.

Thomas Baude's wife, 3^d; Agnes wife of Roger, 4^d; the wife of Richard le Hyne of Clifton, 4^d, and Roger le Shephird's wife, 3^d for brewing, etc.

The town of Clifton for concealing the two last cases, 12^d
Sworn to by {Robert de Mora } Total – 11^s 2^d
 {William le Templer }
i.e., Rastrick, 3^s

Hiperum 8^s 2^d

COURT held there the same day.

Rastrik. Richard del Shagh sues Agnes formerly wife of John s. of Henry de Fekesby, for debt. Surety – Henry Wright.

Hiperum. Adam de Eland sues Robert de Risshe worth for debt.

Rastrik. John s. of Alcok de Ourum, and Jordan de Hiperum (3^d) agree.

John s. of Jordan, plaintiff, and Robert del Rigge and Symon del Kirkeheud (6^d) agree.

William de Northourum, who held an acre, formerly unoccupied, at Northourum, is dead. His son and heir comes and does fealty, and pays 6^d relief.

Ellen formerly wife of Alan de Rastrik, who held a messuage and 12 acres at Rastrik, by service of 2^s 2^d, and suit of court, is dead. John her son and heir, does fealty and pays 4^s 4^d for a relief.

Sworn as above; Total – 5^s 7^d – All from Rastrik.

SHERIFF'S TOURN held at Wakefeld on Thursday after the Feast of St. Leonard November 6, 2 Edw. III [1328].

Bailiff. William servant of the parson of Normanton, 12^d; for shedding the blood of Adam le Welyn.

John Pikard's wife, 6^d, for selling ale at ½^d, contrary to assize.

John Malett, Jordan del Meer and Richard de Metholey, 4^d each for not coming to the tourn.

Adam del Hill, constable of the vill of Eckilshill, 12^d, out of the profit of a swarm of bees.

Robert de Waterton, 6^d for shedding the blood of Richard & William Baycok.

William Baycok, 12^d, for shedding the blood of Robert de Waterton.

Henry s. of Julian, and Richard s. of Alcok, 4^d each for not coming to the tourn.

William s. of Walter, 12^d for shedding the blood of William de Wetherby, chaplain.

Matilda Wyuett, 6^d, for raising the hue wrongfully on Amabilla d. of Thomas.

Margery le Carter and Robert Miller, 6^d each, for selling ale contrary to assize.

Ellota d. of the clerk, and William Baycok's wife, 3^d each, for the same on one occasion.

Robert Schirtyng of Dewesbiry, 12^d for a swarm of bees.

Henry de Chieft and John, bailiff of Emley, 3^d each; Henry le Hyne of Emley and Robert de Bercroft of Crawesthagh 6^d each, for not coming to the tourn.

Henry le Hyne, 12^d for shedding the blood of Henry le Hogge.

John de Worteley's wife and William Broun's wife, 6^d each, William le Hyne's wife, 3^d, for selling ale at 1^d contrary to assize.

Alota d. of Nalle de Emley, 3^d for the same at ½^d

Robert Graunt, 6^d for not coming to the tourn.

Thomas del Bellehous, 12^d for shedding the blood of Elias de Daltone.

Horbiry. Elias de Daltone, 12^d, for shedding the blood of Thomas del Bellehous.

Hugh le Schoter, 6^d for Robert le Webster's blood.

Agnes d. of John de Horbiry, 3^d; Elias de Daltone's wife, & Thomas Gyge's wife, 4^d each, for selling ale at ½^d, etc.

Osset. Johanna de Heton, 3^d; Richard Passemer's wife, 4^d, & Hugh de Disteford's wife, 6^d, for the same.

William Sausmer, Adam Almot and John Fekisby, 3^d each, for not coming to the tourn.

Bailiff. Alice Angold of Erdeslowe, 3^d, and Nicholas le Smyth's wife, 4^d for selling ale at ½^d etc.

heirs begotten between herself & the said Richard; with remainder, in default, to the right heirs of Richard; to hold according to the custom of the manor. Entry, 2^s

Sourby. Agnes d. of Henry de Soland, & William her son, to be summoned to answer Thomas de Fakesby for trespass.

Bailiff. Master Robert de Barneby, Rector of Birton church, to be attached to answer Henry Nelot, who appoints William de Locwode his attorney.

Recognizance of John de Shepeley. John de Shepeley comes into court, & acknowledges he is bound to Alice formerly wife of Hugh del Hole, in 16^s 8^d, to be paid half next Michaelmas, the other half at the following Feast of the Purification. Sureties—John le Couper & Hugh de Thorntley.

Holne. The whole community of the vill of Foulestone sues Adam le Waynwriht & Richard Michel for debt.

William Cade, charged with villeinage, comes & fines 13^s 4^d to have a respite till next Michaelmas, unless the Earl comes into the neighbourhood before then. Nevertheless his tenements are seized into the lord's hands.

Total of this Court—42^s 3^d

i.e. Sandale, 15^d

Thornes, 2^s

Bailiff, 14^s 4^d

Alvirthorp, 2^s

Stanneley, 2^s

Ossett.

SHERIFF'S TOURN held at Wakefeld on Friday, the 12th of May, 3 Edw. III [1329].

Alvirthorp. John Swan, — Siluing & Robert de Sharnestone, 4d each for not coming to the tourn.

Thomas Bunny's wife, 6^d for ale contrary to assize.

Bailiff. Richard le Carter, 12^d twice, & Henry le Hochoer, 12^d twice, for bloodshed.

John de Wortley's wife & Matilda Broun, 6^d each; William le Hyne's wife, 4^d, for ale against the assize.

John Malet, 6d for not coming to the tourn.

Horbiry. Robert le Webster, 3^d; John Broun & John Eliot, 4^d each for not coming.

Agnes d. of John s. of Hugh, 4^d for ale contrary to assize.

John s. of Alice de Horbiry, 12^d for bloodshed.

Bailiff. John le Shepehird of Waltone & Adam le Wriht, 6^d each for not coming.

John de Sandale's wife, 6^d for ale against the assize.

Robert s. of William de Deusbiry, 3^d & Richard s. of Alexander de Bouderoode, 4^d, for not coming.