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Forinsec pleas held on Wed after Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [1 Oct 1432] before Richard Samon, mayor, Nicholas Plumptre and John Thrompton, bailiffs.

- **1** M NOTHING Richard Barbour of Nottingham in his own person complains of Henry Clerk of Brailston. Plea: debt. Henry for a licence in mercy.
- **2** M NOTHING William Walssh of Ilkeston complains of John Westhall and both assessed by the court. Plea: debt. Put themselves in arbitration.
- **3** M The jurors between Hugh Bladesmyth pl and Nicholas Bryd did not come: Thomas Wylford, John Hampton, John Pykhill, Nicholas Edmond, Richard Coo, John Okeley, Robert Stannesby, Thomas Tylton.
- **4** RESPITE Ralph Stoyle in his own person and Richard Symkyn, by John Bate his attorney, come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised.

# Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after Michaelmas in the above year [2 Oct 1432].

- **5** [INQ] ... John Parson <np> in his own person complains of Reynald Duchesman of Loughborough, *wever*. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Reynald on Wed before the feast of St Barnabas 5 Henry VI [4 June 1427] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off a pair of wooden stocks (*stokes*) worth 6d. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Reynald comes in his own person and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plgs: William Joly, John Ler. John np. In mercy.
- **6** INQ M PLG PROS [JOHN] COST, RICHARD REST Robert Crane, by Cumbred Lere his attorney, complains of William Ellesworth jnr licence>. Plea: debt of 8½d. He says that William owes and unjustly detains 8½d. outstanding on certain sheep bought [from him], which he should have paid at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages:

4d. He produces suit. William comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. William for a licence [in mercy].

**7** INQ ... Margaret Crag <np>, by John Ode her attorney, complains of William Rosse. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. She says that William on Wed after Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [1 Oct 1432] with force and arms (staff) beat, affrayed and maltreated Margaret. Damages: 20s. She produces suit. William in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Margaret np. In mercy.

**8** [INQ] ... <plg pros: Ralph Stoyle> William Rokes of Normanton on Soar in his own person complains of Thomas Mason of Radcliffe on Trent. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance (1349) and statute of labourers. He says that Thomas at Michaelmas 9 Henry VI [29 Sept 1430] was retained with William to serve him for a year in husbandry (*husbandr'*); on Mon after Michaelmas in the said year [2 Oct 1430] Thomas without reasonable cause and licence withdrew from William's service. Damages: 15s. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and defends the force and says he was not retained nor withdrew from his service. Inq.

**9** [INQ] ... Robert Sheperde of Selston in his own person complains of Elizabeth widow of John Robert <essoin>. Plea: debt of 8s.10d. He says that Elizabeth from Whitsun 11<sup>1</sup> Henry VI [? 8 June 1432] to Christmas following [? 25 Dec 1432] hired [him] for 8s.10d. for the use and working of sea-coal pits (*ad opus pyteorum carbon' marit' ibidem operand'*), to be paid at Michaelmas following [? 29 Sept 1432]; she paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Elizabeth, by William Caunterbury her attorney, comes and defends the force and says she owes him nothing. Inq.

**10** [INQ] ... William Bradmere in his own person complains of Robert Wright of ...<sup>2</sup> licence. Plg: John Alestre, *roper*>. Plea: debt of 5s. He says that William from Michaelmas 5 Henry VI [29 Sept 1426] leased a tenement to Robert, to hold from the said Michaelmas for a year, rendering for that year 6s.8d. at Easter [20 Apr 1427] and Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1427]. Robert satisfied William to the sum now in demand; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. Robert comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Ing. [William] for a licence in mercy.

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- 11 [INQ] ... John Okeley in his own person <np. Plg: William Wode, barbour> complains of William Rosse of Nottingham, sadeler. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance (1349) and statute of labourers. He says that William on Mon after the feast of St Denis 11 Henry VI [13 Oct 1432] was retained with John to serve him from the said Mon to the feast of the translation of St Edward following [18 Feb 1433] as a sadeler; on Tues after the feast of St Faith in the said year [7 Oct 1432] William without reasonable cause and licence withdrew from John's service. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he was not retained nor withdrew from his service. [Inq.] Plg: John Lokyngton, sadeler.
- **12** [LEVY M] William Wright of Hollowstone (*Holoston*), by John Ode his attorney, complains of Nicholas Blacke of Nottingham. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance (1349) and statute of labourers. He says that Nicholas on the feast of the invention of the HC 10 Henry VI [3 May 1432] for a year was retained with William as a carpenter (*carpentar'*); on Tues after the feast of St Laurence [12 Aug 1432] Nicholas without reasonable cause withdrew from William's service. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. [Nicholas] comes in his own person and defends the force and acknowledges his retention. As to his withdrawal, he seeks the assessment of the court. ... In mercy. Precept to levy.

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- **13** [INQ] ... [Hugh] ... of Morton, Derbys, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Hunt of Nuthall <essoin, not paid>. Plea: debt of 12s. He says that [John] on Sat before Michaelmas 10 Henry VI [22 Sept 1431] bought 10 *gryndylstones* from Hugh for 12s., [to be paid] at the feast of St Martin following [11 Nov 1431]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. [He produces] suit. John, by William Midilton his attorney, comes and defends the force and acknowledges 10s. In mercy. As to 2s., he says he owes him nothing. Ing. Plg: Henry Peyntour.
- **14** [INQ] ... William Bradmere of Nottingham in his own person complains of Simon Porter of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 3s.4d. He says that Richard Deeken of Nottingham on Sat after Michaelmas 10 Henry VI [6 Oct 1431] borrowed from William 3s.4d., to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1432]. For greater security Simon became the pledger and fidejussor of Richard to

William and agreed to pay 3s.4d. if Richard should not pay; he paid nothing by which the action accrued to William to seek 3s.4d. v Simon; he paid nothing. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. Simon, by William C[aunterbury] his attorney, comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

- **15** [M] Robert Crane, by Gunifrid Lere his attorney, complains of William Ellesworth jnr <+, acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 2s. Defaulted. William comes and acknowledges. Damages assessed at 2d. In mercy.
- **16** [M] William Wright of Hollowstone (*Holoston*) <np> in his own person complains of William Grene. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. William Wright np.
- **17** [M] John Fossebrook, *bochor*, complains of William Neelson < licence > . Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.
- 18 ... John Ireland of Nottingham, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Robert Lowe of Ruddington <3+, Thur, licence>. Plea: debt of 5s. Summoned against the first hour on Fri. Robert charged. Did not appear. Defaulted. Precept to the bailiffs that they should place Robert by gage (*vad'*) and safe pledgers against the first [hour] on Sat following. Robert charged. Did not appear. Defaulted. The bailiffs return that Robert has nothing within their bailliwick by which they are able to distrain. Precept to the bailiffs to take Robert and have his body from the day [of the feast] of the translation of St Edward in 3 weeks [? 4 Dec 1432] to reply to John Ireland in the said plea.
- 19 [INQ] ... William Wade of Nottingham, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Pullayn of Nottingham, wever. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance (1349) and statute of labourers. He says that Katherine Pullayn at Easter 10 Henry VI [20 Apr 1432] was retained with William Wade to serve him from Easter for a year in housewifery (huswyfrie); on Tues after the feast of St John of Beverley in the said year [13 May 1432] William Pullayn retained and received Katherine, William Wade's servant, in his service. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. William Pullayn in his own person comes and defends the force and says he did not receive his servant for a long time. Inq.

Forinsec pleas held on Wed before the feast of St Luke in the above year [15 Oct 1432].

### 20 ESSOINS

Elizabeth Robert def v Robert Sheperde pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Adam Fox. Inq. John Hunt def <not paid> v Hugh Rysse pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Henry Cote. Inq. Simon Porter def v William Bradmere pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hert. Ing.

- **21** M Nicholas Brydde of Nottingham for a licence to agree with Hugh Bladesmyth pl in mercy. Plea: trespass.
- **22** [LEVY] M Found by inq that Thomas Mason of Radcliffe on Trent was retained with Robert Rokes of Normanton on Soar and that Thomas withdrew from his service. As after a year and a day, adjudged that William should recover v Thomas 12d. for his damages. In mercy.
- 23 M Found by inq that William Pullayn is not guilty v William Wade. Adjudged that William Wade should recover nothing v William Pullayn but for his unjust suit in mercy.

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# Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St Luke 11 Henry VI [16 Oct 1432].

24 [INQ] ... Thomas Abbote of Colwick <plg pros: John Ewer>, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of Thomas Sharp of Cropwell <7+, licence>. Plea: trespass. He says that Thomas Abbote on Sat before the feast of St Laurence 10 Henry VI [9 Aug 1432] bought a moiety of a quarter of good and fit first-grade malt from Thomas Sharp under the warranty of Thomas Sharp for ... Thomas Sharp on the same day sold a moiety of a quarter of malt (bras' ordel) rawe jeket and with weselys spevelled', as has been fully verified, and by the consumption of ale made thereafter when drunk men could not hold it nor digest it as fully demonstrated [and] killed pigs, a cockerel and capons (cum sumeretur ab hominibus non potuit teneri nec cum eis digestare plene comprobatur porcos gallum campones inde interfecti fuerunt ut supra). Damages: 20s. He produces suit. Thomas Sharp in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plgs: Thomas Yvenet, John Esthwayt.

25 [INQ] ... Robert Baseford in his own person complains of John Okeley <essoin>. Plea: debt of 2s.8d. He says that John on Sat the eve of Whitsun 10 Henry VI [7 June 1432] bought 6 calf skins (*cor' vitul'*) for 2s.8d. from Robert, to be paid at Trinity Sun following [15 June 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

26 INQ PLG PROS [JOHN] WENT, [ADAM] FENT <rests> Richard Clowdham of Clifton in his own person complains of William servant of William Lemeryng of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that William the servant on Wed after the feast of the purification of the BVM 9 Henry VI [7 Feb 1431] with force and arms (staff) made an assault on Joan, Richard's wife, affrayed, strangled *et cum ea vitis* [?] *dentibus suis concubint'*. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. William the servant in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plgs: William Lemeryng, William Bradmere.

27 [INQ PLG] PROS [JOHN] WEST, [ADAM] EST John Plumptre of Nottingham in his own person complains of Trystram Foljambe <essoin>. Plea: debt of 23s.4d. He says that Trystram owes and unjustly detains 23s.4d. for the rent of a house leased to him and now in arrears for ... 4 years, which Trystram should have paid at Michaelmas last [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Trystram in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

28 INQ [PLG] PROS [JOHN] HERT, [ADAM] SUERT] <rests> John Fossebrook of Nottingham, bochor <essoin>, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Reynald Shagh of Eastwood. Plea: debt of 13s.8d. He says that Reynald owes and unjustly detains 13s.8d.: 8s. for half an ox and 5s.8d. for tallow (pro sepe) bought from him, which Reynald should have paid at the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist 10 Henry VI [24 June 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Reynald comes in his own person and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**29** INQ PLG PROS HENRY HUNT, WILLIAM PUNT < rests > William Benette in his own person complains of Adam Hayton, *tailliour*. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Adam, with John his son, on Sat the feast of St Luke 11

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Henry VI [18 Oct 1432] with force and arms (staff) took and led away Agnes his servant (*servient'*). Damages: 20s. He produces suit. Adam in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

- **30** INQ [PLG] PROS [JOHN] REST, [ADAM] EST < John Clowdham as above, rests > Robert Hodynette of Radcliffe in his own person complains of William Rokes of Normanton. Plea: trespass. He says that William on Sat before the feast of St Luke 11 Henry VI [11 Oct 1432] unjustly arrested and imprisoned Thomas Mason his servant so that his service was lost to him for a long time. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. William comes in his own person and defends the force and says he is not quilty. Inq.
- **31** INO PLG PROS JOHN WENT, RICHARD REST Richard Lorymer of Lenton, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Lokyngton, *sadeler* <essoin>. Plea: debt of 3s.2d. He says that John on Sat before Whitsun 10 Henry VI [7 June 1432] bought from Richard for 3s.2d. iron *moleynes stiropes*, to be paid at the feast of the nativity St John the Baptist following; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.
- 32 INQ PLG PROS JOHN HUNT, WILLIAM PUNT <rests> John Martyn and William Martyn of Colwick, by William Midilton their attorney, complain of William Node of Colwick. Plea: trespass against the ordinance (1349) and statute of labourers. They say that William Node on the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist 10 Henry VI [24 June 1432] to Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1432] was retained with John and William Martyn to carry sea coals (ad cariand' carbon' matrit'); on Tues after the feast of St Peter and St Paul in the said year [1 July 1432] William Node without reasonable cause and licence withdrew from their service. Damages: 13s.4d. They produce suit. William Node in his own person comes and defends the force and says he was not retained nor withdrew from [their] service. Inq.
- **33** [INQ] ... John Balthwayt jnr in his own person complains of Thomas Eyton <essoin>. Plea: debt of 6s. He says that Thomas on Wed after ... the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist 10 Henry VI [25 June 1432] bought a horse from John for 6s., to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing [but] refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Thomas,

by William Midilton [his] attorney [comes] and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**34** [INQ] ... Henry Burley of Sulby, by Thomas Goldsmyth his attorney, complains of John Okeley, *sadeler*, of Nottingham licence>. Plea: debt of 4s.4d. [He says] that John owes and unjustly detains 4s.4d. outstanding on a woman's (*mulieb'*) robe, a chest (*arche*), a spinning wheel (*spynnyngwhele*) and a *wyniiiie* of iron bought on Thur after the feast of the invention of the HC 10 Henry VI [8 May 1432], which Henry should have paid at Whitsun following [8 June 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. John for a licence in mercy.

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- **35** [INQ] ... Tailliour of Nottingham, by William C[aunterbury] his attorney, complains of William Node [of] Colwick. Plea: debt of 12d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 12d. for altering (*sinacione*) lined clothes (*vestiment' duplicat'*) for his boys (*pueris suis*), which William should have paid at Michaelmas 10 Henry VI [29 Sept 1431]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.
- **36** [INQ] ... John Crophull, *skynner*, of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of Thomas Osbern of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Thomas on Fri after the feast of St Luke 11 Henry VI [24 Oct 1432] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off 4 black sheep skins well tawed (*pell' ov' nigr' bene tawiat'*) worth 10d. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces [suit]. Thomas in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.
- **37** [INQ] ... John Manchestre, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Node of Colwick <essoin>. Plea: that he should return to him 8 cart[loads] of charcoal (*carrectat' carbon'*) worth 26s.8d. which he owes and unjustly detains; unjustly because William ought to have returned the 8 cartloads on Mon after the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist 10 Henry VI [30 June 1432]; he refused to return and still refuses. Damages: 10s. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

- **38** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, THOMAS FORSTER The same John Manchestre, by the said attorney, complains of the said William <essoin>. Plea: trespass. He complains that William on Mon after the feast of St Hilary 10 Henry VI [14 Jan 1432] so chased and ran with his dog John's swan (*signum*) called *eyrer* that the swan was killed. Damages: 100s. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq.
- **39** INQ M M PLG PROS JOHN KENT, JOHN COST Simon Leyke of Wainfleet, *fyssher*, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Webster of Ruddington licence. Plg: Thomas Coryour >. Plea: debt of 15s. He says that William on Sat before the feast of St Martin 10 Henry VI [10 Nov 1431] bought fish worth 15s. from Simon, to be paid at the feast of the purification of the BVM following [2 Feb 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and acknowledges 6s.8d. Damages assessed at 6d. In mercy. As to 6s.8d., he says he owes him nothing. Inq. William Webster as to 6s.8d. for a licence in mercy.
- **40** INQ [PLG] PROS [ADAM] FOX, JOHN [COST] John Kent of Nottingham and Agnes his wife complain of William Webster of Ruddington < licence. Plg: Thomas Coryour >. Plea: debt of 2s.6d. They say that William on Sat after the feast of St Martin 10 Henry VI [17 Nov 1431] bought from John and Agnes 7 yards of haircloth (*del hayre*) for 2s.6d., to be paid at Christmas following [25 Dec 1431]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. They produce suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Immediately comes Thomas Coryour and became the pledger and fidejussor of William to pay 8s.4d. to Simon of the bailiffs in the other suits.
- **41** M William Sherman complains of John Thorp of Gotham. Plea: debt. John for a licence in mercy.
- **42** M NOTHING Joan Tyllynges complains of Richard Plomer. Plea: debt. Joan np. In mercy.
- **43** M Robert Lorymer complains of John Lokyngton, *sadeler*. Plea: debt. John for a licence in mercy.
- **44** M John Gedney, clerk, in his own person complains of Thomas Hawkeburn. Plea: trespass [and] contempt. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

- **45** INQ M PLG PROS [ADAM] FOX, [JOHN] CROS Richard Lodes <np> in his own person complains of Henry Okeley <+>. Plea: debt of 6d. He says that Henry owes and unjustly detains 6d. for 3 watches (*pro eo quod ipse tempore vigilat' tribus vicibus*) for the said Henry for divers men (*diversis hominibus*); he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. Henry comes and defends the force and says that Richard was never required to watch (*ad vigiland'*) for him and so owes him nothing. Inq. [Richard] np. In mercy.
- **46** INQ M PLG PROS [ADAM] FOX, [JOHN] BOX Geoffrey Cocker <np> in his own person complains of Isabella del Castell of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Isabella on Tues after the feast of St Luke 11 Henry VI [21 Oct 1432] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off a maslin basin (*pelveni masl'*) worth 8d. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. Isabella in her own person comes and says she is not guilty. Inq.
- **47** [INQ] M M [PLG] PROS [JOHN] FOX, [JOHN] HERT John Manchestre, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Chapman of Sneinton <+, acknowledges, paid>. Plea: debt of 40s. He says that John Manchestre on Sat before the feast of St Laurence 10 Henry VI [9 Aug 1432] leased the tithes of hay of Sneinton vill to John Chapman for 40s., to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 13s.4d. He produces suit. John Chapman in his own person comes and defends the force and acknowledges 17d. In mercy. As to the rest, he says he owes him nothing. Inq. Plg: John Morewode.
- **48** INQ M ... John Wolaton of Nottingham in his own person complains of Robert Smyth of Bellar Gate (*Belwardgate*) < licence>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Robert on Tues after Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [30 Sept 1432] with force and arms (staff) broke, threw down the walls (*parietes*) of John's house and arrested divers goods and chattels for the rent of the house, took and carried off 2 iron keys worth 2d. and 7 wooden spars (*sparres*) worth 12d. Damages: 10s. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Robert for a licence [in mercy].
- **49** [INQ] ... The same John complains of the same Robert <acknowledges> Plea: debt of 5s.7d. He says that Robert owes and unjustly detains 5s.7d. outstanding

on 14s. for the rent of a house leased to him from Michaelmas ...<sup>5</sup> for a year, which Robert should have paid at Michaelmas following; he paid nothing. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. Robert in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Robert acknowledges. Damages assessed at 4d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

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# Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St Luke 11 Henry VI [16 Oct 1432].

50 [INQ] M ... William Mascury, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Robert Skelton of Nottingham, *laborer* licence>. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. He says that Robert on the feast of St Crispin and St Crispian 11 Henry VI [25 Oct 1432] to the feast of St Martin following [11 Nov 1432] was retained with William as a thresher (*ad offic' tritircacionis*); on Sun before the feast of St Simon and St Jude in the said year [26 Oct 1432] Robert without reasonable cause and licence withdrew from William's service. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Robert in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq. 6 Robert Skelton for a licence in mercy.

**51** [INQ M PLG] PROS [JOHN] HUNT, [ADAM] PUNT John Turnour of Underwood, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of John Jamesson <essoin>.

Plea: debt of 5s.9d. He says that John Jamesson owes and unjustly detains 5s.9d. for pigs bought from John Turnour, which he should have paid on the feast of St Peter advincula 10 Henry VI [1 Aug 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John Jamesson in his own person comes and defends the force and acknowledges 4s.10d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. As to 12d., he says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**52** [I]NQ [PLG] PROS [RICHARD] REST, [JOHN] COST Thomas Mountgomery of Nottingham, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Robert Archer Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Robert on Thur before the feast of St Luke 11 Henry VI [16 Oct 1432] with force and arms (staff) took and carried

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off a white stepping mare worth 10s. Damages: 13s.4d. He produces suit. Robert in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**53** LEVY M Henry Chapell of Basford in his own person complains of William Arnall of Hempshill <+, acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 3s.9d. [William] comes in his own person and acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**54** LEVY M Thomas Irenmonger, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Whetelegh of Basford <+, acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 12d. Defaulted. William comes in his own person and acknowledges. Damages assessed at 1d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. Plg: John Wheteley of Nottingham.

**55** LEVY M William Geffeson of Eastwood, by William Mid[ilton] his attorney, complains of William Arnall <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 3s.4d. [William] Arnall in his own person comes and acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**56** M Simon del Wode of Nottingham complains of John Martys of Dalby licence>. Plea: debt of 6d. John for a licence in mercy.

**57** M Nicholas Aungers of Chaddesden <np> and Rose his wife, by John Bate their attorney, complain of William Clyfton of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Attached. Day given at the first hour on Mon following. Plg: John Wright, *chapman*. William charged. Did not appear. Precept to the bailiffs to attach him anew (*de novo attach*). Let them have the body of John Wright, chapman, to make the king's fine for not having William as he mainperned. Nicholas and Rose charged. Did not appear. Np. In mercy. Plg: John Bate.

**58** RESPITE Ralph Stoyle in his own person and the said Richard, by John Bate his attorney, come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised.

Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of St Simon and St Jude in the above year [29 Oct 1432].

**59** ESSOINS Reynald del Shagh of Eastwood def v John Fossebrook, *bochour*. Plea: debt. Essonr: William Caunterbury. Inq.

John Lokyngton, *sadeler*, def v Richard Lorymer of Lenton. Plea: debt. Essonr: Adam Hert. Inq.

Thomas Eyton def v John Balth[wayt] jnr. Plea: debt. Essonr: Adam Hunt. Inq. William Node of Colwick def v John Manchestre. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hunt. Inq.

The same William def v the same John. Plea: trespass against the king's peace.

Essonr: William Cost. Inq.

John Jamesson of Nottingham def v John Turnour of Underwood. Plea: debt.

Essonr: Richard Best. Inq.

Trystram Foljamb def v John Plumptre. Plea: debt. Essonr: Adam Rest. Inq. John Okeley def v Robert Baceford. Plea: debt. Essonr: Geoffrey Cumbrede. Inq.

- **60** [LEVY] M Found by inq that William Node owes Ralph Tailliour 12d. Adjudged that Ralph should recover v William 12d. and 1d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.
- **61** [LEVY M] Found by inq that Robert Archer trespassed v Thomas Mountgomery. Adjudged that Thomas should recover v Robert 4s. In mercy. Precept to levy.
- **62** [M] Robert Sheperde of Selston np v Elizabeth Robert. Plea: debt. In mercy.
- **63** [LEVY M] John Hunt of Nuthall acknowledges 10s. v Hugh Rysse. Plea: debt. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. Plgs: William Mid[ilton], Henry Peyntour.
- **64** [M] The same John acknowledges 2s. v the same Hugh. Plea: debt. Damages for both assessed at 2d. Plgs: the said pledgers.
- **65** [LVEY M] Simon Porter acknowledges 3s.4d. v William Bradmere. Plea: debt. In mercy. Damages assessed at 3d. [Precept to] levy.
- **66** [M] The jurors between John Plumptre pl and Trystram Foljamb def, between John Fossebrook pl and Reynald Shagh def, between William Benet pl and Adam Hayton def, and between John Clowdeham pl and William servant of William Lemer[yng, did not come]: ... Brook, Robert Wakelyn, John Pynnyngton, John Pykhill, William Broun, *tacker*, Richard Alrede, Richard Coo. In mercy.

**67** [LEVY M] Found by inq that John Manchestre should recover nothing v John Chapman of Sneinton from 38s.7d. In mercy for [his] unjust [suit].

[Roll 3d]

**68** [M The jurors between] Robert Hodynette pl and William Rokes def, between Richard Lorymer pl and John Lokyngton, *sadeler*, def, [between] [John] Martyn and William Martyn pls and William Node def, did not come: Edward Coteler, John ... John Manchestre, Henry Grene, *wright*, John Dalahyde, William Ellesworth snr, John ... William Forster, *bochour*. In mercy.

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Simon and St Jude in the within year [30 Oct 1432].

**69** [INQ] ... John Tapton of *Ulkerthorpp*, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of John Durdent of Sneinton. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John Durdent from Trinity Sun 9 Henry VI [27 May 1431] to the same feast a year later [15 June 1432] with force and arms (staff) took, carried off and carted off John Tapton's soil of his free tenement worth 40s. Damages: 100s. He produces suit. John Durdent in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plgs: William Sherman, William Bower, John Tamworth snr.

**70** [INQ] M ... John Crophull, *skynner*, of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of Thomas Osbern of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Thomas on Fri after the feast of St Luke 11 Henry VI [24 Oct 1432] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off 4 black sheep skins well tawed (*iiij* or pell' ov' nigr' bene tawiat') worth 10d. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. John np. In mercy.

71 INQ PLG PROS ADAM COTE, JOHN MORE William Jell in his own person complains of William Benette <essoin>. Plea: debt of 16d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 16d. for ox, sheep and pig meat bought from him, which William Benet should have paid on the feast of St Luke 11 Henry VI [18 Oct 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. William Benette in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

72 LAW PLG PROS JOHN HAMPTON, JOHN EST Thomas Stretton of Nottingham <essoin>, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of William Congulton of Donington <4+, Sun>. Plea: debt of 16s.8d. Attached by a horse. Plg: John Hampton of Nottingham. Defaulted. Thomas, by the said attorney, complains that William Congulton on Sat before the feast of the nativity St John the Baptist 8 Henry VI [17 June 1430] bought from Thomas a pipe of red wine for 4m 3s.4d., to be paid at the feast of St Peter advincula following [1 Aug 1430], of which William Congulton satisfied Thomas to 16s.8d.; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. William Congulton comes, by John Hampton his attorney, and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Law. He has day at the first hour on Sat following after the feast of St Leonard [8 Nov 1432] with 6 hands. Plg: the said John.

73 INQ M PLG PROS ADAM FOX, JOHN COST John Barrette of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Brockestowe licence>. Plea: debt of 21d. He says that John Brockestowe from Easter 10 Henry VI [20 Apr 1432] to the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist following [24 June 1432] hired Isabella, John Barrette's wife, to drive (ad fugandum) the animals of the vill of Nottingham to pasture for the said time for 21d., to be paid on the feast of St Peter and St Paul following [29 June 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John Brockestowe says he owes him nothing. Ing. John Brockestowe for a licence in mercy.

**74** [INQ] ... Thomas, vicar of Radcliffe, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Dalahyde of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 20d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 20d. paid for him to William Smyth of Radcliffe for the pledge of a hood, which John should have paid on Thur after Whitsun 6 Henry VI [27 May 1428]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**75** INQ [PLG] PROS [JOHN] COST ... John Barrette of Nottingham in his own person complains of William Benette. Plea: debt of 4d. He says that William owes and unjustly detains 4d. for covering William's fences with clay (*pro lucacione pariet*') for 2 days, which he should have paid at Whitsun last [8 June 1432]; he paid nothing. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**76** [LEVY M] Edward Coteler complains of John Okeley <3+, acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 16d. Defaulted. John comes and acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. Precept to levy.

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Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Simon and St Jude 11 Henry VI [30 Oct 1432].

**78** [I]NQ M [PLG] PROS [JOHN] HERT, [ADAM] SUERT John Okeley <np> in his own person complains of Alan Goushill and Alice his wife. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Alice on Sat the feast of All Saints 11 Henry VI [1 Nov 1432] with force and arms (fists) made an assault on Margaret, John's wife, beat, affrayed and maltreated her. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. Alan in his own person and Alice, by Alan her husband and attorney, come and defend [the force] and say she is not guilty. Ing. John np.

**79** [INQ] M ... The same John <np> in his own person complains of the same Alan. Plea: debt of 4s.4d. and 3d. for an amercement. He says that Margaret, John's wife, from the feast of the Circumcision 7 Henry VI [1 Jan 1429] to the feast of St Ambrose following [4 Apr 1429] had one of Alan's boys in custody for nursing (*ad nutriend'*) for the said time for 4s.4d., to be paid at the feast of St Mark following [25 Apr 1429] together with 4d. paid to the bailiffs for Alan's amercement; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. Alan in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Ing. John np.

**80** INQ M PLG PROS ADAM WENT, JOHN FENT Alan Goushill of Nottingham <np>in his own person complains of John Okeley of Nottingham and Margaret his wife.

Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John and Margaret on Tues after the feast of the exaltation of the HC 11 Henry VI [17 Sept 1432] with force and arms took and carried off an iron *homer'* [? hammer] worth 10d., parsley, mallow ... growing *sucta* [?] in Alan's garden. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and says she is not guilty. Inq.

81 INQ [PL]G PROS ... REST John Shotte and Katherine his wife, by John Ode their attorney, complain of Thomas Fenton <essoin> and Elizabeth his wife. Plea: detinue. They say that Thomas and Elizabeth on Thur after the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist 10 Henry VI [26 June 1432] at Southwell took and unjustly detained divers goods and chattels of John and Katherine: a dish worth 4s., a skillet (*skellet*) worth 6d., a trivet worth 10d. and 6 cushions worth 2s., [and] a spit (*veru*) worth 10d., which Thomas and Elizabeth should have delivered at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1432]; they refused to restore and still refuse. Damages: 20s. They produce suit. Thomas and Elizabeth, by Robert Valey and John Westhall their conjoint and several attornies, come and defend the force and say they detained no goods and chattels. Inq. Plgs: the said Robert and John Westhall for Thomas and Elizabeth.

82 INQ PLG PROS ROBERT RELL, WILLIAM WELD Thomas Fenton of Nottingham <essoin> and Elizabeth his wife, by Robert Valey and John Westhall their conjoint and several attornies, complain of John Shotte and Katherine his wife. Plea: debt of 18s.6d. They say that Katherine from Easter 10 Henry VI [20 Apr 1432] to the feast of St Peter advincula following [1 Aug 1432] was boarded with Thomas and Elizabeth, 18d. to be paid each week for board and easement of prison (*pro aisiamento prison*), which John and Katherine should have paid on the feast of St Laurence following [10 Aug 1432]; they paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuse. Damages: 3s.4d. They produce suit. John Shotte and Katherine, by John Ode their attorney, come and defend the force and say they owe them nothing. Inq.

**83** M Thomas Coryour complains of John Solers of Nottingham < licence >. Plea: debt. John for a licence in mercy.

**84** PD M Robert Valey <np> complains of Henry Thorpp of Calverton. Plea: detinue. Robert np. In mercy.

- **85** LEVY M Ralph Preston complains of John Dalton of Nottingham <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 19s.4d. Plg: Richard Milner. John in his own person [comes] and acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. Ralph seeks execution of John's body. Let him be committed to prison.
- **86** LEVY M William Broun, mustarder (*mustard*'), complains of the same John <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 6s. for victuals. John in his own person comes and acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. Precept to levy. William seeks execution of John's body. Let him be committed to prison as above.
- **87** LEVY M John Wright of Sneinton in his own person complains of John Dalton <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 7s. for hay and other things. John Dalton comes and acknowledges. Damages discharged. John Wright seeks execution of the body as above. Precept to levy.
- **88** LEVY M William Chapeleyn, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of John Fossebrook <acknowledges> and Edmund Cook, lately bailiffs. Plea: debt of ... for the execution of Richard Whetecroft. John and Edmund come, by William Midilton their attorney, and acknowledge the debt. Damages discharged. In mercy. Precept to levy.
- **89** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN FORSTER, ADAM COST Alan Lockesmyth <np> in his own person complains of John Okeley. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on Thur after the feast of the purification of the BVM 9 Henry VI [8 Feb 1431] with force and arms broke the walls (*parietes*) of Alan's house, entered and took and carried off a pair of black-coloured hose *de ler* worth 16d., [and] a pair of iron compasses (*dez compassez ferri*) worth 4d. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Alan np.
- **90** INQ M PLG PROS HENRY HARPER, JOHN CAPPER William Wright of Hollowstone (*Holoston*) <np>, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Edmund Radclyff, labourer. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. He says that Edmund at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432] was retained with William to serve him from Michaelmas for a year as a carpenter (*carpentar*); on Tues after the feast of All Saints in the said year [4 Nov 1432] without reasonable cause and licence he withdrew from William's service. Damages: 13s.4d. He produces suit. Edmund in his own person comes

and defends the force and says he was not retained nor withdrew. Inq. William np. In mercy.

- **91** INQ PLG PROS RICHARD REST, ADAM EST John Talbotte of Newark and Emma his wife, by John Ode their attorney, complain of Thomas Wakefeld of Nottingham and [Margery his wife]. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. They say that Thomas and Margery (*Marger'*) on Tues before Whitsun 9 Henry VI [10 May 1431] [with force] and arms (staff) took and carried off a bronze pot worth 4s. and a candelabra worth 10d. Damages: 6s.[8d.] They produce suit. Thomas in his own person and Margery, by Thomas her husband and attorney, come and say they are not quilty. Ing. Plgs: Roger Tailliour, Thomas Lynges.
- **92** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN WENT, ADAM FENT John Lightladde of Nottingham <np. Plg: John North, *bochour*>, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of Margery (*Marger'*) Baker servant of Thomas Beauchamp. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Margery on Wed before Whitsun 10 Henry VI [28 May 1432] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off a pair of agate (*gagate*) beads with 2 silver rings hanging from the same worth 3s.4d., a coverlet worth 4s., a dish worth 2s., a bronze pot worth 2s., [and] 2 pairs of linen sheets worth 4s. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. Margery in her own person comes and says she is not guilty. Inq. Plgs: Thomas Kaye, Thomas Beauchamp.

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- **93** INO M PLG PROS RALPH HOLT, WILLIAM BOLT John Brockestowe jnr, *glover*, of Nottingham in his own person complains of Henry Fulwode of Nottingham, *glover* licence>. Plea: debt of 2s.2d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 2s.2d. for a chamber leased to him from Trinity Sun 6 Henry VI for a year [30 May 1428], to be paid on the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist following [24 June 1428]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Henry in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Henry for a licence in mercy.
- **94** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN LAD, ADAM MAG Richard Coo, chaplain, in his own person complains of William Hill, *tailliour* licence>. Plea: debt of 12d. He says that Richard on Mon after the feast of St Barnabas 10 Henry VI [16 June 1432] leased a frith (*selionem fric'*) for 12d. to William, to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses.

Damages: 4d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

- **95** PD M Thomas Annesson <np> complains of Joan Rane of Nottingham, labourer. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Thomas np. [In mercy.]
- **96** [M] Thomas Annesson complains of Joan Rane of Nottingham, *laborer*. Plea: trespass and contempt against the statute of labourers. Joan for a [licence] to agree in mercy. Plgs: Simon Ilkeston, John Squier.
- **97** [M] John Ireland complains of Thomas Suton of Mansfield < licence >. Plea: debt. Thomas for a licence in mercy.
- **98** [LEVY] M Hugh Forster, *hosyer*, complains of John Dalton of Nottingham <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 8s. for a horse. John in his own person comes and acknowledges. In mercy. Damages discharged. [Precept to] levy. Hugh seeks execution of John's body.
- 99 INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, THOMAS WEST Ralph Stoyle in his own person complains of Henry Fermer of Adbolton <essoin>. Plea: debt of 20s. He says that Ralph on the feast of St Peter advincula 6 Henry VI [1 Aug 1428] leased to Henry a good land with appurtenances lying in the field of Edwalton from the feast of St Peter advincula for a term of 3 years following for 30s., 10s. to be paid and rendered annually during the said terms at the feasts of the purification of the BVM [2 Feb] and the nativity of St John the Baptist [24 June] in equal portions. Henry satisfied John up to the sum of 20s. now in demand; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages 3s.4d. He produces suit. Henry in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Ing.
- **100** INQ PLG PROS JOHN BOWER, JOHN COST Margaret lady of Bingham < t'>, by John Porter her attorney, complains of John Candelar. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. She says that Robert Long, Margaret's bailiff, on Tues after the feast of St Simon and St Jude 11 Henry VI [4 Nov 1432] arrested at the suit of John Porter divers goods and chattels of John Candeler: a cow worth 8s., a dish and a bronze pot worth 3s.4d. for 10s. owed to John Porter. John Candelar on Fri following the feast of St Simon and St Jude [31 Oct 1432] with force and arms (staff) broke Margaret's houses and closes and took and carried off the arrested

goods. Damages: 20s. She produces suit. John Candelar in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plg: Robert Breese.

**101** INQ PLG PROS ADAM COST, JOHN BOWER John Candelar of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Porter of Bingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John Porter at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off a dish worth 3s.4d. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. John Porter in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Plg: John Bower.

102 INQ PLG PROS NICHOLAS PLUMPTRE, JOHN HERT John Coll of Basingfield in his own person complains of William Smalley of the same. Plea: debt of 14d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 14d.: 8d. for the hire (*locacione*) of a barn, 1d. for hay and 6d. for *wallynges*, which William should have paid at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plg: William Stuward before William Caunterbury.

**103** LEVY M William Buntyng of Kirkby in his own person complains of William Cole of the same <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 5s.5d. for a pair of wheels (*par' rotar'*). William Cole comes and acknowledges 4s. and damages of 3d. In mercy. As to 17d. <acknowledges> he says he owes him nothing. Inq. Afterwards he acknowledged. In mercy.

**104** LAW ESSOIN M Thomas Stretton of Nottingham pl <np> v William Congulton of Donnington def. Plea: debt. Essonr: William Midilton. Law. They have day to Sat before the feast of St Edmund the archbishop [13 Nov 1432] by the said essoin. Thomas np.

**105** M John Grene of Hempshill, [by] William C[aunterbury] his attorney, complains of Richard Flechre of Calverton <2+, licence>. Plea: debt of 14d. Defaulted. Richard for a licence in mercy.

**106** M John Balthwayt jnr complains of Richard Beskewode of Nottingham <+, licence>. Plea: debt. Richard for a licence [in mercy]. Plg: Nicholas de Coton.

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**107** M Nicholas Coton in his own person complains of Margaret Whityngton licence>. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Margaret for a licence in mercy.

**108** M The same Nicholas complains of the same Margaret < licence > . Plea: debt of 6d. for ale. Margaret for a licence in mercy. Debt pardoned.

**109** LEVY M William Webster, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of John Dalton of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 4s. John in his own person comes and acknowledges. In mercy. William seeks execution of John's body. Let him be committed to prison.

**110** RESPITE Ralph Stoyle in his own person and Richard Symkyn come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised.

111 RESPITE Robert Wolaton, prior and Isabella Cranier [come]. Judgement.<sup>8</sup>

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Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of St Martin 11 Henry VI [12 Nov 1432].

## **112** ESSOINS

William Benet of Nottingham def v William Jell of Nottingham pl. Plea: debt.

Essonr: John Hert. Inq.

Thomas Fenton def v John Shotte pl. Plea: detinue. Essonr: John Westhall. Inq. The same Thomas pl v John Shotte def. Plea: debt. Essonr: the same John. Inq. Henry Fermer of Edwalton def v Ralph Stoyle of Nottingham pl. Plea: debt.

Essonr: John Bate. Inq.

**113** LEVY M John Okeley of Nottingham acknowledges 2s.8d. v Robert Baceford of Nottingham. Plea: debt. In mercy. Damages assessed at 2d. [Precept to] levy.

## **114** LEVY M

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Found by inq that Trystram Foljamb owes John Plumptre 33s.4d. Adjudged that John should recover v Trystram 33s.4d. and 6d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

That William servant of William Lemeryng trespassed v John Clowdham. Adjudged that John should recover v William 26s.8d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

- **115** M Adam Hayton for a licence to agree with William Benette in mercy. Plea: trespass against the king's peace.
- **116** INQ ESSOIN John Fossebrook of Nottingham pl v Reynald del Shagh of Eastwood def. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Rest. Inq.
- **117** M Robert Hodynet np v William Rokes. Plea: trespass. In mercy. Plg: Robert Clapam.
- **118** M John Lokyngton, *sadeler*, for a licence to agree with Richard Lorymer in mercy. Plea: debt.
- ${\bf 119}~{\rm PD}~{\rm M}$  John Martyn and William Martyn np v William Node. Plea: trespass and contempt. In mercy.
- **120** LEVY M Found by inq that Thomas Eyton owes John Balth[wayt] jnr 6s. Adjudged that John should recover v Thomas 6s. and 4d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.
- **121** M John Manchestre np v William Node. Plea: debt. In mercy. Plg: the same William.
- **122** M The same John np v the same William Node. Plea: trespass. In mercy. Plg: the same William.
- **123** LEVY M Found by inq that John Turnour of Underwood should recover nothing v John Jamesson as to 11d. For his unjust suit in mercy.
- **124** LEVY M The same John Jamesson acknowledges 4s.10d. v John Turnour as in the preceding [action]. In mercy. Damages assessed at 2d. Precept to levy.

**125** M Found by inq that John Tapton should recover nothing v John Durdent. Plea: trespass. For his unjust suit in mercy. John Durdent goes without day.

**126** LEVY M Found by inq that Thomas, vicar of Radcliffe, should recover nothing v John Dalahyde but for his unjust suit in mercy. That John Barret should recover v William Benette 4d. and 1d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**127** LEVY M Found by inq that Thomas Wakefeld trespassed v John Talbot. Adjudged that John should recover v Thomas 4s. In mercy. As to the candelabra, he should recover nothing but for his unjust suit in mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**128** M Found by inq that John Candelar is not guilty v Margaret lady of Bingham. Plea: trespass. Adjudged that Margaret should recover nothing v John but for her unjust suit in mercy.

#### **129** M AGAINST THE TRESPASS

Found by inq that John Candelar should recover v John Porter of Bingham 2d. for a trespass <pardoned>. In mercy.

That John Coll should recover nothing v William Smalley of Basingfield but for his unjust suit in mercy.

**130** M John Dalton of Nottingham for a licence to agree with Joan West of Nottingham in mercy. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace.

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Martin in the above year [13 Nov 1432].

131 INQ M PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX George Boney of Nottingham, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of Simon Duchesman of Nottingham licence>. Plea: debt of 2s. He says that Simon on Wed in Whitsun week 10 Henry VI [11 June 1432] borrowed 2s. from George, to be paid on the feast of St Barnabas next [11 June 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. Simon in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Simon for a licence in mercy.

**132** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, THOMAS WEST Hugh Mylner of West Halam, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Godart snr of Nottingham <essoin>.

Plea: debt of 8s. He says that John on Mon after the feast of the invention of the HC 10 Henry VI [5 May 1432] bought from Hugh 2 quarters of malt (*bras' ordei*) for 8s., to be paid in Whitsun week following [8 x 14 June 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Plg: Robert Je...

- **133** INQ [M] PLG PROS THOMAS HUNT, WILLIAM PUNT Thomas Stretton <np> in his own person complains of William Congulton of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that William on Mon after the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist 8 Henry VI [26 June 1430] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off a pipe of red wine worth 3s.4d. Damages: 5m. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plg: John Hampton.
- 134 INQ M PLG PROS RICHARD REST, JOHN WEST Thomas Bayle of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of Joan daughter of Robert Nicholasson of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. He says that Joan on Sat after the feast of St Matthew 11 Henry VI [27 Sept 1432] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off a veil of Magot his wife worth 8d., a veil of Agnes his servant worth 6d., [and] a pewter platter (*plater de pewtre*) worth 6d. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. Joan in her own person comes and says she is not guilty. Ing. Thomas np.
- 135 INQ PLG PROS JOHN FENT, ADAM WENT John Hubbard of Alrewas next Lichfield in his own person complains of John Pykhill of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 2s.6d. He says that John Pykhill on Thur after the feast of the invention of the HC 9 Henry VI [10 May 1431] bought from John Hubard for 6s.8d a dozen wooden saddle-trees (dez sadell' trees lign'), to be paid at the feast of St Barnabas following [11 June 1431]. John Pykhill satisfied John Hubard to the sum now in demand; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John Pykhill in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.
- **136** INQ M M PLG PROS ... William We[b]ster of Ruddington <np>, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of William Lynges of Nottingham. Plea: debt of

6s. bought on the feast of St Mathias last [24 Feb 1432], 9 to be paid at Easter following [20 Apr 1432]; he paid nothing. Damages: 12d. William Lynges [in] his own person comes and defends [the force] and says he owes him nothing. Inq. William Webster np.

**137** M The same William Lynges <np> np v the same William Webster. Plea: debt. In mercy.

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**138** INQ ... Robert Coryngton [?], by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of [Edmund] Radcliffe [?] Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. He says that Edmund on the feast of the annunciation of the BVM 10 Henry VI [25 Mar 1432] was retained with Robert to serve him [from the said feast] for a year as a carpenter (*carpentar'*); on ... in Whitsun week in the said year [8 x 14 May 1432] Edmund without reasonable cause and licence withdrew from Robert's service. Damages: 100s. He produces suit. Edmund in his own person comes and defends the force and says he was not retained nor withdrew from Robert's service. Inq. Robert np.

**139** INQ M PLG PROS ADAM HUNT, WILLIAM PUNT William Stuward <np> in his own person complains of Alice Stanford of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Alice on Wed after the feast of St Edmund the archbishop 11 Henry VI [19 Nov 1432] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off 3 silver spoons worth 5s., [and] 2 candelabra worth 8d. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. Alice in her own person comes and says she is not guilty. Inq.

**140** INQ M ... John Elton of Ashbourne, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Walter Bochor of Nottingham licence>. Plea: trespass and contempt against the statute of labourers. He says that Walter on the feast of St Mary Magdalene 9 Henry VI [22 July 1431] was retained with John to serve him from the said feast for a year as a butcher (*in offic' carnific'*); on Thur before the feast of St Matthew 10 Henry VI [20 Sept 1431] Walter without [reasonable] cause withdrew from John's service. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. Walter comes and defends the

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force and says he was not retained nor withdrew. Inq. Walter for a licence in mercy.

- M William Bernton of Nottingham complains of Richard Redeswell <9+, licence>. Plea: debt. Defaulted. Richard for a licence in mercy.
- LEVY M Robert Cotyngham in his own person comes and complains of John Radford <acknowledges> and Henry Tyler of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 11s. for the hire of William his son. John and Henry come and acknowledge. Damages assessed at 2d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.
- LEVY M Joan West in her own person complains of John Dalton <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 13s.8d. John comes and acknowledges. Damages assessed at 4d. Precept to levy.
- LEVY M John Reynald of Langham, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Robert Valey <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 6s.8d. borrowed. Robert in his own person comes and acknowledges. Damages assessed at 6d. In mercy. Precept to levy.
- M John Balth[wayt] jnr <np> in his own person complains of Thomas Stretton. Plea: debt of 2s. John np. In mercy.
- M Thomas Stokes complains of William Webster of Ruddington <2+, licence>. Plea: debt. Defaulted. William for a licence in mercy.
- M William Nusam of Basford complains of William Forster, *bochor* <2+, licence>. Plea: debt. Defaulted. William for a licence in [mercy].
- M John Thorpp, *flechr'*, complains of William Fawkener < licence >. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.
- M Thomas Mountgomery of Nottingham <np>, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Kyrkby of Kirkby <7+>. Plea: debt of 5 nobles (*nobul'*). Thomas np. In mercy. William goes without day. William made 7 defaults as above.

- **150** LEVY M Hugh Bladesmyth complains of John Lokyngton, *sadeler* <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 8d. John comes and acknowledges. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.
- M Thomas Stretton <np> complains of John Balth[wayt] jnr. Plea: deceit. Thomas np. In mercy.
- M William Carter of Nottingham <np> complains of John Esthwayt snr. Plea: debt. William np. In mercy.
- M Thomas Alestre <np> complains of Richard Wode of Nottingham. Plea: trespass and contempt. Thomas np. In mercy.
- M Robert son of Edmund Cook <np> complains of Roger Pare of Leake. Plea: debt. Robert np. In mercy.
- M Joan daughter of Robert Nicholasson complains of Thomas Bayle licence> and Magot his wife. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Thomas for a licence in mercy.
- PD LEVY M William Wright of Hollowstone (*Holoston*) complains of William Plasterer <+, acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 10d. William comes and acknowledges. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.
- **157** M Thomas Benton <np> complains of John Barton. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Thomas np. In mercy.
- M Richard Thacker of Lenton complains of John Lewes < licence > . Plea: debt. John for a licence in mercy.
- M John Barton <np> in his own person complains of Thomas Benton. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. John np. In mercy.
- M William Knyghtsshauk <np> complains of John Stokes jnr. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. William np. Plg: Robert Breese.
- M William Sherman of Nottingham <np> complains of a man of Linby called Roper. Plea: debt. William np. In mercy.

**162** M John Stokes jnr <np> complains of William Knyghtesshauker. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. John np. In mercy.

**163** M Richard Barbour of Nottingham, complains of Richard Michell of Holme <+>. Plea: debt. Richard Michel for a licence [in mercy]. Plg: a horse.

**164** M John Ode <np> complains of William Parwych. Plea: debt. John np. In mercy.

**165** M William Jell <np> complains of Walter Monby, *bochour* licence>. Plea: trespass. Walter for a licence in mercy.

**166** M John Elton of Ashbourne complains of Walter Bochour < licence > . Plea: trespass. Walter for a licence in mercy.

**167** RESPITE Ralph Stoyle in his own person and Richard Symkyn, by John Bate his attorney, come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised.

**168** RESPITE The same day given to Robert Wolden, prior, pl and Isabella Crann' def to the next [court] as the court was not advised.

Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of St Katherine in the above year [26 Nov 1432].

### **169** ESSOINS

John Godart jnr def v Hugh Mylner pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hunt. Inq. John Pykhill def v [John] Huberd [of] Alrewas pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Adam Cut. Inq.

John Okeley of Nottingham def v Henry Burley pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Alan Hert. Inq.

**170** M Reynald Shagh of Eastwood for a licence to agree with John Fossebrook, *bochour*, in mercy. Plea: dbt.

## **171** LEVY M

Found by inq that Thomas Fenton detains to John Shotte and Katherine his wife a dish worth 4s., a skillet worth 6d., a trivet worth 10d, 6 cushions worth 2s., [and] a spit worth 10d. Adjudged that John and Katherine should recover v Thomas the goods to their value as above and 2d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. That John and Katherine are not guilty v Thomas. Plea: debt. Adjudged that Thomas should recover nothing v John and Katherine but for his unjust suit in mercy. Plgs: Robert Valey, John Westhale.

**172** M Henry Fermer for a licence to agree with Ralph Stoyle in mercy. Plea: debt.

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Further forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of St Katherine 11 Henry VI [26 Nov 1432].

**173** M The jurors between William Jell pl and William Benette def did not come: William Barbour, *cariour*, Thomas Swynderby, John Mason, *barker*, William Radford, Robert Lawson, Thomas Lynges, John Epurston, John Grove. In mercy. Dis.

**174** M John Ballard of Radcliffe on Trent <np> complains of John Blaby of Leicester. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. John Ballard np. In mercy.

**175** RESPITE Ralph Stoyle in his own person and Richard Symkyn, by John Bate, *tailliour*, his attorney, come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised.

**176** RESPITE Robert Wolden, by William Caunterbury his attorney, and Isabella Crann', by Roger Brerelegh her attorney, come. Day given to the parties to hear their judgement to the next [court] as the court was not advised.

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Katherine in the above year [27 Nov 1432].

**177** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN FOX, JOHN HERT John Segrave of Nottingham <np>, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Norman <5+> and Margery (*Marger*) his wife. Plea: detinue. He says that John Segrave on Sat after

Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [4 Oct 1432] delivered in safe custody to Margery (*Marger*') a coverlet worth 3s., [and] a dish worth 2s., to be restored on the feast of St Luke following [18 Oct 1432]; they refused to restore and still refuse. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. John Norman in his own person comes and Margery (*Marger*'), by John Norman her husband and attorney, and say they detain nothing. Inq. John Segrave np. In mercy.

178 INQ PLG PROS JOHN WENT, ADAM FENT Thomas Pulter of Nottingham <essoin> and Isabella his wife, by John Ode their attorney, complain of Alice Stanford of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. They say that Alice on Wed before the feast of St Clement 11 Henry VI [19 Nov 1432] [with force] and arms (staff) took and carried off a linen sheet worth 12d., 7 yards of linen (*lineii*) 21d, a board cloth (*bordecloth'*) worth 9d., 12 *lees de lino* worth 12d. Damages: 6s.8d. They produce suit. Alice in her own person comes and says she is not guilty. Inq.

**179** INQ M M Thomas Hill of Nottingham, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Robert Blak of Nottingham <+, licence>. Plea: debt of 11d.: 8d. paid for John Balth[wayt] jnr and 3d. for a pair of hose. He produces suit. Roger in his own person comes and acknowledges 9d. In mercy. As to 2d., he says he owes him nothing. Inq. Roger for a licence in mercy.

**180** INQ PLG PROS RICHARD REST, JOHN BEST John Pyght of Edwalton, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Forster, *bochour* <+, essoin>. Plea: debt of 7s.5d. He says that William on Sat after the feast of St Laurence 10 Henry VI [16 Aug 1432] bought a cow from John for 7s.5d., to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

181 INQ PLG PROS ADAM HUNT, JOHN PUNT Hugh Tyler of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Cook of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 8s. He says that Hugh on Sun after the feast of St Peter advincula 10 Henry VI [3 Aug 1432] became the pledger and fidejussor of John to Thomas Alestre of Nottingham. Hugh satisfied Thomas on the feast of the assumption of the BVM following [15 Aug 1432]. John should have paid Hugh on the feast of the nativity of the BVM following [8 Sept 1432]; [he paid nothing] but refused to pay and still refuses.

Damages: 3s.4d. He produces [suit]. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

- **182** INQ PLG PROS ADAM BEST, JOHN REST John Etwell of Nottingham, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Joan Kyppas of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 5s.2d. He says that Joan on Mon before the feast of the exaltation of the HC 11 Henry VI [8 Sept 1432] bought from John a quarter and a bushel of malt (*bras' ordel*) for 5s.2d., to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1432]; she paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Joan in her own person comes and defends the force and says she is not guilty. Inq. Plg: Hugh Baxster for Joan.
- **183** M Thomas Stretton of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of William Congulton of Donnington. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Thomas np. [In mercy.]
- **184** PD M Gervase of Clifton, kt, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of John Couper of Timber Hill (*Tymberhill*) <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 2s.6d. John comes by John Ode [his attorney], and acknowledges. In mercy. J[ohn] Thrompton executor and amercement.
- **185** M Robert Coteler of Nottingham <paid 2d.> complains of John Okeley of the same licence>. Plea: detinue of a hide (*cor*'). John for a licence in mercy.
- **186** M Thomas Osbern of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of Joan Huntyngton. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Thomas np. In mercy.
- **187** M Hugh Bladesmyth in his own person complains of John Okeley, *sadeler* < licence >. Plea: debt. John for a licence in mercy.
- **188** M John Pampion in his own person complains of Isabella Barrett < licence > . Plea: trespass and contempt. Isabella for a licence in mercy.
- **189** LEVY M ... William Halifax of Nottingham, *marchaunt*, and William Heton of *Wyncle*, Lincs, *gentilman*, [complains of Simon] Ilkeston of Nottingham, *mercer'*, Richard Boney of the same, *mercer'* did not come >, and John Corbett of the same, *taillour*. Plea: debt of £12 6s.8d. as in a bond. Simon and John Corbett come in their own persons and acknowledge the debt. Richard did not come.

William Halifax acknowledges satisfaction of £6. Simon and John immediately paid £5. Damages assessed at 2s. ... raising 36s.8d. and 2s. damages. Defaulted. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

190 INQ PLG PROS JOHN CUT, ADAM REST Robert Selby of Nottingham, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of John Westhall of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 4s.2d. He says that John owes and unjustly detains 4s.2d.: 4s. for carpenter's work (*pro opere carpentar'*) made to John and 2d. for timber sold to him, which John should have paid at the feast of St Martin 11 Henry VI [11 Nov 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John West in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**191** INQ PLG PROS WILIIAM HUNT, JOHN PUNT William Clerk of Gedling <np>, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Thomas Smalley of Basingfield. Plea: [trespass] against the king's peace. He says that Thomas on Sat after Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [4 Oct 1432] [with force] and arms (staff) made an assault on William Warren servant of William [Clerk], affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. [Thomas in] his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Ing. William np. In [mercy].

**192** M John Richardson of Tollerton in his own person complains of Robert Germayn < licence >. Plea: debt. Robert for a licence in mercy.

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193 INQ PLG PROS JOHN HUNT, ADAM PUNT William Clerk of Gedling, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Thomas Smalley <essoin>. Plea: debt of 12s. He says that William Clerk on the feast of St Martin 8 Henry VI [11 Nov 1429] leased to Thomas a tenement with appurtenances in the vill and fields of Sneinton for 12s., to be paid at the feast of St Martin following [11 Nov 1430]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Ing. Plgs: Thomas Wolhous, William Broun, mustarder (*mustard'*).

**194** INQ PLG PROS JOHN FOX, ADAM COST William Sharp of Hickling, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Candeler of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 6s. He says that John owes and unjustly detains 6s. outstanding on 2 oxen

bought from him, which John should have paid at Easter 10 Henry VI [20 Apr 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. [John] in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

195 INQ PLG PROS ADAM HUNT, JOHN FENT Hugh Forster of Nottingham, Robert Benyngton and Gervase of Stoney Street (*Stonystrete*) in their own persons complain of William Plasterer of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. They say that William on the feast of the conception of the BVM 11 Henry VI [8 Dec 1432] with force and arms (knife) made an assault on Hugh and Robert and on them, made a *recursus* (*recursum*) [beat], affrayed and maltreated them. Damages: 6s.8d. They produce suit. William in his own person comes and [says] he is not guilty. Ing. Plgs: John Etwell, John Gedney.

196 INQ [PLG] PROS JOHN MONT, ADAM LONT John Manchestre and John Norman, by John Ode their attorney, complain of John Westhall of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 5s. They say that John Manchestre and John Norman on the feast of the invention of the HC 10 Henry VI [3 May 1432] leased to John Westhall the herbage of a frith (*frysc'*), to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. They produce suit. John West[hall] in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq.

**197** PD M Thomas Smyth of Strelley <np>, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Simon Porter and Joan [his] wife and Robert Dauntre and Isabella his wife. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Thomas np. In mercy.

**198** M Henry Smalley of Nottingham complains of William of Eastwood < licence >. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy. Plg: John Horspole.

**199** M Roger Wyllyngton <np> complains of Dyota Rodes. Plea: trespass and contempt. Roger np. In mercy.

**200** M William Brystowe complains of William Dalby, *baker* < licence >. Plea: debt. William Dalby for a licence in mercy. By [William] Caunterbury.

Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of the conception of the BVM in the above year [10 Dec 1432].

### **201 INQ ESSOINS**

Thomas Pulter pl v Alice Stanford. Plea: trespass against the king's peace.

Essonr: John Hert. Inq. By the assent of the parties.

William Forster, *bochour*, def v John Pyght pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Ode. Inq

John Westhall def v Robert Selby pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Adam Hunt. Inq.

Thomas Smalley def v William Clerk of Gedling pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Richard Rotur. Ing.

John Westhall def v John Manchestre and John Norman. Plea: debt. Essonr: Richard Rede. Inq.

**202** LEVY M Found by inq that William Benette owes William Jell 16d. Adjudged that William Jell should recover v William Benett 16d. and 6d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**203** LEVY M Found by inq that John Godart snr owes Hugh Mylner of West Halam 8s. Adjudged that Hugh should recover v John 8s., 4d. bailiffs' amercement [?], and 4d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. Plg: Robert Jentyll, mainpernor.

**204** LEVY M John Pykhill of Nottingham acknowledges v John Huberd of Alrewas 2s.6d. Plea: debt. In mercy. Damages assessed at 4d. [Precept to] levy.

**205** LEVY M John Okeley acknowledges 3s.6d. v Henry Burley of Sulby. Plea: debt. In mercy. Damages assessed at 3d. [Precept to] levy.

**206** M The same John for a licence to agree with the said Henry in mercy. Plea: debt as to 10d.

## **207** LEVY M M

Found by inq that John Cook owes Hugh Tyler for the pledge of Thomas Alestre of 8s. Adjudged that Hugh should recover v John 8s. and 4d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

That Joan Kypass of Nottingham is not guilty v John Etwell. Plea: debt. Adjudged that John should recover nothing v Joan but for his unjust suit in mercy.

**208** M Found by inq that William Plasterer of Nottingham is not guilty v Hugh Forster, *hosyer*, and Robert Benyngton, decennary (*decenar*). Plea: trespass

against the [king's] peace. Adjudged that Hugh and Robert should recover nothing v William in the said plea but for their unjust suit in mercy.

**209** LEVY M William Newerk complains of John Okeley <+, acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 8d. John acknowledges. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**210** LEVY M Richard Samon, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Okeley. Plea: debt of 13s.4d. for rent. John in his own person comes and acknowledges. Damages discharged by the attachment. He seeks execution of the body. Let him be committed to prison. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**211** LEVY M John Yvenett complains of John Okeley <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 20d. John Okeley acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**212** LEVY M Thomas Chaumberleyn complains of John Okeley <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 20d. Acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**213** LEVY M Hugh Bladesmyth complains of John Okeley <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 2s.9½d. Acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**214** LEVY M Thomas Irenmonger complains of John Okeley <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 5s. Acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**215** M John Hampton complains of John Okeley < licence > . Plea: detinue. John Okeley for a licence in mercy.

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**216** [INQ] M ... Robert Dauntre of Nottingham and Isabella his wife, by William Midilton their attorney, complain of Thomas servant of Thomas Smyth of Strelley licence>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. They say that Thomas the servant on Thur before the feast of St Nicholas 11 Henry VI [4 Dec 1432] with

force and arms (fists) made an assault on Isabella, Robert's wife, beat, affrayed and maltreated her. Damages: 6s.8d. They produce suit. Thomas the servant in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. [Inq.] Plg: William Midilton. Thomas for a licence [in mercy].

217 [IN]Q M PLG PROS JOHN WENT, ADAM FENT John Estthwayt snr of Nottingham, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Okeley, *sadeler*, of Nottingham <+, acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 3s. for a good skin (*cor'*). He says that John Okeley on Sat after the feast of St Peter advincula 10 Henry VI [2 Aug 1432] bought a good skin (*cor'*) for 3s. from John Esth[wayt], to be paid at the feast of the exaltation of the HC following [14 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John Okeley in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. John acknowledges. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. Damages discharged.

**218** [I]NQ ... Richard Barbour of Nottingham, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of William Benett of Nottingham <2+>. Plea: debt of 16d. Defaulted. He says ... 10

219 INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, WILLIAM HALIFAX Robert Cutwolf, prior of Newstead, and the convent, by William Caunterbury their attorney, complain of Richard Whetecroft of Nottingham, *baxster* <essoin>. Plea: debt of 20s. They say that Richard owes and unjustly detains 20s. for underwood (*subboscis*) sold to Richard for the prior and convent, which Richard should have paid at the feast of St Martin 9 Henry VI [11 Nov 1430] and Whitsun following [20 May 1431]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. They produce suit. Richard in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq.

220 [I]NO [PLG] PROS WILLIAM HALIFAX, [JOHN] HERT The same [Prior] Robert and convent, by the said attorney, complain of the same Richard <essoin>. Plea: debt of 23s.4d. They say that Richard owes and unjustly detains 23s.4d. for the pledge of Walter Bonde of Bulwell for whom Richard became the pledger and fidejussor to the prior and convent and agreed to pay 23s.4d. at the feast of St Martin 9 Henry VI [11 Nov 1430] and at Whitsun following [20 May 1431] in equal portions if Walter should not pay; he paid nothing by which the action accrued to the prior and convent to seek 23s.4d. from Richard; he paid nothing

but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. They produce suit. Richard in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq.

221 INQ PLG PROS JOHN COTE, JOHN MORE Magot Carter, by William Midilton her attorney, complains of Richard Randolf of Sneinton. Plea: debt of 2s.11d. She says that Richard owes and unjustly detains 2s.11d. for hiring a cow from Magot, which he should have paid on the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist 10 Henry VI [24 June 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. She produces suit. Richard in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes her nothing. Inq. Plg: William Wolaton.

222 [INQ] ... John Palmer of Radcliffe on Trent, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of Robert Jermayn of Cotgrave <2+, essoin> and Joan his wife, widow of Robert Rosell. Plea: debt of 5s. He says that Joan, whilst she was alone, on Thur before the feast of St Simon and St Jude 10 Henry VI [28 Oct 1431] borrowed 5s. from John, to be paid on the feast of All Saints following [1 Nov 1431]. Afterwards, Joan married Robert; they paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuse. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Robert and Joan, by John Ode their attorney, come and defend the force and say they owe him nothing. Ing.

223 [IN]Q ... The same John Palmer, by the same attorney, complains of the said Robert <2+, essoin> and Joan. Plea: detinue. He says that John on Sat after the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist 6 Henry VI [26 June 1428] delivered in safe custody to Joan, whilst she was alone, 2½ quarters of barley worth 8s.4d., to be restored on the feast of St Martin following [11 Nov 1428]. Afterwards, Joan married Robert; they refused to restore and still refuse. Damages: 10s. He produces suit. Robert and Joan, by John Ode their attorney, come and defend the force and say they detain nothing. Inq.

**224** INQ PLG PROS JOHN FOX, THOMAS COST Richard Dalbury complains of John Wyllyngton <essoin>. Plea: debt of 3s.4d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 3s.4d. for the pledge of William Forster, *bochour*, which he should have paid on the feast of St Martin 11 Henry VI [11 Nov 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Ing.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> MS unfinished.

- 225 INQ LEVY M PLG PROS JOHN REST, RICHARD REST Robert Lorymer in his own person complains of John Lokyngton, *sadeler* <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 10d. He says that John owes and unjustly detains 10d. for 2 iron bridles (*brydell' irenn'*) and *tynnynges*, which John should have paid at the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist 10 Henry VI [24 June 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. John acknowledges. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.
- **226** [INQ] ... Emma Tyler, by W[illiam] Caunterbury her attorney, complains of John Radford <essoin>. Plea: debt of 2s.2d. She says that John from the feast of St Peter advincula [1 Aug] ... to Michaelmas following [29 Sept] ... at board (*ad mensam*) of Emma, which John should have paid on the feast of St Denis following [9 Oct]; he paid nothing [but] refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. She produces suit. [John] in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes her nothing. Inq.
- **227** [INQ] ... William Burton, *irenmonger*, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Okeley <essoin>. Plea: debt of 3s.5d. He says that [John owes] and unjustly detains 3s.5d.: 2s.3d. for 6 iron molines (*moleyns*), 8d. for 2 iron molines and 6d. of an old agreement (*antiq' comp'*) outstanding, which John should have paid on the feast of St Martin 10 Henry VI [11 Nov 1431]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.
- **228** [M] Isabella Wylford of Hull, widow of Elias Wylford, by Richard Foston her attorney, complains of Nicholas Hayward of Clifton <6+, licence>. Plea: debt. Defaulted. Nicholas for a licence in mercy.
- **229** [LAW LEVY M] ... Robert Berecroft of Nottingham, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Tasker of Beeston <15+, Mon, Thur, [St] Katherine>. Plea: detinue. Attached by a sack with a bushel of corn in it. He says that Robert on the feast of St Peter advincula 10 Henry VI [1 Aug 1432] bought a quarter of barley for 3s.4d. from William, which quarter William should have delivered to Robert at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1432]; he delivered nothing but unjustly detained

and still detains. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Law. ... William in mercy. [Precept to] levy.

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- 230 [LAW] ... Robert Clerk, *skynner*, of Nottingham <np>, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of John Waltham. Plea: debt of 20s. for an iron ... *wombes* bought from him on Sat before the feast of the exaltation of the HC 11 Henry VI [14 Sept 1432], to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing. John in his own person [comes] and says he owes him nothing. Law. He has day on Thur following with 11 hands. John comes. Robert charged. Did not appear. Robert np. In mercy. John goes without day.
- **231** [M] ...ffrey, by John Corbette his attorney, complains of John Okeley licence>. Plea: trespass. John Okeley for a licence in mercy.
- **232** [M] The same Roger, by the same attorney, complains of the said John Okeley licence>. Plea: debt. John Okeley for a licence in mercy.
- **233** [M] William Bower of Nottingham complains of John Bower of the same. Plea: trespass. Both amerced. In mercy.
- **234** [M] John Dorham complains of William Clyfton of Nottingham <4+, licence>. Plea: trespass. Defaulted. William for a licence in mercy.
- **235** [M] John Bate, *taillour*, complains of John Muston of Cropwell Butler <+, licence>. Plea: debt. Defaulted. John Muston for a licence to agree in mercy. Plg: John Mason, *ymager*.
- **236** [M] The same John Bate complains of Robert servant of the same John Muston < licence > . Plea: debt. Robert in mercy. Plg: John Mason, *ymager*.
- **237** [M] Joan Hall of Basford complains of Robert Lorymer of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 14d. for a horse. Robert acknowledges. Damages: 1d. In mercy.
- **238** [M John] Gedney complains of [Robert] Smyth of Edwalton. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Robert for a licence in mercy.

- **239** [M] ... complains of Laurence Bladesmyth of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Robert np. In mercy.
- **240** [M] John Tychill of Aston on Trent and William Clerk of the said Aston complain of Laurence Bladesmyth licence>. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Laurence for a licence in mercy. Plg: William Sherman.
- **241** INQ ... Thomas Tawburn, chaplain, by J[ohn] Ode [his] attorney, complains of John Radford, *barker*. Plea: debt of 2s.4d. <sup>11</sup>
- 242 INQ PLG PROS JOHN REST, ADAM ... John Balth[wayt] jnr complains of John Horner of Nottinghamn <essoin>. Plea: debt of 10d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 10d. for 6 gallons of better ale bought from him, which John Horner should have paid at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. John Horner in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.
- **243** M Robert Hyne <np> complains of William Orrey. Plea: debt. Robert np. In mercy. By [William] Caunterbury.
- **244** PD M John Wright, *chapman*, in his own person complains of William Ambler of Newthorpe. Plea: debt of 4s. for a quarter of malt (*bras' ordei*). He comes in his own person and acknowledges. Damages assessed at 2d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.
- **245** LEVY M Thomas Chaumberleyn, *feuster*, complains of John Lokyngton, *sadeler* <+, acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 2s. John comes and acknowledges. Damages assessed at 1d. [Precept to] levy.
- **246** PD M John Perkyn of Nottingham complains of William Jonson of Stapleford < licence > . Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.
- **247** RESPITE Ralph Stoyle pl and Richard Symkyn def, by John Bate his attorney, come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised.

## Forinsec pleas held on Wed Christmas eve in the above year [24 Dec 1432].

#### **248** ESSOINS

Richard Whetecroft of Nottingham def v Robert Cutwolf, prior, pl. Plea: debt.

Essonr: John Fox. Inq.

The same Richard def v the same Prior Robert pl. Plea: debt. Another suit.

Essonr: the same.

Robert Jermayn of Cotgrave def v John Palmer of Radcliffe pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Richard Forster. Inq.

The same Robert Jermayn def v the same John pl. Plea: detinue. Essonr: the same Richard. Inq.

John Swyllyngton of Nottingham def v Richard Dalbury pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Richard Richard. Inq.

John Horner def v John Balth[wayt] jnr pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Adam Horner. Inq. John Radford def v Emma Tyler pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hert. Inq.

**249** LEVY M Found by inq that Alice Stanford of Nottingham trespassed v Thomas Pulter. Adjudged that Thomas should recover v Alice 5s. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**250** M Robert Selby of Nottingham, *wright* <np>, np v John Westhall. Plea: debt. In mercy.

**251** LEVY M Found by inq that Thomas Smalley owes William Clerk of Gedling 12s. Adjudged that William should recover v Thomas 12s. and 6d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. Plgs: Thomas Wolhous and William Broun, mustarder.

**252** M John Candeler of Nottingham for a licence to agree with William Sharp of Hickling in mercy. Plea: debt.

**253** M John Westhall of Nottingham for a licence to agree with John Manchestre and John Norman in mercy. Plea: debt.

#### **254** I FVY M

Found by inq that Richard Barbour of Nottingham should recover v William Benett <2+> 16d. and 4d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

<sup>11</sup> MS entry unfinished.

That Magot Carter should recover v Richard Randolf 2s.11d. and 6d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**255** ESSOIN John Okeley def v Thomas Irenmonger pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Nicholas Carter.

**256** M John Radford acknowledges 16d. v Thomas Tawburn, chaplain. Plea: debt. In mercy. Damages assessed at 1d. [Precept to] levy.

**257** M Found by inq that as to 16d. in a plea of debt which the same Thomas should not recover v the same John Radford. Thomas for his unjust suit in mercy.

**258** M The jurors between John Pyght pl and William Forster, *bochor*, def did not come: John Waltham, Edward Coteler, Nicholas Edmond, Roger Candeler, Alan Goushill, William Wode, *barbour*, William More, *mercar'*, Adam Hayton. In mercy.

**259** M Hugh Weloby, kt, complains of Thomas More, *coryour*, of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

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Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after Christmas eve 11 Henry VI [? 25 Dec 1432].

**260** [INQ] ... John Balth[wayt] jnr, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Laurence Bladesmyth of Nottingham <+, essoin>. Plea: debt of 16d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 16d. for iron bought at Michaelmas last [29 Sept 1432], which Laurence should have paid on the feast of All Saints following [1 Nov 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. Laurence comes, by William Midilton his attorney, and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**261** [I]NQ M [PL]G PROS ADAM HERT, JOHN PREST John Okeley <np> in his own person complains of Thomas West of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Thomas on Sun before the feast of St Martin 11 Henry VI [9 Nov 1432] with force and arms (staff and dagger) made an assault on John,

beat, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. Thomas West in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq. John np. In mercy.

**262** [IN]Q [PLG] PROS [AS] ABOVE The same John Okeley complains of the same Thomas. Plea: debt of 3s.4d. He says that Thomas on Sat after the feast of St Luke 11 Henry VI [25 Oct 1432] bought a black horse for 3s.4d. from John, to be paid on the feast of St Thomas the Apostle following [21 Dec 1432]. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Plg: John Preston.

263 INQ M [PLG] PROS [JOHN] FOX, THOMAS COST Richard Wode of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Solers of Nottingham licence. Plg: Henry Sotheron>. Plea: debt of 6s.4d. He says that John owes and unjustly detains 6s.4d.: 5s. for the rent of a tenement and 16d. for firewood sold to him, which John should have paid on the feast of St Martin 11 Henry VI [11 Nov 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Plgs: Henry Sotheron, Robert Farlegh, John Norman, John Paver. John for a licence in mercy.

**264** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN COLL, RICHARD ROLL Margaret Derby of Clawson, by John Ode her attorney, complains of John Alen, *cook* <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 20d. She says that he owes and unjustly detains 20d. for 6 geese bought from her, which John should have paid at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. She produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes her nothing. Inq. John acknowledges. In mercy. Damages assessed at 3d.

265 INQ PLG PROS JOHN HERT, JOHN SUERT William Neelson of Newthorpe, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Thomas Warde <essoin> and John Warde. Plea: debt of 17½d. He says that they owe and unjustly detain 17[½]d. outstanding on a cartload of sea coals (*carrectat' carbon' marit'*), which they should have paid at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432]; they paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuse. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. Thomas and John come in their own persons and defend the force and say they owe him nothing.

- **266** PD M Margery (*Marger'*) de Lawton <np> in her own person complains of Agnes Barton. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Margery np. In mercy.
- **267** PD M Agnes Barton in her own person complains of Margery (*Marger'*) Lawton of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Agnes np. In mercy.
- **268** M William Sherman in his own person complains of Robert Lightlade. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Robert for a licence in mercy.
- **269** LEVY M The same William complains of the same Robert <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 19s.4d. Robert in his own person comes and acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. <Convicted, imprisoned.>
- **270** M Thomas Bladesmyth of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of Roger Barker lately servant of John Lovot. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Attached. Thomas charged. Did not appear. Np. In mercy. Roger goes without day.
- **271** PD M Alice Tannesley of Nottingham complains of John Broude and Alice his wife. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. John and Alice for a licence to agree in mercy.
- **272** PD M Alice Tannesley complains of the same John and Alice. Plea: debt. John and Alice for a licence in mercy.
- 273 LEVY M Nicholas Aungers and Rose his wife, by John Ode their attorney, complain of Agnes del Hale of Nottingham <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 12d. Agnes comes and acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. Precept to levy.
- **274** LEVY M Thomas Wylford complains of John Innocent of Nottingham <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 6d. He comes and acknowledges. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.
- **275** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX Thomas Trewe of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of Thomas Mounford, *tailliour*, of Smith Row (*Smithrowe*). Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Thomas

Tailliour <sup>12</sup> on Thur the feast of the Circumcision 11 Henry VI [1 Jan 1433] with force and arms (fists) made an assault on Thomas Trewe, beat, affrayed and maltreated him, took and carried off 3d. in cash. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. Thomas Tailliour in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**276** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX The same Thomas Mounford, *taillour*, <np> in his own person complains of the said Thomas Trewe. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Thomas Trewe on Wed before the feast of the Circumcision 11 Henry VI [31 Dec 1432] with force and arms (staff) took and carried of a yew (*tax'*) bow to Thomas Mounford by Thomas Trewe for 3d. pledged (*vadat'*). Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. Thomas Trewe in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**277** M Joan Tyllyngton in her own person complains of Walter Grayae of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. <sup>13</sup>

**278** M Joan Tyllyngton in her own person complains of the said Walter. Plea: debt of 5s. 14

**279** INQ PLG PROS JOHN HERT, ADAM FOX Richard Coo, chaplain, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Robert Selby. Plea: debt of 18d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 18d. for the crop of a frith (*fryssie*), which he should have paid at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. Robert in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

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Forinsec pleas held on Wed [after] the feast of Epiphany in the above year [7 Jan 1433].

#### **280** ESSOINS

Laurence Bladesmyth of Nottingham def v John Balth[wayt] jnr pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Adam Hert. Inq.

 $<sup>^{12}</sup>$  MS sic.

 $<sup>^{13}</sup>$  MS sic.

<sup>14</sup> MS sic.

Thomas Warde and John Warde defs v William Neelson pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Cut. Inq.

Robert Selby def v Richard Coo, chaplain, pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Robert Hunt. Inq.

William Midylton, attorney of Alan Scryven pl, v Henry Bewfrey of Nottingham def. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Cost. Inq.

**281** LEVY M William Forster of Nottingham, *bochour*, acknowledges 7s.5d. v John Pyght. Plea: debt. In mercy. Damages assessed at 1d. [Precept to] levy.

**282** LEVY M Richard Whetecroft of Nottingham acknowledges 20s. v Prior Robert Cutwolf. Plea: debt. In mercy. Damages assessed at 6d. Precept to levy.

**283** LEVY M The same Richard acknowledges 23s.4d. v Prior Robert Cutwolf. Plea: debt. In mercy. Damages assessed at 12d. [Precept to] levy.

**284** M John Swyllyngton for a licence to agree with Richard Dalbury in mercy. Plea: debt.

**285** LEVY M John Horner acknowledges 10d. v John Balth[wayt] jnr. Plea: debt. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**286** LEVY M Found by inq that Emma Tyler should recover v John Radford 2s. [and] 2d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**287** M John Okeley, *sadeler*, for a licence to agree with William Burton, *irenmonger*, in mercy. Plea: debt.

**288** [LEVY] M found by inq that Thomas West owes John Okeley 3s.4d. Adjudged that John should recover [v] Thomas 3s.4d. and 2d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**289** M Found by inq that John Chestrefeld is not guilty v Henry Arnall. Plea: trespass. Adjudged that Henry should recover nothing v John. In mercy for his unjust suit.

**290** M Robert, prior of Thurgarton, complains of Isabella Cranwell. Plea: debt. *Et quia placitum fuit iliaiite concept'*, *etc.*, *eo quod potuit distringasse ut de libero redditu*. For his unjust plea in mercy as is shown in a paper.

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after Epiphany in the above year [8 Jan 1433].

291 INQ [PLG] PROS [JOHN] REST, [ADAM] EST Alan Goushill in his own person complains of John Wright of *Mousley*. Plea: debt of 2s. He says that John owes and unjustly detains 2s. for the custody of John son of the same John from the feast of St Barnabas 10 Henry VI [11 June 1432] to Christmas following [25 Dec 1432], which John Wright should have paid at the feast of the circumcision following [1 Jan 1433]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John Wright, by William Midilton his attorney, comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Attached by a horse. Delivered by the mainpern of John Ireland.

292 INQ PLG PROS JOHN FOX, JOHN COST John Manchestre and John Norman, by John Ode their attorney, complain of William Barbour, *cariour* <+>. Plea: debt of 9s.6d. They say that he owes and unjustly detains 9s.6d. for arable land leased to him, to be paid at the [feast of the] nativity of St John the Baptist 10 Henry VI [24 June 1432] as by the agreement made between them. 15 John and John paid nothing to Robert by which the action accrued to John and John to seek 9s.6d. v William; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. They produce suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq.

293 [INQ] ... William Webster of Ruddington, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of William Betson of the same <essoin>. Plea: debt of 13s.4d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 13s.4d. outstanding on a *reke*<sup>16</sup> of peas for the pledge of Robert Lawson, which Robert should have paid William at Michaelmas last [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing by which the action accrued to William Webster; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. William Betson in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

 $<sup>^{15}</sup>$  MS an illegible interlineation presumably supplying information about the 'Robert' mentioned in the next clause.  $^{16}$  MS sic.

294 [I]NO [PLG] PROS [RICHARD] REST, [JOHN] EST William Tyler of Papplewick, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Richard Plomer of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 3s.6d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 3s.6d. which William paid to John Wright of Sneinton for Richard, which Richard should have paid at the feast of the conception of the BVM 11 Henry VI [8 Dec 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Richard in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Ing.

**295** [LEVY] M William Sylvester of Bunny, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Richard Fosston. Plea: debt of 6s. for 2 quarters of malt (*bras' ordei*) bought from him. Richard, by William Caunterbury his attorney, comes and acknowledges. Damages assessed at 2d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

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# Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after Epiphany 11 Henry VI [8 Jan 1433].

**296** [IN]Q M ... Nicholas Parker of *Shayll*, by Hugh Bladesmyth of Nottingham his attorney, complains of Thomas Beauchamp of Nottingham licence>. Plea: detinue of a doublet. He says that Nicholas on Tues before Epiphany 11 Henry VI [30 Dec 1432] delivered in safe custody to Thomas a doublet worth 13s.4d. for making alterations (*aptand' faciend'*), to be restored on Sat after Epiphany following [11 Jan 1433]; he refused to restore and still refuses. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and defends the force and says the doublet was always ready if Nicholas should wish to pay 13s.4d. for making the doublet, and so he does not detain. Nicholas says he was always ready to pay 3s.4d. <sup>17</sup> for making the doublet and so he says he detains the doublet. Inq. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

**297** INQ M [PLG] PROS [RICHARD] WEST, [ADAM] COST William Midilton in his own person complains of John Whitehond of Nottingham licence>. Plea: detinue of a hauberk (*loricem*). He says that William on Fri before the feast of the annunciation of the BVM 4 Henry VI [22 Mar 1426] delivered in safe custody by the hand of Margaret his wife a hauberk (*loricam*) worth 33s.4d. to John, to be

restored on Sat following [23 Mar 1426]; he restored nothing but refused to restore and still refuses. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he detains no hauberk. Inq. [John] for a licence in mercy.

298 INQ PLG PROS RICHARD REST, JOHN COST John Porter of Hucknall, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Thomas Tyler of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 18½d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 18½d. for a cartload of firewood (*carrectar' lign'*), which he should have paid at Christmas 11 Henry VI [25 Dec 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

299 INQ PLG PROS WILLIAM COTE, HENRY MOTE Thomas Fyllingham of Radford, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Thomas Wortley of the same <essoin>. Plea: debt of 12d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 12d. outstanding for his hire [when] retained for a certain time with [Thomas] Wortley, which Thomas Wortley should have paid at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. Thomas Wortley in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**300** M Gervase Wylford of Nottingham complains of Robert Mylner of Nottingham < licence >. Plea: debt. Robert for a licence in mercy.

**301** INQ PLG PROS JOHN WENT, ADAM FENT <rests> Edmund Brydde of Newhall, by John Neuton his attorney, complains of Richard Abell of Coventry. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Richard on Fri after the feast of St Hilary 11 Henry VI [16 Jan 1433] with force and arms (staff) made an assault on Edmund, beat, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: £20. He produces [suit]. Richard in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**302** INQ M PLG PROS HENRY HUNT, WILLIAM PUNT John Etwell <np>, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Simon Shypperd, *wright*. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. He says that Simon on the feast of the purification of the BVM 10 Henry VI [2 Feb 1432] to the feast of the invention of the HC following [3 May 1432] was retained to make a ship

 $<sup>^{17}</sup>$  MS sic.

(navem) ex grosso; Simon on the feast of St Valentine following [14 Feb 1432] without cause withdrew from John's service. Damages: 20m. He produces suit. Simon in his own person comes and defends the force and says he was not retained nor withdrew. Inq. Plg: Roger Tailliour. John np.

**303** [INQ] PLG PROS ADAM FENT, JOHN WENT Richard Redys of Nottingham, *bochor*, complains of William Ruddynges of Greasley <essoin>. Plea: debt of 10s. He says that Richard Rouse of Bonsall (*Bonsale*) on the feast of St Denis 8 Henry VI [9 Oct 1429] bought 10 sheep for 20s. from Richard Redes, to be paid on the feast of St Andrew following [30 Nov 1429]. For greater security William on the said day became the pledger and fidejussor of Richard Rouse to Richard Redes and agreed to pay 20s. if Richard Rouse should not pay; he paid nothing. William Ruddynges satisfied Richard Redes up to the sum of 10s. now in demand; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**304** INQ PLG PROS RICHARD WENT, HENRY FENT William Jouy of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Esthwayt snr <essoin>. Plea: debt of 6s.8d. He says that John Rosell of Cotgrave on Sat after the feast of the invention of the HC 10 Henry VI [10 May 1432] agreed to pay William 6s.8d. ... of William's cart (*carte*) to William, to be paid at Whitsun following [8 June 1432]. [For greater] security John Esthwayt on the said feast became the pledger and fidejussor [of John] to William and agreed to pay 6s.8d. if John Rosell should not pay William; he paid nothing by which the action accrued to William to seek 6s.8d. from John [Esthwayt]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. [John Esthwayt] 18 in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**305** INQ M PLG PROS WILLIAM FOX, ADAM COST Richard Sherman of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of John Horner of Radford <+>. Plea: detinue. He says that Richard on Sat after [the feast] of the nativity of St John the Baptist 10 Henry VI [28 June 1432] bought 5 horseloads of sea coals (*quinque lodez eq' de carbon' marit'*) for 15d., which John should have delivered at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1432]; he delivered nothing but refused to deliver and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Ing. Richard np.

**306** LEVY M William More, *mercer'*, complains of Richard Coo <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 4s.11d. Richard comes and acknowledges. Damages assessed at 1d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**307** M Richard Redes <np> in his own person complains of William Ruddynges. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Richard Redes np.

**308** PD M Henry Smyth of Beeston complains of William M...<sup>19</sup> of Colston Basset < licence > . Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.

**309** RESPITE Ralph Stoyle and Richard Symkyn [come]. Day given to the parties to the next [court] as the court was not advised.

Forinsec pleas held on Wed before the feast of St Vincent in the above year [21 Jan 1433].

#### 310 ESSOINS

William Betson def v William Webster of Ruddington pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: J[ohn] Hunt. Inq.

Richard Plomer def v William Tyler pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Adam Hampton. Inq. Thomas Wortley def v Thomas Fyllyngham pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hert. Inq. William Ruddynges def v Richard Redes pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: William Cost. Inq. John Esthwayt snr def v William Jouy. Plea: debt. Essonr: William Cost.

**311** [LEVY M] Found by inq that John Wright of *Mousley* owes Alan Goushill 2s. Damages: 2d.

**312** LEVY M William [Barbour] acknowledges 9s.6d. v John Manchestre and John Norman. Plea: debt. Damages assessed at 6d. [Precept to] levy.

**313** LEVY M Found by inq that Robert Jermayn and Joan his wife owe John Palmer of Radcliffe 5s. Adjudged that John [should recover] v Robert and Joan 5s. and 6d. damages. [Precept to] levy. Robert <2+> and Joan detain to the said John 2 [quarters of barley]. Adjudged that John should recover 2 quarters of barley worth 8s. and 10d. damages. [Precept to] levy.

 $<sup>^{18}</sup>$  MS Willelmus Rudd'.

<sup>19</sup> MS wrinkled.

Roll 9d

**314** LEVY M Hugh Bladesmyth acknowledges 16d. v John Balth[wayt] jnr. Plea: debt. In mercy. ... [Precept to] levy.

**315** M Thomas Warde and John Warde for a licence to agree with William Neelson in mercy. Plea: debt.

**316** LEVY M Found by inq that Richard Coo, chaplain, should recover v Robert Selby 18d. Plea: debt. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**317** M Alan [Scryven] np v Henry Beaufrey. Plea: debt. In mercy.

**318** LEVY M Found by inq that John Porter should recover 18½d. v Thomas Tyler and 2d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur the feast of St Vincent in the above year [22 Jan 1433].

**319** INQ PLG PROS JOHN FOX, JOHN COST Henry Pierpount, kt, by W[illiam] Caunterbury his attorney, complains of John Wodehall, *barbour* <essoin>. Plea: debt of 20s. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 20s. for timber and firewood, which John should have paid at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. John comes, by John Ode his attorney, and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**320** INQ M PLG PROS RICHARD WEST, JOHN REST Richard Bladerwycke of Edwalton, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Wayvyn of Adbolton licence>. Plea: debt of 4s. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 4s.: 20d. borrowed and 2s.4d. outstanding on a cow bought from him, which William should have paid at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Plg: Thomas Farlegh.

- **321** INQ PLG PROS ADAM WENT, JOHN FENT John Wyle of *Gaweby*, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Wayvyn <+, essoin, acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 4s. He says he owes and unjustly detains 4s.: 16d. for wool [and] 2s.8d. for malt (*bras' ordei*) bought from him, which William should have paid at Michaelmas last [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Plg: the said Thomas.
- 322 INQ M PLG PROS ADAM EST, JOHN MOTE Thomas Wortley of Radford, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of Thomas Fyllyngham of the same licence>. Plea: trespass against the [king's peace]. He says that Thomas Fyll[yngham] on Sat after the feast of St Martin 11 Henry VI [15 Nov 1432] with force and arms (staff) made [an assault] on Thomas Wortley, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Thomas Fyll[yngham] in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Thomas Fyll[yngham] for a licence in mercy.
- **324** INQ PLG PROS ALAN MORE, RICHARD R[O]TER John Both of Nottingham, wright, and Margaret his wife in their own persons complain of Thomas Beauchamp of Nottingham, taillour <essoin>. Plea: detinue. They say that John, by Margaret's hand, on Mon before the feast of St Martin 7 Henry VI [8 Nov 1428] delivered in safe custody to Thomas a silver spoon worth 2s., to be restored on the feast of St Leonard following [? 6 Nov 1428]; he refused to restore and still refuses. Damages: 18d. They produce suit. Thomas in his own person comes and defends the force and says he detains no such spoon. Inq.
- **325** INQ PLG PROS JOHN EST, HENRY REST John Cockefeld and John Emotson of Nuthall, by John Ode their attorney, complain of Henry Tyler of Nottingham <+,

essoin>. Plea: debt of 12d. They say he owes and unjustly detains 12d. for kids (*kydd'*) of wood bought from him, which he should have paid on the feast of St Martin 11 Henry VI [11 Nov 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. They produce suit. Henry in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq.

- **326** INQ LEVY M PLG PROS ... John Yvenett, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Benett <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 4d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 4d. for 4 gallons of second ale (*secunde cervisie*), which he should have paid on the feast of St Martin last [11 Nov 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay. William says he owes him nothing. Inq. William acknowledges.
- **327** INQ M ... Nicholas Bochor of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Horner of Nottingham and Alice his wife < licence. Plg: John Wilbram >. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Alice on Thur after the feast of St Vincent 11 Henry VI [29 Jan 1433] with force and arms (staff) broke Nicholas' closes and took and carried off his onions. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Alice in her own person comes and says she is not guilty. Inq. John for a licence in mercy.
- **328** INQ M PLG PROS WILLIAM JOLY, JOHN HERT Laurence Bladesmyth of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of John Balthwayt jnr of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on Sat before the feast of St Nicholas 11 Henry VI [29 Nov 1432] with force and arms (staff) made an assault on Laurence, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Ing. Laurence np. In mercy.
- **329** INQ M PLG PROS [JOHN] FENT, [ADAM] WENT John Lokyngton, *sadeler*, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of John Barrette of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John Barrett on Wed after the feast of St Vincent 11 Henry VI [28 Jan 1433] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off 2 saplings (*sapplynges*) *de mer* worth 20d. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. John Barrett in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Ing. John Lokyngton np.

**330** M Thomas Beauchamp in his own person complains of John Balth[wayt] jnr licence>. Plea: debt. John for a licence in mercy.

**331** LEVY M John Bate servant of John Manchestre, by W[illiam] C[aunterbury his attorney], complains of Stephen Hawkeswell of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 2s. Stephen acknowledges. Damages: 1d. [Precept to] levy.

**332** [IN]Q ... Thomas Walker, *barbour*, in his own person complains of Ralph Burnett of Beeston <2+, caption>. Plea: debt of 5s. Ralph summoned. He has day at the first hour on Sun the feast of the conversion of St Paul [25 Jan 1433]. Ralph charged. Did not appear. Defaulted. Put by pledge (*pon' per vad'*) against the first hour on Mon following [26 Jan 1433]. Ralph charged. Did not appear. Defaulted. The bailiffs return that Ralph has nothing within their bailliwick by which he can be distrained. Caption according to law and custom.

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# Further forinsec pleas held on Thur the feast of St Vincent 11 Henry VI [22 Jan 1433].

**333** INQ M ... Robert Bower of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of John Lokyngton, *sadeler*, and Isabella his wife. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Isabella on Tues after the feast of St Vincent 11 Henry VI [27 Jan 1433] with force and arms (staff) took and carred off 2 saplings (*sapplynges*) *de mer* worth 12d. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. John and Isabella come say they are not guilty. Inq. Robert np.

**334** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN FENT, ADAM WENT John Lokyngton, *sadeler* <np>, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of John servant of William Bower. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John the servant on Wed after the feast of St Vincent 11 Henry VI [28 Jan 1433] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off 2 saplings *de mer* worth 20d. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. John the servant in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Ing. John Lokyngton np. In mercy.

**335** PD M Geoffrey Kneton, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Thomas Okeley of Basford < licence >. Plea: debt. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

**336** M Alice Bladesmyth complains of Thomas Code@er. Plea: debt. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

**337** LEVY M William Dernton and Margaret his wife, by William Midilton their attorney, complain of John Balth[wayt] jnr. Plea: debt of 3s.4d. John Balth[wayt] comes in his own person and acknowledges 3s.4d. Damages assessed at 1d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

#### 338 PD M

Alice Penreth of Cawood, widow and executor of Robert Penreth, attornied William Caunterbury of Nottingham v Thomas Fawell of Wilsthorpe. Plea: debt.

Alice Penreth of Cawood <np>, widow and executrix of the will of Robert Penreth, by the said William her attorney, complains of Thomas Fawell of Wilsthorpe. Plea: debt. She says that Thomas on Mon before the feast of St Barnabas 4 Henry VI [10 June 1426] borrowed 6s.8d. from Robert, to be paid on the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist following [24 June 1426]; he paid nothing during Robert's lifetime nor to Alice after his death but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes her nothing. Law. He has an hour with 8 hands. Alice charged. Did not appear. Np. In mercy. Thomas goes without day.

**339** LEVY M Thomas Stepeley of Nottingham in his own person complains of Roger Pare of East Leake <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 3s. for 6 pairs of shoes. Roger in his own person comes and acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**340** RESPITE Ralph Stoyle pl and Richard Symkyn def, come. They have day to the next [court] to hear their judgement.

Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of the purification of the BVM in the above year [4 Feb 1433].

### **341** ESSOINS

Richard Redes, *bochor*, pl v William Ruddynges def. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hamp[ton]. Inq.

John Wodehall, *barbour*, def v Henry Pierpount, kt, pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Adam Hunt. Inq.

William Wayvyn def v John Wyle pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Richard Roste. Inq.

Thomas Beauchamp def v John Both pl. Plea: detinue. Essonr: Robert Rest. Inq. Henry Tyler def v John Cockefeld and John Emotson pls. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hert. Inq.

**342** M William Betson for a licence to agree with William Webster of Ruddington in mercy. Plea: debt. Plg: John Neuton.

**343** LEVY M Found by inq that Richard Plomer of Nottingham owes William Tyler 3s.6d. Adjudged that William should recover v Richard 3s.6d. and 4d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**344** M Thomas Fyllyngham np v Thomas Wortley. Plea: debt. In mercy.

**345** M Edmund Brydde np v Richard Abell, monk. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. In mercy.

**346** M William Jouy of Nottingham np v John Esthwayt snr. Plea: debt. In mercy.

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of the purification of the BVM in the above year [5 Feb 1433].

**347** INQ Thomas Stokes of Nottingham complains of Roger Pare. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. Plg pros: John Fox, John Cost.

Thomas Stokes of Nottingham attornied William Caunterbury v Roger Pare of East Leake. Plea: trespass and contempt.

The same Thomas, by the said William, complains of the said Roger that Ralph Pare on the feast of the annunciation of the BVM 10 Henry VI [25 Mar 1432] was retained with Thomas to serve him from the said feast for a year as a merchandiser (*in arte mercandizorum*); on Sat before the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist following [20 June 1432] without reasonable cause and licence Roger retained and received Ralph for a long time. Damages: £20. He produces suit. Roger in his own person [comes and defends] the force and says he neither received nor retained Thomas' servant for a long time. Inq. Thomas np.

**348** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN FOX, ADAM COST William Brauncher of Lenton <np>, by John Ode his attorney <as in the paper>, complains of Henry servant

of John Manne. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Henry on Tues after the feast of the purification of the BVM 11 Henry VI [3 Feb 1433] with force and arms (staff) made an assault on William, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. Henry in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Ing. William Brauncher np.

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**349** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN FENT, ADAM WENT John Balthwayt jnr <np> in his own person complains of Laurence Bladesmyth of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Laurence on Sun before the feast of St Leonard 11 Henry [2 Nov 1432] with force and arms (staff) made an assault on John, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. Laurence in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. John np.

350 INQ PD M PLG PROS JOHN EST, ADAM REST Henry Smalley of Nottingham <np>, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of John Askham of Burton. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on Fri after the feast of St Peter [advincula] 10 Henry VI [8 Aug 1432] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off a pen-case (*peniar*) with an inkhorn (*incornio*) ... with a knife (*artafo*) of silver worth 8d., and a linen sheet worth 2s.9d. Damages: ... He produces suit. John in his own person comes and says [he is] not guilty. Inq. Plg: William Bradmere.

**351** INQ M ... Matilda (*Matild'*) Waferer of Nottingham <np>, by William C[aunterbury] her attorney, complains of Amicia (*Amic'*) Hampton of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's [peace]. She says that Amicia on Mon before the purification of the BVM 11 Henry VI [26 Jan 1433] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off a hen worth 4d. Damages: 2s. She produces suit. Amicia, who is ill, by William Midilton her attorney, comes and says she is not guilty. Inq. Plg: the said William.

**352** INQ M PLG PROS RICHARD WEST, ROBERT REST John Paver of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of John Whitelegh, *hosyer*, of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John Paver<sup>20</sup> on Fri before the feast of the purification of the BVM 11 Henry VI [30 Jan 1433] delivered in safe custody to John Whitelegh a dozy (*dosen*) horse worth 8s., to be restored on

Sat following [31 Jan 1433]. On the said Fri John Whitelegh *assumpsit* the horse and with force an arms (staff) saddled it with a saddle, rode (*equitavit*) it in the vill, and so imprudently beat the horse on the head with the staff that it was enormously wounded many times by which it was killed. Damages: 10s. He produces suit. John Whitelegh in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. As to beating the horse to death, he says he is not guilty. Inq. John Paver np.

**353** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX Reginald Cobham and John Manchestre, by William Midilton their attorney, complain of Richard Woldton of Nottingham, *fyssher*. Plea: that he return 27s.10d. which he owes and unjustly detains. Richard took the weir (*wayeram*) of Stoke for Reginald and John from Michaelmas 8 Henry VI [29 Sept 1429] for a year rendering for that time 5m, to be paid at Michaelmas 10 Henry VI [29 Sept 1431]. Richard satisfied Reginald and John at Michaelmas up to the sum of 27s.10d. now in demand; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6s.8d. They produce suit. Richard comes in his own person and acknowledges 19s.4d. In mercy. As to 8s.6d., he says he owes them nothing. Inq.

354 INQ PD M M PLG PROS ADAM WENT, JOHN FENT Thomas Stokes of Nottingham <np>, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of Roger Pare of East Leake. Plea: debt of 10s.4d. He says that Roger on Tues after the feast of St Chad 10 Henry VI [4 Mar 1432] bought half a barrel of white herring and half a mease (*meyse*) of red herring for 10s.4d. from Thomas, to be paid on the feast of the annunciation of the BVM following [25 Mar 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Roger in his own person comes and acknowledges 6s.8d. In mercy. As to 3s.8d., he says he owes him nothing licence>. Inq. He seeks execution of the body and committal to prison.

355 INQ M PLG PROS AS ABOVE Stephen Pycard *de Benylino*, by Nicholas Charnels his attorney, complains of William Peyntour, *taillour* licence>. Plea: debt of 11d. He says that William on Sat before the feast of St Martin 9 Henry VI [4 Nov 1430] borrowed 11d. from Stephen, to be paid at Christmas following [25 Dec 1430]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. [William] comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. William for a licence in mercy.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> MS Johannes Whitelegh.

**356** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE William Torlaton, by William C[aunterbury] his attorney, complains of Nicholas Brounde. Plea: debt of 18d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 18d. for dyeing 2 yards of cloth, which Nicholas should have paid on the feast of St Peter advincula 8 Henry VI [1 Aug 1430]; he paid nothing but refused to pay. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. Nicholas comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

357 INQ PLG PROS JOHN HERT, JOHN REST Thomas Sharp of Cropwell, by John Ode [his attorney], complains of Richard Whetecroft of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 8s. He says that Richard on Sat before the feast of St Peter advincula 10 Henry VI [26 July 1432] bought 4 quarters of peas from Thomas for 8s., to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Richard in his own person comes and defends the force and acknowledges 2s.8½d. In mercy. Precept to levy. As to 5s.3½d., he says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**358** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX John Bayn of Nottingham complains of John Rosell of Radcliffe <essoin>. Plea: debt of 2s.1½d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 2s.1½d. for his hire at Autumn, which he should have paid at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. John Rosell, by William Midilton his attorney, comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Ing.

**359** INQ PLG PROS JOHN ALEN, ADAM CULT John<sup>21</sup> Wheteley, parson of the church of Plumtree, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Edward Coteler of Nottingham <4+, essoin>. Plea: debt of 13s.4d. He says that Edward on Sat before the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist 10 Henry VI [21 June 1432] bought 4 lbs of white wool for 13s.4d. from John, to be paid on the feast of St Peter advincula following [1 Aug 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Edward in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**360** INQ PLG PROS ADAM REST, RICHARD BEST Nicholas Bryges of Nottingham complains of John Waltham of the same. Plea: debt of 14d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 14d. for the hire of a horse from Nottingham to Ashbourne 8d., and from Nottingham to Chesterfield 6d., which he should have paid at Michaelmas last [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still

refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**361** [IN]Q M PLG PROS [ADAM] FENT, [JOHN] WENT Alice Castelton in her own person complains of Robert Coteler of Nottingham licence>. Plea: detinue of a pair of knives. She says that Alice on Sat after the feast of the purification of the BVM 10 Henry VI [9 Feb 1432] delivered in safe custody to Robert the pair of knives for repairing, to be restored on the feast of St Peter advincula [1 Aug 1432]; he restored nothing but refused to restore and still refuses. Damages: 12d. She produces suit. Robert comes in his own person and defends the force and says he detains nothing. Ing. Robert for a licence in mercy.

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Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the purification of the BVM 11 Henry VI [5 Feb 1433].

**362** INQ PLG PROS RICHARD EST, JOHN REST John Thurmaston of Bridgford, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Frere of Hempshill. Plea: detinue of a *plaustrum* of sea coals (*plaustrat' carbon' marit'*). He says that John Thrumpton on Sat before Michaelmas 6 Henry VI [27 Sept 1427] bought the *plaustrum* of sea coals for 3s. from John Frere, which he should have delivered on the feast of St Denis following [9 Oct 1427]; he restored<sup>22</sup> nothing but refused to restore and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. John Frere in his own person comes and defends the force and says he detains no wagonload only in default of John Thrumpton. Inq.

**363** INQ PLG PROS JOHN REST, ROBERT EST William Sadeler of Newark, by William C[aunterbury] his attorney, complains of John Lokyngton, *sadeler* <+, essoin>. Plea: debt of 8s.6d. He says that John on Wed after the feast of St Leonard 6 Henry VI [12 Nov 1427] borrowed 8s.6d. from William, to be paid at Christmas following [25 Dec 1427]; he paid nothing. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. John Lokyngton in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

 $<sup>^{21}</sup>$  MS Willelmus dotted for deletion.

<sup>22</sup> MS sic.

**364** INQ PLG PROS JOHN FEST, ADAM BEST Alice Squier, by William Midilton her attorney, complains of Thomas Bayle, Magot his wife and Agnes their servant (*s*'). Plea: detinue. She says that Alice on Tues in Whitsun week 10 Henry VI [10 June 1432] delivered to Thomas, Magot and Agnes in safe custody for washing (*ad abluendum*) a pair of linen sheets worth 3s., a woman's chemise worth 10d. and 3 veils worth 11d., to be restored on Trinity Sun following [15 June 1432]; they restored nothing but refused to restore and still refuse. Damages: 3s.4d. <12d.>. She produces suit. Thomas in his own person, and Magot and Agnes by the said Thomas, come and defend the force and say they do not detain. Inq.

**365** INQ PLG PROS HENRY HUNT, WILLIAM PUNT Henry Bonyngton in his own person complains of John Balth[wayt] jnr of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 4s. He says that John on the feast of St Stephen 7 Henry VI [26 Dec 1428] borrowed 4s. from Henry, to be paid on the feast of St Thomas the martyr following [29 Dec 1428]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. he produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

366 INQ M PLG PROS JOHN FOX, ADAM HUNT The same Henry <+> in his own person <br/>by the mayor. He says that he is not able to mainpern this plea by law. Henry for his unjust suit in mercy. > complains of the same John. Plea: deceit. He says that John on the feast of St Stephen 7 Henry VI [26 Dec 1428] played at the gaming tables (ludebat ad tabell') with Henry made under this condition that if Henry should allow (permiteret) the same John Henry's silver by reason of winning, bringing the winnings of the others, the same John to Henry's arrears of his silver in this way to the same John together with a moiety of his winnings, in this way he [? Henry] should have won from the others on account of this agreement. The same John on the same day concerning divers men gambling and playing with him together with Henry's 20d. came to the sum of 9s. (Jucracionis afrent' aliorum ludent' lucrar' ... aretro suum proprium argent' sic eidem Johanni predict' una cum dimidietate lucri sui quod de aliis sic lucratus fuisset rac[ione] cujus convencionis idem Johannes predictis die anno et loco de diversis hominibus secum brauiant' et ludent' una cum xx den' ipsius Henricus contingent ad summam ix solid'); he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses in deceit. Damages: 7s.8d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**367** INQ M PLG PROS RICHARD REST, JOHN WEST John Yvenett, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Lokyngton, *sadeler* < licence>. Plea: debt of 5s.1d. He says that he owes 5s.1d.: 4s.6d. for ale and 7d. for a pair of shoes, which he should have paid on the feast of the invention of the HC 10 Henry VI [3 May 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. John Lokyngton comes in his own person and defends the force and says he owes him nothing and no day. Inq.

**368** INQ PLG PROS JOHN HERT, ADAM STERT Joan Wylmeslowe in her own person complains of Emot Sutton. Plea: debt of 3s.4d. She says that Emot owes and unjustly detains 3s.4d. for Emot's and Alice her daughter's board from the feast of St Matthew 11 Henry VI [21 Sept 1432] to the end of 2 weeks following [5 Oct 1432], which Emota should have paid on the feast of St Denis following [9 Oct 1432]; she paid nothing but refused to pay. Damages: 8d. She produces suit. Emot in her own person comes and defends the force and says she owes her nothing. Inq.

**369** INQ PD M PLG PROS AS ABOVE William Barton of Arnold, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Oliver Knolles of Linby. Plea: debt of 6d. [He says] that he owes and unjustly detains 6d. for the agistment of 6 oxen from the feast of the invention of the HC 9 Henry VI [3 May 1431] to Michaelmas [following] [29 Sept 1431]. He should have paid at Michaelmas; he paid nothing. Damages: 4d. Oliver comes, by William Midi[Iton his attorney, and] defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Oliver for a licence in mercy.

370 INQ PLG PROS JOHN BEST, RICHARD WEST Thomas Flechre in his own person complains of William Node <essoin>. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. He says that William on the feast of the annunciation of the BVM 10 Henry VI [25 Mar 1432] was retained with Thomas to serve him from the said feast to the feast of St Ambrose [4 Apr 1432] as a carter (*in offic' carrector'*) to carry Thomas' timber; on Thur after the said feast of the annunciation [of the BVM] [27 Mar 1432] without reasonable cause and licence William withdrew from Thomas' service. Damages: 10s. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he was not retained nor withdrew. Inq.

**371** INQ PD M PLG PROS RALPH STOYLE, JOHN HERT William Stathern of Clawson <np. Plg: Ralph Stoyle>, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John

Julyan of Colston Basset. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. He says that William Julyan on the feast of St Martin 9 Henry VI [11 Nov 1430] was retained in William Stathern's service in husbandry (husbandr') for a year; on Sat after the feast of St Denis in the said year [14 Oct 1430] John received and retained William Julyan, servant of William Stathern. Damages: 13s.4d. He produces suit. John comes, by William Midilton his attorney, and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq. William np.

**372** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE Geoffrey Kneton, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of William Benett <essoin>. Plea: debt of 18d. for a frith leased to him at the feast of the invention of the HC [3 May 1432], which he should have paid at Michaelmas last [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing. Damages: 6d. [William] in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**373** M John Balth[wayt] jnr <np> complains of Laurence Bladesmyth. Plea: false imprisonment. John np. In mercy.

**374** M John Irenhard <np> and Joan his wife complain of William Tailliour, *cook*, and Joan his wife. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. John np.

**375** M John Fossebrook, *per wayd*, complains of John Dalderby <+, licence> and Richard Neuton. Plea: debt. John Dalderby and Richard for a licence in mercy.

**376** M Ralph Prestman complains of Laurence Bladesmyth < licence >. Plea: debt. Laurence for a licence in mercy.

**377** [M] Robert Bynnyngton of Nottingham complains of Thomas Hawkeburn <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 20d. Thomas in his own person comes and acknowledges. Damages assessed at ...

**378** [M] Thomas Coryour <np> complains of Henry Clerk of Radcliffe. Plea: debt. Thomas np. In mercy.

**379** [M] John Paver complains of Robert Archer < licence >. Plea: debt. Robert for a licence in mercy.

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# Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of St Valentine [in the above] year [18 Feb 1433].

#### **380 ESSOINS**

John Rosell of Radcliffe def v John Bayn pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Roger Hemp. Inq. Edward Coteler def <not paid> v William Wheteley, parson (p'son), def. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hunt. Inq.

John Lokyngton, *sadeler*, def v William Sadeler pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Alan Hert. Inq.

William Node of Colwick def v Thomas Flechre of Nottingham pl. Plea: trespass and contempt. Essonr: William Wynges. Inq.

William Benett, *wever*, def <not paid> v Geoffrey Kneton pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Robert Hert. Inq.

**381** M Richard Redys of Nottingham <np> np v William Ruddynges. Plea: debt. In mercy.

**382** LEVY M Found by inq that John Wodehall, *barbour*, owes Henry Pierpount, kt, 20s. Adjudged that Henry should recover v John 20s. and 4d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**383** LEVY M William Wayvyn acknowledges 4s. v John Wyld. Plea: debt. In mercy. Damages assessed at 2d. [Precept to] levy.

**384** LEVY M Found by inq that Reginald Cobham and John Manchestre should recover v Richard Wolaton 8s.6d. In mercy together with 19s.4d. *per prius* by Richard's acknowledgment. Damages assessed at 6d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

## **385** LEVY M M

Found by inq that William Torlaton should recover v Nicholas Broude 18d. and 2d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

That Thomas Sharpp of Cropwell should recover nothing v Richard Whetecroft of Nottingham concerning 5s.3½d. [but] for his unjust suit in mercy. Richard acknowledges 2s.8½d. v the same Thomas. [In] mercy. Damages assessed at 2d. Precept to levy.

**386** LEVY M Found by inq that Nicholas Bryges should recover 12d. and 1d. damages v John Waltham. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**387** M Alice Squier should recover nothing v Thomas Bayle, Magot his wife and Agnes their servant but for her unjust suit in mercy.

**388** LEVY M Found by inq that John Balth[wayt] jnr owes Henry Bonyngton 4s. Adjudged that Henry should recover v John 4s. and 2s. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**390** M Found by inq that Joan Wylmeslowe should recover nothing v Emot Sutton but for her unjust suit in mercy.

**391** M William Pate of Sneinton by William Cauterbury his attorney, complains of Thomas Beauchamp of Nottingham <11+, licence> and Margery (*Marger*') his wife. Plea: debt of 100s. Summoned. 11 defaults. Afterwards, against the next court. <sup>23</sup>

**392** M Nicholas Charnels of Nottingham in his own person complains of William Peyntour of the same < licence >. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. William for a licence in mercy.

**393** M William Peyntour of Nottingham <np> complains of Nicholas Charnels of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. William np. In mercy.

**394** M The same William <np> complains of the same Nicholas. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. William np. In mercy.

**395** M John Wylbram, by William C[aunterbury] his attorney, complains of William Hopewell <+, licence>. Plea: debt. William Hopewell for a licence in mercy.

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Valentine in the above year [19 Feb 1433].

**396** INQ PLG PROS ROBERT COWDALE, JOHN FOX Nicholas Parker of *Shayll*, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of Thomas Beauchamp of Nottingham <2+>. Plea: deceit. He says that Thomas on Tues before Epiphany 11 Henry VI [30 Dec 1432] should have made suitable (*aptassetur*) Nicholas' doublet *defens*, which doublet Thomas promised and agreed to have to Nicholas

suitably fitted in his craft and without poor workmanship (promisit et concessit eidem Nicholao habere eundem duplum defens' in arte sua bene aptat' et sine defectu operat') on Sat following [3 Jan 1433] for 4 hours before the ninth hour of the same day without delay or beyond (sine mora sive ulteriori), at which hour, in expectation, Nicholas in his own person came to collect the said doublet as was promised and agreed, the doublet was not ready at the said hour to be delivered to Nicholas (in exspectacione ad quam horam idem Nicholaus in propria persona sua venit pro predicto duplo habend' prout ei promissum ac concessum fuit, et idem duplum ad predictam horam non fuit parat' eidem Nicholao deliberand' prout, etc.). Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and defends the force and says the doublet was ready on the day and at the hour, and so Nicholas was not kept waiting nor had damages in Thomas' default (sic in defectu ipsius Thome predict' Nich' non traxit moram nec damp' habuit). Inq.

**397** M Hugh Bladesmyth, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Fawkener <6+, licence>. Plea: debt. Many defaults. William for a licence to agree in mercy.

**398** LEVY M William Neuton complains of John Dalahyde <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 5d. for 2 loads of sea coals (*ij lod' carbon' marit'*). John comes in his own person and acknowledges. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**399** M William Martell of Brampton <np> complains of John Chapeleyn of the same. Plea: debt. William np. In mercy. By John Ode.

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Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Valentine 11 Henry VI [19 Feb 1433].

**400** INQ [PLG] PROS ADAM FOX, [JOH]N JOLYVETT < rests, default of jurors > William Mascury of Burton, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Dawbes and John Botre of Lenton. Plea: debt of 4s.6d. He says that William Dawbes and John Botre agreed their pourparty of poundage (*de pondagio*) of the king's meadow to William Mascury at the time they were farmers. William Dawbes and John Botre on Sat after Michaelmas 5 Henry VI [5 Oct 1426] received 4s.6d.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> MS unclear.

from Richard Esthwayt for the poundage as a part of William Mascury's poundage, which they should have paid to William Mascury on the feast of the purification of the BVM following [2 Feb 1427]; they paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuse. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. William Dawbes and John Botre in their own persons come and defend the force and say they owe him nothing. Inq.

**401** INQ PLG PROS JOHN JOLYVETT, ADAM COST < rests, default of jurors > William Mascury of Burton, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Botre of Lenton. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on Mon after the feast of St Martin 10 Henry VI [12 Nov 1431] with force and arms (staff) made an assault on William, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**402** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE <rests, default of jurors> The same William Mascury, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Dawbes of Lenton. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that William Dawbes on Mon after the feast of St Martin 10 Henry VI [12 Nov 1431] with force and arms (staff) made an assault on William Mascury, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. William Dawbes in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**403** INQ PLG PROS ADAM SMYTH, JOHN WIGHT William Baceford, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of William Lenton of Strelley <essoin>. Plea: debt. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 6d. for 3 stockfish (*fing'*) bought from him, which William Lenton should have paid at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. William Lenton, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, comes and defends the force and acknowledges 5d. In mercy. As to 1d., he says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**404** RESPITE Ralph Stoyle and Richard Symkyn come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised.

**405** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE John Lokyngton, *sadeler*, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Robert Bower of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 8d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 8d. for a *carth'* and a manger (*maunger*) bought from him, which he should have paid at [the feast] of the purification [of

the BVM] following; he paid nothing. Damages: 4d. Robert in his own person comes and defends [the force] and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**406** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, JOHN FOX Matilda (*Matild*) Dyvett of Nottingham, executrix of the will of John Dyvett <essoin>, by John Ode her attorney, complains of John Melton of Normanton. Plea: debt of 17s. She says that he owes and unjustly detains 17s.: for 2 lbs of pepper 2s., for a quarteron of saffron (*croci*) 3s., for 1 lb of ginger 2s., for a ½ lb of cloves (*clawes*) 18d., for a quarteron of mace (*mass*') 12d., for a ½ lb of *saunderesse* 6d., for a quarteron of cinnamon 9d., for 12 lbs of wax 5s.6d., for 3 lbs of soap *blank*' 9d., bought from John and Matilda, which John should have paid Matilda at the feast of St Martin 10 Henry VI [11 Nov 1431]; he paid nothing to John during his lifetime, nor to Matilda after John's death, but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. She produces suit. John Melton comes, by Thomas Jamesson his attorney, by the recorder's bailiff, and defends the force and says he owes her nothing. Inq. Plg: John Serjaunt for John Melton.

Forinsec pleas held on Wed before the feast of St Perpetua and St Felicity in the above year [4 Mar 1433].

### **407** ESSOINS

Matilda (*Matild'*) Dyvett, executrix of the will of John Dyvett, pl v John Melton of Normanton. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hert. Inq.

William Lenton of Strelley def v William Baceford. Plea: debt. Essonr: Robert Baxster. Inq.

**408** M John Rosell of Radcliffe for a licence to agree with John Bayn in mercy. Plea: debt. Plg: John Esth[wayt] snr.

**409** M William Node of Colwick for a licence to agree with Thomas Flechre of Nottingham in mercy. Plea: debt.

**410** M William Benett of Nottingham for a licence with Geoffrey Kneton in mercy. Plea: debt.

**411** LEVY M Found by inq that Nicholas Parker should recover v Thomas Beauchamp 4d. Plea: deceit. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

- **412** M Found by inq that John Lokyngton, *sadeler*, should recover nothing v Robert Bower but for his unjust suit in mercy.
- **413** M Thomas Rempston, kt, by Robert Blakeburn his attorney, complains of Thomas Edward. Plea: debt. Thomas has day to the first hour on Mon the feast of the purification [of the BVM]. They have day to the first hour on Wed following. Plg: Thomas Roley. Thomas Rempston charged. Did not appear. In mercy. Plg: the said Robert Blakeburn.
- **414** CAPTION [PLG] PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX Robert Valey of Nottingham <day> in his own person complains of William Tyler of Papplewick <2+, caption>. Plea: debt of 6s.8d. Has day at the first hour on Mon following. William charged. Defaulted. Put on a safe pledge (*pon vad'*). Precept to the bailiffs to distrain William against the first hour on Tues following. William charged. Did not appear. Defaulted. The [bailiffs] return that William has nothing within their bailliwick by which he can be distrained. Caption.
- **415** M DIS The jurors between John Whetley, parson (*p'son*), pl and Edward Coteler def did not come: ... John Paver, Robert Castell, Richard Innocent, Roger Daft, John Godart snr, Henry Corbe. ...
- **416** M DIS 16d. The jurors between William Sadeler of Newark pl and John Lokyngton, *sadeler*, def did not come: John Marsshall, ..., William Tailliour, *cook*, Thomas Tailliour, John Dalahyde, John Brockestowe, Thomas Jonson, Robert Cart...
- **417** DIS 18d. The jurors between William Mascury pl and John Botre and William Dawbes defs did not come: Thomas Walker, *barbour*, John Pykhill, ... Pynnyngton, John Manne, Thomas Lynges, John Radford, Thomas Coryour. In mercy. Dis.

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Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St Perpetua and St Felicity in the above year [5 Mar 1433].

**418** INQ John Whatton complains of William Stapulford of *Catton* <essoin>. Plea: debt. Plg pros: Adam Couper ... John, [comes] by William Midilton his attorney,

[and] says that John Whatton leased to [William] the site of his manor of Stoke Bardolph called *Whatton Maner* and all demesne lands of the same manor on the feast ... 5 Henry VI [1426 x 1427], to hold from the feast of St Martin following [11 Nov] for 6 years following for a rent of 5m at the feasts of Whitsun and St Martin by equal portions, whereof 13s.4d. ... for the last term by which the action accrued to the pl [to seek 13s.4d. from [William Stapulford; he paid nothing but] refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. [William] in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

419 INQ PLG PROS JOHN FOX, ADAM FOX William Jonson of Burton Joyce, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Robert Coteler of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 11s.1d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 11s.1d. for the pledge of Edward Coteler of Nottingham and agreed to pay 11s.1d. for William at the feast of St Martin 11 Henry VI [11 Nov 1432] if Edward should not satisfy William; he paid nothing by which the action accrued to William to seek 11s.1d. from Robert; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. Robert in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**420** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE John Pole, *corviser*, complains of Edward Coteler of Nottingham. Plea: detinue of a sword worth 2s.4d. He says that John at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432] delivered the sword in safe custody to Edward, to be restored on the feast of St Denis following [9 Oct 1432]; he restored nothing but refused to restore and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Edward in his own person comes and defends the force and says he detains no such sword. Inq.

**421** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE William Brystall of Bilborough complains of Thomas Repyndon of Trowell <essoin>. Plea: debt of 4s.8d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 4s.8d. for 2 quarters of barley bought from him, which he should have paid on the feast of St Martin 11 Henry VI [11 Nov 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and defends the force and says [he owes] him nothing. Inq.

**422** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE William Benett in his own person complains of John Tapeter of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 4s. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 4s. for when William became the pledger and fidejussor of

the same John to John Martyn of Newark he agreed to pay 4s. to John Martyn if John Tapeter should not pay, which John should have paid on the feast of the purification of the BVM [2 Feb 1433]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends [the force] and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

423 INQ M PLG PROS ADAM WENT, JOHN FENT John Plomer of Nottingham and Elizabeth his wife, widow and executrix of the will of John Eston, lately of Nottingham, complain of John Balth[wayt] jnr of the same licence>. Plea: debt of 6s. They say that he owes and unjustly detains 6s. concerning that when Robert Clerk of Wingerworth put himself at the board of John Eston from the feast of the invention of the HC [3 May] ... <sup>24</sup> to the feast of St Peter advincula following [1 Aug] as for a whole quarter, agreed to pay 6s. to John Eston on the feast of St Laurence following [10 Aug]. For greater security John Balthwayt became the pledger and fidejussor of Robert on the said feast to pay John Eston if Robert did not pay; he paid nothing to John Eston in his lifetime by which the action accrued to John Plomer and Elizabeth his wife to seek 6s. from John Balth[wayt]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. They produce suit. John Balth[wayt] in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq.

**424** INQ PLG PROS JOHN WENT, ADAM FENT Henry Weloby of Nottingham in his own person complains of Robert Valey. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Henry leased to Robert his barn (*grang'*) called *Mapurleybarnes* with all land appurtaining on Sun before the feast of St Chad 11 Henry VI [1 Mar 1433]. Henry took 8 quarters of barley worth 40s., 2 *hore* worth 20d. <sup>25</sup> found in the barn for 4m rent in arrears for a year as a distraint. Robert on Wed following [4 Mar 1433] with force and arms (staff) entered the barn and took, carried off and led away the distrained goods. Damages: 100s. He produces suit. Robert in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**425** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE Joan Wylmeslowe of Nottingham in her own person complains of John Lokyngton, *sadeler* <+>. Plea: debt of 16d. She says that John on the feast of the purification [of the BVM] 11 Henry VI [2 Feb 1433] bought a doublet from Joan for 20d., to be paid on the feast of St Valentine following [14 Feb 1433]. On the said feast John satisfied her of 4d.; he paid

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nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. She produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes her nothing. Inq.

**426** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE Hugh Ingland of Newthorpe, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Roos, *sadeler*, of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 4d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 4d. for a load of sea coals (*lode carbon' marit'*) bought from him, which William should have paid on the feast of St Matthew 11 Henry VI [21 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. William comes and defends [the force] and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**427** M William Burton, *irenmonger*, complains of Hugh Norman < licence >. Plea: debt. Hugh for a licence to agree in mercy. Plg: John Ode.

**428** PD M Alice Tannesley complains of Margaret Swetnam. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Margaret for a licence [in mercy].

**429** PD M Alice Tannesley complains of Agnes Swetnam. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Agnes for a licence [in mercy].

**430** LEVY M Hugh Ingland of Newthorpe, by John Ode [his attorney], complains of Nicholas Fawmer of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 6d. Nicholas comes, by William Caunterbury [his attorney], and acknowledges. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**431** M John Balth[wayt] jnr <np> complains of Robert Kegworth. Plea: debt. John np. In mercy.

**432** PD M Thomas Mountgomery complains of Robert Dyke of Stapleford. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Robert for a licence [in mercy].

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Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St Perpetua and St Felicity 11 Henry VI [5 Mar 1433].

**433** PD M John Etwell of Nottingham complains of Robert Dyke of Stapleford. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Robert for a licence to agree in mercy.

**434** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX Thomas Flechre in his own person complains of William Benett <2+, essoin>. Plea: debt. of 15d. He says that William owes and unjustly detains 15d. for bread bought from him, which William should have paid at Christmas 11 Henry VI [25 Dec 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**435** RESPITE Ralph Stoyle pl and Richard Symkyn come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised.

Forinsec pleas held on Wed before the feast of St Cuthbert in the above year [18 Mar 1433].

## **436** ESSOINS

William Stapleford def v John Whatton pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hert. Inq. Robert Coteler def v William Johnson pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Adam Hunt. Inq. Thomas Repyngdon def v William Brystall pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Cut. Inq. John Tapeter of Nottingham def v William Benett pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hert. Inq.

William Benett def v Thomas Flechre pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Alan Pert. Inq. William Roos, *sadeler*, def v Hugh Ingland pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Richard Rest. Inq.

- **437** LEVY M Found by inq that Edward Coteler owes John Wheteley, parson of the church of Plumtree, 13s.4d. Adjudged that John should recover v Edward 13s.4d. and 2d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.
- **438** M Found by inq that John Lokyngton, *sadeler* <+>, does not owe William Sadeler of Newark 8s.6d. to the feast of the annunciation of the BVM and invention of the HC. Let him recover the debt. William for his unjust suit in mercy.
- **439** M William Mascury np v William Dawbes and John Botre. Plea: debt. In mercy.
- **440** M The same William np v John Botre. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. In mercy.

- **441** M The same William np v William Dawbes. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. In mercy.
- **442** LEVY M Found by inq that John Melton of Normanton owes Matilda (*Matild'*) Dyvett 17s. Adjudged that Matilda should recover 17s. and 12d. damages. In mercy. Plg: John Serjaunt. [Precept to] levy.
- **443** M M Found by inq that William Baceford should recover v William Lenton 1d. with 5d. which William Lenton acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.
- **444** LEVY M Found by inq that John Pole should recover v Edward Coteler a sword worth 2s.4d. and 2d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.
- **445** M Found by inq that Joan Wylmeslowe should recover nothing v John Lokyngton, *sadeler* <+>, but for her unjust suit in mercy.
- **446** M Robert Valey < licence > for a licence to agree with Henry Weloby in mercy. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace.
- **447** M Robert Buxsum of Colston Basset, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Margery (*Marg'ia*) Sqyueuer. Plea: debt. Margery (*Marg'ia*) for a licence in mercy. Plg: Richard Selby.
- **448** M John Lokyngton, *corviser*, by William Caunterbury [his attorney], complains of William Couper < licence >. Plea: trespass. William for a licence in mercy.

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St Cuthbert in the above year [19 Mar 1433].

**449** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN FOX, ADAM BOX William Roos of Nottingham, *sadeler* <np>, in his own person complains of Hugh Ingland of Newthorpe. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Hugh on Sat before the feast of St Edward 11 Henry VI [14 Mar 1433] with force and arms (staff) made an assault on William and Margaret his [wife], affrayed and maltreated [them]. Damages:

3s.4d. He produces suit. Hugh in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Ing. William np. In mercy.

**450** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, JOHN BOX Richard Benette of Wymeswold, by Nicholas Broude of Nottingham his attorney, complains of Walter Power of Nottingham <2+, essoin>. Plea: debt 17d. He says that Walter at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432] borrowed 17d. fom Richard, to be paid at the feast of St Martin following [11 Nov 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. Walter comes, by Richard Power his attorney, and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**451** [INQ] PLG PROS ... WENT, ... John Maunsfeld of Nottingham in his own person complains of Robert Cook of Lenton licence>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Robert on Wed after the feast of St Laurence 10 Henry VI [13 Aug 1432] with force and arms (poleaxe, *bipenne*) made an assault on John, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Robert in his own person comes and says he is [not guilty]. Inq. Robert for a licence in mercy.

**452** [INQ] ... in his own person and John Smyth of Hucknall complain of the same Robert. Plea: debt of 4s.4d. They say that Robert on Wed ... 11 Henry VI [1 Sept 1432 x 19 Mar 1433] so many tanned cow hides (*tanta corea tannat' vaccum'*) worth 4s.4d. ... bought from John and John, to be paid at [the feast] of the nativity of the BVM following [8 Sept]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: ... They produce suit. Robert in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq. [Plgs]: ... Walker, barber, John Lokyngton.

**453** INQ PLG PROS [JOHN] WENT, ADAM FENT Nicholas Maple, by William C[aunterbury] his attorney, complains of William Ellesworth jnr <essoin>. Plea: debt of 8s. He says that [William] on the feast of St Martin 11 Henry VI [11 Nov 1432] bought a cow for 8s. from Nicholas, to be paid at Christmas following [25 Dec 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Ing.

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454 M Edward Coteler, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of Laurence Bladesmyth < licence > . Plea: debt. ... 26

455 [LEVY M] Robert Dawe, parson of St Peter's, Nottingham, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of John [Fossebrook, corviser. Plea: debt of] 3s.7d. borrowed. John Fossebrook, bochor, comes to the bailiffs and mainperns ... John Fossebrook, corviser, in mercy. Precept to levy. By Nicholas ...

456 [M] ...hall complains of Laurence Bladesmyth < licence>. Plea: debt. Laurence [for a licence] in mercy.

457 [M]..., hosier, complains of William Wright servant of William Lemeryng licence>. Plea: debt. William for a licence [in mercy].

458 [M] Matilda (Matild') Dyvette complains of Roger Grene of Sneinton <2+, licence>. Plea: debt. Roger for a licence in mercy.

**459** [M] John Orgrave <np> compains of Cawdell<sup>27</sup> of Arnold. Plea: debt. John np. In mercy.

460 LEVY M Amya Chetwyn, by William C[aunterbury] her attorney, complains of Richard Beskewode of Nottingham <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 3s.7d. William comes and acknowledges. Plg: Geoffrey Cocker. Damages discharged. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

461 INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE William Stapulford, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of William Node of Colwick <essoin>. Plea: debt of 2s.4d. He says that William Node on the feast of the invention of the HC 10 Henry VI [3 May 1432] bought firewod valued at 2s.4d. from William Stapulford, to be paid on the feast of St ... <sup>28</sup> following; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. William Node in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>26</sup> MS preceded by two illegible INQ.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup> MS sic.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>28</sup> MS saint's day omitted.

**462** M Richard Flechre [of] Lambley <np> complains Thomas Turnour of Linby. Plea: debt. Richard np. In mercy.

**463** LEVY M John Smyth, *bochor*, complains of John Lokyngton, *sadeler* <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 2s.4d. John in his own person comes and acknowledges. Damages assessed at 2d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**464** RESPITE Ralph Stoyle pl and Richard Symkyn def, by John Bate [his attorney], come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised.

Forinsec pleas held on Wed before the feast of St Ambrose in the above year [1 Apr 1433].

## 465 ESSOINS

William Ellesworth def v Nicholas Maple pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Adam Porter. Inq. William Node def v William Stapulford. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Cut. Inq. William Power def v Richard Benett pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Richard Rest. Inq. John Norton, *tailliour*, of Nottingham def v John Parker of Ilkeston. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hut. Inq.

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Found by inq that William Stapulford owes nothing to John Whatton. Adjudged that John should recover nothing v William but for his unjust suit in mercy. That Robert Coteler owes nothing to William Jonson. Adjudged that William should recover nothing v Robert but for his unjust suit in mercy.

**467** M William Brystall of Bilborough np v Thomas Repyngdon. Plea: debt. In mercy, Plg: Richard Dalbury.

**468** M William Benett of Nottingham np v John Tapeter. Plea: debt. In mercy.

**469** LEVY M the same William acknowledges 15d. v Thomas Flechre. Plea: debt. Damages assessed at 1d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**470** M The jurors between Hugh Ingland pl and William Roos def did not come: John Hampton, John Pynnyngton, Thomas Walker, *barbour*, John Coteler, Edward Coteler, John Bate, *couper*, Adam Hayton, William Ellesworth jnr. In mercy.

**471** M William Brystall of Bilborough complains of John Repyngdon. Plea: debt. William np. In mercy. Plg: John Ode.

**472** M John Repyngdon complains of William Brystall of Bilborough. Plea: breach of covenant. John np. [In mercy.] Plg: Henry Hugyn.

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St Ambrose in the above year [2 Apr 1433].

**473** [I]NQ [PLG] PROS [JOHN] FENT, [ADAM] WENT William Node, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of Richard Redeswell of Nottingham <4+, essoin>. Plea: debt of 5s.4d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 5s.4d.: 4s. for carrying faggots (*fagat'*), 12d. for corn and 4d. for 2 geese bought from him, which Richard should have paid at Michaelmas 7 Henry VI [29 Sept 1428]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. Richard in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**474** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX Robert Baceford of Nottingham in his own person complains of Richard Wolaton of Nottingham. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. He says that William son of Richard Wolaton of Nottingham on the feast of St Martin 4 Henry VI [11 Nov 1425] was retained with Robert to serve him from the said feast for a term of 9 years following as a tanner; Richard on Wed after the feast of St Denis 11 Henry VI [15 Oct 1432] received William so that his service was lost to Robert for a long time. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. Richard in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plg: Geoffrey Kneton.

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Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Tiburtius and St Valerian 11 Henry VI [16 Apr 1433].

**475** M Richard Wolaton of Nottingham <np> complains of William Grene. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Richard np. In mercy.

- M Robert Wakefeld, *wright* <np>, complains of John Wright, *chapman*. Plea: debt. Robert np.
- M William Burnett of Chilwell complains of William Hopwell of Nottingham licence>. Plea: debt. William Hopwell for a licence in mercy.
- M William Barre complains of John Spynk licence>. Plea: debt. John for a licence [in mercy]. Plg: William Caunterbury.
- M Robert Ewer complains of Richard Wheteley of Carlton < licence > . Plea: debt. Richard for a licence in mercy. Plg: John Ode.
- M William Wade complains of Richard Wheteley < licence>. Plea: debt. Richard for a licence in mercy. Plg: Thomas Annesson.
- M George Mortymer, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Emot (*Em*') Tyler clicence. 2d. *per macorem*>. Plea: debt of 8d. Emota (*Em*') for a licence in mercy.
- [INQ] ... William Babyngton, kt, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Richard Coo of Nottingham, *hosyer*. Plea: debt of 15s.8d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 15s.8d. for the rent of a house leased to him and 6s. for charcoal (*carbon*') and hay, which coal and hay were of Thomas Panngton, *barbour*, lately of Nottingham, which Richard should have paid at Christmas 11 Henry VI [25 Dec 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Richard in his own person comes and defends the force and acknowledges 15s.4d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. As to 4d., he says he owes him nothing. Inq.
- **483** [INQ] ... The same William Babyngton, by the same attorney, complains of William Hill, *tailliour* <essoin>. Plea: debt of 2s.8d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 2s.8d. for the rent of a garden leased to him, which William Hill should have paid at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. William Hill in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

- **484** [LEVY M] The same William Babyngton, by the same attorney, complains of John Brookestowe, *glover* <+, acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 18s. for a parcel of sheep bought from him. John in his own person comes and acknowledges 18s. Adjudged that William should recover v John 18s. and 12d. damages assessed by the court. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. Commital to prison.
- **485** [M] Robert West of Plumtree, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of William Bevell <5+, licence> and John Grene, collector of the corn toll (*collector' fr' toln'*). Plea: trespass. Attached. Many defaults. William Bevell and John for a licence in mercy. By John Ode.
- **486** [M John] Ewer, by the same attorney, complains of the same William Bevell of Plumtree. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy. By J[ohn] Ode.
- **487** [M] ... of Derby <... for his unjust suit> complains of Robert Lokyngton of Nottingham. Plea: trespass and contempt. Richard counted for 4 years against the statute when ... he ought to have counted unless for 1 year unless specially *habeatur*. In mercy.
- **488** [LEVY M] John Hampton of Nottingham complains of John Lokyngton, sadeler <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 4s.10d. John Lokyngton comes [in] his own person and acknowledges the debt. Damages discharged. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.
- **489** [LEVY M Thomas] Beauchamp in his own person complains of Thomas Tyler of Nottingham <2+, acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 2s.2d. Thomas comes, by John Ode [his] attorney, [and acknowledges]. Damages discharged. Plg: John Ireland for John Thrumpton. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.
- **490** [M] William Warde of Ibstock, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Ellesworth snr < licence > , Richard Redes and John Wylcharr. Plea: debt of 25s. William Ellesworth, Richard and John Wylcharr for a licence in mercy. Plg: William Ell[esworth] snr.
- **491** [M] John Balthwayt jnr <np> complains of Richard Wheteley of Carlton. Plea: debt. John np. In mercy.

**492** [RESPITE] Ralph Stoyle and Richard Symkyn come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised.

[Forinsec pleas] held on Wed before the feast of St Philip and St James<sup>29</sup> in the above year [29 Apr 1433].

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- ... def v John Bayle of Oxton pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Robert Hert. Inq. [Thomas Beau]champ def v Gervase Clyfton, kt, pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Cut. Inq.
- $\dots$  [? Francis Jonson] of Radcliffe def v Simon Duchesman pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Edmund Hare. Inq.
- ... [? William Hill, *tai*] *lliour*, def v William Babyngton pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: William Wrong. Inq.
- **494** [LEVY M Found by inq] that John Wolaton should recover v William Torlaton of Nottingham, *dyster*, 15s. and 4d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. <Plg: John Torlaton.>
- **495** [M] ... Barker for a licence to agree with John Dorham in mercy. Plea: debt. Plg: Richard Wodehall.
- **496** [LEVY M Found by] inq that John Fegg' should recover v Robert Wakefeld, wright, 13d. and 2d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.
- **497** [LEVY M Found by] inq that John Lokyngton, *sadeler*, should recover nothing v William Roos. Plea: trespass against [the king's peace]. For his unjust suit in mercy.
- **498** [LEVY M Found by] inq that Richard Coo owes nothing to William Babyngton as to 4d. Adjudged that [William] should recover nothing but for his unjust suit in mercy. As to 15s.4d., Richard acknowledges ... Damages assessed at 4d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

 $<sup>^{29}\ \</sup>mathrm{MS}\ \dots$  festum sanctorum Petri et Pauli but see date of following court session.

**499** [M The jurors between] William Node pl and Richard Redeswell def did not come: Richard Kyrkby, Thomas Thorpp, Robert Bayle, ... Robert Holand, Thomas Jonson, Thomas Caye, Robert Lawson, Thomas Lynges, John Epurston.

**500** [LEVY M] ... acknowledges 6s. v John Wolaton. Plea: debt. In mercy. Damages assessed at 3d. [Precept to] levy. Plg: John ...

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[Forinsec pleas] held on Thur before the feast of St Philip and St James in the above year [30 Apr 1433].

**501** ... his own person complains of William Benett, wever. Plea: ...

**502** ... ...wiles in his own person comes and acknowledges. Damages discharged. In [mercy]. ...

**503** [INQ] ... [Thomas S]wynderby of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 23d. He says he owes and unjustly [detains] ..., which Thomas [should have paid] at Michaelmas ...; [he paid nothing] but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: ... Thomas in his own p[erson comes] and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. [Inq.] ... Gedney np. In mercy.

**504** [INQ]... [John Edenham of Oa]kham, by John ...<sup>30</sup> his attorney, complains of John Wodehall, *barbour* <essoin>. Plea: debt of 18s. He says that [he owes and unjustly detains 18s.] ... for a certain parcel of wax bought from him wholesale (*ex grosso*), which John Wodehall [should have paid] ... to John Edenham 11 Henry VI [1 Sept 1432 x 30 Apr 1433]; <sup>31</sup> he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. John Wodehall in his own person comes and defends the force [and says] he owes him nothing. Inq.

**505** [INQ] ... sadeler, of Nottingham, complains of John Lokyngton, sadeler, and Isabella his wife. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. [He says that] John and

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>30</sup> MS no surname provided.

<sup>31</sup> MS day omitted.

Isabella on Mon after the feast of St Cuthbert 11 Henry VI [23 Mar 1433] with force and arms (staff) [took and] carried off ... to the same work worth 3s.4d., and an iron gimlet (*perforem*) worth 1d. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. John and Isabella in their own persons come and say they are not guilty. Inq. William np.

**506** [INQ] ... [John Lokyngton], *corviser*, in his own person complains of William Couper of Nottingham and Agnes his wife. Plea: trespass. He says that Agnes, whilst she was alone, on ... 9 Henry VI [1 Sept 1430 x 31 Aug 1431] drove a wandering cow (*fugavit unam vaccam errantem*) into John's house, which cow ... crushed a dish ... Afterwards Agnes married William; she paid nothing. Damages: 6s.8d. [He produces suit.] William in his own person, and Agnes by William her husband, come and defend the force and say [she is not guilty]. Ing. John np.

**507** [INQ] ... sadeler, complains of William Roos, sadeler. Plea: debt of 4s. He says that William owes and unjustly [detains 4s.] for arrears of a covenant made between them as for mensis bordur' cellarum [? board for bordering saddles] and other crafts ..., [which] William should have paid on the feast of the invention of the HC 11 Henry VI [3 May 1433]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes [him nothing]. Inq. John np.

**508** ... John Dey lately of Nottingham, *couper*, complains of John Wright of Nottingham, *chapman*. Plea: debt on demand of £13. Plg pros: John Rest, Adam West.

John Dey lately of Nottingham, *couper*, attornied John Ode of Nottingham v John Wright of Nottingham, *chapman*. Plea: debt.

John Wright of Nottingham, *chapman*, summoned to reply to John Dey lately of Nottingham, *couper* <+, essoin>. Plea: that he should render [£]13 which he owes and unjustly detains. John Dey, by John Ode his attorney, says that John Wright [on] 25 July 9 Henry VI [1431] by a bond, which John Dey [showed in court], firmly bound himself to John Dey in £13, to be paid at Michaelmas following the date of the bond [29 Sept 1431]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. He says that the bond was made at Nottingham within the jurisdiction of this court. John Wright of Nottingham, *chapman*, attornied Nicholas Barbour of Nottingham and William Caunterbury, conjointly and severally, v John [Dey]. John Wright, by Nicholas

[Barbour] his attorney, comes and defends the force and says the bond was not made by him. [Inq.]

**509** [INQ] ... William Babyngton, kt, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Robert Wakelyn of Nottingham, *mercer'* <5+, paid essoin>. Defaulted. Plea: debt of 18s. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 18s. for the pledge of John Trevor for the rent of a tenement leased to John Trevor, which Robert should have paid at Michaelmas [29 Sept] and Whitsun in equal portions; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. Robert in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**510** [INQ] ... The same William and Robert Wygert, chaplain, by the same attorney, complain of Nicholas Edmond <2+> and Alan Goushill <2+, essoin>. Plea: debt of 13s.4d. Defaulted. They say that they owe and unjustly detain 13s.4d. for the rent of a tenement in which Alan now lives, leased to Nicholas 32 and Alan for a whole year, which they should have paid at Christmas 11 Henry VI [25 Dec 1432]; they paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuse. Damages: 2s. They produce suit. Nicholas and Alan in their own persons come and defend the force and say they owe them nothing. Inq.

**511** [I]NQ M ... Joan Hull of Nottingham servant (*s*') of William Wade in her own person complains of Alan Goushill licence>. Plea: detinue of a laver (*lavacri*) worth 2s. She says that at Epiphany 11 Henry VI [6 Jan 1433] she delivered the laver in safe custody to Alan for repairing, to be restored on the feast of St Hilary following [13 Jan 1433]; he refused to restore and still refuses. Damages: 12d. She produces suit. Alan in his own person comes and defends the force and says he detains nothing. Inq. Alan for a licence in mercy.

**512** [INQ PLG] PROS [JOHN] HERT, [ADAM] FOX John Wodehouse, parson of the church of Wollaton, by William Huchinis his attorney, complains of Henry Thacker of Lenton <essoin>. Plea: debt of 18d. He says that Henry on Sat after the feast of St Lucy 11 Henry VI [20 Dec 1432] bought a cartload of sea coals (*carrectat' de carbon' marit'*) for 18d. from him, to be paid on the feast of the purification of the BVM following [2 Feb 1433]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Henry, by William Halyfax his attorney, comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**513** M William Tacker of Nottingham complains of John Perkyn <6+, licence> and Robert Clerk, *skynner*. Plea: debt. Many defaults. John and Robert for a licence in mercy.

**514** M William Jell complains of Thomas Swynderby < licence >. Plea: debt. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

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Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St Philip and St James 11 Henry VI [30 Apr 1433].

**515** M John Shagh, *coteler*, complains of Gerard Wever of Nottingham < licence. Plg: Nicholas Plumptre> and Margaret his wife. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Gerard for a licence in mercy.

**516** M Henry Weloby of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of Robert Valey of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 26s.8d. [Robert] in his own person comes and defends [the force]. Law. Henry charged. Np. In mercy. Robert goes without day.

**517** M George Mortymer of Nottingham complains of William Flechre of Nottingham < licence >. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.

**518** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN HERT, ADAM STERT Nicholas Crich <np> in his own person complains of Robert Selby of Nottingham, *wright* <+>. Plea: debt. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 15s. in arrears for his hire, which Robert should have paid at Easter 11 Henry VI [12 Apr 1433]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. Robert in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Nicholas np. In mercy.

**519** [INQ] ... John Whitehonde in his own person complains of John Lokyngton, sadeler < licence >. Plea: detinue of a saddle worth 5s. He says that John Whitehonde on the feast of St Peter advincula 10 Henry VI [1 Aug 1432] delivered the saddle in safe custody to John Lokyngton, to be restored on the feast of the assumption of the BVM following [15 Aug 1432]; he restored nothing

 $<sup>^{32}</sup>$  MS Willelmo.

but refused to restore and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. John Lokyngton in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. John Lokyngton for a licence in mercy.

- **520** [I]NQ ... William Babyngton, kt, and Margery (*Marger*) his wife, by John Ode their attorney, complain of Alan Goushill <essoin>. Plea: debt of 3s. They say that Alan at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432] borrowed 3s. from William and Margery, to be paid at the feast of St Martin following [11 Nov 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. They produce suit. Alan in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq.
- **521** INQ PG PROS [JOHN] WENT], [ADAM] FENT John Chapell of Nuthall <essoin> in his own person complains of Nicholas Wylcokson of Eastwood (*Estwode*) <essoin>. Plea: debt of 16s. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 16s., now in arrears, for his labour as a carpenter (*pro labor' suo carpentar'*) working with Nicholas, which Nicholas should have paid at Easter 11 Henry VI [12 Apr 1433]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Nicholas in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Ing.
- **522** ... William Sherman of Nottingham in his own person complains of Henry Cokeram of Derby in Lancs. Plea: trespass against the kings peace. He says that Henry on Sun after the feast of St John of Beverley  $\dots$  33
- **523** [M] John Whitehonde complains of Henry Cokeram of Derby in Lancs licence>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Henry for a licence in mercy.
- **524** M Hugh of Wingfield of Hucknall, by Robert Herrison of Nottigham his attorney, complains of Ralph Bonde of Bulwell <+, licence>. Plea: debt of 5d. Ralph for a licence in mercy.
- **525** M John Etwell <np> in his own person complains of William Lightlad and Beatrix his wife. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. John np. In mercy.
- **526** M William Lynges <np> complains of Robert Okeley. Plea: debt. William np. In mercy.

**527** M CAPTION Robert Ingelby of Nottingham, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Henry Wright of Colston Basset <2+, Thur>. Plea: debt. Summoned by John Ode. Did not come. Put (*pon'*) against the first hour on Fri following. Henry charged. Did not appear. The bailiffs return that Henry has nothing within their bailliwick by which he can be distrained. Caption. In mercy for default.

**528** [INQ] ... John Manchestre, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of William servant of Robert Potter. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that William on Mon after the feast of the invention of the HC 11 Henry VI [4 May 1433] with force and arms (staff) by night broke John's house and closes and took and carried off 3 sheepskins *lamit'*, 2 axes (*secur'*), a wagon clout (*clutum plaustr'*), and a knife. Damages: 13s.4d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. As to the knife, he says it is an outsider's (*de uno extraneo*) bought for ½d. As to the rest, he says he is not guilty. Inq.

**529** [RESPITE] Ralph Stoyle and Richard Symkyn come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised.

# Forinsec pleas held on Wed before the feast of St Dunstan in the above year [13 May 1433].

## **530** [ESSOINS]

John Wright of Nottingham, chapman, def v John Day, couper. Plea: debt.

Essonr: John Hemp. Inq.

John Wodehal, *barbour*, def v John Edenham pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Ode. Ing.

Robert Wakeleyn def v William Babyngton. Essonr: John Hert. Inq.

Nicholas Edmond and Alan Goushill def v the same William and Robert Wygert, chaplain, pls. Essonr: Adam Smyth. Inq.

Henry Thacker of Lenton def v John Wode, parson (p'son), pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Fox. Inq.

Alan Goushill def v William Babyngton and Margery (*Marger'*) his wife pls. Plea: debt. Essonr: Richard Rest. Inq.

John Chapell pl v Nicholas Wylcokson def. Plea: debt. Essonr: Richard Fox. Inq.

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**531** M Found by inq that Richard Redeswell owes William Node 5s.4d. Adjudged that William should recover v Richard 5s.4d. and 6d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**532** M John Westhall for a licence to agree with John Bayle in mercy. Plea: debt.

**533** M Thomas Beauchamp for a licence to agree with Gervase Clyfton in mercy. Plea: debt.

**534** M Francis Jonson for a licence to agree with Simon Duchesman in mercy. Plea: debt.

**535** M William Hill acknowledges 18d. v William Babyngton. Plea: debt. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**536** [LEVY M] Found by inq that William Hill owes William Babyngton 14d. over and above 18d. which he acknowledged as above. Ajudged that William Babyngton should recover v William Hill 14d. and 2d. damages for both. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**537** [LEVY M] Found by inq that William Couper and Agnes his wife are not guilty v John Lokyngton, *corviser*. Plea: trespass. Adjudged that John Lokyngton should recover nothing v William and Agnes but for his unjust suit in mercy.

**538** [LEVY M] Found by inq that William servant of Robert Potter of Nottingham trespass v John Manchestre. Adjudged that John should recover v William 12d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St Dunstan in the within year [14 May 1433].

**539** [INQ] ... John Frere of Hempshill, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Thurmaston. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John Thurmaston on Thur after Michaelmas 6 Henry VI [2 Oct 1427] with force and arms (a pair of iron *pynsons*) extracted, took and carried off 4 horse irons worth 6d. well fixed with nails in John Frere's horse by the smith. Damages: 12d. He

produces suit. John Thurmaston in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**540** [INQ] ... The same John Frere, by the same attorney, complains of the said John Thurmaston. Plea: debt of 6d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 6d. for the exchange of a horse, which he should have paid at Michaelmas 8 Henry VI [29 Sept 1429]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. John Thur[maston] in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Ing.

**541** [INQ] ... The same John Thurmaston, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of John Horsley of Boughton <essoin>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John Horsley on Thur before the feast of the annunciation of the BVM 10 Henry VI [20 Mar 1432] with force and arms (staff) took and led away a mare worth 4s. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. John Horsley in his own person comes and says he is not guilty.

**542** [INQ] ... William Sherman of Nottingham in his own person complains of Henry Cokeram of Derby in Lancs. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Henry on Mon after the feast of St Peter advincula 10 Henry VI [4 Aug 1432] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off a pair of kersey (*kyrsaye*) hose worth 16d. and a chemise worth 12d. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. William comes in his own person and says not guilty. He acknowledges carrying off the chemise. In mercy. As to the pair of hose, he says he is not guilty. Inq.

**543** [INQ PLG] PROS [JOHN] GEDNEY, [JOHN] HERT Thomas Sutton of Mansfield, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Robert Cotyngham of Nottingham licence>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Robert on Wed before the feast of the nativity of the BVM 8 Henry VI [7 Sept 1429] with force and arms (staff) broke Thomas' houses and closes took and carried off 8000 earthenware tiles (*dez tyles terr'*) worth 4m for 2m rent arrested by Thomas, and apples, pears, and cherries (*pona pira et sirasa*) worth 13s.4d. in the said houses and closes as arrested. Damages: 100s. He produces suit. Robert in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Ing. Robert for a licence in mercy.

**544** [INQ] ... Richard Langton, by John Wylbram his attorney, complains of William Thorman of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 9s. He says that William on Sat before the feast of St Martin 11 Henry VI [8 Nov 1432] bought a steer for his

larder ( *boviclum pro lardaro suo*) for 9s. from Richard, to be paid at Christmas following [25 Dec 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

545 INQ M PLG PROS RICHARD REST, ROBERT REST Beatrix Helwys of Hucknall <np>, by William Midilton her attorney, complains of John Lamyn of the same.
Plea: detinue of a stike of rye worth 13d. She says that John with his animals trespassed and crushed her rye; by the arbitration of Walter Weloby and others, the the strike of rye was adjudged to Beatrix, which John ought to have rendered at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432]; he refused to render and still refuses.
Damages: 6d. She produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he detains no such rye. Inq. Beatrix np. In mercy.

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# Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St Dunstan 11 Henry VI [14 May 1433].

546 INQ M PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX William Wayvyn of Adbolton in his own person complains of Thomas son of Robert Sagher licence>. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. He says that Thomas on the feast of All Saints 10 Henry VI [1 Nov 1431] was retained with William to serve him from the said feast for a year in husbandry (*husbandr'*); on Thur after Epiphany in the said year [10 Jan 1432] without reasonable cause and licence Thomas<sup>34</sup> withrew from William's service. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. Thomas<sup>35</sup> comes in his own person and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq.

547 INQ PLG PROS JOHN FOX, RICHARD REST Richard Whetecroft of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Bothe and Margaret his wife. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He complains that Margaret on Sat Easter eve 11 Henry VI [11 Apr 1433] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off 4 silver spoons worth 10s. Damages: 13s.4d. He produces suit. John now does not come; Margaret attached. Present in court. She says for him that the action is charged to have been made against her and seeks that she should be allowed to defend

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 $<sup>^{34}</sup>$  MS Walterus.

<sup>35</sup> MS Willelmus.

and is ready to reply without John her husband. Allowed. Margaret in her own person comes and says she is not guilty. Inq.

**548** INQ M PLG PROS [JOHN] EST, ADAM HERT William Sampson of Strelley, *cook*, by J[ohn] Ode his attorney, complains of John Byngham of Newthorpe licence>. Plea: debt of 8d. He says that John owes and unjustly detains 8d. for curing the broken shin of ...<sup>36</sup> his wife, which he should have paid on the feast of All Saints 9 Henry VI [1 Nov 1430]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. John Byngham for a licence in mercy.

**549** INQ CONTINUED [PLG] PROS [JOHN] WENT, [ADAM] FENT Richard Plomer of Nottingham, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of John Wright of Sneinton. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on Thur in Whitsun week 9 Henry VI [24 May 1431] with force and arms (staff), took carried off and abducted Alice ...<sup>37</sup> of Richard with goods and chattels: a robe and a tunic with a hood worth 10s. Damages: 10m. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plgs: William Bradmere, John Jolyvett.

**550** [INQ] ... William Joly <np> in his own person complains of Stephen Clerk of Nottingham, *coryour*, and Isabella his wife. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Stephen and Isabella on Sun before the feast of St Dunstan 11 Henry VI [17 May 1433] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off a blue robe (*tog' blod'*) worth 5s., a wool-fell (*pilum laneum*) worth 12d., 2 coverlets worth 18d., a pair of linen sheets worth 3s.4d. 3 great iron files (*filez*) worth 10d., an iron hand-hammer (*hamur manuale*) worth 6d., a pair of iron *tingez* [? pail-yokes] worth 4d., and a doublet worth 4d. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. Stephen in his own person, and Isabella by Stephen her husband and attorney, come and say they are not guilty. Inq. Plg: Edmund Cook.

**551** [INQ] ... William Burnett of Chilwell, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Hopwell of Nottingham <2+>. Plea: debt of 3s. He says that William Hopwell owes and unjustly detains 3s. for the agistment of his animals on William Burnett's grass from the feast of the invention of the HC 10 Henry VI [3 May

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1432] to [the feast] of the nativity of St John the Baptist following [24 June 1432], which he should have paid on the feast of St Peter and St Paul following [29 June 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. William Hopewell in his own person comes and defends the force and acknowledges 2s. In mercy. As to 12d., He says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**552** INQ ... George Mortymer lately of Nottingham, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Robert Benyngton of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 6d. He says that Robert owes and unjustly detains 6d. for *stokage* of his pound (*pin*), which Robert should have paid at Easter 11 Henry VI [12 Apr 1433]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. Robert, by William Caunterbury his attorney, comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**553** [M] Roger Mylnhous of Nottingham, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Cade of Basford <5+, licence>. Plea: debt. Attached. Does not come. Many defaults. In mercy.

**554** [CAPTION] Richard Wode of Nottingham complains of John Norman of Nottingham servant of John Manchestre <2+, caption>. Plea: debt. Summoned. Charged. Does not come. Pon. The bailiffs return at the third court (*primam*) that he has nothing by which they can distrain. Caption.

**555** [M] Henry Thressher servant of John Manne of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of Robert Branch of Lenton. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Henry np. In mercy. Plgs: John Manne, John Jolyvett jnr.

**556** [M] Henry Smythson, *nayler*, of ...<sup>38</sup> complains of William Orrey, *sawyour*. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Henry [n]p. In mercy. [Plg]: Henry Smalley.

**557** [M] William Newerk of Nottingham <np> complains of John Dalahyde of the same. Plea: debt. William np. In mercy.

**558** [M] John Ewer complains of William Cook of Bingham < licence >. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy. Plq: the same John.

**559** [M] William Orrey of *Beggerlegh* complains of Ralph of Congleton < licence >. Plea: debt. Ralph for a licence in mercy. Plg: John Ode.

**560** [M] John Elmham, prior of Lenton, complains of William Beverley < licence >. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy. Plg: John Ode.

**561** [M] Robert Branch <np> complains of Henry Thressher of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Robert np. In mercy. Plg: John Esth[wayt] snr.

**562** [LEVY M] Robert servant of Edmund Cook, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Roger Parre of *Esterbek* [? East Leake] <15+, convicted>. Plea: debt of 10s.2d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 10s.2d.: 3s.6d. for his labour reaping at autumn, [and] 6s.8d. for his wages from the feast of the purification [of the BVM] [2 Feb] ...<sup>39</sup> to the feast of St Peter advincula following [1 Aug], which Roger should have paid on the feast of St Laurence following [10 Aug]; he paid nothing. Damages: 2s. Roger attached by a bridle. Charged for 15 court days. Did not appear. Defaulted. Robert, by William his attorney, comes and seeks judgement of his debt with damages to have been adjudged [to himself]. Adjudged that Robert should recover 10s.2d. and ...<sup>40</sup> damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**563** [M] Thomas Alestre of Nottingham <np>, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Peyntour of Nottingham and Isabella his wife. Plea: trespass and contempt against the statute [of labourers]. Thomas np. In mercy. By Richard Wode.

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**564** [INQ] ... Robert Chapman of Nottingham, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Richard Tamworth of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 13s.4d. He says that Robert<sup>41</sup> on Wed in Easter week 10 Henry VI [23 Apr 1432] leased to Richard a holme (*holum*) called *Constableholm'* for 40s., to be paid to Robert at Michaelmas [29 Sept] and [the feast] of the purification [of the BVM] [2 Feb]

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equally; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. Richard in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

565 [INQ] ... John Constable of Barton, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Thomas Stretton of Nottingham <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 2s. He says that Thomas on Sat before the feast of St Andrew 11 Henry VI [29 Nov 1432] bought a boar for 3s. from John, to be paid at Christmas following [25 Dec 1432]. Thomas satisfied John up to 2s.; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Thomas acknowledges. In mercy. Damages assessed at 2d.

**566** [INQ] ... Roger Leycestre of Bradmore, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Mascury <essoin>. Plea: debt of 12s.7d. He says that William on Sat before Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [27 Sept 1432] bought 7 sheep from Roger for 12s.7d., to be paid on the feast of All Saints following [1 Nov 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Ing.

**567** [I]NQ M [PLG] PROS THOMAS REST, JOHN MOST John Perot of Annesley, by W[illiam] Mid[ilton] his attorney, complains of Alice widow of John Mylner lately of Nottingham <Plg: Robert Ingelby>. Plea: debt of 2s.6d. He says that John Perot leased a tenement in Annesley to Alice to hold from Michaelmas 4 Henry VI [29 Sept 1425] for a year, rendering at the 3 usual terms 2s.6d., which Alice should have paid on the feast of All Saints following [? 1 Nov 1426]; she paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Alice in her own person comes and defends the force and says she owes him nothing. Inq. Alice for a licence in mercy.

**568** [INQ] ... Henry Fulwode <np. Plg: John Smyth, *glover*> and Joan his wife in their own persons complain of John Kyghton of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 4s. for half a robe. They say that John at Christmas 9 Henry VI [25 Dec 1430] hired Joan, whilst she was alone, to the feast of the invention of the HC following [3 May 1431] for 4s. and half a robe worth 2s.6d. to serve him in housewifery (*huswyfrie*), to be paid on the said feast. Afterwards, Joan married Henry. He paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. They produce

suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes her nothing. Inq. Henry np.

**569** M Thomas Walker, *barbour*, complains of Reynald Burnett of Beeston <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 4s.6d.: 3s.4d. paid to William Halyfax, 4d. for the amercement, 2d. for a default, 4d. to the serjeants, 2d. for one caption, [and] 2d. for an action in the courts Christian. Reynald in his own person comes and acknowledges. Damages discharged. He seeks execution of the body. Let him be committed to prison. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**570** M Thomas Tawburn, chaplain, by J[ohn] Ode his attorney, complains of John Gedney. Plea: debt of 6s. for peas, barley and animals (*aver*). John comes, by William Midilton his attorney, and acknowledges. Damages assessed at 6s. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**571** LEVY M William Sadeler of Newark, by W[illiam] Caunterbury his attorney, complains of John Lokyngton, *sadeler* <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 5s.6d. John in his own person comes and acknowledges. Damages assessed at 8d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**572** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN EST, ADAM WEST John Kyghton of Nottingham <np>, by Nicholas Barbour his attorney, complains of Henry Fulwode of Nottingham, *glover*. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Henry on Sat after the feast of the annunciation of the BVM 10 Henry VI [29 Mar 1432] with force and arms (staff) took and abducted Joan his servant (*s'vien'*) by which John lost her service for a very great time. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. Henry in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. As to the abduction, he says he did not abduct his servant but abducted her as his wife. Inq. John np. In mercy.

**573** ... M ... Emma Syeston of Bottesford, by Roger Brerelegh her attorney as shown by letters of attorney, complains of Richard Plasterer of Nottingham <15+, ... after the feast of the invention of the [HC], convicted>. Plea: debt of 16s. He says ...  $^{42}$ 

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**574** M Thomas Hill <np> in his own person complains of John Tanne and Elizabeth his wife. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Thomas np. In mercy.

**575** RESPITE Ralph Stoyle and Richard Symkyn come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not adivsed.

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# Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of St Augustine 11 Henry VI [27 May 1433].

### **576** ESSOINS

Robert Benyngton of Nottingham def v George Mortymere lately of Nottingham pl.

Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hert. Inq.

William Nicholason def v John Chapell pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: W[illiam]

Caunterbury. Inq.

John Frere pl v John Thurmaston def. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace.

Essonr: John Hert. Inq.

The same John Frere pl v the same John Thurmaston def. Plea: debt. Essonr:

John Fox. Inq.

John Horsley def v John Thurmaston pl. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace.

Essonr: John Fox. Inq.

William Mascury def v Roger Leycestre pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Adam Hunt. Inq. Richard Tamworth def v Robert Clapam pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Richard Moston. Inq.

**577** M John Wodehall, *barbour*, for a licence [to agree] with John Edenham in mercy. Plea: debt.

**578** LEVY M John Wright of Nottingham, *chapman* <acknowledges>, comes, by Nicholas Barbour his attorney, and acknowledges v John Deye, *couper*, a bond. Adjudged that John Dey should recover v John Wright the bond and 12d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

### **579** LEVY M

Found by inq that Robert Wakelyn of Nottingham <5+> owes William Babyngton 18s. Adjudged that William should recover v Robert 18s. and 2s. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

That the same William and Robert Wygart, chaplain, should recover v Nicholas Edmond <2+> and Alan Goushill 13s.4d. and 10d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**580** LEVY M Found by inq that John Wodehous, parson of the church of Wollaton, should recover v Henry Thacker of Lenton 18d. and 2d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**581** LEVY M Found by inq that Alan Goushill owes William Babyngton and Margery (*Marg'ie*) his wife (*consors'*) 3s. Adjudged that William and Margery (*Marger'*) should recover v Alan 3s. and 4d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**582** LEVY M Found by inq that Henry Cokram of Derby in Lancs trespassed v William Sherman. Adjudged that William should recover v Henry 14d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**583** LEVY M Found by inq that William Thornton owes Richard Langton 9s. Adjudged that Richard should recover v William 9s. and 6d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**584** RESPITE Found by inq that Margaret (*Margareta*) wife of John Bothe, *wright*, allowed as above, took 4 silver spoons of Richard's goods as contained in Richard's count, but not by force and arms. He says that Margaret trespassed v Richard to the value of 10s.4d. Respite of judgement to the next court as he says that the *admissio* is not held *lucum* (? *locum*) and the court was not advised.

**585** [LEVY] M Found by inq that William Hopwell of Nottingham <2+> owes William Burnett of Chilwell 12d. Adjudged that William Burnett should recover v William Hopewell 12d. In mercy. William acknowledges 2s. Damages: 2d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**586** M Thomas Chaumberleyn, *feuster*, complains of John Lokyngton, *sadeler* < licence > . Plea: detinue. John for a licence in mercy.

**587** M William Walker, *barbour*, complains of Reynald Burnett of Beeston. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Thomas np. In mercy.

**588** M William Brystowe complains of John Repdon. Plea: debt. John for a licence in mercy. Plg: Henry Hugyn.

**589** RESPITE Ralph Stoyle pl and Richard Symkyn def come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not adivsed.

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Augustine in the above year [28 May 1433].

**590** INQ ... Robert Herynger in his own person complains of Nicholas Broude <+, essoin>. Plea: debt of 14d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 14d. for the pledge of Henry Strynger for a garden leased to Henry and for the rent of a parcel of the same garden similarly leased to Nicholas, which Nicholas should have paid at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. Nicholas in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**591** INQ [PLG] PROS [JOHN] COST, [ADAM] FOX Richard Alrede of Nottingham, *couper*, in his own person complains of John Persons lately of Longley <essoin> and Alice his wife. Plea: debt of 11s.6d. arrears on an agreement before John Smyth and John Couper auditors assigned on either part in this matter. He says that Alice, whilst she was alone, on Sat after Michaelmas 3 Henry VI [30 Sept 1424] bought 2 quarters of malt (*bras' ordel*) and grain multure worth 11s.6d. from Richard, afterwards adjudged to Richard, before the said auditors, to be paid at the feast of the nativity St John the Baptist following [24 June 1425]. Alice married John; they paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuse. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes, and Alice by John her husband and attorney, and defend the force and say she owes him nothing because at that time she was the servant of Henry Sclatier. Inq. Plg: Richard Foston of Nottingham.

**592** INQ PLG PROS JOHN FOX, JOHN COST Thomas Mountgomery and Thomas Shoter of Nottingham, by John Ode their attorney, complain of Richard Arnall of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 20s.10d. They say that Richard on Sat after the feast of the purification of the BVM 11 Henry VI [7 Feb 1433] bought from

Thomas and Thomas a barrel of white herring with a firkin (*ferken*) of the same and 2 mease (*meyse*) of red herring for 33s.4d., to be paid on Palm Sun following [5 Apr 1433], of which 33s.4d. Richard on Palm sun satisfied them to the sum of 20s.10d. now in demand; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. They produce suit. Richard in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq.

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**593** [INQ] ... [Robert] ... Nottingham and Joan his wife, by William Midilton their attorney, complain of John Syleby. Plea: debt of [34s. They say that] John on Fri after Whitsun 10 Henry VI [13 June 1432] bought 6 bullocks for 34s., to be paid to Joan at the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist following [24 June 1432]. Afterwards Joan married Robert; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 10s. They produce suit. John in his own p[erson] comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq. Plgs: John Fossebrook, John Lovet. Robert np.

**594** INQ M *CHERELECH* John Peyntour, *wright* <np>, complains of John God@er. Plea: debt of 3d. He says that on Thur after the feast of the purification of the BVM 11 Henry VI [5 Feb 1433] he agreed to pay 3d. for John Hall for mainperning John Hall. He produces suit. John God@er says he owes him nothing. Inq. John Peyntour np.

**595** INQ M PLG PROS AS [ABOVE] George Mortymere of Nottingham, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Crophill, *skynner*, of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 4d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 4d. for *stolag'* of his pound (*pin'*), which he should have paid at Easter 11 Henry VI [12 Apr 1433]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. John, by W[illiam] Caunterbury his attorney, comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**596** INQ M [PLG] PROS [JOHN] WEST, [ADAM] EST Robert Rodes of Nottingham <np> and Joan his wife in their own persons complain of John del Vykers of Aston, chaplain. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. They say that John, whilst Joan was alone, on Mon after the feast of the annunciation of the BVM 10

Henry VI [31 Mar 1432] with force and arms (staff) took, carried off and led away a horse worth 26s.8d. and a purse (*burs'*) with 37s. cash in it. Damages: 100s. They produce suit. John in his own p[erson comes] and says he is not guilty. Plgs: John Ewer, Thomas parson of the church of Colwick.

597 [INQ] M ... John Fossebrook and Edmund Cook, by William Midilton their attorney, complain of John Barley of Plumtree <+, licence>. Plea: detinue of a half quarter of corn worth 5s. They say that the tenants of Plumtree from time out of mind were accustomed to render the half quarter of corn to the bailiffs of Nottingham at Michaelmas for their toll. John and the said tenants at Michaelmas 10 Henry VI [29 Sept 1431] ought to have rendered the half quarter of corn to John Fosse[brook] and Edmund for the said toll; they refused to render and still refuse. Damages: 3s.4d. They produce suit. John in his own person, and the said tenants by the same John as their attorney, come and defend the force and say they detain no corn. Inq. Plg: William Sherman delivered to distrain. John Barley for a licence [in mercy].

598 INQ PLG PROS JOHN EST, ADAM WEST William Jonson of Burton and William Midilton of Nottingham complain of William Clyfton of Nottingham <2+, essoin>. Plea: detinue of chattels. They say that William Midilton on Wed after the feast of Corpus Christi 10 Henry VI [25 June 1432] delivered in safe custody to William Clyfton a chest (*archam*) worth 12d., a chair (*cathedram*) worth 10d., a cross trestle (*crostrest*) worth 6d., a pack saddle (*packesadyll'*) worth 12d., an old coverlet worth 6d. <4d.>, a linen sheet worth 10d. <8d.>, an iron ladder (*acie'*) [?] worth 4d. <2d.>, [and] a trivet worth 3d. <2d.>, to be restored on Fri following [27 June 1432]; he restored nothing but refused to restore and still refuses. Damages: 2s. They produce suit. William Clyfton comes in his own person and defends the force and acknowledges the detinue of a chest, bench, cross trestle (*crostrest*), [and] a pack saddle. In mercy. As to the rest, he says he detains nothing. Inq.

**599** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE John Fawkener and Margaret his wife, by John Ode their attorney, complain of John Both <essoin> and Margaret his wife. Plea: detinue of a hood worth 16d. They say that John Fawkener and Margaret his wife on Sat after Michaelmas 9 Henry VI [30 Sept 1430] delivered the said hood in safe custody to John Both and Margaret, to be restored on the feast of All Saints following [1 Nov 1430]; they restored nothing but refused to restore and still

refuse. Damages: 6d. They produce suit. John and Margaret come and defend the force and say they detain no hood. Inq.

**600** M Richard Plomer lately of Nottingham complains of John Wright of Sneinton licence>. Plea: debt of 8s.7½d. as is shown in divers parcels. John waged law. Did not come. For a licence agreed by William Midilton, Richard's attorney. John for a licence in mercy.

**601** M The same Richard complains of the same John < licence>. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. John for a licence in mercy.

**602** M William Massh of Shelford complains of Nicholas Brydde of Nottingham < licence >. Plea: debt. Nicholas for a licence in mercy.

**603** M William Cook of Lenton complains of William Ruddynges < licence >. [Plea]: detinue. William Ruddynges for a licence in mercy.

**604** M Richard Torlaton, prior of the Carmelites of Nottingham, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of William Wright of Radcliffe < licence >. Plea: debt. William Wright for a licence in mercy.

**605** LEVY M Roger Mylnhous, by John Ode [his attorney], complains of John Jamesson <+, acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 5s. John Jamesson in his own person comes and acknowledges. Damages assessed at 2d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**606** M William Barber of the parish of Lowdham, by John Ode [his attorney], complains of William Wright of the same <3+, licence>. Plea: debt. William Wright for a licence [in mercy].

**607** M William Webster of Lenton complains of Richard Bawber of Kimberley. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.

**608** M Robert Bladerwyk complains of William Wayvyn licence>. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.

**609** PD M John Wodehous in his own person complains of Roger Deken < licence > and William Kyng of *Debee*. Plea: trespass. Roger and William for a licence in mercy.

**610** M Matthew Barnevyle complains of William Neelson < licence > . Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy. Plg: John Ode.

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# Forinsec pleas held on Wed before the feast of St Barnabas 11 Henry VI [10 June 1433].

#### **611** ESSOINS

Nicholas Broude def v Robert Herynger pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hert. Inq. John Parsons and Alice his wife defs v Richard Alrede pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Richard Rest. Inq.

William Clyfton def v William Jonson and William Midilton. Plea: debt. Essonr: Adam Fett. Inq.

John Both and Margaret his wife defs v John Fawkener pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Robert Rost. Inq.

Richard Arnall def v Thomas Mountgomery and Thomas Shoter pls. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Harper. Inq.

**612** LEVY M Found by inq that John Frere should recover nothing v John Thurmaston. Plea: trespass. In mercy for his unjust suit. That the same John Frere should recover v the same John Thurmaston 6d. and 2d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. That the same John Thurmaston should recover nothing v John Horsley but for his unjust suit in mercy.

**613** M The jurors between John Chapell pl and Nicholas Wylkynson def did not come: John Bayn <ill>, Nicholas Coton, William Wylde, William Bayn <ill>, Laurence Couper, John Norton, *taillour*, Robert Brockestowe. In mercy.

**614** M The jurors between George Mortymer pl and Robert Benyngton def did not come: William Smyth, John Sollers, Richard Innocent, Peter Foljamb, John Smyth, bochour, John Gardyner, *hosyer*, John Leghus. In mercy.

**615** M The jurors between Robert Clapam pl and Richard Tamworth, def and between Roger Leycestre pl and William Mascury def, did not come: Adam Hayton, Thomas Walker, *barbour*, John Mason, *ymager*, John Pynnyngton, <sup>43</sup> Robert Bower, Robert Breese, William Bower, Roger Fossebrook. In mercy.

**616** M The jurors between Thomas Mountgomery and Thomas Shoter pls and Richard Arnall def, and between Robert Rodes and Joan his wife pls and John Syleby def, did not come: Roger Parker, Nicholas Coton, John Annesley, Hugh Wysowe, Henry Hugyn, John Gardyner, *hosyer*, John Smyth, *bochour*, Thomas More, *coryour*. In mercy.

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# Further forinsec pleas held on the feast of St Barnabas [11 Henry VI] [11 June 1433].

**617** [INQ] ... Henry Pampion of Nottingham in his own person complains of William son of Nicholas Bochor of Nottingham licence>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that William on Wed before the feast of St Barnabas 11 Henry VI [10 June 1433] with force and arms (staff) broke Henry's house and took and led away a calf worth 3s. Damages: 10s. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. William for a licence in mercy.

**618** [INQ] ... Nicholas Scot of Nottingham, miller (*mylner*) <np>, in his own person complains of John Sele jnr. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on Tues before the feast of St Barnabas 11 Henry VI [9 June 1433] with force and arms (staff and dagger) broke Nicholas' weir (*wayreram*) on the [River] Leen, made an assault on Nicholas, Nicholas Scot's servant, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Nicholas np.

**619** [INQ] ... Henry Sotheron of Nottingham, *tailliour*, in his own person complains of John Sollers of Nottingham licence>. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. He says that John<sup>44</sup> at Christmas

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 $<sup>^{43}</sup>$  MS followed by Ricardus Kyrkby croseed through.

<sup>44</sup> MS sic.

11 Henry VI [25 Dec 1432] was retained with Henry to serve him from the said feast for a year in housewifery (*huswyfrie*); on Tues before the feast of St Petronilla following [26 May 1433] without reasonable cause and licence John withdrew from Henry's service. Damages: 13s.4d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq. John for a licence in mercy.

- 620 [INQ] ... [Thomas] Beauchamp in his own person complains of John Whitehond of Nottingham. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. He says that Agnes Ball ... the feast of the invention of the HC 11 Henry VI [c 3 May 1433] was retained with Thomas to serve him [from] the said feast for a year in housewifery (huswyfrie); on Mon before the feast of St Nereus and St Achilleus following [11 May 1433] [John] retained and received Agnes, Thomas' servant, for a long time. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. [John] in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is [not guilty]. Inq. Plg: Margaret Kaye, Thomas Kaye.
- 621 [INQ] ... [William] Smalley of Basingfield, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of William Palmer of Nottingham <acknowledges>. Plea: debt [of 4d.]. He says that William Palmer on Mon in Easter week 11 Henry VI [13 Apr 1433] borrowed 4d. from William Smalley, to be paid on the feast of St Ambrose following [? 4 Apr 1433]; [he paid nothing] but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 4d. He produces [suit]. William Palmer in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Acknowledges.
- 622 [INQ] ... Thomas Parwych complains of William Roose. Plea: debt of 4½d. He says that William on Mon before Easter 11 Henry VI [6 Apr 1433] bought from Thomas a pair of *scausil'* for 4½d., to be paid on the feast of the invention of the HC following [3 May 1433]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force [and says] he owes him nothing. Inq.
- **623** [INQ] ... [Geoffrey] Kneton complains of William Benett of Nottingham <+>. Plea: debt of 18d. He says that William on the feast of the nativity [of St John] the Baptist 10 Henry VI [24 June 1432] bought from Geoffrey the crop of an acre of meadow for 18d., to be paid [at] Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. [Damages]: 6d. He produces suit.

William in his own person comes and defends the force and [says he owes him nothing]. Inq.

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**624** [INQ] ... in his own person complains of Thomas Smalley of Basingfield. Plea: debt of 19d. [He says that Thomas owes and] unjustly detains 19d. for the pledge of Thomas Boney lately of Basingfield, [which] he should have paid at the feast of St Peter advincula 10 Henry VI [1 Aug 1432]; he paid nothing [but] refused [to pay] and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. Thomas [in] his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**625** [INQ] ... [Gervase] Wylford in his own person complains of Henry Lere servant of John Lere. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. [He says] that Henry on Mon after Trinity Sun 11 Henry VI [8 June 1433] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off ... worth 2d. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. [Henry] in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**626** [INQ] ... Parker of Nottingham complains of John Brockestowe, glover <essoin>. Plea: debt of 18d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 18d. for the pledge of John Norton, tailor, John Brockestowe's brother, which John mainperned to pay at Easter last [12 Apr 1433]; he paid nothing but [refused] to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. John Brockestowe [in] his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

627 [INQ] ... [John] Barrett of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Gedney of Nottingham. Plea: detinue of 4 loads (*lodez*) of sea coals. He says that John on Sat before the feast of St Lucy 11 Henry VI [6 Dec 1432] bought 4 loads of sea coals for 16d. from John Gedney, which John Gedney ought to have rendered at the feast of St Valentine following [14 Feb 1433]; he rendered nothing but refused to render and still refuses. Damages: 12d. [He produces] suit. John Gedney in his own person comes and defends the force and acknowledges 3 loads. As to the fourth load, he says he detains nothing. Inq.

**628** ... [Hugh] Jonson of Nottingham in his own person complains of Thomas Okeley of Newthorpe <15+, Sat>. Plea: debt of 2s. He says that [Thomas] on

Sat before the feast of St Gregory 8 Henry VI [11 Mar 1430] bought a horse for 4s. from Hugh, to be paid at Easter following [16 Apr 1430]. Thomas satisfied Hugh to the sum of 2s. in demand; he refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Thomas attached by 2 horses, a sack worth 12d. with 2 bushels of malt (bras' ordei) worth 18d. in it. John Bower appropriated one of the horses and Ralph Baker appropriated the other. The sack remains attached but has been damaged (calumpniatur) by John Ewer. Thomas charged for 15 court days. Did not appear. 15 defaults (quidem defalt' secundum leg and cons' predictus Thomas debuit per judicium curie contempnari). On which comes Roger Brerelegh as the sworn friend (ut amicus jurit) of Thomas, alledges and says that Thomas did not have a sufficient day of warning (premunicionis) for which Thomas ought not to be condemned (cujus racione idem Thomas per default' predict' condempnar' non debet). He seeks judgement. Hugh comes and says that by the allegation alledged by Roger he should not be excluded as he says that Thomas, according to law and custom, had a sufficient day of warning for the space of 2 days as is the custom of the vill of Nottingham. For default of a sufficent reply he seeks judgement and his debt with damages to have been adjudged to himself and because Roger neither denies nor acquits himself of the debt. As the court was not advised to render judgement, day given to the parties to the next court.

629 [INQ] ... John Annesley in his own person complains of Thomas
Fawkenberde of Hucknall. Plea: debt of 12d. He says that Robert Faukenberd on
Sat after the feast of St Lucy 3 Henry VI [16 Dec 1424] bought from John
Annesley a pilch (pylch') for 12d., to be paid on the feast of St Hilary following
[13 Jan 1425]. For greater security Thomas became the pledger and fidejussor of
Robert to John for 12d. and agreed to pay 12d. if Robert should not pay; he paid
nothing by which the action accrued to John Annesley to seek 12d. v Robert; he
paid nothing but refusd to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit.
Thomas in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him
nothing. Inq.

**630** [LEVY] M Henry Sotheron in his own person complains of John Sollers of Nottingham <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 31s. arrears of his agreement. John comes and acknowledges. Damages assessed at 6d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**631** M William Sherman, by W[illiam] Midil[ton], complains of Robert Cobb of Basingfield <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 4s. He comes, by W[illiam]

C[aunterbury] his attorney, and acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. Plg: Nicholas Plumptre.

- M Stacius [?] Duchesman [?] complains of Gerard Duchesman. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Stacius np. Plg: Simon Duchesman.
- M Gerard Duchesman complains of Stacio Duchesman. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Stacius for a licence in mercy. Plg: the same Simon.
- Richard Whetecroft <np> complains of Ranulph Boude. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Richard np.
- M Nicholas Bryd <np> complains of William Palmer, pinner (*pynn*). Plea: debt. Nicholas np. In mercy.
- M William Bower <np> complains of Nicholas Bryd. Plea: debt. William np. In mercy.
- LEVY M John Esthwayt snr complains of Robert Beskewode <2+, acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 3s. Robert comes, by Geoffrey Cokker, and acknowledges. Damages assessed at 2d. In mercy. Plg: Geoffrey Cokker.
- PD M William Burton, *irenmonger*, complains of John Constable of Barton <+, licence>. Plea: debt. John for a licence in mercy. Attached by a horse.
- M John Morewode <np> in his own person complains of Henry Stathum, *milner*. Plea: debt of 3s.6d. John np. In mercy.
- M The same John <np> complains of Henry Stathern. Plea: debt of 10s. John np. In mercy.
- PD M The same John complains of the same Henry < licence >. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Henry for a licence in mercy.
- PD M John Etwell <np> complains of Thomas Gode@er. Plea: trespass and contempt. John np. In mercy.

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Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of the nativity St John the Baptist 11 Henry VI [25 June 1433].

**643** [INQ] M ... Thomas Jebbe of Colwick, by John Ewer his attorney, complains of John Burdon, *fyssher* < licence. Plg: Richard Wolaton > and Cecilia his wife of Burton Joyce. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Cecilia on Thur in Whitsun week 9 Henry VI [24 May 1431] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off a purse (*burs'*) with 16d. in cash in it. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. John Burdon and Cecilia his wife come in their own persons and say they are not guilty. As to the purse with 16d., they acknowledge 12d. As to 4d., they say they are not guilty. Inq. John for a licence [in mercy]. Plg: Richard Wolaton.

**644** M John Coll', of Basingfield <np, Wed>, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of Robert Jermayn of Cotgrave <5+, Thur, Baptist, Fri>. Plea: debt of 2s.10d. for his hire in arrears. Many defaults. Afterwards, John np. In mercy.

645 ... Thomas Mountgomery and Thomas Shoter, by John Ode their attorney, complain of John Draper, *poter* <15+, Thur, Barnabas, convicted> and Magot his wife. Plea: debt of 26s.8d. They say that John Draper and Magot his wife on the feast of the purification of the BVM 11 Henry VI [2 Feb 1433] bought from them a barrel of white herring and 2 mease (*meyse*) of red herring for 26s.8d., to be paid at Easter following [12 Apr 1433]; they paid nothing but refused to pay and stll refuse. Damages: 3s.4d. They produce suit. John Draper and Magot summoned. Charged for 15 court days. Did not appear. Defaulted. On which come Thomas and Thomas, by John Ode their attorney, and seek their debt with damages to have been adjudged to themselves as law and custom demand. Adjudged that Thomas and Thomas should recover v John Draper and Magot 26s.8d. and 8d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**646** INQ M PLG PROS ADAM WENT, JOHN FENT Thomas Fyldyng of Hucknall, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of William Orrey of *Beggerlegh* [? Bagley, Derbys.] licence. Plg: Richard Dalby>. Plea: debt of 8s.5d. He says that Thomas from Christmas 11 Henry VI [25 Dec 1432] was retained with William Orrey to serve him to Easter following [12 Apr 1433] to make *carbon' focal'* [? charcoal] of which 8s.5d. are in arrears not paid, by which the action accrued to Thomas to seek the money v William; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. William Orrey comes, by Richard Dalby

of Nottingham his attorney, and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Plg: the said Richard. Licence.

**647** [IN]Q ... Robert Valey of Nottingham in his own person complains of William Beverley of Nether Broughton <essoin>. Plea: trespass against King Henry V's peace. He says that William on Thur after the feast of the purification of the BVM 5 Henry V [3 Feb 1418] with force and arms (staff), took, carried off and led away 100 quarters of peas worth £20. Damages: £40. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. [Inq.] Plgs: John Fossebrook, bocher, Ralph Stoyle of Nottingham for William.

648 INQ PD M PLG PROS JOHN REST, ADAM WEST John Balthwayt of Nottingham <br/>
both assessed by the court> in his own person complains of John Dorham of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John Dorham on Thur after the feast of St Swithin 11 Henry VI [16 July 1433] with force and arms (iron fork) mowed John Balthwayt's grass and took and carried off the hay worth 3s.4d. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. John Dorham in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. As to the trespass, he says the trespass, if any, (si aliquam sit) was made at Sneinton without the liberty of Nottingham. John Balthwayt says that the grass pertains to the liberty (pertinens est infra libertatem) of Nottingham. Inq.

649 [INQ] ... William Parwych of Leicester, *cook*, by Thomas Roweley of Nottingham and John Hode of the same his conjoint and several attornies, complains of William Lymeryng of Nottingham, *bochour*. Plea: debt of 13s. He says that William owes and unjustly detains 13s. in a case of debt (*causa debiti*) as concerning the rent of a messuage, to be paid at Easter last [12 Apr 1433]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. William Lymering in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Ing.

**650** M Richard Spenser lately of Nottingham, by John Bayn his attorney, complains of John Burdon of Burton Joyce < licence >. Plea: debt. John Burdon for a licence in mercy.

**651** [LEVY M] Richard Orrey of Newthorpe, by Henry Smalley his attorney, complains of William Neelson <+, acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 5s.3d. William in

his own person comes and acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**652** M Matthew Tailliour complains of William Neelson of Newthorpe < +, licence>. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.

**653** M John Wylbram complains of Robert Smethyman of Ruddington <+, licence>. Plea: debt. Robert for a licence in mercy.

**654** M John Yvenett complains of Richard Torkard. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Richard for a licence in mercy.

655 M PLG PROS JOHN [CUT], ADAM WEST John Godesson and Thomas Tyckehill, *mercer'* and citizens of London, by William Caunterbury their attorney, complain of Richard Boney of Nottingham, *mercer'*, and John Wylbram of the same, draper. Plea: debt on demand of £44 13s.4d. Plg pros: John Cut, Adam West. They say that Richard and John Wylbram on 13 Aug 9 Henry VI [1341] by a bond, which John Godesson and Thomas offered [in court], agreed and firmly bound themselves to John Godesson and Thomas in £44 13s.4d., to be paid at the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist following [24 June 1432] £11, at Christmas £11, at the feast of the nativity St John the Baptist £11, and at Christmas £11 13s.4d.; [they paid nothing]. Damages: 100s. [They produce] suit. Richard and John Wylbram acknowledge. Damages assessed at ... <sup>45</sup> In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

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[Forinsec pleas held] on Wed after the feast of the translation of St Thomas the martyr [11 Henry VI] [8 July 1433].

**656** [ESSOINS]

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John servant of John ... def v [Richard] Boney jnr. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. By assent of the parties. Inq. <sup>46</sup> William Lemeryng def v ... Parwych pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Robert Hert. Ing.

657 [M] John Charo... of Nuthall np v Nicholas Wylkeson. Plea: debt. In mercy.

**658** [LEVY M] Found by inq that Richard Tamworth owes Robert Clapam 13s.4d. Adjudged that [Robert] should recover v Richard 13s.4d. and 14d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**659** [LEVY M] Richard Alrede of Nottingham complains of John Parsons and Alice his wife. Plea: debt. Both assessed by the court.

**660** [LEVY M] William ... acknowledges 18d. v Geoffrey Kneton. Plea: debt. In mercy. Precept to levy. Damages discharged.

# **661** [LEVY M]

Found by inq that Hugh Bladesmyth should recover v Thomas Smalley 19d. and 2d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

That Henry Lere is not guilty v Gervase Wylford. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Adjudged that Gervase should recover nothing v Henry but for his unjust suit in mercy.

**662** [M] The jurors between Nicholas Parker pl and John Brockestowe def did not come: William Hill, Robert Blakeburn, Thomas Pentrich, William Neuton, Walter Power, Thomas Trewe. Thomas Gode@ere <dead>. In mercy.

**663** M Margery (*Marger'*) Esthwayt complains of William Benett. Plea: debt of 12d. Acknowledges. Damages assessed at 1d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**664** RESPITE Hugh Jonson pl comes. Thomas Okeley does not come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not adjusted.

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of the translation of St Thomas the martyr in the above year [9 July 1433].

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>46</sup> MS preceded by three illegible essoins.

**665** [I]NQ M [PLG] PROS ... HERT ... John Brockestowe of Basford complains of William Ellesworth of Nottingham <+, acknowledges 2d.> Plea: debt of 2s.10d. outstanding on a cow bought at Easter last [12 Apr 1433], which he should have paid on the feast of the invention of the HC 11 Henry VI [3 May 1433]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and acknowledges 2s.8d. In mercy. As to 2d., he says he owes him nothing. Inq.

666 [IN]Q M PLG PROS ... HERT, ... William Plasterer of Nottingham <np, by Nicholas Plumptre>, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of John Candeler of Nottingham <dead>. Plea: debt of 12d. He says that John owes and unjustly detains 12d. for his labour at plastering for 3 days working with the same John, which John should have paid at Easter 11 Henry VI [12 Apr 1433]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Ing. Np.

667 INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX John Castell of Nottingham complains of John Howet of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 6s.8d. He says that John Howett owes and unjustly detains 6s.8d. for the rent of a tenement in Castle Gate (*Castelgate*) [leased] to him from Michaelmas 9 Henry VI [29 Sept 1430] for a year, which he should have paid on the feast of St Martin 9 Henry VI [11 Nov 1430]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. John Howett comes in his own person and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**668** [INQ PLG PROS] AS ABOVE Robert Lawson in his own person complains of William Node <+, essoin>. Plea: debt of 11d. He says that Robert owes and unjustly detains 11d. for weaving cloth, which William should have paid on the feast of the invention of the HC 11 Henry VI [3 May 1433]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Ing.

**669** [IN]Q ... John Maunsfeld of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Smyth of Hucknall <essoin>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John Smyth together with Robert Scarlett on Tues before the feast of St Gregory 10 Henry VI [11 Mar 1432] with force and arms (dagger [and] staff) made an assault on John Maunsfeld, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 40s.

He produces suit. John Smyth in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**670** M John Wylbram complains of John Horner of Nottingham <5+, licence>. Plea: debt. Defaulted. John Horner for a licence in mercy.

**671** M Margery (*Marger'*) widow of William Baker snr complains of Nicholas Henryson. Plea: debt. Nicholas for a licence in mercy. Plg: W[illiam] Caunterbury.

**672** PD M Henry Smyth, *fermer*, complains of William Sheperde <2+, licence>. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.

**673** [LA]W ... John Maunsfeld of Lambley complains of John Him of the same. Plea: debt of 7d. by the arbitration of Robert Tailliour and John Clerk custody of animals [was] adjudged to John Maunsfeld. John Him comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Law with 7 hands. John Maunsfeld for his unjust suit in mercy.

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This roll is out of sequence. See court dates for Roll 23.

Further forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of St Giles 11 Henry VI [2 Sept 1433].

**674** [M] The jurors between William Neuton pl and William Glover def did not come: John Parker, *wright*, John Stepeley, Robert Stannesley, William Couper, William Bochor, *bulcar*, John Stoke jnr, John Thacker.

**675** RESPITE Ralph Stoyle in his own person complains of the said Richard Symkyn, by John Bate his attorney, come. Day given to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised.

**676** RESPITE Isabella Cranmer [?], by Roger Brerelegh her attorney, and Henry Clerk of Ilkeston come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised.

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Giles in the above year [3 Sept 1433].

John Ode his attorney, complains of Nicholas Brydde of Nottingham <essoin> and Elizabeth his wife. Plea: trespass. He says that Hugh and Joan his wife on Thur after the feast of St Peter advincula 10 Henry VI [7 Aug 1432] delivered to Elizabeth 2½ yards of English linen cloth (*linei Anglici*) worth 1d. to make a woman's chemise; on the same day Elizabeth restored the said chemise with linen (*lino*) heyberinos of less the value (minime valitur' indorsat'). Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Nicholas in his own person, and Elizabeth by the said Nicholas her husband and attorney, come and defend the force and say they are not guilty. Inq.

**678** INQ PLG PROS ADAM WENT, JOHN FENT Richard Plomer in his own person complains of Elena Dockeray of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Elena on Thur before the feast of St Martin 10 Henry VI [8 Nov 1431] with force and arms (staff) entered Richard's house against his wish and took and carried off a tawed calf skin worth 8d. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Elena in her own person comes and says she is not guilty. Inq.

679 INQ PLG PROS JOHN FOX, JOHN COST Geoffrey Kneton of Nottingham, seneschal of the lord Fitz Hu, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Robert Stubbynges of Kirk[by] in Ashfield. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Geoffrey on the eve of Whitsun 10 Henry VI [7 June 1432] impounded (*inpertasset*) in the *foldes* Robert's goods for 40s. rent arrears to Lord Fitz Hu; on the same day Robert [with force] and arms (staff) broke the fold (*foldam*), took, carried off, led and drove away 2 oxen. Damages: 100s. He produces suit. Robert in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Ing. Plg: Robert Clapam.

**680** INQ PLG PROS RICHARD REST, JOHN EST Richard Neuton in his own person complains of John Barrette of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on the feast of the assumption of the BVM 10 Henry VI [15 Aug 1432] with force and arms (staff and piece of gilded armour (*paleto aruat'*) lay in ambush and made an assault on Richard, beat, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**681** INQ PLG PROS JOHN HERT, RICHARD SUERT John Barrette of Nottingham, by W[illiam] Midil[ton] his attorney, complains of John Balth[wayt] jnr. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John Balth[wayt] on the feast of St Peter advincula 10 Henry VI [1 Aug 1432] with force and arms (dagger) made an assault on John Barrette, beat, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. John Balth[wayt] in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**682** INQ [PLG PROS] RICHARD REST, JOHN EST John Barrett of Nottingham, by W[illiam] Midilton his attorney, complains of Richard Neuton of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that [Richard] on the feast of St Peter advincula 10 Henry VI [1 Aug 1432] with force and arms (staff) made an assault on John, beat, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. Richard in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**683** [INQ] ... John Mapurley of Radford, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Robert Smyth of Long Row (*Longrowe*) <2+>. Plea: [debt]. He says that Robert on Mon before the feast of St Mary Magdalene 10 Henry VI [21 July 1432] 2 pieces ..., to be paid on Sun following [27 July 1432]. [Robert satisfied John up to] 15d.; [he paid nothing but] refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. [Robert] in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

684 LEVY M PLG PROS ADAM COST, JOHN FOX John [Crophill] of Lenton, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Joan Tyllynges of Nottingham. Plea debt of 16d. He says that she owes and unjustly detains 16d.: 12d. for the rent of a house and 4d. for a wooden hatch (*pro uno hatch' lign'*) bought [from him], to be paid at Michaelmas 10 Henry VI [29 Sept 1431]; she paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 8d. He produces suit. Joan in her own person comes and defends the force and acknowledges 1½d. In mercy. As to 14½d., she says she owes him nothing. Inq.

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**685** INQ M ... John Whitehonde of Nottingham servant of Richard Whatton of Whatton, esq <np>, in his own person complains of William Parwych. Plea: [trespass] against the king's peace. He says that William on Tues after the feast of the nativity of the BVM 10 Henry VI [11 Sept 1431] [with force and arms]

(fists and dagger) lay in ambush and made an assault on John, beat, affrayed, maltreated [him] and left him to despair (*dispersonavit*). Damages: 40s. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. John np. In mercy.

**686** LEVY M Richard, prior of Beauvale, and John Atwell fellow canon, <sup>47</sup> by William Midilton their attorney, complain of John Perotte of Annesley. Plea: [debt] of 4s.8d. John Perotte in his own person comes and acknowledges. Damages assesssed at 4d. In mercy.

**687** M Robert [Ber]croft complains of Geoffrey Bryd of Toton. Plea: debt. Geoffrey for a licence in mercy. Plg: parson of St Peter's, Nottingham.

**688** M The same Robert complains of the lord of Brinsley. Plea: debt. Robert np. In mercy.

**689** M Thomas Derby of Nottingham complains of Diot' servant of John Lovell. Plea: trespass and contempt. Thomas np. In [mercy].

**690** M William Parwych complains of John Lawson of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. William ...

**691** M Robert Breese complains of John his servant. Plea: trespass and contempt. Robert np. In mercy.

**692** M John Manchestre and John Norman complain of Roger Wyllyngton <2+, licence>. Plea: debt. Defaulted. Roger for a licence in mercy.

Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of the exaltation of the HC in the within year [16 Sept 1433].

 $\mathbf{693}$  ESSOIN Nicholas Bryd def v Hugh Bladesmyth. Plea: trespass. Essonr: John Hunt. Inq.

**694** LEVY M Found by inq that William Glover servant of William Lemeryng owes William Neuton 4s. Adjudged that William Neuton should recover v William Glover 4s. and 4d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**695** LEVY M Found by inq that Robert Tailliour of Nottingham owes Robert Porter of Crowland 5s. Adjudged that Robert Porter should recover v Robert Tailliour 5s. and 2d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

696 M John Alen, cook <np>, np v Lambert Holflete. Plea: debt. In mercy.

697 M John Okeley for a licence to agree with William Jell in mercy. Plea: debt.

**698** M The same John Okeley for a licence to agree with the same William Jell in mercy. Plea: debt. Another suit.

699 M Simon Ilkeston np v William Wilford. Plea: debt. In mercy.

**700** M Found by inq that Elena Dockeray is not guilty v Richard Plomer. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Adjudged that Richard should recover nothing v Elena but in mercy for [his] unjust suit.

### **701** LEVY M

Found by inq that Robert Smyth of Long Row (*Longrowe*) <2+> owes John Mapurley 10d. Adjudged that John should recover v Robert 10d. and 1d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

That Joan Tyllynges is not guilty v John Crophill of Lenton concerning 14½d. Let him recover nothing but for his unjust suit in mercy.

**702** M John Whitehond np v William Parwych. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. In mercy.

**703** M Richard Neuton np v John Barette. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. In mercy.

**704** M John Barret np v John Balth[wayt] jnr. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. In mercy.

**705** M The same John Barrette np v Richard Neuton. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. [In mercy.]

 $<sup>^{47}</sup>$  MS sic.

**706** M Geoffrey Kneton np v Robert Stubbynges. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. In mercy.

**707** M Isabella Cramur np v Henry Clerk of Ilkeston. Plea: trespass and contempt. Nothing.

**708** RESPITE VOID John Balth[wayt] jnr <all below> complains of Robert in le Lane of *Hegham* <3+, licence>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Defaulted. Robert for a licence in mercy.

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of the exaltation of the HC in the above year [17 Sept 1433].

**709** RESPITE M John Manchestre, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Gybon Anderton of Lenton < licence >. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Gybon for a licence in mercy.

**710** LEVY M Thomas Beauchamp of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Otyngham <15+, convicted>. Plea: detinue of sheaves (*shefez*) of arrows worth 2s.4d. Defaulted for 15 court days. Adjudged that Thomas should recover v John 2s.4d. and 6d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**711** M John Balthwayt jnr complains of Robert in le Lane of *Hegham* <3+, licence>. Plea: trespass. Defaulted. Robert for a licence in mercy.

Roll 23

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Mary Magdalene 11 Henry VI [23 July 1433].

**712** [I]NO [PLG] PROS [JOHN] FENT, [ADAM] WENT William Parker of Chilwell, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Thomas Lenton of Nottingham <2+, essoin>. Plea: debt of 9s. He says that Thomas owes and unjustly detains 9s. for skins bought from him, which Thomas should have paid at Whitsun ... <sup>48</sup>; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

713 INQ M PLG PROS ADAM HERT, JOHN SUERT Matthew Barnevyle, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Richard Stones of Nottingham, *barker* <+, licence>. Plea: debt of 2s. He says that Richard on Sat after the feast of St Chad 5 Henry VI [8 Mar 1427] bought a yard of red cloth for 2s. from him, to be paid at Easter following [20 Apr 1427]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Richard in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Richard for a licence in mercy.

**714** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN HERT, [ADAM] SUERT Nicholas Maple of Sneinton <np> in his own person complains of Nicholas Croftes and Margaret his wife. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Margaret on Tues before the feast of St Mary Magdalene 11 Henry VI [21 July 1433] with force and arms (fists) made an assault on Joan his daughter and servant, beat affrayed and maltreated her. Damages: 6s.8d. Nicholas and Margaret in their own persons come and say she is not guilty. Ing. Nicholas np.

715 JUDGEMENT PLG PROS JOHN WENT, RICHARD FENT William Martell of Bramcote, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of Thomas Snaynton and Margery (Marger') his wife of Nottingham. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. He says that William Rodyngton at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432] was retained with William Martell to serve him from Michaelmas for a year in husbandry (husbandre); on Whitsun Sun [31 May 1433] Thomas and Margery received William Rodyngton for a long time. Damages: 10s. He produces suit. Margery, being present in court, attached that she being under the power of her husband is not able to reply without him. William Martell says that by any allegation from his action she ought not to be precluded and says that she, without the assent of Thomas her husband and his acknowledgement, received William Rodyngton, William Martell's servant, for a long time. The trespass is with her and made without the assent of her husband (ideo cum ipsa de transgressione predicta rea exist' et sine assensu ipsius Thome fact'). She says that without Thomas her husband she seems unable to reply. He seeks judgement and his servant with damages to have been adjudged to himself for default of a sufficient reply. Judgement. As the court was not advised, they have day to the next [court].

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>48</sup> MS regnal year omitted.

716 JUDGEMENT PLG PROS JOHN COST, THOMAS WEST. RECOVERY OF 6s.8d. AND DAMAGES William Halyfax, by Roger Brerelegh and William Caunterbury his attornies, complains of William Thornton of Nottingham. Plea trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. He says that William Thornton at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432] was retained with William Halyfax to serve him from Michaelmas for a year in the service of husbandry (husbanery); 49 on Sun after the feast of St James [26 July 1433] without reasonable cause and licence William Thornton withdrew from William Halyfax's service. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. William Thornton in his own person comes and defends the force and says that he is not held to reply because it is not the wish of William Halyfax neither criminal (conciens...) nor any letters of attorney of William they have instantly to show. He seeks judgement. William Halyfax, by William Caunterbury his attorney, comes and [says] that by any allegation from his action he ought not to be barred as he says that from time out of mind the bailiffs should record (recordarent) the attorney for the plaintiff and he also says they have letters of attorney of William Halyfax which specifically show his wish (quod voluntatem suam inde satis specific' parat' monstrar'). He seeks judgement and the service of William Thornton with damages to have been adjudged to himself for default of a sufficient reply. Plg: John Fossebrook, butcher, mainperned for William Thornton under a pain of £10.

**717** M PLG PROS<sup>50</sup> John Morewode of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Maple of Sneinton, lately bailiff there <defaulted>. Plea: detinue of a gold noble weighing 7s.5d. Damages: 20d. John Maple waged law. He has day with 11 hands. Charged. Defaulted. Adjudged that John Morewode should recover v John Maple the noble weighing 7s.5d. and 20d. damages. John Maple in mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**718** M Robert Berecroft complains of William Fyssher of Bunny <5+, licence>. Plea: debt. Many defaults. William for a licence in mercy.

**719** M Henry Sotheron <np> complains of William Smyth of Loughborough. Plea: debt. Henry np. In mercy.

**720** M Thomas Flechre complains of William Hopwell < licence>. Plea: debt. William for a licence to agree in mercy.

 $<sup>^{49}</sup>$  MS sic.

<sup>50</sup> MS sic.

**721** M John Warde of Nottingham complains of John Hall of Basford < Plg: John Warde>. Plea: debt. Defaulted. John for a licence in mercy.

**722** M John Barrowe <np> complains of Thomas Snaynton and Margery (*Marger*') his wife. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. John np.

**723** M Robert Lorymer complains of John Lokyngton, *sadeler* < licence >. Plea: debt. John for a licence in mercy.

**724** M William Bonyngton of Coventry, *hosyer*, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of John Pynnyngton. Plea: debt. John for a licence in mercy.

**725** LEVY M William Bonyngton of Coventry, *hosyer*, by William Midilton his attorney, complains of John Pynnyngton of Nottingham <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 45s. arrears on his agreement. John in his own person comes and acknowledges. In mercy. Damages assessed at ...<sup>51</sup> He seeks execution of the body and committal to prison. Precept to levy.

**726** LEVY M Thomas Flechre of Nottingham complains of William Roos of Nottingham, sadeler <15+, convicted>. Plea: debt ...  $^{52}$  for ...  $^{45}$  Many defaults. Charged for 15 court days. Did not appear. Adjudged that Thomas should recover v William ...  $^{45}$  Damages: assessed at ...  $^{45}$  In mercy. Precept to levy.

Roll 23d

Forinsec pleas held on Wed the feast of St Oswald in the within year [5 Aug 1433].

**727** ESSOIN Thomas Lenton of Nottingham def v William Parker of Chilwell. Plea: debt. Essonr: Robert Hemp. Inq.

**728** M Found by inq that William Wayvyn is not guilty v John Warde. Adjudged that John should recover nothing v William but for his unjust suit in mercy.

#### **729** LEVY M

 $<sup>^{51}</sup>$  MS blank space.

 $<sup>^{52}</sup>$  MS blank space.

Found by inq that Thomas Sharp owes Richard Boney 3 loads of plaster (*iij lodes de plaster*') or 3s. Adjudged that Richard should recover v Thomas 3 loads of plaster or 3s. and 4d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

That John servant of John Neuton [?] of Nottingham trespassed v Richard Boney of Nottingham jnr to the value of 3s.4d. Respite of judgement to the coming of the recorder as the def says he ought to have a view *equi lesi* and as the court was not advised.

**730** LEVY M William Lemeryng owes William Parwych 13s. Adjudged that William Parwych should recover v William Lemeryng 13s. and 12d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**731** M BOTH PD John Howet for a licence to agree with John Castell in mercy. Plea: debt.

**732** M William Node lately of Colwick for a licence to agree with Richard Lawson of Nottingham in mercy. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace.

**733** M John Maunsfeld of Nottingham np v John Smyth of Hucknall. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. In mercy.

**734** PD M John Smyth of Hucknall np v John Maunsfeld. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. In mercy.

**735** M Richard Arnall of Nottingham for a licence with William Babyngton, kt, in mercy. Plea: debt.

**736** [LEVY M] Found by inq that Richard Wode, *baker*, detains to Thomas Nayler of Nottingham servant of John Morewode a [gold] ring [worth] 3s.4d. Adjudged that Thomas should recover v Richard the gold ring worth 3s.[4d. and] 4d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**737** M The jurors between Nicholas Parker pl and John Brockestowe, glover, def did not come: Robert Blakeburn, William Stuward, John Melburn, chapman (*chap'*), William Neuton, Walter Power. In mercy.

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Oswald in the above year [6 Aug 1433].

**738** INQ PLG PROS JOHN FENT, ADAM WENT Richard Wodehall complains of John Lokyngton, *sadeler* <2+, essoin>. Plea: debt of 4s. He says that John on the feast of St Martin 11 Henry VI [11 Nov 1432] bought from him 2 cow hides and 6 calf hides for 4s., to be paid at the feast of St Andrew following [30 Nov 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

739 INQ [PLG] PROS RICHARD EST, WILLIAM WEST Margaret Okeley and Robert Grysley, executors of the will of Robert Okeley, by William Caunterbury their attorney, complain of John Torlaton of Nottingham, *corviser* <essoin.

Acknowledges 20s.>. Plea: debt of £3. They say that he owes and unjustly detains £3 for the rent of a tenement on Long Row (*le Longrowe*) in which the same John now lives, which John should have paid at Michaelmas last [29 Sept 1432] 40s., on the feast of the annunciation of the BVM [25 Mar 1433] 20s; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 13s.4d. They produce suit. John in his own person comes and defends [the force] and acknowledges 20s. As to the rest, he says he owes them nothing. Inq.

**740** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE Robert Eveson of Prestwold, by W[illiam] Caunterbury his attorney, complains of William Wayvyn of Adbolton <essoin>. Plea: debt of 23d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 23d. for the pledge of Margery (*Marger'*), William's servant (*s'*), which William mainperned to pay at the feast of St Martin 9 Henry VI [11 Nov 1430]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. William Wayvyn in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**741** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN RUD, RICHARD RUD William Grene of Sneinton in his own person complains of Robert Laurence of Radcliffe. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Robert on Thur after the feast of St James 10 Henry VI [31 July 1432] with force and arms (staff) broke William's house and doors and took and carried off a net (*rethe*) worth 2s., a whittle (*thwytell*) worth 2d., 3 *stopelles* of wood for the leaps (*lez lepez*) worth 3d. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Robert in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Robert for a licence [in mercy].

**742** INQ M PLG PROS AS ABOVE The same William in his own person complains of the same Robert licence>. Plea: debt of 4s.6d. He says that Robert on the feast of St Chad 11 Henry VI [2 Mar 1433] bought 2 nets (*retha*) from William for 4s.6d., to be paid at Whitsun following [31 May 1433]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Robert in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Robert for a licence [in mercy].

**743** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE Thomas Haseclyff in his own person complains of John Cathorp of Sneinton. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on Fri before Ascension 11 Henry VI [15 May 1433] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off a fur skin of black lamb worth 3s. Damages: 5s. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

Roll 24 more before

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Oswald 11 Henry VI [6 Aug 1433].

744 INQ M PLG PROS JOHN WENT, ADAM FENT John Penkeston, *roper*, of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Warde of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 7s.4d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 7s.4d.: 20d. 8 double (*duplicat'*) *tetheres* and 2 pairs of traces (*traxum*) bought from him, 5s. for his labour for 15 days in autumn, 8d. borrowed, which John Warde should have paid at the feast of the nativity of the BVM 9 Henry VI [8 Sept 1430]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. John Warde comes and defends the force and acknowledges 2s.2d. In mercy. As to 5s.2d., he says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**745** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE Thomas Alestre of Nottingham, by William Caunterbury his attorney, complains of Thomas Clarell, *laborer*. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Thomas Clarell on Thur before the feast of St Peter advincula 11 Henry VI [30 July 1433] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off a gold ring worth 4s. Damages: 5s. He produces suit. Thomas Clarell in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Ing.

**746** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN REST, RICHARD EST Thomas Beauchamp in his own person complains of William servant of William Lemeryng < licence. Plg: his

master>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that William on Fri before Whitsun 11 Henry VI [29 May 1433] with force and arms (stone (*lapide*) hit and broke the shin of a sow worth 3s.4d. whereof 2 litters [?] (*leteres*) of the sow perished and were lost. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plg: William Lemeryng. William for a licence [in mercy].

**747** INQ M PLG PROS AS ABOVE John Penkeston of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of John Warde. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John Warde on Thur before the feast of the invention of the HC 10 Henry VI [1 May 1432] with force and arms (staff) made an assault on John Penkeston, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John Warde in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. John Penkeston np. In mercy.

748 INQ PLG PROS JOHN WEST, RICHARD REST John Warde in his own person complains of John Penkeston. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. He says that John Penkeston on Wed after the feast of the assumption [of the BVM] 10 Henry VI [20 Aug 1432] was retained with John Warde to serve him from the said feast to Michaelmas [29 Sept 1432] in husbandry (husbandr'); on Sat before the feast of St Bartholomew [23 Aug 1432] without reasonable cause and licence John Penkeston withdrew from John Warde's service. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. John Penkeston in his own person comes and defends [the force] and says he was not retained nor withdrew. Inq.

749 INQ M PLG PROS AS ABOVE Margery (*Marger*') Hastynges of Nottingham <np>, by William Caunterbury her attorney, complains of Joan Bromys. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. She says that Joan on Wed after the feast of St Laurence 11 Henry VI [12 Aug 1433] with force and arms (staff <*rocke*>) entered Margery's house against her wish and took and carried off a *ryll'* with 4 *leez* of thread worth 6d. arrested for the rent of a house for 8d. Damages: 12d. She produces suit. Joan in her own person comes and says she is not guilty. Inq. Plg: John Etwell.

**750** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE Robert Baceford in his own person complains of Thomas Smalley of Basingfield <essoin>. Plea: debt of 5s. He says that Thomas on the feast of St Peter advincula 10 Henry VI [1 Aug 1432] bought a horse from Robert worth 5s., to be paid at Easter following [12 Apr 1433]; he paid nothing

but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

751 INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE John Warde of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Penkeston of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 6s. He says that John Penk[eston] on Tues in Whitsun week 10 Henry VI [10 June 1432] bought a horse from John [Warde] for 6s., to be paid at the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist following [24 June 1432]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. John Penk[eston] in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

752 INQ PLG PROS JOHN WENT, ADAM FENT John Penkeston of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Warde. Plea: breach of covenant. He says that [John] Warde on Thur before the feast of the invention of the HC 10 Henry VI [1 May 1432] sold a horse for 6s. to John Penkeston, which John Warde ... <sup>53</sup> at Whitsun following maintained the horse to the value of 10s., for which John Penkeston at Whitsun [8 June 1432] only he was not able to have not to sell the horse beyond (*ultra*) the 6s. by which the action accrued to John Penk[eston] to seek v John Ward 4s. for the covenant as agreed to him; John Ward refused to maintain the covenant and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John Warde in his own person comes and defends the force and says he maintained no such covenant. Inq.

753 [INQ] PLG PROS AS ABOVE Alan Adderlegh, chaplain, by John Balth[wayt] jnr his attorney, complains of John Cathorp of Sneinton. Plea: detinue. He says that Alan on Tues in Easter week 11 Henry VI [14 Apr 1433] [delivered] in safe custody 13 black *heyb'* skins, ... not tawed and 3 well tawed worth 4s.4d., and a *furrur' inde fact'*, to restore on ... in Whitsun week following [31 May x 6 June 1433]; he restored nothing but unjustly detained and still [detains]. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and acknowledges the detinue of 13 black skins but not worth so much ... <sup>54</sup> He seeks the assessment of the court.

**754** M Richard Chestrefeld complains of Thomas Mariot of Ilkeston < licence >. Plea: debt. Thomas for a licence [in mercy]. Plg: the same Richard.

 $<sup>^{53}</sup>$  MS damaged.

 $<sup>^{54}</sup>$  MS etc.

**755** PD M John Serjaunt complains of William Jonson of Gotham licence>. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.

**756** M Robert Berecroft complains of William Colman < licence>. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.

**757** LEVY M John Mountgomery, by William Midilton, his attorney, complains of John Cathorp of Sneinton. Plea: detinue ... horn gilt with silver and gold worth 10s. and a purse (*pursill'*) ... worth 3s.4d. John comes and acknowledges. Damages discharged. Adjudged that John Mountgomery should recover v John Ca[thorp] ... In mercy. Precept to levy. He seeks execution of the body and committal to prison.

Roll 24d

Top damaged and faint

**758** ... Matilda (*Matild'*) Dyvett in her own person complains of William ... of Nottingham. Plea: debt 16s. ... for 2 *grisell* horses [?] with *ca' longa* worth 5s., a horse ... outstanding in Matilda's custody for the debt ... restored 2 horses to the court. Plg: John Dorham ... 2 horses for John Jolyvett snr, John Warde, Nicholas Bochour and William Jell.

**759** M Henry Robynson complains of Henry Nedeham <2+, licence>. Plea: debt. Henry Nedeham for a licence in mercy. Plg: William Ca...

760 INQ M PLG PROS AS ABOVE John Whitehonde of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Cathorp of Sneinton <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 2s.10d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 2s.10d. for the pledge of John Cathorp paid to John Horspole and John Fraunceys lately bailiffs for certain contracts, which John Cathorp should have paid on the feast of St Peter advincula 8 Henry VI [1 Aug 1430]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John Cathorp in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. John Cathorp acknowledges. Damages assessed at 1d.

**761** RESPITE M William Martell of Bramcote pl <np>, by William Midilton his attorney, and Margery (*Marger*') wife of [Thomas] ... Sneinton def [come].

Thomas does not come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised. Roll 23.

**762** RESPITE William Halyfax <he should recover the service and 6s.8d. damages>, by William Caunterbury his attorney, [comes]. William Thornton does not come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised. Precept to have William Thornton's body. Roll 23.

**763** RESPITE Richard Boney jnr and John servant of John Neuton [come]. Day given [to the parties] to the next court to hear their judgement as the court was not advised. Roll 23.

**764** RESPITE Hugh Jonson pl and Thomas Okeley of Newthorpe def [come. Day] given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised. Roll 19.

765 INQ LEVY M PLG PROS AS ABOVE John Chaumberleyn of Nottingham complains of William Hopwell <essoin>. Plea: debt of 11d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 11d. for his [labour] raising hay from the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist 11 Henry VI [24 June 1433] for 6 days immediately following, which William should have paid on the feast of the translation of St Thomas the martyr following [7 July 1433]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. William comes and defends the force and acknowledges 6d. In mercy. As to 5d., he says he owes him nothing. Ing.

**766** LEVY M William Jell complains of William Benett <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 15d. for meat. William Benett acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**767** PD M William Burton, *irenmonger*, in his own person complains of Thomas Staresmore of Walsall. Plea: debt of 17s. They are agreed. Both assessed by the court.

Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of the assumption of the BVM in the above year [19 Aug 1433].

768 INQ ESSOINS

John Lokyngton, *sadeler*, def v Richard Wodehall pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hunt. Inq.

John Torlaton def v Margaret Okeley and Robert Grysley pls. Plea: debt. Essonr: Nicholas Punt. Inq.

William Wayvyn def v Robert Eveson pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Adam Hampton. Inq. William Hopwell def v John Chaumberleyn. Plea: debt. Essonr: Gardyner Costyn. Inq.

Thomas Smalley def v Robert Baceford. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hert. Inq.

**769** LEVY M Found by inq that Nicholas Parker should recover v John Brockestowe, *glover*, 18d. and 2d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**770** LEVY M Found by inq that Thomas Lenton owes William Parker of Chilwell 9s. Adjudged that William should recover v Thomas 9s. and 4d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**771** LEVY M Found by inq that Thomas Haseclyff should recover v John Cathorp 8d. for a trespass because Thomas so agreed before the inq. John in mercy. Precept to levy.

## **772** LEVY M

Found by inq that John Penkeston should recover v John Warde 5s.2d. 2s.2d. acknowleged. Damages: 8d. [Precept to] levy.

That Thomas Clarell, <sup>55</sup> *laborer*, trespassed v Thomas Alestre to the value of 3s.4d. Adjudged that Thomas Alestre should recover v Thomas Clarell 3s.4d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**773** M Found by inq that John Warde should recover nothing v John Penkeston. Plea: trespass and contempt. In mercy for his unjust suit.

## **774** LEVY M

Found by inq that John Warde should recover v John Penkeston 6s.8d. and 6d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

That John Penkeston should recover nothing v John Warde. Plea: breach of covenant. For his unjust suit in mercy.

<sup>55</sup> MS Slarell'.

**775** LEVY M Found by inq that Alan Cranwell should recover v John Cathorp 13 black lambskins worth 3s. Damages discharged. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

Roll 25 nothing before

Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of the assumption of the BVM 11 Henry VI [20 Aug 1433].

776 INQ PLG PROS [JOHN] COST, [ADAM] FOX John Bryges of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Barrowe of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 2s.4d. He says that John Cathorp of Sneinton on Wed in Easter week 9 Henry VI [4 Apr 1431] bought a fox fur for 2s.4d. from John Bryges, to be paid at Whitsun following [20 May 1431]. For greater security John Barrowe on the said Wed became the pledger and fidejussor of John Cathorp to John Bryges and agreed to pay 2s.4d. at the said feast if John Cathorp should not pay; he paid nothing by which [the action] accrued to John Bryges to seek 2s.4d. v John Barrowe; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John Barrowe in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

777 INQ [PLG] PROS [ADAM] FOX, [JOHN] WEST William Jonson of Nottingham, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Nicholas Brunnesley, parson of the church of Eastwood <essoin by assent>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Nicholas on Wed after the feast of the invention of the HC 10 Henry VI [7 May 1432] with force and arms (staff) took and led away 20 *plaustra* loads of sea coals (*xx*<sup>ti</sup> lodez plaustr' carbon' marit') worth 21s.2d. Damages: 26s.8d. He produces suit. Nicholas in his own person comes and defends [the force] and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**778** PD M John Huson of Nottingham, *webster*, complains of Gerard Duchesman and Margeret his wife. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Gerard and Margaret for a licence in mercy.

**779** M John Balth[wayt] jnr of Nottingham <np>, by W[illiam] Caunterbury his attorney, complains of Henry Fermer of Carlton. Plea: debt of a bushel of corn worth 2s. outstanding on a horse. Henry waged law with 6 hands. He comes. John np. In mercy.

**780** M Thomas Beauchamp complains of John Otyngham < licence>. Plea: trespass and contempt. John for a licence [in mercy]. Plgs: the same [Thomas], John Wylbram.

**781** M The same Thomas complains of the same John < licence>. Plea: detinue. John [for a licence] in mercy. Plgs: the same Thomas, John Wylbram.

**782** M William Cotyngham of Newark in Notts. complains of Simon Ilkeston of Nottingham, mercer (*merc'*) <4+, has given essoin, acknowledges, Sat>. William Cotyngham attornied John Ode of Nottingham v Simon Ilkeston. Plea: debt.

Simon Ilkeston of Nottingham, mercer (*merc'*), summoned to reply to William Cotyngham of Newark in Notts. Plea: that he should render £6 18s. which he owes and unjustly detains. William, by the said John his attorney, says that Simon on 12 Mar 10 Henry VI [1432] by a bond, which William offered in court, agreed and firmly bound himself to William in £6 18s., to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1432]; he rendered nor paid nothing but refused to render or pay and still refuses. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. William says that the bond was made at Nottingham within the jurisdiction of this court. Simon in his own person comes and defends the force and acknowledges the bond as his. William, by John his attorney, acknowledges himself satisfied of £4. Adjudged that William should recover v Simon 48s. to fulfill (*complement'*) the bond and 12d. damages. Simon in mercy. Precept to levy.

**783** M John Balthwayt jnr complains of Roger Wayte < licence >. Plea: debt. Roger for a licence [in mercy]. Plg: the same John.

784 PD M Robert Wakeleyn of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Fyssher, serjeant (*servient'*) <paid, licence>. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance (1349) and statute of labourers. He says that John on the feast of the purification of the BVM 11 Henry VI [2 Feb 1433] was retained with Robert to serve him from the said feast for a term of 2½ years following as a mercer (*in arte et offic' mercer'*); John on Sun after the feast of the close of Easter last [26 Apr 1433] without reasonable cause and licence withdrew from Robert's service. Damages: 100s. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and acknowledges that he was retained with the pl and he withdrew from his service. As to damages, he seeks the assessment of the

court. Respite to the next court concerning judgement of restoration as the court was not advised. Afterwards, John Fyssher for a licence to agree in mercy.

**785** M Richard Chestrefeld of Nottingham, by William Midilton, his attorney, complains of Thomas Mariot of Ilkeston <2+, acknowledges 12d.>. Plea: debt of 4s. Summoned. Has day on Sun following at the first hour. Thomas charged. Did not appear. He has day at the first hour on Mon following. Thomas charged. Did not appear. The bailiffs return that he has nothing within their bailliwick by which he can be distrained. Caption. Thomas attached. Adjudged that [Richard should recover v Thomas] 56 4s. and 6d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. Plg: ...

**786** [M] John Ireland complains of John Mapurley of Radford. Plea: debt. John Mapurley for a licence in mercy. Plg: Robert Clapam.

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787 [LEVY M William Skynner,] by William Midilton his attorney, complains of William Baceford <15+> [Plea: debt of 10s.6d.] He says that [William Baceford] on Sat after the feast of the assumption of the BVM ... 10s.6d. bought, to be paid to William Skynner at Michaelmas [following]; he paid nothing but refused to pay [and still refuses]. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. William Baceford summoned. ... Defaulted. [On which] William Skynner [seeks judgement] and his debt with damages to have been adjudged to himself. Adjudged that William Skynner [should recover v William] Baceford 10s.6d. and 6d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**788** [RESPITE] Hugh Jonson [and] Thomas Okeley do not come. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised.

**789** [RESPITE] Richard Boney jnr and John servant of John Neuton [come]. Day given to the parties to the next [court] to hear their judgement as the court was not advised.

**790** RESPITE The [plea] between John Wakelyn pl and John Fyssher def together with their judgement rests to the next [court] as the court was not advised.

Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of St Giles 12 Henry VI [2 Sept 1433].

**791** INQ ESSOIN Nicholas Brunnesley, parson of the church of Eastwood, def v William Jonson pl. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace.

**792** LEVY M Found by inq that John Barrowe owes John Bryges 2s.4d. Adjudged that John Bryges should recover v John Barrowe 2s.4d. and 1d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**793** M The jurors between Richard Wodehall pl and John Lokyngton def, and between Margery (*Marger'*) Okeley and John Torlaton, did not come: Richard Wolaton, Robert Holand, John Mason, *barker*, William Baceford, William Tailliour, *cook*, Thomas Lynges, William Brookes. In mercy.

**794** M The jurors between John Chaumberleyn pl and William Hopwell def did not come: Robert Farlegh, John Sollers, John Spenser, Richard Ivinett, John Norton, *taillour*, Robert Rodes, Henry Hugyn, John Fullage. In mercy.

**795** M The jurors between Robert Baceford pl and Thomas Smalley def did not come: Henry Fulwode, John Wright, *Brodmerssh*, John Annesley, John Spycer, William Ellesworth, William Bochour, William Flechre, Walter Lere, William Forster, *bochour*. In mercy.

**796** M William Wayvyn for a licence to agree with Robert Yveson in mercy. Plea: debt.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>56</sup> MS [...] omitted.