Inquisitions post mortem

1. PRO C132/5 (14): CIPM, I, no. 95.

Lillingstone Lovell: ... Aug, 31 Hen III (1247)

Hugh de St Martin held the manor of Lillingstone Lovell of the king by serjeanty for the service of [MS damaged] the king at the great feasts.

In demesne, 2 carucates land, worth ... 11s 8d.

In villeinage, 5 virgates land, worth £1 15s, or 7s each.

Rents of the free men and cottars, worth ... 3½d.

Total. £10 91/2d.

Peter, his son, aged 23, is his heir.

Hundred Rolls, 1279: 2½ hides, of which 5 virgates in villeinage; 5 free tenants holding cotlands; 4 villeins holding cotlands; ½ virgate granted to prior of Luffield and subleased.

2. PRO C132/6 (1); CIPM, I, no. 102.

Wicken: before 32 Hen III (1247-8)

William son of Hamo held the manor of Wick [Hamon] of the king in chief for the service of a quarter of a knight's fee.

Rents of assize, worth £2 16s 2d at three terms, viz. £1 8s at Michaelmas, 2d at the feast of St Nicholas, and £1 8s at the Annunciation.

Tallage, 1 mark.

In villeinage, 4½ virgates land, worth £2 17s.

In the park, 8 acres, worth £1 a year.

Pasture, worth 3s 6d.

Park, worth 5s a year.

A wood in the king's forest.

Small garden, worth 1s.

Dovecote, worth 2s.

In demesne, 3 carucates land, worth £8 a year.

Advowson of the chapel belonged to William son of Hamo, worth 5 marks.

4½ virgates of villein land give 4½ grs of oats at Martinmas, worth 4s 6d, or 1s each.

Each virgate gives 2 hens at Christmas, i.e. 9 hens, worth 9d in total.

Each virgate gives 4 geese at Lammas, i.e. 18 geese, worth 2s 3d, or 3½d each.

Cottagers give 9 hens, worth 9d.

Rents of the free men, 12 hens, worth 1s.

8 capons, worth 1s.

Total, £16 8s 3d.

Alan son of Hamo, his brother, is his heir.

3. *CIPM*, I, no. 126 (no extent).

Wicken: 32 Hen III (1247-8)

Alan son of Hamo held the manor of Wick [Hamon] of the king in chief for the service of a quarter of a knight's fee. Lady Hawise, sometime wife of William his brother, holds 3 carucates in dower. John, his son, aged 30 and more, is his heir.

4. CIPM, I, no. 792 (no extent).

Wicken: 17 Jul, 56 Hen III (1272)

John de Dyve held the manor of Wick [Dive] of Sir Hugh de Plessis for unspecified service.

A capital messuage.

In demesne, 4 carucates land.

Meadow and pasture.

In villeinage, 8 virgates land.

6 cottars.

Free rents, worth £3.

Henry, his son, age variously stated as 21 or 22 and more, is his heir.

5. *CIPM*, I, no. 876 (no extent).

Wicken: undated, but probably 1261

William de Dyve held the manor of Wick [Dive] of the earl of Warwick for the service of 1 knight's fee. John, his son, aged 30 and more, is his heir.

6. PRO C133/4 (9); CIPM, II, no. 49.

Silverstone: 25 Feb, 2 Edw I (1274)

William de Brandeston held a messuage, croft and 3 virgates land, worth 8s a year, and 6 cottages, worth 6s a year, at Silverstone of the king in chief by serjeanty of keeping the king's wines at Silverstone.

An assart, worth 5s a year, paying to the king for the farm of the vill 2s 6d at Easter and 2s at Michaelmas for the same and for a cottage held by Roger Cole.

An assart, worth 2s a year, held of the heirs of William le Mareschal of Greens Norton, paying 10d a year.

Arnold Somundre paid him 3s a year for a cottage.

John Gee paid 1s 4d a year for a cottage.

The widow Alice, 4d.

Hugh le Blund of Whittlebury, 2s.

Henry Brayn, 1s a year.

Roger Cole, 1s 4d a year.

Matilda de Pageham, 1s 2d a year.

Geoffrey Gryg, 1d a year.

Laurence de Billing', 10d a year.

Richard Annerey, 8d.

Cottage of Matilda le Blund and two other cottages vacant because noone within.

Miles Dore paid 2s a year for a cottage of the fee of the Marshal.

Geoffrey de Ipris was invested and seised as of fee of all the aforesaid on the day that he died, that is, by serjeanty of the king, apart from one cottage of the fee of the Marshal.

He held 2 virgates in Silverstone of the prior of Luffield on the day he fell sick, viz. before All Saints, paying 6s 1d a year, and they are worth 4s 8d a year without service.

Philip de Pageham paid William 4s a year.

Warin de Greneberwe, 18d.

The widow Annora, 18d.

William surrendered that land on All Saints Day to the said prior and the rents of the cottars and lived until the feast of St Andrew.

7. CIPM, II, no. 153 (no extent).

Potterspury: 10 Nov, 3 Edw I (1275)

John son of John held the manor of Potterspury of Robert de Ferrers, earl of Derby, for the service of 1 knight.

8. CIPM, II, no. 234 (no extent).

Wicken: 18 Oct, 5 Edw I (1277)

Henry de Dyve held nothing of the king or others in the county on the day he died. The year before he gave to Edelina Corbet all his land in the county, worth £13 3s 11d a year, which he held of Hugh de Plessis in chief for the service of a quarter of a knight's fee, rendering nothing for it, apart from an assart containing 16 acres ¼ rood, worth 8s a year, which he held of the king in chief, to be held for her life, and she had peaceful seisin thereof from the time of the feoffment.

9. CIPM, II, no. 254 (no extent).

Puxley: 15 Jun, 6 Edw I (1278)

Hugh le Forester held a messuage and ½ acre 1 rood of the king in chief, paying 2s a year at the Exchequer.

Rents of the free men, worth £1 6s 9d.

An assart, containing 15 acres, held of John son of John de Couesgrave, paying ½d a year and 1 lb. of pepper.

12 acres of land and 2 acres of meadow, held of Templars, paying 1 mark a year.

4 acres of land at le Brede, held of Walter de Fortho, paying 1s 6d a year.

Perquisites of court, worth 2s a year.

10. CIPM, II, no. 264 (no extent).

Silverstone: 28 Oct, 6 Edw I (1278)

John son of John de Braunteston held a messuage and 3 virgates land of the king in chief by serjeanty of keeping wines in the king's cellar at Silverstone.

An assart, containing 91/2 acres, paying 4s 9d to the king.

A parcel of meadow, worth 11s 6d a year.

Rents of the free men, worth 6s 1d.

Rents of cottars, worth 4d.

4 acres held of David son of Griffin and Elizabeth his wife by suit of court, paying 10d a year.

2 acres held of Richard Aufrey, paying 1d a year.

1 acre of land and ½ acre of meadow held of Thomas Amyun, paying 1½d a year.

11. *CIPM*, II, no. 279 (no extent).

Passenham: 18 Oct, 6 Edw I (1278)

William de Passenham, who is not of sound mind, held 2 messuages, 243 acres of arable, 57 acres of meadow, 32 acres of pasture, 2 acres of wood. Tenure unspecified.

Rents of free tenants, worth £1 11s 11/2d.

Rents of customary tenants, worth £3 2s.

Aid of customary tenants, worth £2 11s 4d.

Labour services, worth £2 3s 6d.

Fishery in the Ouse.

12. PRO C133/21 (12); *CIPM*, II, no. 302.

Leckhampstead: 12 Nov, 7 Edw I (1279)

Richard de Chastillon held the manor of Leckhampstead of Sir William de Say in chief for the service of 1 knight's fee.

In demesne, 240[?] acres with pasture, worth 4d an acre.

In villeinage, 15½ virgates land, worth 8s a virgate with labour services.

Free rents, worth 20s 21/2d a year.

8 acres of meadow, worth 2s an acre.

Hundred Rolls, 1279: 4 hides in demesne; 28 acres of assart; 9 acres of wood; 16½ virgates in villeinage; 7 cottagers; 19 free tenants.

13. PRO C133/25 (3); CIPM, II, no. 358.

Leckhampstead: 7 Jan, 8 Edw I (1280)

Richard de Chastilun held the manor of Great Leckhampstead with the advowson of the church of Sir William de Say in chief for the service of 1 knight's fee and 16s a year at Dover. A curia with enclosure, worth £1 a year.

Dovecote, worth 5s a year.

In demesne, 310 acres of arable, worth 6d an acre.

21 acres of assart, paying 14s a year at the king's exchequer, or 8d an acre, and they were ploughed in the time of Robert Passelewe, then justice of the king's forest.

6 acres of meadow, worth 2s 6d an acre.

Pasture, worth 5s a year.

6 acres of wood, worth 5s a year.

Total, £10 5s.

In villeinage, 15½ virgates land, with 7 cottars, worth £7 4s 4½d a year.

Rents of assize of free tenants, £2 6s 71/2d.

Total, £19 16s.

Advowson, worth 30 marks a year for the use of the parson.

14. PRO C133/28 (19); CIPM, II, no. 415.

Wicken: 27 May, 9 Edw I (1281)

The manor of Wick [Dive], which was of Henry de Dyve, deceased, who held of the king in chief, and which Edelina Corbet held for her life.

[Capital messuage] with a garden, worth 8s a year.

Dovecote, worth 2s a year.

In demesne, 232 acres of arable annually at seed, worth 4d an acre. Total, £3 17s 4d.

41/2 acres of meadow, worth 2s an acre. Total, 9s.

Several pasture, worth 2s a year.

Easement of wood, worth 2s a year.

Rents of the free men, worth £3 1s 8d a year.

Rent of Elias de Tingewick, 1 lb. of cumin, worth 3/4 a year

13 villeins, holding 6½ virgates land, worth 11s 5½d a virgate a year. Total, £3 14s 5¾d.

3 villeins, each paying 5s 2\(^3\)4d a year. Total, 15s 8\(^4\)d.

3 cottars, each paying 3s 1\(^3\)d a year. Total, 9s 5\(^1\)d.

2 other cottars, each paying 2s 10¾d a year. Total, 5s 9½d.

Another cottar, paying 1s 8d a year.

Pleas and perquisites of court, worth 2s a year.

Aid of the customary tenants, worth 10s a year.

Total, £14 133/4d.

15. CIPM, III, no. 175 (no extent).

Lillingstone Lovell: 20 Apr, 22 Edw I (1294)

John de Monte Alto held the manor of Great Lillingstone of the king in chief by the service of a pair of gilt spurs or 6d a year at the king's exchequer.

100 acres of arable, 2 acres of meadow, a several pasture.

Rents of free tenants, worth £1 1s 1d.

3 serfs (nativi), each holding 1/4 virgate, paying 3s a year.

1 serf, holding 1/4 virgate, paying 5s a year.

10 acres of arable held of Richard Grosset.

31/2 acres and rents worth 8s held of John de Olneye.

Helen his wife was jointly enfeoffed with him of the same.

See also no. 197.

16. PRO C133/80 (6); CIPM, III, no. 422.

Potterspury: 26 Sep, 25 Edw I (1297)

Richard son of John held the manor of Potterspury of the Ferrers earldom for the service of 1 knight's fee.

Capital messuage with garden, worth 6s 8d a year.

340 acres of arable, worth £8 10s, or 6d an acre.

12 acres of meadow, worth £2 4s a year, or 2s an acre.

No several pasture.

An enclosed park, worth £1 a year.

A wood in the king's forest, worth 6s 8d a year.

A water-mill, with fishpond, worth £2 a year.

Rents of the tenants, £12 4s 51/4d a year at three terms, viz. St Andrew's Day, the

Annunciation and Lammas.

20 serfs (*nativi*) owe from Michaelmas to Christmas, for 12 weeks, 720 labour services, worth £2 5s, or ³/₄d each.

From Christmas to the Purification, for 6 weeks, 360 labour services, worth 15s, or ½d each. From the Purification to the Invention of Holy Cross, for 13 weeks, 780 labour services, worth

£2 8s 9d, or 3/4d each.

From the Invention of Holy Cross to the feast of St John the Baptist, for 7 weeks, 420 labour services, worth 17s 6d, or ½d each.

From the feast of St John to Lammas, for 5 weeks, 300 labour services, worth 18s 9d, or 3/4d each.

From Lammas to the Beheading of St John, for 4 weeks, 240 labour services, worth £1 10s, or 1½d each.

From the Beheading of St John to Michaelmas, for 4 weeks, 240 labour services, worth £1, or 1d each.

A monday-man, who owes 52 labour services, worth 3s.

The aforesaid serfs owe 65 hens at Christmas, worth 5s 5d, or 1d a hen.

They owe 215 eggs at Easter, worth 6d.

They owe ... at every feast day.

They owe aid at Michaelmas, worth £2.

Pleas and perquisites, worth 13s 4d a year.

Total, £39 10s 1/4d, [less] 8s 81/2d.

17. PRO C133/100 (1); CIPM, IV, no. 24.

Potterspury: 13 May, 29 Edw I (1301)

Maud de Beauchamp, countess of Warwick, held the manor of Potterspury of the honour of Tutbury from the heirs of the earl Ferrers by service of a pair of gilt spurs or 6d.

A capital messuage, old hall, two old dovecotes and a garden, worth 3s 4d a year.

A barn, byres and adjoining croft, worth 6d a year.

In demesne, 200 acres of arable, worth £5 a year, or 6d an acre.

8 acres of meadow, worth 16s a year, or 2s an acre.

Several pasture called Taylursmor, worth 18d a year.

An enclosed park with deer (feris), profits of underwood and herbage, worth 2s a year.

A water-mill with pond, worth £1 a year.

Rents of the free men, worth £6 6s 1½d a year, viz. at the Annunciation, St Peter's Chains and St Andrew's Day in equal portions.

Rent of assize of the free farmer of Cleyley Hundred, £1, viz. at Easter and Michaelmas in equal portions.

In the vill of Potterspury, in villeinage, 5 virgates land, worth 5s a year in rents of assize, or 1s each, at the aforesaid three terms.

Each of them give 10 chicks (*pullos*) at Martinmas, worth 5d; 10 eggs at Easter, worth ...; 1 hen at Michaelmas and 1 hen at Christmas, worth 2d.

Labour services from Michaelmas to the feast of St Thomas the Apostle, for 3 days, each day with 2 men, worth 3/4d each.

From the feast of St Thomas to the Purification, ½d each.

From the Purification to the Invention of Holy Cross, ¾d each.

From the Invention of Holy Cross to the Nativity of St John the Baptist, ½d each.

From the feast of St John to Lammas, ¾d each.

From Lammas to the Beheading of St John, 11/2d each.

From the Beheading of St John to Michaelmas, 1d each.

In the hamlet of Yardley, in villeinage, 6½ virgates, worth 9s 9d a year, or 18d each, at the aforesaid three terms. They owe labour services like the virgaters of Potterspury. They give 1 hen at Michaelmas and 1 hen at Christmas, and 10 eggs worth ¼d.

Rents of cottars, worth £1 3s 1d a year. They give 10 hens at Christmas and Michaelmas, and 30 eggs at Easter worth ¾d.

Tallage, worth 26s 8d.

Pleas and perquisites, worth 6s 8d a year.

Total, £26 8s 3d.

Guy de Beauchamp, her son, aged 30 and more, is her heir.

18. *CIPM*, IV, no. 218 (no extent).

Leckhampstead: 10 Jul, 32 Edw I (1304)

John de Tyngewyk held in Great Leckhampstead and Little Leckhampstead, 10 messuages, 180 acres of land, 12 acres of meadow, acquired jointly by John and Rose his wife for their lives, of Ralph son of William de Plumpton, to hold of John Pollard, Ralph Passelewe, William le Vavasour, Nicholas Makari, William Pollard, Roger le Parker, Elias de Tingewick, Hugh son of Ralph, Hugh de Chastilun, and John le Breton, by the service of 18s 9½d, 1 lb. of pepper and 8 cloves at Christmas, and 2 roses at the Nativity of St John the Baptist.

19. PRO C134/50 (30): CIPM, V, no. ...

Potterspury: 30 Sep, 9 Edw II (1315)

Guy de Beauchamp, earl of Warwick, held the manor of Potterspury in his demesne as of fee of the earl of Lancaster for military service.

A capital messuage, with adjoining toft, worth 3s 6d a year.

Two small curtilages, worth 2s a year.

Dovecote, worth 4s a year.

Park with lawns (lands) with deer (feris), worth 13s 4d a year.

Water-mill with fishpond, worth £1 a year.

Windmill, worth 6s 8d a year.

In demesne, 123 acres of arable, worth £3 1s 6d a year, or 6d an acre.

8 acres of meadow, worth 16s a year, or 2s an acre.

2 acres of moor pasture, worth 2s a year.

27 free tenants, paying £7 4s 4d a year at St Andrew's Day, the Annunciation and Lammas in equal portions.

John de Wydevyle, who holds the hundred of Cleyley, pays £1 a year at the said terms.

In villeinage, 10½ virgates land, paying 15s 9d a year at the said terms, or 18d each.

Each virgate owes labour services for 3 days each week between Michaelmas and the feast of Thomas the Apostle, worth ¾d each, for 37 days. Total, £1 4s 2½d.

From the feast of St Thomas to the Purification, 3 days each week, worth $\frac{1}{2}$ d each, for 18 days. Total, 7s $\frac{10}{2}$ d.

From the Purification to the Invention of Holy Cross, 3 days each week, worth $\frac{3}{4}$ d each, for 39 days. Total, £1 5s 7d.

From the Invention of Holy Cross to the Nativity of St John the Baptist, 3 days each week, worth ½d each, for 23 days. Total, 10s 1d.

From the Nativity of St John the Baptist to Lammas, 3 days each week, worth ¾d each, for 16 days. Total, 10s 6d.

From Lammas to the Beheading of St John, 3 days each week, worth 1½d each, for 12 days. Total, 15s 9d.

From the Beheading of St John to Michaelmas, 3 days each week, worth 1d each, for 13 days. Total, $11s \ 4\frac{1}{2}d$.

Pannage of the customary tenants, worth 6d a year at Martinmas.

Each virgate gives a hen at Christmas, worth 1d each. Total, 101/2d.

 $\boldsymbol{5}$ cottars, paying 4s 8d a year at the aforesaid three terms.

Pleas and perquisites, worth £1 a year.

Total, £22 6d.

20. PRO C134/52 (4); *CIPM*, V, no. ...

Leckhampstead: 12 Sep, 10 Edw II (1316)

William de Tingewick held in Leckhampstead in his demesne on the day he died:

1 messuage and 2 virgates of Alan de Leughme, paying 8s a year at Michaelmas and 2 capons at Christmas, and scutage when it runs.

1 messuage, worth 1s a year.

2 virgates, containing 24 acres, worth 8s a year, or 4d an acre.

1 acre meadow, worth 1s a year.

Also, 2 virgates of Hugh Chastilon, paying 1d a year and 1 lb. of pepper at Christmas. 2 virgates, worth 8s a year.

Also, 1 virgate of William le Vavasour, paying 1s a year and labour services of 2 men at harvest, worth 4s a year.

3 roods of meadow, worth 9d a year.

Also, 1 messuage in Moor End of John de Cromwell, paying 3s 1d a year and three-weekly suit of court. Messuage not valued beyond reprise.

Dovecote, worth 2s a year.

20 acres, worth 6s 8d a year, or 4d an acre.

Also, 24 acres of Henry Spigurnel, paying 5s a year for all service, worth 8s a year, or 4d an acre.

1 acre of meadow with 3 smaledel', worth 2s.

Also, 20 acres of Henry Gobioun, worth 6s 8d a year, or 4d an acre, service unknown.

Also, 1 acre of land and $\frac{1}{2}$ acre of meadow of Thomas de Tomple, paying 1d a year, worth 1s a year.

Also, 4 assarts of the king in chief, containing 57 acres, paying 14s 3d a year to the Exchequer, or 3d an acre.

Rents of the free tenants, 13s 4d, paid at the Annunciation and Michaelmas.

21. PRO C134/90 (16); CIPM, VI, no. 611.

Potterspury: 16 Apr, 18 Edw II (1325)

Alice, wife of Guy de Beauchamp, earl of Warwick, held the manor at Potterspury.

Site of manor, where the first manor of Potterspury was built, with the herbage and fruit, worth 6d a year.

A messuage, 2 barns and 2 byres, the easement of which with the herbage of a small croft worth 12d beyond reprise.

2 ruined dovecotes, worth nothing because there are no pigeons there.

In demesne, 80 acres of arable, worth 6s 8d, or 2d an acre.

6 acres of meadow, worth 7s 6d, or 1s 3d an acre.

Several pasture called le Stokkyng', worth 2s a year.

Park, of which the pasture is worth nothing beyond the sustenance of the deer.

Underwood in the park, divided into two parts, one for fencing around the park to protect the deer, the other worth 5s when cut every 7 years. That part cannot be cut for 6 years because it was cut last Michaelmas.

A small water-mill called Clakke, worth 20s a year beyond reprise.

A broken windmill, worth nothing.

A millpond worth nothing because there are no fish there.

Rents of assize of free tenants and cottars at Potterspury and Yardley Gobion, £4 3s 3d, in equal portions at the terms of St Andrew's Day, the Annunciation and St Peter's Chains. John de Wideuill', for the hundred of Cleyley, 20s a year, in equal portions at Easter and Michaelmas.

A tenant, paying 1 lb. of pepper worth 8d a year at the Annunciation.

At Potterspury, 10 villeins holding 5 virgates, 12d each a year in equal portions at the said terms.

At Yardley Gobion, 7 villeins holding $6\frac{1}{2}$ virgates, 6 of whom pay 8s 3d a year and one 10d, in equal portions at the said terms.

Each virgate owes labour services from Michaelmas to the feast of Thomas the Apostle, for 3 days each week with a man at the lord's will, each worth 3/d a day. Total, £1 5s 101/2d.

From the feast of St Thomas to the Purification, 3 days each week, worth ½d a day. Total, 8s 7d.

From the Purification to the Invention of Holy Cross, 3 days each week, worth ¾d a day. Total. £1 7s 9d.

From the Invention of Holy Cross to the Nativity of St John the Baptist, 3 days each week, worth $\frac{1}{2}$ d a day. Total, 10s $\frac{3}{4}$ d.

From the Nativity of St John the Baptist to Lammas, 3 days each week, worth ¾d a day, for mowing the whole of the lord's meadow, and spreading, collecting, making and carrying the hay. Total, 11s 6d.

From Lammas to the Beheading of St John, 3 days each week, worth 1½d a day. Total, 17s 9d

From the Beheading of St John to Michaelmas, 3 days each week, worth 1d a day. Total, 11s 6d

1 cottar who works on a Monday with 1 man from Lammas to Michaelmas, 10d.

Each of the 10 serfs at Potterspury give 4 hens and 1 cock at Martinmas, each worth 1d. Total, 4s 2d.

Each of the 7 serfs at Yardley Gobion give 1 cock at Christmas and 1 hen at Michaelmas, each worth 1d. Total, 14d.

The said serfs give at Easter 115 eggs, worth 3d.

Pleas and perquisites, with a view at Michaelmas, worth 13s 4d a year.

22. PRO C135/6; CIPM, VII, no. 82.

Passenham: 14 Mar/16 Apr, 1 Edw III (1327)

Thomas earl of Lancaster held the manor of Passenham of the king in chief, service unknown.

A capital messuage with garden and curtilage with a croft in an enclosure, worth 3s 6d a year. In demesne, 300 acres of arable, by the short hundred, worth £5 a year, or 4d an acre.

21 acres of assart, worth 7s a year, or 4d an acre.

30 acres of meadow called le Hamme on the river Ouse, worth £3 a year, or 2s an acre when not flooded.

40 acres of meadow in various pieces, worth £3 a year, or 1s 6d an acre.

2 pastures called le Hay, worth 12s a year between the Annunciation and Lammas.

A headland, worth 2s a year.

A several fishery in the Ouse, worth 3s 6d a year.

Rents of free tenants with cottars, £1 3d

Rent at Easter, 3d.

3 free tenants, 1s 6d a year.

Rent, 1s at the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

John de Haustede, 2 lb. pepper, worth 1s 8d a year.

Hugh Gobion, 1 lb. cumin, worth 1d.

Prior of Snellshall, 51/2d.

William Gobion the younger, 3s.

A tenant, 2s.

A tenant, 41/2d.

Walter Hikeman, 12d.

12 villeins with the reeve, each holding a messuage and half a virgate, £2 8s, or 4s each.

Between them they do 6 ploughings a year at the winter sowing, worth 3d each, and not more according to custom. Total, 1s 6d.

Each of them will harrow for a day, worth 1d each. Total, 1s.

They will plough and harrow in the same way at the Lenten sowing and will have from the lord 1½ bus. of oats worth 4½d. The ploughing is worth 3d, the harrowing 1d. Total beyond reprise, 2s 1½d.

They also plough at fallow-time, weed the corn, mow, make and carry hay, and harvest, including boon-reaping with 2 men for the lord's food and another with 1 man.

2 serfs holding 2 messuages and half a virgate, pay 4s a year with ploughing, harrowing, etc. All the said serfs give the lord aid at Michaelmas, worth £2 12s.

At Deanshanger, various cottars pay £1 17s 5d.

Alice Haiward pays 6 capons worth 12d for an oven

A cottar pays 8d at Christmas and 3d at the Nativity of St John the Baptist.

Pleas and perquisites, with 2 views of frankpledge, worth 13s 4d a year.

Total, £24 6s 4d.

23. PRO C135/47 (8); *CIPM*, VIII, no. 44 <u>Deanshanger</u>: 17 Dec, 10 Edw III (1336) John de Haustede held the manor of Deanshanger of the king in chief, by grant of Edward II, for the service of a fortieth of a knight's fee.

A capital messuage, worth nothing beyond the maintenance of the buildings, except the fruit and herbage of a garden, when it happens, worth 6s 8d a year.

Dovecote, worth 2s a year.

In demesne, 200 acres, by the short hundred, of which two parts can be sown a year, and then worth 6d an acre. Total, £3 6s 9d. The third part lies fallow and is worth nothing because at all times the fallow is common to all tenants there.

Assart within Whittlewood Forest, containing 33 acres of arable, paying at the king's exchequer 3d an acre a year. Total, 8s 3d.

30 acres of meadow lying in various pieces, of which 20 acres worth £2 a year, or 2s an acre, and 10 acres worth 10s a year, or 1s an acre, and not more because it is dry meadow. 3 acres of several pasture, worth in all 1s 8d a year.

William, his son, aged 30 and more, is his heir.