A CALENDAR

OF

Deeds enrolled within the County of Norfolk.

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OF all the thousands of records in which the history of England lies hidden, I think it may be said, without fear of challenge, those remaining with the Clerks of the Peace for the different counties are the least known, not merely to the general public, but even to those who have charge of them. Nor is this surprising when we consider the little care that their predecessors have taken to keep the rolls arranged until the task of arranging them became too great to be lightly undertaken.

At the end of the last century the Government appointed a Select Committee to enquire into the state of the public records throughout the kingdom, which Committee did not neglect the county records. They requested the several Clerks of the Peace to report to them on the nature of their contents and other matters. The replies of the Clerks may be seen in the Report of the Committee, issued in 1800; but one does not gather much from the returns, the custodians, as a rule, knowing but little of what was under their care.

William Stokes, Clerk of the Peace for Norfolk, pleads, as an excuse for his lack of knowledge, that he has vol. XIII.

been but recently appointed; but he managed to make the Committee understand that there were no documents relating to the county of an earlier date than 1700. The late Clerk had been in the habit of keeping part of the records at his private dwelling-house, and Mr. Stokes is anxious that a commodious room should be provided for them within or adjoining Norwich Castle. Whether a room was found for them then and there. I cannot tell; but archæologists will, I am sure, be thankful to the late Mr. William Stokes for his desire for the better preservation of the records. Indeed, he went further, and suggested that a general catalogue and indexes should be made of every description of the public documents of the county. If only wishes were actions what more could be desired? From an archaeological point of view, Mr. Stokes was the right man in the right place.

No doubt the action of the Government Committee opened the eyes of many Clerks of the Peace to the national value of their records, and it is reasonable to suppose that better care was bestowed on them in consequence.

I am not aware, however, that anything practical was done with our Norfolk records for many years. In 1823 the Shirehall was opened, since which date they have been preserved there, and deposited in the lockers at the top of the strong room, where they remained until quite recently.

Some few years ago the Norfolk County Council came into possession of the records, and, as already reported to this Society, Mr. Hudson and Mr. Tallack arranged them at the request of the President of the Society, who is also Chairman of the Record Committee. They found amongst them several files of Enrolments of

¹ Norfolk Archæology, vol. xii., Report for 1891, p. v.

Conveyances, commencing in 1560, and arrangements were being made with Mr. Tallack to calendar them, when his untimely death put an end to the expectations of the Society in this and other matters.

These enrolments were made in accordance with an Act of Parliament of 27 Hen. VIII., which was a supplement to the Statute of Uses, passed in the same session. By 27 Hen. VIII., cap. 16, it was enacted "that from the last day of July, 1536, no manors, lands, or tenements shall pass from one to another by reason of any bargain and sale thereof, except the same bargain and sale be made by writing indented, inrolled in one of the King's Courts of Record at Westminster, or else within the county where the lands lie, before the Custos Rotulorum and two Justices of the Peace, and the Clerk of the Peace of the same county, or two of them at the least, whereof the Clerk of the Peace to be one; the inrollment to be made within six months after the date of the writing in parchment, to the intent that every party that hath to do therewith, may resort and see the effect and tenor of every such writing so inrolled." This Act was unpopular from the first, because it gave publicity to the doings of great families.

Sims, in his Manual, doubts whether there are any records with the majority of the Clerks of the Peace of more ancient date than the commencement of the eighteenth century, but states that the county records of Middlesex, which are the earliest in existence, commence in 1547. Mr. John Cordy Jeaffreson has informed me that Middlesex possesses no enrolments of deeds.

Since Sims wrote, the old documents relating to the county of Essex were accidentally discovered in the Shirehall, at Chelmsford, and among them were forty-

¹ Extended to the Counties Palatine (Lancashire and Cheshire) and the Bishoprick of Durham by 5 Eliz., c. 26.

one membranes of enrolments of conveyances, from 23 Hen. VIII. to 21 James I., numbering ninety-one conveyances in all, which have all been calendared and published by the Historical Manuscripts Commission, 10th Report, Appendix, part iv. The same Commission, in its 7th Report, makes mention of the Somersetshire Records, among which there are said to be thirty similar rolls, extending over a period from 28 Hen. VIII. to 1731. The North Riding of Yorkshire has a series from the 30 Hen. VIII. to 5 William and Mary, of which there is a calendar in the Ninth Report, Appendix, part i.; 1 it also possesses a Record Society, which, I believe, is making a calendar of all its records. The West Riding has no enrolments of conveyances. Probably several other counties have some, which will be accessible to the public in course of time.

To return to our Norfolk records. In the spring of 1895, when the Norwich Municipal Records were being arranged in the admirable Muniment Room provided for them in the Castle Museum, a question arose whether the County Records might not also be deposited there. It appeared, however, that there were technical objections to this course, owing to the Castle being now outside the jurisdiction of the Custos Rotulorum of the county. A press, similar to those in the City Muniment Room, was therefore provided in the Shirehall, and it was decided that before the records were deposited there, they should (in addition to the classification made in 1891) be thoroughly cleaned, a lengthy and laborious process. Mr. Hudson, who was asked to superintend this work, requested me to undertake it in his stead. At the same time, at the request of the Committee of the Archæological Society, and with the consent of the Joint

¹ The series is continued in books down to 1875, but as Yorkshire is a register county, this is an exceptional case.

Committee of the County Council, I undertook to make a calendar of the above-mentioned enrolments.

The original arrangement of the rolls, I believe, was in periods corresponding with the official lives of the Clerks of the Peace, and there were until they passed through my hands some ten files of rolls. But owing to their inconvenient size some of them have been now divided into two parts; for instance, one consisted of 177 narrow rolls, and when placed one upon another they made a pile which was higher than it was broad, a most inconvenient form. Another of thirty-nine rolls I found with three taken from the commencement, and three from the end to make two other small files; these are now arranged consecutively. There are now eleven files of from one roll in the smallest to ninety-three in the largest.

The rolls are in excellent condition, there being only one or two which I had any difficulty in deciphering. I must make exception of the latest file, which consists of enrolments during the first half of the eighteenth century; this file appears to have been eaten by mice. I do not see any trace of damp, but every roll is destroyed in the same degree. However, the greater part is left, and there is so much repetition, that what is missing can be pretty well supplied from what remains, so that the loss is by no means irreparable; beyond that the file has an untidy look, little harm has been done.

As to the completeness of the series, I can only say definitely that it is not perfect, but how imperfect it is very difficult to judge. Readers can form their own opinion from what I have to say on each separate file. I have conclusive evidence that five rolls or membranes are missing, but that is probably below the full number, yet I should not be surprised if that number were less

than ten, though, on the other hand, it might exceed twenty. This refers to the existing files or bundles. There may, of course, be others now lost which preceded or followed them. There are preserved 455 rolls, each membrane being numbered at the foot as such and such a roll. I have retained the old nomenclature, calling the bundles of membranes files, and the separate membranes rolls. The majority of the rolls are in English, but several are in Latin.

I will now proceed to say a few words on each file, taking the first two at the same time.

Files 1 and 2 comprising the reign of Elizabeth, and containing 113 rolls (sixty and fifty-three respectively), were fastened together in one unwieldy file, so I divided them where I thought there was a break in the sequence, a change occurring in the Clerk of the Peace, and a large gap in the dates. There is an indorsement to the effect that at some time or other this first part had constituted a file by itself.

The earliest enrolment was made on the 10th January, 156°, the indenture itself was executed a few months previously, viz., on the 1st September, 1560. The two files extend over the whole reign, the last entry being on the 23rd March, 160°, that is the day before the Queen's death.

I have mentioned a gap in the dates, it turned out to be a snare owing to the abominable misplacing of the membranes by someone, who long since enfiled them, paying little or no attention to their proper order and numbering them afterwards. This was not the first file brought to me, and, judging by my experience of the others, the arrangement of which is fairly correct, with an occasional slip, I thought I might trust the figures on this, the more so as they followed each other in regular sequence, and when I discovered my mistake I had gone too far to correct it.

I regret that I did not re-arrange these rolls in the first instance, but as any one who refers to the Calendar can tell at once by looking at the date of any two conveyances which is the earlier of the two, I trust that the order is not of primary consequence. It was trouble enough to hunt through the rolls for one containing the continuation of an indenture and apparently missing. I invariably found it, and there is not an imperfect enrolment on this file.

Another eccentricity of this file is that it begins again at roll 25, where eleven rolls occur inscribed only on the face containing duplicates of the entries on rolls 1 and 8 to 14, and seemingly roll 14 ought to be roll 2. I think the second series is really the original one; it is in quite a different, and, I should say, older hand.

File 3 continues the series, and, I believe, without an interruption. There is in this file a fine series of thirty-four enrolments relating to the sale of the tithes in Old Buckenham ¹ to various purchasers, giving schedules of the lands from which the tithes were derived; and, did any one care to take the necessary trouble, I think a fairly perfect map of the parish might be made from the information given, showing all the fields, roads, lanes, &c., with their names as they existed in 1614.

Files 4 and 5 were one file of 177 rolls. The membranes are of a uniform size, and much narrower than any others I have met with. The earlier rolls vary considerably in the length and breadth of the membranes. File 4 slightly overlaps with file 3, so it is hard to believe that anything is missing between the two. When I first had the whole in my hands it finished at roll 169, which had a blank back, and appeared to be quite perfect, but roll 170 came to light in the cleaning, torn, and illegible in places; moreover, it finishes at the beginning

¹ See Blomefield, vol. i., p. 390.

of a deed, so that it is evident that one or two membranes are wanting here. On the back of roll 6 an Apprentice Deed occurs. It cannot have any business there. Moreover, what could have been the use of recording it nearly twenty-five years after it was executed? Clearly someone has blundered. I can only explain it by supposing that the original was lying about, and by accident got between two deeds handed in for registration, and the clerk (perhaps new to the work) entered it with the others. The last enrolment was made in January, 164%.

As one would expect from what has just been said, file 6 does not continue the sequence as it ought. The first deed was enrolled in April, 1644, giving a hiatus of three years. It consists of thirty-nine rolls ending in January, 165⁶. There is nothing in it to warrant particular mention.

File 7 commences in January, 165%, leaving a whole year unaccounted for. As the next year occupies five rolls, it seems reasonable to suppose that some rolls at the end of file 6 are lost. This file ends in June, 1679, showing a gap of about three years between the last two entries, and the last is incomplete.

The series virtually ends with file 7, but three rolls are evidently missing, one to complete that file; and what I have called file 8 consists of only one roll, which is No. 3. It contains two deeds enrolled Dec., 1683, and Oct., 1684, respectively. The latter is imperfect, and relates to Little Walsingham charities.

That the Act quoted was becoming obsolete is clear from the rolls themselves. The number of enrolments per annum decreases; and roll 31 in d on file 7 is a deed entered thirty-five years after the execution, and then only to show the title of the vendor in a new conveyance, the copy of which is not found.

In fact the practitioners of the day had found a means of evading the Act by a method with which anyone, who has had occasion to examine title deeds, must be thoroughly familar; I mean the lease for a year and release. It is, moreover, a noteworthy coincidence that the date of the Statute of Frauds (29 Car. II. c. 3, i.e., 1677), almost exactly corresponds with that at which this series ceases. Seeing that it enacted that a feoffment must be in writing to be effectual, and said nothing about enrolment, it may be surmised that it made enrolment no longer necessary and rendered 27 Hen. VIII. c. 16 nugatory.

File 9 is of two rolls, temp. William and Mary, and comprises four years, from 1689—1693.

There is a roll for 1st Anne, numbered Rot. 1; I have called it file 10. It contains but one deed, which is an interesting one, showing how a woman, about to marry, created a separate estate for herself, during coverture, without the aid of a married woman's property act. We may be sure she was anxious to have it registered.

File 11 has sixteen rolls, but they are of a different class to the others, and contain the award of the Commissioners appointed for the Inclosures of the parishes of Stokesby and Oxburgh, and the remainder entirely relate to the conveyances of the estates of Papists, commanded to be enrolled by 3 Geo. c. 18, the first deed bearing the date of the following year, and the last enrolment preserved took place in January, 173½.

I have not been able to arrive at any satisfactory conclusion respecting the Norfolk conveyances during the first quarter of a century, after the passing of the Act, 27 Hen. VIII. c. 16. It is said to have been evaded soon after the promulgation, but that fact will not account for their non-existence. The parties had the option of the registration at Westminster, but it does

not appear altogether reasonable to suppose they resorted to a course that must have been very expensive. On the other hand, it is odd that there should now be not the slightest trace or fragment of the earliest enrolments at the Shirehall.

Until now, all the county records have been a sealed letter for the historical enquirer, not that he was unable to obtain permission to make a search, but he had needs be a keen searcher to be prepared to examine thousands of slips of parchment on the chance of one or two supplying the information required. The following calendar will only render accessible a very small proportion.

I have said something of the genealogical value of these rolls. As to their topographical, I may add that Blomefield never saw them. His mark is conspicuous by its absence at the Shirehall, and they contain matter that is an addition to his work. For example, take the first item of the calendar, and turn to Blomefield, vol. xi., p. 184, and it will be seen at once that he knew nothing about it. Better still, look on the back of R. 13, of the first file, which entry must refer to Kirstead. We find in Blomefield that Thomas Godsalve purchased a fourth part of Kirstead Miniots, 36 Hen. VIII., and that John Copledike held it about 22 Eliz. Now the calendar will show that Thomas Gawdye conveyed a fourth part of the manor to Copledike, and the roll gives us his (Gawdye's) title, viz., the purchase of the same part from Thomas Godsalve, on 11 Oct., 3 Eliz. I might give several other instances. At the same time, Blomefield, undoubtedly, saw the originals of several of the enrolled deeds.

In conclusion, I desire to express my thanks to the officials at the Shirehall, especially to Mr. H. C. Bolingbroke, the County Treasurer, for courteous help and accommodation in his office.

SUMMARY.

FILE.	Period.	No. of Rolls.
I.	10 January, 156° —21 February, 157°	60
II.	29 July, 157923 March, 1603	53
III.	15 June, 1603—30 September, 1617	70
IV.	14 January, 1617—21 July, 1628	84
V.	20 December, 1628— January, 1640	93
VI.	20 April, 1644—24 January, 1659	39
VII.	13 January, 1657—13 June, 1679	36
VIII.	22 December, 1683—16 October, 1684	1
IX.	8 May, 1689—2 September, 1693	2
X.	20 January, 170 ² ₃	1
XI.	14 January, 1718—22 January, 1731	16
	Total	455

FILE I. From 10 Jan^{ry}, 156^o₁, to 21 Feb^{ry}, 157^o₈.

1 Septer, 2nd Eliz., 1560.

Rollesby.—Bargain and sale by Thomas Gawdye, Esqre, of Rockland, Robert Cooke of Mileham, gentleman, and John Yongs, to William Cappes of Aele, gentleman, of the reversion of the manor of Rollesbye, with the rights, liberties, and members, and the advowson of the church of Rollesbye.—Roll 1.

20 Febry, 3rd Eliz., 156%.

Illington, &c.¹—Conveyance by John Inglysshe of Croxton, yeoman, and Elizabeth his wife, the sister and heir of Thomas Hay, late of Illington, deceased, to John Holt, gentleman, of a messuage and other lands, meadows, &c., in Illington, Larling, Rowdeham, Wrettham, Hockham Magna and Parva, and Sheopham.—R. 1, in dorso.

¹ This means that other places are mentioned in the deed.

16 March, 3rd Eliz., 156%.

Wheatacre Burgh.—Bargain and sale by Edmond Acton of Aldbye and Alice his wife, executors of the will of William Mannall of Aldebye, to Anthonie Baspool of Wheteacre, of a messuage called Palmers, with lands, meadows, &c., in Wheteacre Burgh.—R. 1, in d.

20 March, 6th Eliz., 1563.

Clenchwarton.—Conveyance by William Hoo of Tylney, gentleman, to Richard Hoo his nephew, of lands, meadows, &c., in Clenchwarton. (This indenture has been cancelled).—R. 2.

26 Febry, 6th Eliz., 1563.

Fishley, &c.—Bargain and sale by Jherome Bowes, Esq^{re}, of Cockthorp, to Robert Wood, Alderman of Norwich, of a moiety of the manor of Fyssheley alias Fyshelye, and of other lands, tenements, &c., in Fyssheley, Ocle, Southwalsham, Upton, Burlingham S^t Andrew, Burlingham S^t Peter, Burlingham S^t Edmonde, Cantley, Freethorp, Bastwicke, Letheringsett, Wyckhampton, Moughton, Berton alias Barton, and Smalbergh alias Smalborough, and a moiety of the rectory and church of Fysshley.—R. 2 and in d.

10 Janry, 8th Eliz., 156%.

Dersingham, &c.—Bargain and sale by William Curson, Esq^{re}, of Bylaught alias Bylowe, to Jefferey Cobbs, Esq^{re}, of Sandryngham, of the manor of Gethamhall alias Gythamhall, with the rights, liberties, and members, and other lands, tenements, &c., in Darsingham, Sherborne, Wolverton, Sandringham, and Babinglee.—R. 3.

28 Febry, 8th Eliz., 1565.

West Rudham.—Bargain and sale by John Holland of Booton, draper, brother and next heir of Robert Holland late of West Rudham, deceased, the son and heir of Thomas Holland late of West Rudham, deceased, to Robert Good-

wyn of West Rudham, husbandman, and William Benyng of Hylloughton, husbandman, of four messuages and two acres and half a rood of land and pasture, and thirty acres of copyhold land in West Rudham.—R. 3, in d.

9 Janry, 8th Eliz., 1565.

Weasenham, &c.—Bargain and sale by Thomas, Duke of Norfolk, Earl Marshall of England, to Nichols Mynne, Esqre, of Great Dunham, of the manor of Wesenham with the members, and rents and pensions from lands, &c., in Wesenham, East Lexham, and West Lexham, and the advowsons of the churches of the same parishes.—R. 4.

22 Octer, 7th Eliz., 1565.

Winterton.—Bargain and sale by Agnes Philipps of Wynterton, widow, and sole executrix of the will of Robert Philipps, to Edward Perye of Estsomerton, yeoman, of a messuage called Topyes, with a close of two acres adjoining and a hemp yard; and also an inclosure of two acres with a barn and a pightle and two roods and a pasture, all in Wynterton.—R. 4, in đ.

18 Janry, 7th Eliz., 1564.

Antingham, &c.—Bargain and sale by Arthur Jeney, Esq^{re}, of Holme Hall, to Thomas Gryem (Gryme) of Suffild, yeoman, of the reversion of the manor of Antyngham Wychingham, with land, rents, services, and members in Antyngham, Gunton, Suffild, Thorpemarket, Bradfyld, Swaffyld, and Northwalsham.—R. 5.

30 Septer, 7th Eliz., 1565.

Redenhall, &c.—Entailment by Bryan Hollande, Esq^{re}, of Wortewell, on John Holland, gentleman, his only son and heir apparent, of all his manors, messuages, lands, &c., in the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk or elsewhere in England, excepting certain lands in Reddenhall and Larlyngforth.—R. 5, in d.

8 Octer, 6th Eliz., 1564.

Worstead.—Mortgage by George Thymblethorp, Esq^{re}, and Bartrand Thymblethorp, gentleman, to John Chetham, gentleman, of the manor of Harpyngham, and messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Worsted and Westweke, for the sum of £700.—R. 6.

8 March, 7th Eliz., 1564.

Tilney.—Bargain and sale by Thomas Stalon and Christofer Goole of Tylney, yeomen, executors of the will of Robert Randoll late of Tylney, yeoman, to Walter Cleye of the same town, yeoman, of a messuage called S^t Willyams and five acres of land adjoining, and a woodyard containing half-an-acre in Tylney.—R. 6 in d.

1 June, 6th Eliz., 1564.

Brancaster.—Grant by Richard Southwell, Esqre, of Horsham S^t Feith, to Thomas, Duke of Norfolk, Earl Marshall of England, &c., Sir Thomas Cornewalleys, Knt., and Frauncs Gawdy, Esqre, of the manor of Brancastre, with the lands, tenements, &c., as security for the performance of certain conditions of the will of Sir Richard Southwell.—R. 7.

7 Febry, 6th Eliz., 1563.

Guist, &c.—Conveyance by Edmond Davye of Geyst, yeoman, to Symon Dyman also of Geyst, yeoman, of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Geyst, Twyford, and Norton, subject to the right of one Margerye Anderson, late the wife of Thomas Wilton.—R. 7, in d.

8 Octer, 5th Eliz., 1563.

Billockby, &c.—Agreement between Edward Clere, Esq^{re}, son and heir of Sir John Clere, Knt., deceased, and Robert Mayhewe of Clyppesbye, gentleman, respecting certain rents from lands in Billockbye and Clippesbye, and two acres of land called Thurston's in the same parishes, conveyed to Robert Mayhewe.—R. 8 and in d.

30 Seper, 5th Eliz., 1563.

Sculthorpe, &c.—Conveyance by Henrye Yelverton, Esq^{re}, of Skulthorp, to William Yelverton, Esq^{re}, of Rougham, and Thomas Peppys of Southacre, gentleman, of a moiety of the manors of Pomfret alias Ketelston alias Ketilston, Skulthorp, Dunton, Dowghton, Sherford, Pynkeneys, Begviles [Revyles below], Lucyes, Tatersett, Brownesthorp, and Hempton, with the lands, rents, advowsons of churches, liberties, members, &c., in the said parishes, and other lands in Skulthorp and Litle Walsingham.—R. 9, and in d.

9 Decer, 6th Eliz., 1563.

Sculthorpe, &c.—Re-grant by the above William Yelverton and Thomas Peppys to the above Henry Yelverton of the same property as the last.—R. 9 in d, and R. 10.

20 Octer, 5th Eliz., 1563.

Rollesby.—Grant by William Cappes of Acle, gentleman, to Nicholas Kene, gentleman, and Robert Feryar, yeoman, both of Great Yarmouth, Thomas Shanck, Thomas Norwich the younger, William Davye of Rollesbye, yeoman, Thomas Norwich the elder, William Church of the same town, husbandman, and all other inhabitants of the township of Rollesbye (except the landholders and farmers of the manor of Bays) of his liberty of foldcourse belonging to the manor of Rollsbye.—R. 10, and in d.

20 Decer, 5th Eliz., 1562.

Blofield, &c.—Bargain and sale by William Cocket, Esqre, of Besthorpe, to Thomas Edon of Blowfyld, gentleman, of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Blowfyld, Hemlyngton, Litle Plumpsted, Westaugh, Wytton, and Brundall, or elsewhere within the hundreds of Blowfyld and Walsham.—R. 11.

27 March, 5th Eliz., 1563.

Holme Hale.—Mortgage by Arthur Jenney, Esq^{re}, of Lound in Suffolk, to Thomas Hogan, Esq^{re}, of Estbradenham, of the site of the manor of Hillehall in Holmehall, for the sum of £100.—R. 11 in d.

4 Octer, 5th Eliz., 1563.

South Rainham, &c.—Bargain and sale by Richard Walpoole of Brakenasshe, gentleman, to Thomas Sturges of Sowthreynham alias Raynham S^t Martyn, gentleman, of the reversion of a messuage or tenement in Southreynham, with an inclosure of three acres of meadow and twentynine acres and three roods of land, &c., in Southreynham, Wellingham, and Wesenham; and also the rectory of Southreynham, with the rights, members, and tithes, and the advowson of the vicarage of the same.—R. 12, and in d.

7 March, 4th Eliz., 156½.

Ranworth, &c.—Bargain and sale by Thomas Sotherton, alderman, of Norwich, and John Sotherton the younger, of the same city, grocer, executors of the will of Leonard Sotherton, alderman, of Norwich, to Sampson Michell of Southwalsham, yeoman, of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Ranworth, Panxworth, Hemlington, and Upton.—R. 13.

30 Septer, 4th Eliz., 1562.

Kirstead?—Conveyance by Thomas Gawdye, Esq^{re}, of Hollveston, to John Cupyldyck (Copyldyck), Esq., of Kyrbye Cane, of a fourth part of the manor of Mynyetts, with all lands and tenements parcel of the same.—R. 13 in d.

Same date.

Diss.—Conveyance by Michael Goman of Waynford in Suffolk, daughter (filia) and heir apparent of Henry Goman of Disse, to Thomas Cryspe of Waynford, of the reversion of a messuage, with four acres of land in Disse.—R. 13 in d.

11 July, 3rd Eliz., 1561.

Illington, &c.—Conveyance by John Holt of Burye St. Edmund in Suffolk, gentleman, to Christopher Gascoyne, yeoman, of a messuage or tenement and other lands, pastures, &c., in Illington, Larlyng, Rowdham, Wretham, Hockham Magna, Hockham Parva, and Sheopham (sic)—R. 14.

22 April, 4th Eliz., 1562.

1 Septer, 5th Eliz., 1563.

Tatterford.—Conveyance by William Burganye of Hellowghton, husbandman, to Henrye Browne of Taterford, of a messuage and five acres of land and pasture in Taterford.—R. 14, in d.

18 March, 8th Eliz., 1568.

Outwell.—Bargain and sale by John Laverock of Upwell in Cambridgeshire, and Robert Bonsanne of Swafham Markett in Norfolk, executors of the will of Water (Walter) Walter of Upwell, to John Kuer of Outwell, yeoman, of a messuage or tenement builded in Owtewell.—R. 15.

1 March, 8th Eliz., 1565.

Upwell.—The like by the same executors, to Adam Bellamye of Upwell, fisher, of fifteen acres of pasture in Upwell in Norfolk.—R. 15, in d.

20 March, 8th Eliz., 1568.

Upwell.—The like by the same executors, to William Goldwell of Upwell, beer brewer, of ten acres of land and pasture in Upwell in Norfolk.—R. 15, in d.

10 April, 8th Eliz., 1566.

Burnham.—Conveyance by William Bromfeld of Susted, son and heir, and sole executor of William Bromfelde, Esq^{re}, and Thomas Pepys of Southcreke, gentleman, to Robart Jenyson of Burnham Westgate, gentleman, of eleven acres of marsh called Martyndales, an acre-and-a-half of land in Burnham Overy, a close called Vyncent's Close in St. Androwe's parish, and fifty-eight acres and a quarter of a rood of land in Burnham Norton, Burnham Westgate, and Burnham Depdale.—R. 16 and in d; R. 17 and in d.

The schedule of the said fifty-eight acres of land.—R. 18a and in d; R. 18b and in d.

11 June, 8th Eliz., 1566.

Honing.—Mortgage by Cristofer Jenney of Lyncolne's Inn in Middlesex, gentleman, to Thomas Bateman of Flyxton in Suffolk, gentleman, of a watermill called Brydgate Myll, with the meadows and fishings thereto belonging, and fifty-six acres of land, meadow, &c., in Honyng, for the sum of £200.—R. 18c.

20 March, 8th Eliz., 1565.

Cawston, &c.—Conveyance by George Knyghtlye of Thurington in Essex, gentleman, to Thomas Gawdye, Esq^{re}, of Claxton, of the manors of Meys and Sterlings with the lands, tenements, and liberties, &c.; and other lands, &c., in Cawston, Heverlond, Brandeston, and Hevyngham.—R. 18c, in d.

30 Septer, 8th Eliz., 1566.

Bunwell.—Conveyance by Emma Smyth alias Folsham of Besthorp, widow, and sole executrix of the will of Adam Smyth alias Folsham, to William Jollye of Besthorp,

husbandman, of two pightles of pasture containing together two acres and three roods in Bunwell.—R. 19.

30 Septer, 8th Eliz., 1566.

Wymondham.—The like by the same executrix, to James Howse of Besthorp, husbandman, of a tenement void and three acres of land or pasture adjoining called Grene's Close, in Wymondham.—R. 19, in d.

22 June, 8th Eliz., 1566.

Tibbenham, &c.—Lease for one thousand years by Sir Thomas Knyvett of Buckenham Castle, Knt., and Thomas Reder, servant of the said Sir Thomas, to Thomas Bannock alias Barber of Tybenham, yeoman, and William Bannock alias Barber his son, of an inclosure of meadow and pasture called Hardycroft, containing sixty acres in Tybenham, two acres of ground called Inhams in Carlton, and two pieces of pasture containing two acres in Tybenham. To which premises one Nicholas Herne is to be admitted without payment of fine.—R. 20 and in d.; R. 21 and in d.

28 March, 8th Eliz., 1566.

Smallburgh, &c.—Enfranchisement by William Arnold of Cromer, gentleman, to Richard Bangs of Norwich, tanner, of a messuage and fifteen acres of land thereto belonging in Smaleborough, Barton, and Beston, lately held by copy of court roll of the manor of Catts. And also one acre of the demesne lands of the said manor, conveyed to the said Richard.—R. 22.

12 July, 8th Eliz., 1566.

Massingham.—Conveyance by Thomas Alowe of Grete Massingham, gentleman, to William Yelverton, Esqre, of Rougham, of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., being freehold, charterhold, or copyhold in Greate and Litle Massingham.—R. 22 and in d.

10 Octer, 5th Eliz., 1563.

Horningtoft.—Bargain and sale by Thomas Barsham of Oxwicke, executor of the will of Sir Robert Kyrkby, clerk, parson of Hornyngtofte, to William Barsham of Bylaugh, of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., both free-hold and copyhold, in Hornyngtofte.—R. 23.

28 Septer, 5th Eliz., 1563.

Hemsby.—Bargain and sale by John Buckynham of Hemesbye, yeoman, and Alice his wife, who was widow and executrix of the will of one Jermyn Botolfe, to Gilbert Sympkins of Hemesbye, gentleman, of a messuage and five acres of land in Hemesbye.—R. 23 and in d.

20 March, 6th Eliz., 1563.

Clenchwarton.—Conveyance by William Hoo of Tylney, gentleman, to Richard Hoo his nephew, of lands, marshes, &c., in Clenchwharton.—R. 23, in đ.

Janry, 11th Eliz., 1568.

Repps, &c.—Conveyance by Walter Whytynge of Aylisham, gentleman, son and heir of Elizabeth Whytinge, deceased, one of the daughters and heirs of Edwarde Playter, Esq^{re}, of Obye, deceased, and Roger Dockynge the elder of Burlingham, plowewryghte, to Thomas Clerke of Thurne, yeoman, of lands, tenements, &c., in Reppes, Bastwycke, Ashebye, Owby, and Thurne, and the reversion of a messuage and three-and-a-half acres of land in Reppes.—R. 24 and in d.¹

30 July, 10th Eliz., 1568.

Thuxton.—Bargain and sale by Johanna Crossolde of Matshall Berg, widow and sole executrix of the will of Thomas Crossolde, to Sir Edwarde Bacheler, clerk, parson

¹ The rolls numbered 25 to 35 are inscribed on one side only, and contain duplicates of the entries on R. 1, 8 to 14, and 23.

of Garveston, of an inclosure and other lands, tenements, &c., in Thuxton.—R. 36.

13 Janry, 11th Eliz., 1568.

Hingham.—Conveyance by John Clypsby, Esqre, of Owbye in West Flegg, to William Thornton of Downham Lodge, gentleman, of knights' fees, rents, and services whereby the manor of Ellingham's in Hingham, or any other lands in Hingham or Hingham Barrowe be holden as of the manor of Owby, on condition that the said John Clypsby shall obtain a discharge from the payment of eighty Mynes of wheat, reduced to the rent of £4 per annum claimed as part of the manor of Thirne Hall from the manor of Owbye by the counsel and advice of the said William Thornton.—R. 36, in d.

14 June, 11th Eliz., 1569.

Breccles Magna.—Conveyance by Thomas Methwolde of Langford, gentleman, to Frauncs Woodhous, Esq^{re}, of Great Breckles, of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Great Breccles.—R. 37.1

14 June, 11th Eliz., 1569.

Wickmere, &c.—Bargain and sale by John Seman to William Dixe, Esq^{re}, of Wickmer, of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Wyckmer, Matlaske, and Little Barnyngham.

—R. 38 and in d.²

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² The heading of this conveyance reads:—"Between Thomas Metholde, &c., of the one part, and Frauncs Woodhouse, &c., and William Dixe of Wickmer aforesaid, esquire, of the other part. Witnesseth that the said John Seman, the son, &c., &c.," and there is no further mention of Methold and Woodhouse. It is evident that the clerk has confused this with the last, and the date being the same in each case is very uncertain in the latter. R. 39 is a continuation of R. 18, after which it has now been placed and numbered R. 18b.

5 May, 9th Eliz., 1567.

Kimberley.—Bargain and sale by John Curson of Kymberlye, yeoman, to Arthur Bunfante of Carleton Fowerhoo, yeoman, of a messuage called Bonds, with a croft adjoining in Kymberley.—R. 40.

20 Decer, 9th Eliz., 1566.

Stokesby, &c.—Bargain and sale by William Bocher of Stokesbye, yeoman, and Cecyle his wife, who was executrix of the will, and late the wife of Henrye Patterson of Stokesbye, to John Grene of Southwalsham, yeoman, of a messuage with seventy acres and three roods of land, and reed grounds, fishings, &c., in Stokesbye and Thrygbye.—R. 40 and in d.

1 July, 9th Eliz., 1567.

Hedenham, &c.—Conveyance by Robert Rycheman of Hednham, yeoman, to Robert Bedyngfyld, gentleman, and Marie his wife, of the manor of Shernbornes, and other lands, tenements, &c., in Hednham, Bedingham, Wotton, Sething, and Dechyngham.—R. 40, in d.

8 June, 9th Eliz., 1567.

Dunham Magna.—Bargain and sale by Nicholas Mynne, Esq^{re}, of Little Walsingham, to John Feltewell of Grete Dunham, yeoman, of messuages, land, tenements, &c., containing together forty-seven acres in Great Dunham.—R. 41 and in d.

20 Octer, 8th Eliz., 1566.

Burnham.—Bargain and sale by William Pepys of Yaxham, gentleman, to Faunces Cobbe of Burnham Westgate, of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., at the Staithe in Burnham Norton, and other houses in Burnham Norton, and all his lands, tenements, &c., in Burnham Norton, Burnham Westgate, and Burnham Depedale.—R. 42 and in d.

30 Septer, 8th Eliz., 1566.

Wymondham.—Bargain and sale by Emme Smyth alias Folsham of Besthorp, widow, and sole executrix of the will of Adam Smyth alias Folsham, to John Thorne of Eyrsham, husbandman, of a messuage in the Marketsted in Wymondham.—R. 43.

10 Nover, 8th Eliz., 1566.

Grimston, &c.—Grant by William Yelverton, Esqre, of Rougham, to Sir Thomas Cornewellice of Brome in Suffolk, Knt., and Henrye Mansuer, Esqre, of Norwich, of the manors of Breckles, Blackborough, and Westacre, in Grymston, Congham, Well, Gayton, and Gayton Thorp, and fold-courses and a messuage, and thirty acres of land in the same parishes; also a messuage and two hundred acres of land, meadow, &c., in Congham, and two messuages and sixty acres of land, meadow, &c., in Grete Massingham; and also a messuage and sixty acres of land in Titleshall, and other lands in the aforesaid parishes; also certain leases in Tittleshall and Geist, to the use of the said William and Jane his wife, and their heirs as specified. £4 to be paid annually to the said Jane out of the rectory of Rougham.—R. 43 and in d.

25 Febry, 12th Eliz.

Lammas.—Quitelaim by John Allen of Lammas, yeoman, to Robert Allen, of six acres and three roods of land, meadow, &c., in Lammas, and the rents arising from it, lately held by the said Robert, of Thomas Grosse, Esq^{re}, by copy of court roll, as of his manor of Sloley.—R. 44.

Same date.

Lammas.—The like by the same John, to William Smyth, of thirteen acres and three roods of land, meadow, &c., in Lammas, and the rents as before, lately held by the said William as above.—R. 44.

Same date.

Lammas.—The like by the same John, to William Godderson, of two acres and three-and-a-half roods of land, meadow, &c., in Lammas, and the rents as before, lately held by the said William as above.—R. 44.

Same date.

Lammas.—The like by the same John, to Reginald Thurston, of an acre of land, meadow, &c., in Lammas, and the rents as before, lately held by the said Reginald as above.—R. 44.1

6 Augst, 13th Eliz., 1571.

Whissonsett.—Assignment by Robert Bosome, Esq^{re}, of Studdye, to Roger Bosome his son and heir apparent, and Anne the wife of the said Roger, who was daughter of Hamond Lestraunge, Esq^{re}, of Hunstanton, of the site and mansion house of the manor of Wyssonsette with the buildings, gardens, &c., and one hundred and fortyfour acres of land, meadow, wood, &c., and rights and liberties with certain reservations.—R. 45.1

27 Octer, 9th Eliz., 1567.

Woodrising.—Bargain and sale by Thomas Hyckes of Norwich, bocher, one of the executors of the will of Thomas Horsbroke of Woodrysynge, to Thomas Myett of Bakensthorpe, one of the grandchildren of the said Thomas Horsbroke, of lands, tenements, &c., in Woodrysynge.—R. 46.

1 Septer, 9th Eliz., 1567.

Marlingford, &c.—Mortgage by Thomas Phippers, yeoman, to Thomas Jermye, gentleman, both of Marlingforthe, of a messuage with eighty acres of land, meadow, &c., in Marlingforthe, Colton, Eston, and Honyngham, for the sum of £83. 1s. 1d.—R. 46 and in đ.

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25 March, 10th Eliz., 1568.

Fundenhall, &c. — Mortgage by John Whitynge of Funnell, husbandman, to Richard Whitynge of the same parish, husbandman, of lands, tenements, &c., in Funnell and Ashewelthorpe, for the sum of £38.—R. 46, in đ.

1 Octer, 10th Eliz., 1568.

Swannington, &c.—Bargain and sale by Francis Rugg, gentleman, of Norwich, and John Aldriche, alderman, of the same, executors of the will of Henrye Haylyett of Swanyngton, to Richard Aldriche of Swarderston, gentleman, of lands, tenements, &c., in Swanyngtone, Branston, Cawston, Attylbrigge, Heveringland, and Monte Joye.—R. 47.1

19 Septer, 13th Eliz., 1571.

Hempton, &c.—Bargain and sale by Thomas Fermour, Esq^{re}, of East Basham, to Richard Benson of Puddinge Norton, gentleman, of the manor, rectory, and church of Hempton, with the lands, tithes, buildings, rights, liberties, and members in Hempton, Lyttle Rybourghe, Testerton, Colcreake, Greate Rybourghe, Oxwycke, Shereforde, Flytcham, Lyttle Snoringe, Wyssyngsett, Thurnyng, and Owtwell next Marshlond.—R. 48.1

20 Decer, 14th Eliz., 1571.

Antingham, &c.—Mortgage by Richard Skottowe of Norwich, yeoman, son and heir of John Skottowe of Antingham, deceased, to John Kemp of Antyngham, gentleman, of a capital messuage in Antyngham called Damettas, with the lands, tenements, &c., thereto belonging, in Antyngham, Felmyngham, and Suffilde.—R. 49.1

1 Nover, 13th Eliz., 1571.

Keswick.—Assignment by Edward Spavye of Tunstall, gentleman, to Nicholas Brend and Robert Mayhew, gentle-

¹ Blank in d.

men, of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Keswycke, to the use of that one of several persons named who shall pay to the said Edward the sum of fifty marks, in default of which one moiety to the use of the said Edward, the other to the use of John Baspole of Beson, gentlemen.—R. 50.1

20 March, 14th Eliz., 1571.

Hillington, &c.—Conveyance by Thomas Newman of Grymston, labourer, son and heir of Thomas Newman of Hillyngton, deceased, to Robert Melton of Hillington, husbandman, and Cecelye his wife, of the reversion of a messuage or tenement called Barnyes, with a croft and woodyard adjoining in Hillington, and six acres of land, meadow, &c., in Hillington and Congham.—R. 51.1

8 Augst, 14th Eliz., 1572.

Hempton.—Bargain and sale by Rychard Benson of Pooddinge Norton, gentleman, to Thomas Clyfton of Toftres, gentleman, of all his lands parcell of the dissolved Monastry of Hempton, in Hempton, with right of tithes, liberty of foldage, &c.—R. 52 and in d.

18 Nover, 15th Eliz., 1572.

Pulham.—Bargain and sale by William Bygott of Sterston, gentleman, to Robert Prentys of Flordon, yeoman, of the reversion of a close called Maryfeld, of twenty-five acres and 2s. 4d. rent issuing from a pightle in Pulham.—R. 53.1

18 Octer, 15th Eliz., 1573.

Rocklandtofts.—Bargain and sale by Margaryt Spryngalte of the parish of S^t Andrew in Rocklondtofts, widow and sole executrix of Thomas Spryngalte, to William Rydnale, singleman, of three acres and three roods of land in Rocklondtofts.—R. 54.1

¹ Blank in d.

7 Nover, 15th Eliz., 1573.

Hingham.—Conveyance by Johan Crowe of Hengham, widow, and William Francke, late of Pedders Wynche now of Hengham, husbandman, the executors of the will of Margarete Crowe, widow of Thomas Crowe, late of Hengham, to Henrye Mynne of Lyttle Fraunsham, yeoman, of an inclosure of pasture containing three acres in Hengham.—R. 55.1

20 May, 20th Eliz., 1578.

Attleburgh, —Bargain and sale by John Galle of Attleburgh, whelewryght, to Thomas Smyth of Attleburgh, gentleman, of a messuage and thirty-six acres and a half and half a rood of freehold land, meadow, &c., and three acres and a rood of copyhold land, all in Attleburgh — R. 56 and in d.

30 Janry, 20th Eliz., 157%.

Attleborough.—Bargain and sale by Rychard Chambers of Attleboroughe, yeoman, to Thomas Smyth of the same town, gentleman, of a messuage with the buildings, &c., and a croft of two acres and one rood adjoining in Haver-croft Street in Attleborough; and also a part of a messuage void, and twenty-two and a half acres and half a rood of meadow in the same town.—R. 57.

18 Janry, 21st Eliz., 1578.

Besthorpe.—Conveyance by William Cockett of Besthorp, Esq^{re}, to Anthony Drewrye of Besthorp, gentleman, of the reversion of the manor of Plassinghall with the members in Besthorp, and a close called Brodwood Close in the same parish.—R. 57 in d.

18 July, 20th Eliz., 1578.

Gissing.—Enfranchisement by Arthur Heveningham, Esq^{re}, of Heveningham in Suffolk, to Thomas Gradbadge and William Gradbadge of Tybenham, of messuages, lands,

¹ Blank in d.

tenements, &c., in Gissyng, lately held by them by copy of court roll of the manors of Gissynghall, Gyssyng Dagworth alias Gyssynghall cum Dagworthe.—R. 58 and in d.

20 June, 14th Eliz., 1572.

Ryburg, &c.—Bargain and sale by Roger Andrewe alias Andrewes of Greate Rybroughe alias Riburghe, gentleman, to Thomas Aldham of Northcove in Suffolk, gentleman, of the manor or lordship called Overmores in Ribroughe and Gateley; and messuages, buildings, gardens, lands, meadows, &c., in the same parishes; and other messuages, lands, rights, liberties, &c., in Ribroughe, Gateley, Northelmham, and Brysele.—R. 59.

23 June, 14th Eliz., 1572.

Ryburg, &c.—Regrant by the above Thomas Aldham, to the above Roger Andrew, of the same property for a yearly payment of £20. By which agreement a bond for £600, due by the said Roger to the said Thomas, is cancelled.—R. 59.1

FILE II.

From 29 July, 1579, to 23 March, $160\frac{2}{3}$.

24 April, 40th Eliz., 1598.

Earsham.—Grant by Thomas Maister of Ersham, gentleman, to William Jolly of the same, yeoman, of lands, &c., held by copy of court roll of the manor of Dubbells in Ersham, to be held in socage under the yearly rent of 3s. 4d.—R. 60.²

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 $^{^2}$ These Rolls are misplaced as explained on p. 38. For the earlier deeds see p. 64.

4 Decer, 41st Eliz., 1598.

Hingham.—Conveyance by Symon Baker of Hingham, cordwayner, son and heir of John Baker and Agnes his wife, who was daughter and coheir of Thomas Attkinson of Hingham, deceased, to Anthonye Harbarde of Hingham, taylor, of a messuage in Hingham.—R. 60, in d.

3 March, 41st Eliz., 1598.

Harleston.—Mortgage by Thomas Carver of Harleston, cordiner, to Thomas Ellgoode of the same, yeoman, of a messuage, sometime called "The Harte," with the buildings, gardens, &c., in Harleston, for the sum of £23.—R. 61 and in d.

1 May, 41st Eliz., 1599.

Southrepps, &c.—Mortgage by John Attwood of Gressam, gentleman, to Robert Fayer of Roughton, yeoman, of the reversion of twenty acres of land in Southrepps, Thorpmarket, Roughton, and Northrepps, for the sum of £60.—R. 62.

The schedule of the said lands.—R. 62 in d.

29 Decer, 41st Eliz., 1598.

Griston.—Bargain and sale by John Jewell of Gryston, husbandman, to Robert Jewell also of Gryston, husbandman, of a messuage and twenty-three acres and one rood of freehold and copyhold land in Gryston.—R. 63 and in d.

Same date.

Griston.—Bargain and sale by the above Robert Jewell to the above John Jewell of a messuage called Jordens, with the buildings, gardens, &c., and forty-six acres of freehold and copyhold land in Gryston.—R. 64 and in d.

20 Septer, 41st Eliz., 1599.

Seething, &c.—Bargain and sale by John Jaye of Houlston, gentleman, to Jeffry Warde of Brooke, gentleman, of the manor of Sethinge, and messuages, lands,

pastures, &c., rents, services, &c., thereto belonging in Sethinge, Mundham St. Peter, Mundham St. Ethilbert, Kyrsted, Brooke, Thurton, Syselonde, Thwayte, Wooton, Topcrofte, Sarslingham, Ditchingham, Buckenham, Carleton, and Barrough, excepting certain land, &c., previously conveyed to Thomas Lestrang of Hunstanton and others.—R. 65, 66, and in d.

A schedule specifying certain parcels of writings mentioned in the above indenture.—R. 67.

10 Nover, 41st Eliz., 1599.

Caistor next Norwich, &c.—Bargain and sale by Clere Hamonde of Norwich, gentleman, to Josua Cully, alderman, of the same city, of messuages, lands, &c., in Castor S^t Edmunde, Stoke Holy Crosse, Fryston, and Amringall.—R. 67, in d.

10 Janry, 42nd Eliz., 1599.

Buxton, &c.—Conveyance by Henry Cornewalleys, Esq^{re}, of Westwick, to Edmund Stub, Esq^{re}, of Buxton, and Marie his wife, of the manor of Levishawe ex parte Abbs or late Abbs in Buxton, with lands, rents, services, &c., thereto belonging, in Buxton, Brampton, and Heavingham.—R. 68.

24 May, 42nd Eliz., 1600.

Downham Market.—Bargain and sale by Christofer Toppin of Croweland in Lincolnshire, thacker, executor of the will of Richard Newman, late of Wysbich Guyherne in the Isle of Ely in Cambridgeshire, labourer, to Edmonde Parker of Downeham Markett, yeoman, of a messuage in Bridgegate Street in Downeham Markett.—R. 68, in d.

21 Septer, 42nd Eliz., 1600.

Loddon.—Mortgage by Jane Andrews of Fornecett S^t Peter, spinster, William Andrews of the same, brickmaker, and John Manclarke of the same, yeoman, to

William Moore of the same, gentleman, of a messuage in Loddon and nine pieces of land and one pightle, for the sum of £53.—R. 69 and in d.

20 Octer, 43rd Eliz., 1601.

Southrepps, &c.—Mortgage by John Attwood of Gresham, gentleman, to John Payne of Catton, gentleman, of the reversion of a messuage with the buildings, gardens, &c., in Southreps, containing three acres and a half and thirty-seven acres of land, brurye, &c., in Southreps, Thorpmarket, and Northreps, for the sum of £120.—R. 70.

The schedules of the said lands.—R. 70, in d.

10 Jan^{ry}, 44^{th} Eliz., $160\frac{1}{2}$.

Keswick by Norwich, &c.—Bargain and sale by William Gresham, Esqre, of Barkwaye in Hertfordshire, Miles Branthwaite of Breceles, gentleman, John Duffield and Robert Wallforde, both of Ixforth in Suffolk, gentlemen, to Henry Hobarte, Esqre, of Intwood, of the manor of Keswicke, with the rights, liberties, and members in Keswicke, Intwoode, Swarston, Mangrene, Gowthorpe, Carleton, Bramerton, Saxlingham, Rockland, Flordon, Cringleford, and Eaton; with twelve acres of meadow in Flordon; and also the advowson of the church of Keswick and the water mill there.—R. 71 and in d.

12 Janry, 45th Eliz., 16023.

Yaxham, &c.—Conveyance by Richard Vincente, late of Colton, yeoman, to Robert Debney, gentleman, John Crome, vintner, both of Norwich, and Edward Pye of Barnham Broome, gentleman, of the manor and lordship called Roodefee, alias Redehams and Felthams, with the liberties and members in Yaxham, and rents issuing from lands in Yaxham, Westfield, Garston, and Whinborowe.—R. 72.

17 Janry, 45th Eliz., 1603.

Harleston, &c.—Bargain and sale by Thomas Morphewe of Needham, yeoman, executor of the will of Mary Lodge, late of Harleston in Reddenhall, widow, who was one of the executors of the will of John Lodge of Harleston, and Jeffery Ironson alias Pomfrett of Whittacre Burrowe, blacksmith, son and executor of the will of John Ironson alias Pomfrett, late of Boyscott next Bungay in Suffolk, blacksmith, who was the other executor of the will of the said John Lodge, to Bartholmewe Cotton, Esq^{re}, of Starston, of lands, meadows, &c., containing twenty-five acres and a half in Harleston, Reddenhall, and Mendham.—R. 72, in d.

27 March, 21st Eliz., 1578.

Feltwell, &c.—Grant by Fraunces Moundford of Feltwell, gentleman, son and heir apparent of Osburt Moundford, Esq^{re}, of Feltwell, and John Wace of Wilton, yeoman, to Sir Roger Woodhowse of Kymberley, Knt., of further time by the space of two years for redeeming the manor of Sowthall in Feltwell, with the rights, liberties, and members in Feltwell, Methwold, Hockwold, and Wilton, mortgaged for the sum of £350; and a renewal of a bond for £1000.—R. 73a, 73b, and in d.

18 Decer, 22nd Eliz., 1579.

Islington.—Bargain and sale by Robert Baldynge of Islyngton in Marshland, yeoman, to Thomas Parlett and Fraunceys Parlett of Downham Market, yeomen, of the reversion of a messuage and thirty acres of land and pasture in Islington.—R. 74 and in d.

8 Augst, 22nd Eliz., 1580.

Witchingham Magna.—Bargain and sale by Thomas Braye of Great Wychingham, yeoman, son and heir of Thomas Braye, deceased, to William Warner of Yaxham

gentleman, of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Wichingham Magna.—R. 75.

7 Augst, 22nd Eliz., 1580.

King's Lynn.—Conveyance by Francis Richmonde of Norwich, clerk, and Mary his wife, who was widow and sole executrix of the will of Thomas Johnson, late of Norwich, grocer, to Thomas Boston of Lynne Regis, merchant, of a messuage and two tenements in Kyng's Lynne.—R. 75, in d.

5 Febry, 23rd Eliz., 158f.

Bawburgh.—Bargain and sale by Robert Hartlye of Colney, to Thomas Hopkyns of Norwich, gentleman, of the reversion of a tenement, with twenty-four acres of land, pasture, &c., in Bawber.—R. 76.

18 Janry, 23rd Eliz., 158f.

Wicklewood.—Grant by William Neker of Wycklewood, husbandman, to John Bale of the same, yeoman, of the reversion of a freehold messuage, with the buildings, gardens, &c., and five and a half acres of land in Wycklewood, and an annuity of 4d., with exceptions and conditions.—R. 76, and in đ.

20 April, 24th Eliz., 1582.

Dickleburgh.—Grant by Daniell Frense of Dickleburgh, gentleman, to John Sendall of Banham, yeoman, of the reversion of a messuage and thirty-one acres of land and pasture in Dickleborough.—R. 77.1

21 Febry, 26th Eliz., 1583.

Tharston, &c.—Conveyance by Edmunde Neweman of Hingham, yeoman, to Sir Thomas Knyvett of Ashwell Thorp, Knt., of the reversion of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Tharston, Hapton, and Forndesett.—R. 78.

22 Febry, 26th Eliz., 1583.

Tharston, &c.—Conveyance by the same Edmunde to the same Sir Thomas, of a messuage in the same parishes.—R. 78, in d.

9 Octer, 25th Eliz., 1583.

Scarning.—Enfranchisement by Bassingborn Gawdye, Esq^{re}, of Westharlinge, to Thomas Anger of Skarning, yeoman, of lands and tenements, containing fifty-two acres and a half, held by William Anger, father of the said Thomas, by copy of court-roll of the manor of Drayton Hall in Skarnynge, for the yearly rent of 8s. 6d.—R. 79.

A writing of revocation relating to the above property.—R. 79 in d and R. 80.

A schedule of the said fifty-two acres and a half, with the abuttals.—R. 80, in đ.

20 May, 26th Eliz., 1584.

Yaxham, &c.—Conveyance by William Pepys of Yaxham, gentleman, to Gregorye Pagrave of Thuxton, gentleman, of thirteen acres of meadow in Yaxham, and the manor of Yaxham called Yaxham Hall, or Yaxham Cursons, Jerbgs, Reppes, and Ilneys, with the rights, liberties, and members, in Yaxham, Whinburghe, Westfild, Estdereham, and Matteshall, and rents issuing from lands, &c., in the same parishes; excepting the site of the said manor and lands, pastures, &c., containing eighty acres in Yaxham and Whinburgh, and other exceptions.—R. 81 and in d, and R. 82.

2 Octer, 26th Eliz., 1584.

Reymerstone.—Conveyance by Thomas Sayve of Reymerston, gentleman, and Thomas Chamberleyn of Caston, yeoman, to Ruban Deye of Reymerston, yeoman, of the reversion of a free tenement called Pycards, with two acres and a half of ground, and a barn in Reymerston.—R. 82 in d, and R. 83.

18 Nover, 27th Eliz., 1584.

Reymerstone, &c.—Bargain and sale by the above Thomas Sayve and Thomas Chamberleyn, executors of the will of John Savage of Reymerston, gentleman, to John Adam of Hingham, bere bruer, and Elizabeth his wife, of the reversion of lands, messuages, and tenements, containing twenty-four acres and one rood in Reymerston and Hardyngham.—R. 83 in d, and R. 84.

26 Octer, 26th Eliz., 1584.

Witchingham Magna.—Conveyance by William Warner of Yaxham, gentleman, to John Futter of Thuxton, gentleman, and Thomas Atmeare of Attlebrigge, yeoman, of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Wychingham Magna, viz., one moiety of the said premises to John Futter, the other moiety to Thomas Atmeare.—R. 84 in d, and R. 85.

18 Septer, 27th Eliz., 1585.

Rockland All Saints.—Bargain and sale by Johanna Ayer, of the parish of All Saints in Rockland Tofts, widow and sole executrix of the will of William Ayer, to Cristofer Howse of the same parish, husbandman alias laborer, of two acres and half a rood of land in the said parish of All Saints.—R. 85 in d, and R. 86.

20 Septer, 27th Eliz., 1585.

Emneth.—Conditional grant by William Francklyn the elder of Emneth in Marshland, gentleman, to Edred Francklyn his son, and William Francklyn of Rollesbye, gentleman, of a capital messuage with lands, pastures, &c., in Emneth.—R. 86, in d.

27 May, 28th Eliz., 1586.

Skeyton.—Mortgage by Thomas Sterne of Horsforthe, son and heir of Simon Sterne, gentleman, deceased, to Thomas Hopkyns of Norwich, gentleman, of the reversion

of one hundred acres of land, meadow, &c., in Skeyton, for the sum of £240.—R. 87a.

4 April, 28th Eliz., 1586.

Oxborough.—Bargain and sale by Edmunde Warter of Emneth, yeoman, to William Worlych and Fraunces Bolton the younger, both of Northwold, gentlemen, of the reversion of a messuage with the buildings, gardens, &c., with twenty acres of arable land in Oxborough; and also of the household goods within the said messuage. Permission being given to the said William and Fraunces to repent of the bargain before the following Christmas Day.

—R. 87a in d, and R. 87b.1

18 Nover, 29th Eliz., 1586.

Great Ellingham.—Bargain and sale by Johanna Smyth, widow of James Smyth of Great Ellingham, John Wooder the elder of Lavenham in Suffolk, clothier, and Edmunde Style of Norwich, grocer, executors of the will of the said James Smyth, to John Style of Great Ellingham, yeoman, of a messuage called Whights, and other freehold messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Great Ellingham.—R. 88a.

21 Octer, 28th Eliz., 1586.

Reymerstone.—Bargain and sale by Thomas Sayve of Remerston, gentleman, and Thomas Chamberlaine of Caston, yeoman, to Thomas Ramme of Whinbergh, yeoman, of the reversion of a tenement containing five acres of land in Reymerston.—R. 88a in d, and R. 88b.¹

6 Janry, 29th Eliz., 1584.

Morley, &c.—Conveyance by William Warner of Wymondham, gentleman, to Fraunces Warner of the same town, mercer, of all his freehold and copyhold lands, tenements, &c., in both Morleys and Wycklewoode.—R. 89, and in d.

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24 Febry, 31st Eliz., 158§.

Metton, &c.—Conveyance by Robert Gamlyn of Clay nere the Sea, sailor, to John Whytynge of Lammas, yeoman, of his part of and interest in the reversion of freehold and copyhold houses, lands, tenements, &c., in Metton and Felbrigg.—R. 90.

14 Janry, 32nd Eliz., 1589.

Locality not stated.—Grant by Anthonye Gawdye of London, gentleman, to Henrie Hobarte of Litle Plumsted, gentleman, of an annuity of £20 granted by Thomas Woodhowse, Esq^{re}, of Hicklinge, to the said Anthonye.—R. 90, in d.

7 Nover, 32nd Eliz., 1590.

Great Yarmouth.—Mortgage by Richard Bysshopp of Great Yarmouth, and William Bysshopp of Ingham, gentlemen, to Robert Johnson of Norwich, gentleman, of the reversion of a capital messuage and a little tenement with a fish-house, barge-house, &c., in Great Yarmouth, for the sum of £200.—R. 91 and in d, and R. 92.

29 Septer, 32nd Eliz., 1590.

Olde Buckenham.—Settlement by William Edwards of Olde Buckenham, yeoman, on John Cowper of Raymerston, yeoman, of a messuage and thirty-two acres and one rood of land, meadow, &c., in Olde Buckenham, to the use of one Agnes Fenne, wife of William Fenn, remainder to the use of the said William Edwards and Margery his wife, who was daughter of the said John Cowper, and the survivor of them.—R. 92, in đ.

1 March, 33rd Eliz., 159^a.

Deopham, &c.—Conveyance by William Seaman of Depeham, and George Kyng of Old Buckenham, yeomen, to George Murton of Carleton Rode, yeoman, of two tenements called Netherrowe and Maples, with the buildings, gardens, lands, &c., in Deopham and Hingham.—R. 93, and in d.

9 Janry, 33rd Eliz., 1591.

Bale,—Mortgage by John Digby of Batheley alias Bale, gentleman, to Richard Yaxley, son of John Yaxley of Little Brandon, gentleman, of an annuity of £10 issuing from eighty acres of land in Batheley alias Bale, for the sum of £100.

The schedule of the said eighty acres of land.—R. 94.

6 March, 33rd Eliz., 1591.

Barton, &c.—Conveyance by Robert Baispoole of Albye, gentleman, and William Bajspoole of Toft Monks (Monachorum), gentleman, to Lionel Baispoole of Lyncoln's Inn in Middlesex, gentleman, of the reversion of lands, tenements, &c., in Barton, Beeston, Smalburgh, and Nettisheade.—R. 94, in d.

12 March, 34th Eliz., 159½.

Downham Market.—Bargain and sale by Edmund Gawsell of Denver, gentleman, to William Parlett of Downham Markett, wollendraper, of the reversion of seven acres and a twelveth foot of meadow, of part of an acre of meadow and one and a half acres of arable land in Downham Markett.—R. 95.1

10 Janry, 35^{th} Eliz., $159\frac{2}{3}$.

Heckingham.—Conveyance by John Stanhoe of Ameringhall, gentleman, Thomas Fiske of Wenhastone in Suffolk, yeoman, and William Fiske of Heckingham, yeoman, to Thomas Dennie of Langlie, yeoman, of the manor of Heckingham, with the buildings, lands, rights, liberties, members, &c.—R. 96.

The schedule of the said lands.—R. 96, in d.

¹ Blank in d.

18 Febry, 35th Eliz., 1593.

Saxlingham Netherhall.—Conveyance by Roger Dallisonne, Esq^{re}, of Laughtonne in Lincolnshire, to Henry Gawdie, Esq^{re}, of Claxton, of a moiety of the manor of Saxlingham alias Saxlingham Netherhall, with the lands, tenements, rents, liberties, &c.—R. 97, and in d.

8 June, 35th Eliz., 1593.

Buxton.—Mortgage by Edmond Stubbe of Buxton, gentleman, to Henry Cornwaleis, Esq^{re}, of Norwich, of two inclosures in Buxton, for the sum of £120.—R. 98.

12 May, 35th Eliz., 1593.

Hilgay.—Bargain and sale by David Waters and John Waters, both of Hitcham, fishermen, to John Norrys of Swaffham Market, shepherd, of a messuage with an orchyard containing one acre and one rood and a half of meadow in Helgay.—R. 98, in d.

20 Augst, 35th Eliz., 1593.

Attleborough.—Bargain and sale by Thomas Rogers of Besthorp, thaxter, to Robert Smyth of Attleborough, carpender, of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Attleborough.—R. 99.

1 Janry, 36th Eliz., 1593.

Earsham.—Conveyance by John Fitton the elder of Ersam, yeoman, to William Bury of Gislom (Gisleham) in Suffolk, gentleman, of a tenement called Chapmans, with four acres and a half of ground, a yard, and inclosures called Barthowse abutting on the common of Earsham.—R. 99, in d.

28 June, 36th Eliz., 1594.

Diss, &c.—Conveyance by William Kemp of Cambridge, gentleman, to John Thornham and Edward Martham of Dysse, glovers, of lands, tenements, &c., containing thirteen acres, one rood, and two and a half perches, in Micklemere

in Dysse, and in Roydon, with a condition that the said William may recover the said lands from the said John and Edward within three years.—R. 100.

Same date.

Diss, &c.—The like by the same William to Mathewe Wilbie the elder of Disse, tanner, of lands, tenements, &c., containing seventeen acres, one rood, and three and three-quarters perches, in the same parishes with a like condition.—R. 100, in d.

20 April, 36th Eliz., 1594.

Hackford (near Hingham).—Bargain and sale by Walter Gilder of Hengham, carpenter, to Richard Springold of Hackford, husbandman, of the reversion of an inclosure called Milleclose containing eight acres of pasture in Hackford.—R. 101.

13 July, 36th Eliz., 1594.

Corpusty.—Conveyance by John Bacon of Thurgaton, yeoman, to Richard Trendle of Alisham, yeoman, of a messuage and a toft, and thirty acres and half a rood of land and other messuages, lands, &c., in Corpestye. The said John to be kept harmless against Thomas Whyte the elder and Thomas Whyte the younger.—R. 101, in d.

18 Octer, 36th Eliz., 1594.

Buxton, &c.—Mortgage by Edmond Stubbe, Esq^{re}, of Buxton, to Henry Cornwaleys, Esq^{re}, of Norwich, of the manor of Levishawe ex parte Abbs or late Abbs in Buxton, with the land, rents, services, &c., and other lands, tenements, &c., in Buxton, Bramton, and Hevinngham, for the sum of £400.—R. 102, and in đ.

25 Febry, 37th Eliz., 159\frac{1}{2}.

Bressingham, &c.—Conveyance by Joseph Earle of Norwich, haberdasher, son and heir of Roger Earle, late of Brissingham, clark, deceased, to Symon Cowper of the same city, habberdasher, of messuages, lands, tenements &c., in Bresingham, Reydon, Boyland, and Gissinge.—R. 103, and in d.

8 Decer, 38th Eliz, 1595.

Swanton Morley.—Bargain and sale by Thomas Hawnde of Great Fransham, blacksmythe, to Robert Hawnde of Hackford next Reeffeham, mercer, of two messuages with a barn and stable and a yard of ground, in Swanton Morley alias Morley Swanton.—R. 104a.

15 April, 38th Eliz., 1596.

Hingham.—Bargain and sale by Thomas Cowper of Attleborough, lynnyngdraper, and Marie his wife, to John Longe of Hingham, yeoman, and Margaret his wife, of a messuage with twelve acres of land and pasture demised to one John Atdam of Hingham, yeoman, for a term of six years, and other lands, all situated in Hingham.—R. 104a in d, and R. 104b and in d.

7 Octer, 38th Eliz., 1596.

Runton, &c.—Conveyance by Edmund Stubbe, Esq^{re}, of Buxton, to Richard Stubbe, Esq^{re}, of Sedgeford, of the manor of Runton, called Runton Stubb, with messuages, lands, tenements, &c.; and the rights, liberties, &c., in Runton, Felbrigg, Beeston, and Cromer.—R. 105.

12 Febry, 39th Eliz., 1595.

Locality not stated.—Conveyance by Edmunde Everarde, one of the sons of Edmund Everarde, late of Folsham, deceased, to John Everarde of Norwich, cordiner, of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., which were bequeathed to the said Edmunde by the will of his father.—R. 105, in d.

1 May, 39th Eliz., 1597.

Bramerton.—Conveyance by Margaret Webster, widow of John Webster, late of Bramerton, yeoman, and Nicholas Dannock of Yelverton, gentleman, who were executors of

the will of the said John, to Raphe Wyght of Bramerton, linyngwever, of an acre and a half of wood and three roods of ground in the New Close in Bramerton; and to Thomas Michells of Bargh cum Apton, yeoman, of freehold lands in Bramerton; and also an agreement between the said Thomas and Raph respecting the said New Close.— R. 106, and in d.

27 June, 39th Eliz., 1597.

Acle, &c.—Conveyance by Stephyne Baker of Acle, to Christofer Exham of Acle, yeoman, of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Acle, Fysshley, Upton, and Boyton.—R. 107.

4 Janry, 40th Eliz., 15978.

Shouldham Thorpe.—Conditional grant by Dorithe Harplie, widow of Thomas Harplie of Garboyse Thorppe, yeoman, and Robert Harplie of the same, yeoman, son of the said Thomas, and with the said Dorothie, executors of his will, to John Coggill of Dudlingtonne, scholemaster, and Elizabeth his wife, of a messuage or tenement, with the buildings, gardens, &c., in Garboyse Thropp.—R. 107, in d.

30 Decer, 40th Eliz., 1597.

Stradset.—Bargain and sale by the above Dorithe and Robert to George Chauntor of Downeham Markett, yeoman, of four acres of arable land in Stradsett.—R. 108.

3 Septer, 40th Eliz., 1598.

Ingworth.—Conveyance by Eustace Ferror of Ingham, gentleman, to Thomas Clampe of Erpingham, roughmason, of a messuage and land in Ingworth.—R. 108, in đ.

FILE III.

From 16 June, 1603, to 30 Sept., 1617.

23 April, 1603.

Wroxham, &c.—Bargain and sale by Thomas Hobart, Esqre, of Little Plombstead, to Andrew Clarke of Wroxham, gentleman, of twenty pieces of land, containing twenty acres and a half in Wroxham and Salehouse.—R. 1, and in d.

19 March, 45th Eliz., 1603.

East Dereham.—Exchange by Thomas Sheringham of Estdereham, grocer, with William Sheringham of the same town, yeoman, his brother, and Margaret the wife of the said William, of the reversion of a messuage called the White Horse, with the buildings, gardens, &c., for a messuage called Rowsis and fifty acres of land, all in Estdereham.—R. 2, and in d.

6 Augst, 1st Jas. I., 1603.

Colveston.—Mortgage by Henry Holdych, Esq^{re}, of Dudlington, to Nicholas Bedingfild, Esq^{re}, of Gislingham in Suffolk, of the manor of Colveston, with the rights and members, and messuages, lands, tenements, &c., thereto belonging in Colveston, for the sum of £1000; also security for an annuity of £30.—R. 3 and in d, and R. 4.1

23 July, 2nd Jas. I., 1604.

Raveningham, &c.—Bargain and sale by Henry Jernegan the younger, son and heir apparent of Henry Jernegan the elder, of Cossey, Esq^{re}, to Thomas Deny of Langley, yeoman, of the manor of Ravenyngham alias

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Dags in Ravenyngham, with the messuages, houses, lands, &c., thereto belonging, and an annuity of 26s. 8d. issuing from the parsonage of Hales. Excepting a marsh called Blygardes alias Little Blygardes in Whitacre.—R. 5, and in d.

5 Octer, 2nd Jas. I., 1604.

Hapton.—Mortgage by Sir Thomas Knyvett of Ashwelthorpe, Knt., to Sir William Paston of Paston, Knt., of a messuage or tenement called Benslyngs alias Martyns in Hapton, with the houses, buildings, lands, &c., thereto belonging; and messuages, lands, &c., demised to Thomas Harpley of Stratton S^t Mary, for the sum of £550.—R. 6, and in d.

24 Octer, 2nd Jas. I., 1604.

Wilby.—Bargain and sale by Alice Wrighte of Kylverstone, widow, to John Hadfeilde of Wylbye, clark, of the reversion of three acres and a half of arable land in Wylbye.—R. 7.

10 Octer, 2nd Jas. I., 1604.

Wiveton.—Grant by Job Gillett and William Blake of London, gentlemen, to James Calthorpe of Cockthorpe, Knt., of the manor of Wyveton, with the rights, members, and liberties.—R. 7, and in đ.

17 Augst, 3rd Jas. I., 1605.

Rockland Tofts, &c.—Bargain and sale by Thomas James the younger, of Little Ellingham, husbondman, son of Thomas James the elder of Rockland S^t Peter, to Leonarde James of Rockland S^t Peter, clark, of the reversion of lands, tenements, &c., late of Thomas James his grandfather, in Rockland S^t Peter, Rockland S^t Andrew, Rockland All Saints, and Little Ellingham.—R. 8.

23 Augst, 3rd Jas. I., 1605.

Bylaugh, &c.—Bargain and sale by Thomas Curson, Esqre, of Billingforde, to Sr Miles Corbett of Sprowston,

Knt., of fifty acres of land and bruery in Bylaugh and Billingford.—R. 8, and in đ.

6 April, 3rd Jas. I., 1605.

Newton Flotman, &c.—Bargain and sale by Thomas Richardson, Esq^{re}, of Norwich, to Matthew Welde of Acle, gentleman, of two inclosures of land containing together four acres and a half in Newton Flatman and Mulbertone.—R. 9.

22 Augst, 3rd Jas. I., 1605.

Buxton.—Bargain and sale by Thomas Kempe of Buxton, cordiner, to John Chandler of Buxton, grocer, of the reversion of a messuage with the lands and tenements thereto belonging in Buxton.—R. 9, and in d.

17 Decer, 3rd Jas. I., 1605.

Hickling.—Bargain and sale by Edmund Pawlinge of Hicklinge, husbandman, to Edmond Myghell of Hicklinge, yeoman, Elizabeth his wife, and John their son, of a capital messuage with the buildings, gardens, &c., and a croft adjoining, containing together an acre and a half in Hicklinge.—R. 10.

26 Decer, 3rd Jas. I., 1605.

Ludham.—Grant by Leonard Sotherton of Ludham, gentleman, to George Berney of the same town, gentleman, and Grace his wife, of the reversion of part of a pightle containing half an acre, six and twenty perches, and ten feet (in Ludham).—R. 10.

20 Septer, 3rd Jas. I., 1605.

Ludham.—Grant by Leonard Sotherton of Ludham, gentleman, to John Wright of Ludham, clark, of the reversion of a messuage or cottage called Mayes, with the yard and part of a pightle (in Ludham).—R. 10, in d.

10 March, 3rd Jas. I., 160%.

Diss.—Bargain and sale by John Blondeville of Roydon, gentleman, to Thomas Bayley of Dysse, grocer, of four acres of land, meadow, &c., in Dysse.—R. 11.

27 Septer, 1606.

Worstead.—Grant by Margaret Armes of Norwich, widow, the next heir of Ann Heath, the daughter and next heir of Roger Heath of Worstead, to John Everard of Norwich, cordwyner, of the reversion of a messuage in Worstead.—R. 11, in d.

6 Febry, 4th Jas. I., 160%.

Dickleburgh.—Grant by Thomas Alden of Norwich, silkweaver, son of Edmunde Alden, late of Dickleburgh, to Thomas Sayer of Topcrofte, gentleman, of the reversion of a piece of land containing two acres with a messuage thereon lately builded in Dickleburgh.—R. 12.

14 May, 5th Jas. I., 1607.

Honing.—Grant by Andrew Coventree of Honinge, tanner, to John Daynes of Honinge, gentleman, of two messuages and cottages and two pieces of land, in all three acres in Honing.—R. 12, in d.

20 Septer, 1607.

Burston.—Grant by William Herne of Tybenham, gentleman, to Thomas Gower of Dysse, husbandman, of the reversion of two inclosures of pasture called the Grove and Wetherlyes Yards in Burston.—R. 13.

12 Janry, 5th Jas. I., 160%.

Martham, &c.—Grant by John Jermy, Esq^{re}, of Norwich, to Richard Grene of Martham, yeoman, of a capital messuage or tenement in Martham, with the buildings, gardens, &c., and lands, tenements, &c., in Martham, Rollesbye, Bastwick, Repps, and Potterheigham.—R. 13, in d.

29 Octer, 5th Jas. I., 1607.

Gressenhall, &c.—Mortgage by John Trench, Esq^{re}, of Norwich, to Thomas Layer, alderman, of Norwich, of lands, tenements, &c., both freehold and copyhold, in Gressinghall and Longham, and a lease of eighteen acres of land, pasture, &c., in Gressenhall, for the sum of £700.—R. 14.

A schedule of the writings relating to the above property.—R. 14, in d.

13 Janry, 5th Jas. I., 160%.

Shelfhanger.—Bargain and sale by William Skynner of Banham, husbandman, to Robert Eldred of Wynfarthing, yeoman, of the reversion of a messuage with the garden, &c., and two pieces of land containing an acre and a half in Shelfhanger.—R. 14, in d.

26 March, 6th Jas. I., 1608.

Cawston.—Bargain and sale by Dorathye Oxborowe of Aylesham, widow, one of the daughters and co-heirs of John Reve of Cawston, yeoman, deceased, to John Founteyne of Sall, gentleman, of half an acre of arable land, and a sixth part of certain messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Cawston.—R. 15.

1 April, 6th Jas. I., 1608.

Brisley.—Bargain and sale by John Jervis of Burningham, boocher, to Peter Mannynge of Badwellashe in Suffolk, clerk, of a messuage called Morrell's, with the buildings, gardens, &c., containing seven acres, and thirty-six acres of land, pasture, &c., in Brislye.—R. 15 and in d, and R. 16.

26 Septer, 1608.

East Ruston.—Grant by Edmund Cock of East Ruston, yeoman, to John Hambleton of Eastruston, yeoman, of a messuage or tenement and ten and a half acres of land and pasture, in three pieces, in Eastruston.—R. 16, in d.

11 March, 5th Jas. I., 160%.

Oulton.—Grant by Edmund Bell of Owlton, lynnen-weaver, to Edward Hamonde of Cawston, clerk, Thomas Bell and John Bell of Owlton, and Richard Bell of Woodallinge, yeomen, of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Owlton, as security for a sum of money due to Richard Rolle of Toftrees and others.—R. 16, in d.

4 July, 6th Jas. I., 1608.

Hargham.—Grant by Thomas Neale of Wetheringsett in Suffolk, carpenter, and Ann his wife, to Anthonye Gurnye of Hargham, gentleman, of a messuage or tenement and a croft, containing one acre and a half and about fifteen acres of land in Hargham.—R. 17.

29 Decer, 6th Jas. I., 1608.

Hingham.—Bargain and sale by Hezechias Carman of Northwalsham, cordiner, son and heir of Richard Carman and Margery his wife of Hengham, to Simon Childrows of Hingham, cordiner, of the residue of a messuage and of a piece of ground called Lovell's Garden, and a tenement in Hengham.—R. 17, in d.

1 Octer, 7th Jas. I., 1609.

Gillingham.—Grant by Richard Curtis of Gillingham, glazier, to John Bullyant of Satterley, yeoman, his father-in-law, Nicholas Lockington the elder of Beccles in Suffolk, gentleman, Nicholas Bradley, yeoman, and Nicholas Lockington the younger, gentleman, of Beccles, of two aldercars, &c., with a tenement newly-erected thereon in Gillingham.—R. 18.

16 Septer, 7th Jas. I., 1609.

Worstead.—Grant by John Everarde of Norwich, Cordyner, to Thomas Chittocke the elder of Worstead, gentleman, of the reversion of a messuage in Worstead.—R. 18, and in d.

6 Janry, 7th Jas. I., 1600 io.

Westwick, &c.—Grant by Clement Boult of Wells, yeoman, to Sir Henry Gaudye of Claxton, Knt., of his messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Westwick, Slolie, and Worstead.—R. 19.

28 Febry, 8th Jas. I., 1614.

Holt.—Grant by Sir John Sulyard of Wetherden in Suffolk, Knt., Edward Duke, Esq^{re}, of Worlingham in Suffolk, and Edmond Norton of Hallesworth in the same county, gentleman, to James Hobart, Esq^{re}, of Norwich, of the manors of Holte, Holte Hales, and Holte Market, with their rights, liberties, and members.—R. 19, in d.

15 May, 9th Jas. I., 1611.

Framingham Pigot.—Bargain and sale by Loye (Eligeus) Kett of Wymondham, yeoman, to Thomas Wetherell of Framyngham Pygott, yeoman, of a messuage in Framyngham Pygott.—R. 19, in d.

25 May, 9th Jas. I., 1611.

Hethersett.—Mortgage by Thomas Flowerdew of Hethersett, gentleman, to Robert Garssett, alderman, of Norwich, of about fifty-five acres of land, meadow, &c., in Hethersett, for the sum of £233.—R. 20, and in d.

25 May, 9th Jas. I., 1611.

Gresham, &c.—Bargain and sale by Henry Beane of Gressham, clark, and Christofer Beane of the same, gentleman, his son, to Thomas Worsley of Norwich, gentleman, and John Claxton of Thurning, yeoman, of twenty-nine acres of land and a messuage in Gressham, with the buildings, lands, tenements, &c., in Gressham, Bassingham, East Beckham, and West Beckham.—R. 21.

24 May, 1616.

North Lopham.—Mortgage by Laurence Womocke of Southlopham, clerk, to Robert Rust of Botsdale in Suffolk, vol. XIII.]

of two and a half acres of arable land and the reversion of a close of seven acres in North Lopham for the sum of £80.—R. 21, in d.

4 Janry, 9th Jas. I., 161½.

Wickhampton, &c.—Bargain and sale by John Deynes and Leonarde Deynes of Wickhampton, yeomen, and Sir Anthony Gawdy of Claxton, Knt., to Robert Deynes of Halvergate, of the manor and site of the manor of Wickhampton, with the rights and members, and Hall Close, and lands, tenements, liberties, &c., in the hundreds of Blofield and Walsham.—R. 22.

16 Jan^{ry}, 9th Jas. I., $161\frac{1}{2}$.

Watton, &c.—Grant by James Robhood, son of John Robhood, late of Walsham in the Willowes in Suffolk, gentleman, to Samuell Robhood, another son of the said John, of the reversion of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Watton, Girston, and Marten.—R. 22, in d.

18 April, 10th Jas. I., 1612.

Braconash, &c.—Bargain and sale by William Norton of Mulbarton, ploughwright, to William Richardson of the same, clark, of a messuage or tenement, with the buildings, gardens, lands, &c., in Braconashe and Heatheld.—R. 23.

12 Janry, 10th Jas. I., 1613.

Aldborough, &c.—Bargain and sale by Matthew Matchett of Crostwick, gentleman, to Phillipp Gay of Matlaske, yeoman, of the reversion of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Alborowe and Thurgarton.—R. 23, in d.

17 Augst, 1612.

Little Brandon.—Grant by Edward Chapman of Little Brandon, yeoman, one of the sons of Nicholas Chapman, to Arthur Chapman of Hockering, yeoman, and Cicilie his wife, of the reversion of a messuage with the buildings, &c., and about twenty-seven acres of land in Little Brandon.—R. 24.

10 Octer, 10th Jas. I., 1612.

Wickmere.—Bargain and sale by Richard Greneway of Little Barnyngham, lynnenwever, to Richard Cook of the same, yeoman, of three acres of meadow called Marcall's Yard, with a cottage thereon in Wickmer.—R. 24, in d.

28 March, 11th Jas. I., 1613.

Yaxham, &c.—Grant by Gregory Pagrave of Wooddalling, gentleman, to Christopher Hardy of Yaxham, gentleman, and Margaret his wife, of thirteen acres of land and pasture in Yaxham, and the manor of Yaxham Hall alias Yaxham Cursons, Jerbriges, Reppes, or Ilnyes, with the rights, liberties, and members in Yaxham, Whinbergh, Westfyld, Estdereham, and Mattishall, excepting lands, tenements, &c., parcel of the demesnes of the said manor.—R. 25, and in d.

15 April, 11th Jas. I., 1613.

Beetley, &c.—Grant by Richard Tucke of Beeston next Mileham, husbandman, son and heir apparent of Robert Tucke, late of Beetlie, to John Rudd of Longham, yeoman, of messuages with the buildings, lands, &c., in Beetlie, Great Bittering, and Gressenghall.—R. 26.

10 July, 11th Jas. I., 1613.

Brome.—Bargain and sale by Henry Brampton, Esq^{re}, of Blonorton, to Ralph Coke, gentleman, son of William Coke, Esq^{re}, of Lynstead in Suffolk, of an annuity of five marks from the manor of Brome.—R. 26, in đ.

$28~\mathrm{Sept^{er}},~11^\mathrm{th}$ Jas. I., 1613.

North Lopham, &c.—Bargain and sale by Allen Sedgeforth of Northlopham, singleman, to John Wade of the same, lynenweaver, of the reversion of three closes containing together thirteen acres, and other lands, tenements, &c., in Northlopham and Garboldisham.—R. 27.

29 March, 12th Jas. I., 1614.

Attleborough.—Bargain and sale by William Bydwell of Attleborough, singleman, son and heir of Roger Bydwell, deceased, to Francis Ocley of Attleborough, taylor, of two inclosures of land and meadow containing ten acres in Attleborough.—R. 27, in d.

30 Septer, 11th Jas. I., 1613.

Great Ellingham —Bargain and sale by Ralph Grene of Great Ellingham, baker, to William Beale of Attleborough, yeoman, of the reversion of a tenement and land in Great Ellingham.—R. 28.

6 Octer, 11th Jas. I., 1613.

Edingthorpe, &c.—Grant by William Durrant of Edingthorpe, worsteadweaver, to Robert Goulde of the same, clark, of the reversion of houses and lands in Edingthorpe, Backton, and Wytton.—R. 28, in d.

 $30 \, \mathrm{Jan^{ry}}, \, 11^{th} \, \mathrm{Jas.} \, \mathrm{I.}, \, 161\frac{3}{4}.$

Old Buckenham.—Grant by Robert Wrighte of Great Ellingham, and John Allen of Attleborough, yeomen, to Robert Jollie of Ould Buckenham, yeoman, of tithes of corn and grain and hay, &c., from messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Old Buckenham, belonging to the rectories of Old Buckenham.—R. 29a, and in d.1

The schedule of the said messuages, lands, &c.—R. 29b, and in d.

20 Janry, 11th Jas. I., 1613.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to William Pope of Ould Buckenham, yeoman, of the like.—R. 30, and in đ.

The schedule of the said messuages, lands, &c.—R. 31.

¹ See Blomefield, vol. i., p. 390,

7 Febry, 11th Jas. I., 1613.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Thomas Briant of Old Buckenham, yeoman, of the like.—R. 31 in d, and R. 32.

The schedule, &c.—R. 32, and in d.

Same date.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to John Jollie of Old Buckenham, of the like.—R. 33a. The schedule, &c.—R. 33a, in đ.

Same date.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to William Peirce of Old Buckenham, yeoman, of the like.—R. 33a in d, and R. 33b.

The schedule, &c.—R. 33b, in đ.

Same date.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Thomas Brewster of Old Buckenham, yeoman, of the like.—R. 34a, and in d.

The schedule, &c.—R. 34b, and in a.

Same date.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Robert Barrard of Ould Buckenham, husbandman, of the like.—R. 35.

The schedule, &c.—R. 35.

Same date.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to John Laughter of Old Buckenham, yeoman, of the like.—R. 35 in d, and R. 36.

The schedule, &c.—R. 36, in d.

7 Febry, 10^{th} Jas. I., $161\frac{2}{3}$ (11th Jas. I.?).

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Jacob Preston of Ould Buckenham, yeoman, of the like.—R. 36 in d, and R. 37.

The schedule, &c.—R. 37, in d.

7 Febry, 11th Jas. I., 1613/4.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to John Parker the elder of Old Buckenham, yeoman, of the like.—R. 38, and in d.

The schedule, &c.—R. 39a.

Same date.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to John Parker the younger of Ould Buckenham, yeoman, of the like.—R. 39a in đ, and R. 39b.

The schedule, &c.—R. 39b in đ, and R. 40.

Same date.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to William Johnsonne of Old Buckenham, husbandman, of the like.—R. 40 in d, and R. 41.

The schedule, &c.—R. 41.

Same date.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Daniell Parker of Old Buckenham, lynnenweaver, of the like.—R. 41, in d.

The schedule, &c.—R. 42.

Same date.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Roger Reynolds and William Pope, both of Old Buckenham, yeomen, of the like.—R. 42, and in đ.

The schedule, &c.—R. 42, in d.

Same date.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to William Taylor of Old Buckenham, yeoman, of the like.—R. 43.

The schedule, &c.—R. 43, in d.

Same date.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Robert Laughter of Old Buckenham, yeoman, of the like.—R. 44a and in å, and R. 44a and in å.

The schedule, &c.—R. 45.

28 April, 12th Jas. I., 1614.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to John Kendall of New Buckenham, wollendraper, of the like.—R. 45 in d, and R. 46a.

The schedule, &c.—R. 46a, in đ.

7 Febry, 11 Jas. I., 1613.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Thomas Jolly of London, gentleman, of the like.

—R. 46a in å, and R. 46b and in å.

The schedule, &c.—R. 47.

Same date.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Thomas Hayle of Hoxton in Suffolk, yeoman, of the like.—R. 47 in d, and R. 48a.

The schedule, &c.—R. 48a, in a.

Same date.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Richard Woode of West Toftes, yeoman, of the like.—R. 48a in å, and R. 48b.

The schedule, &c. -R. 48b, in a.

6 June, 12th Jas. I., 1614.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Thomas Wenne of Old Buckenham, husbandman, of the like tithes arising from a close containing five roods with a messuage thereon in Old Buckenham.—R. 49.

28 April, 12th Jas. I., 1614.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Margery Neave of New Buckenham, widow, of the like tithes arising from a close of pasture containing three acres in Old Buckenham.—R. 49, in d.

6 June, 12th Jas. I., 1614.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Jacob Preston of Old Buckenham, yeoman, of the like tithes arising from a messuage or tenement, lands, &c., in Old Buckenham.—R. 50, and in d.

The schedule of the said messuage, lands, &c.—R. 50 d.

Same date.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the said Robert and John to Henry Kendall of Brissingham, gentleman; John Kendall of New Buckenham, wollendraper; Robert Shales of Thetford, gentleman; Charles Nunne of New Buckenham, wollendraper; Stephen Payne, yeoman; Thomas Rowed, grocer; and Daniell Taylor, otemealemaker, all of New Buckenham, of the like tithes arising from three closes of land and pasture, containing ten acres-and-a-half in Old Buckenham.—R. 50 in d, and R. 51.

28 April, 12th Jas. I., 1614.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Charles Nunne of New Buckenham, wollendraper, of the like tithes arising from lands and tenements in Old Buckenham.—R. 51, in d.

The schedule of the said lands, &c.—R. 52.

6 June, 12th Jas. I., 1614.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Nicholas Judd of Wymondham, gentleman, of the like.—R. 52, and in đ.

The schedule, &c.—R. 53.

28 April, 12th Jas. I., 1614.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Danyell Taylor of New Buckenham, otemealemaker, of the like tithes from two closes of pasture, containing together three acres, in Old Buckenham.—R. 53, and in d.

7 April, 11th Jas. I., 1613.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to William Smith of Old Buckenham, gentleman, of the like tithes arising from the manor of Cacchevacches, and from messuages, lands, &c., in Old Buckenham.—R. 54, and in d.

The schedule of the said messuages, lands, &c.-R. 55.

28 April, 12th Jas. I., 1614.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the said Robert and John to Stephen Payne of New Buckenham, yeoman, of the like tithes arising from two closes of pasture, containing together ten acres in Old Buckenham.—R. 55, and in d.

Same date.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Robert Murton of New Buckenham, baker, of the like tithes arising from two closes of pasture, containing together eight acres in Old Buckenham.—R. 55 in d, and R. 56.

Same date.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Thomas Bridge of New Buckenham, grocer, and

Richard Newnham of Carlton Roode, yeoman, of the like tithes arising from a close of pasture, containing six acres, in Old Buckenham.—R. 56, in d.

6 June, 12th Jas. I., 1614.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to Thomas Downes of New Buckenham, yeoman, of the like tithes arising from a messuage and two closes, containing together nineteen acres, in Old Buckenham.—R. 57.

28 April, 12th Jas. I., 1614.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to John Carter of Carlton Rode, yeoman, of the like tithes arising from a close of pasture, containing six acres, in Old Buckenham.—R. 57 in d, and R. 58.

7 Febry, 11th Jas. I., 1613.

Old Buckenham.—The like by the same Robert and John to George Rodgers alias Thomas of Bridgham, clark, of the like tithes arising from lands, tenements, &c., in Old Buckenham.—R. 58, and in d.

The schedule of the said lands.—R. 59.

20 Octer, 12th Jas. I., 1614.

Caston?—Grant by Henrye Intwissell of Attelborough, worsteadweaver, to John Hooke of the same town, taylor, of messuages, lands, tenements, &c., in Casson.—R. 59, in d.

7 Jan^{ry}, 12^{th} Jas. I., $161\frac{4}{5}$.

Banham.—Bargain and sale by William Plowman alias Cann of Old Buckenham, bricklayer, son and next heir of Thomas Plowman alias Cann, to Joseph Plowman alias Cann of Banham, bricklayer, of the reversion of a messuage and an acre-and-a-half of land and pasture in Banham.—R. 57, in d.

13 Octer, 13th Jas. I., 1615.

Deopham.—Bargain and sale by William Bydwell of Attilburgh, husbandman, to James Burman of the same, yeoman, of a messuage or tenement builded with a croft adjoining, containing three acres, in Deopham.—R. 60.

1 May, 14th Jas. I., 1616.

Reepham.—Grant by Robert Cley of Repham, husbandman, to William Denny, Esq^{re}, of Norwich, of a piece of meadow, containing one rood, in Repham.—R. 60, in d.

3 June, 1616.

Morston?—Grant by John Kinges of Merston, gentleman, to Susan his daughter, and to Edmond Browne of S^t Gregorie's parish in Norwich, singleman, and William Funston of Mattishall Barrowe, of a capital messuage or tenement built with the buildings, grounds, &c., containing two acres, and lands, meadows, &c., in Merston, as security for the payment of £500 to the said Susan; and grant by the said John to the said Susan of an annuity of £20 arising from the said lands.—R. 61.

The schedule of the said lands, &c., containing seventy-seven acres.—R. 61, in d.

8 Octer, 14th Jas. I., 1616.

Fritton.—Bargain and sale by Edmund Reade of Fretton, yeoman, son and heir apparent of Robert Reade of Fritton; Robert Read, another son of the said Robert; William Read of Hempnall, yeoman; Henry Braathwaite, Esq^{re}, of Marton; and William Webb, Esq^{re}, of Ixworth in Suffolk, to John Sayer of Fritton, gentleman, of two messuages called Trotts and Kytts, with the lands, tenements, rents, &c., thereto belonging in Fritton.—R. 62.

1 Octer, 14th Jas. I., 1616.

Fritton.—Grant by Robert Read of Fritton, yeoman, and Anne his wife, to William Jacobb of Pulham, gentle-

man, of an annuity of £20 issuing from two messuages called Trotts and Kytts, and other lands in Fritton.—
R. 62. in d.

7 June, 14th Jas. I., 1616.

Banningham.—Mortgage by Christofer Rysinge of Haydon, yeoman, to John Hambleton of Briston by Dysse, gentleman, of a messuage with the buildings and croft adjoining, containing two acres in Bannyngham, for the sum of £50.—R. 62, in d.

6 Augst, 15th Jas. I., 1617.

Shipdham.—Grant by John Neave of East Dereham, gentleman, to Robert Morse of Tytteshall, gentleman, of an inclosure of pasture, containing twenty acres and lands and tenements called Little Bromytts and Palmer's Grove, in Shipdham.—R. 63.

29 Augst, 15th Jas. I., 1617.

Old Buckenham.—Grant by Thomas Downes of New Buckenham, yeoman, to Richard Fletcher of Tyvetshall St Margarett, yeoman, of the tithes of corn and grain and hay from a messuage, with a close adjoining called Hulverbush Close, containing ten acres, in Old Buckenham.—R. 63.

8 March, 14th Jas. I., 161f.

Fritton.—Grant by William Morris of Nether Rickingale in Suffolk, yeoman, and Edmund Read of Fritton, yeoman, to William Jacobb of Pulham, gentleman, of an annuity of £20 issuing from two messuages called Trotts and Kytts, and other lands in Fritton.—R. 63, in d.