

**1435 x 1436**

**Forinsec pleas held on Fri after Michaelmas 14 Henry VI [30 Sept 1435] before John Orgrave, mayor, Alexander Mylngate and Robert Coe, bailiffs.**

**1** LEVY M William Balne by John Ody his attorney complains of Richard Boney <3+, acknowledges> of Nottingham, *mercere'*. Plea: debt on demand of 29s.4d. Plg pros: John Cost, Adam Fox. Many defaults. Richard in his own person comes and acknowledges 29s.4d. as contained in a bond. Adjudged that William should recover v Richard 29s.4d. and 4d. damages assessed by the court. Richard in mercy. Precept to the bailiffs.

**2** FINE PAID 6d. BAILIFFS Agnes of Annesley of Burton Joyce (*Burtonjorce*), by Richard Dalbury her attorney, complains of Thomas Creswell <acknowledges> her servant. Plea: trespass and contempt that he withdrew from her service. Attached. Thomas in his own person comes and acknowledges his withdrawal. Adjudged that Agnes should recover the service of Thomas. Damages: 6d. Allowed to make a fine. Fine: 6d. Let him be delivered [to prison].

SUNDAY<sup>1</sup>

**3** INQ PLG PROS JOHN HERT, ADAM SMERT <rests, default of jurors> Roger Parry of Leake, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Tailliour. Plea: trespass and contempt. Precept to John Ode, serjeant, to attach John for Mon after Michaelmas [3 Oct 1435]. He returns that John has nothing in his bailliwick by which he can be attached. Precept to take the body. The serjeant returns that he has the body of John Tailliour by the mainpern of John Bower. John Tailliour charged and made default. Precept to John Ode, serjeant, to reattach John Tailliour by [his] body. John Bower to fine with the king. John Tailliour comes and seeks to be allowed to reply. Allowed. Roger, by his attorney, complains that Joan, Roger's servant (*servien'*), was retained with him from Michaelmas 14 Henry VI [29 Sept 1435] for a year in housewifery (*huswyfrie*); John Tailliour on Sat after Michaelmas [1 Oct 1435] retained and received Joan in his service and still retains. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he neither received nor retains such a servant. Inq.

**4** INQ PLG PROS JOHN FENT, ADAM WENT Richard Cotes of Nottingham, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of Henry Bonyngton of the same <essoin>. Plea: debt of 6s. He says that Henry on the feast of exaltation of the HC 14 Henry VI [14 Sept 1435] borrowed 6s. from Richard to be paid on the feast of St Matthew following [21 Sept 1435]; 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.

**5** [INQ] ... Robert Cook of Lenton, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of William Jonson of Stapleford <essoin>. Plea: debt of 8d. He says that William on the feast of St Peter advincula 10 Henry VI [1 Aug 1432] bought from Robert a pair of shoes 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 Jonson, by Richard Barbour his attorney, comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**6** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE <rests, default of jurors> John Balthwayt in his own person complains of Peter Grenwode. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Peter on Sun after the feast of the exaltation of the HC 14 Henry VI [18 Sept 1435] with force and arms (staff) chased with a white dog, took and unjustly impounded (*imparcavit*) divers animals, a bullock, two cows [and] three calves, and extorted 7d. for the animals. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. Peter in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**7** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE <rests, default of jurors> Peter Grenwode, *pynder* of Sneinton, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of John Balthwayt. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on Sat after Michaelmas 14 Henry VI [1 Oct 1435] with force and arms (bow and arrows) made an assault on Peter, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**8** PAID M Henry Robynson of Awsworth for a licence to agree with John Horspole snr in mercy. Plea: debt.

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**9** INQ PLG PROS ROBERT COST, JOHN FOX William Halyfax of Nottingham and William Heton of Wync..., by Richard Barbour their attorney, complain of John Castell <acknowledges> and Hugh Forster, lately bailiffs of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 35s. They say that William and William on Mon after the feast of St Matthew 13 Henry VI [27 Sept 1434] within the pleas of the fair Richard Boney and [John Wilbram] were impleaded for £3 4s., whereof 35s. owed for the execution of Richard and John Wilbram were not levied by John Castell and Hugh the bailiffs; John and Hugh paid nothing and refused to pay and still refuse. Damages: 6s.8d. They produce suit. John Castell and Hugh in their own persons come and defend the force and say they owe them nothing. Inq. Hugh comes and acknowledges. Damages assessed at 20d. He in mercy. Precept to levy.

**10** INQ PLG PROS ADAM WEST, JOHN FENT Henry Hugyn <np> of Nottingham in his own person complains of Margaret Dyester of Nottingham, *laborer*. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. He says that Margaret was retained with him on Mon after the assumption of the BVM 14 Henry VI [22 Aug 1435] to the feast of St Martin following [11 Nov 1435] in housewifery (*huswyfrie*); on Tues after Michaelmas [4 Oct 1435] Margaret withdrew from his service without cause. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. Margaret in her own person comes and defends the force and says she was not retained or withdrew from his service. Inq.

**11** INQ M PLEG PROS AS ABOVE The same Henry <np> in his own person complains of the same Margaret. Plea: detinue of a spoon worth 2s. He says that he on Sun after Michaelmas 14 Henry VI [2 Oct 1435] delivered in safe custody to Margaret a silver spoon worth 2s., a linen sheet worth ...,<sup>2</sup> a towel (*towell*) worth ...,<sup>3</sup> to be restored to Henry on Mon following [3 October 1435]; she restored nothing but unjustly detains and refuses [to restore them]. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Margaret in her own person comes and defends the force and says she detains<sup>4</sup> no such things. Inq.

**12** PAID M Nicholas Mylner of Nottingham complains of John Chapleyn <licence> of Radcliffe. Plea: debt. John for a licence in mercy.

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**Forinsec pleas held on Wed the feast of St Wilfrid in the [same] year [12 Oct 1435].**

**13 INQ ESSOINS**

Henry Bonyngton def v Richard Cotes of Nottingham. Plea debt. Essonr: John Ode. Inq.

William Jonson of Stapleford def v Robert Cook of Lenton. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Went. Inq.

**14 LEVY M** Found by inq that Alan Goushill, *loksmyth*, of Nottingham owes William Babyngton, kt, and Robert Wychard, chaplain, 19s. Adjudged that William and Robert should recover v Alan 19s. and 8d. damages. Alan in mercy. Precept to levy.

**15 M DIS** The jurors between Roger Parre pl and John Taillour def, and between Richard Cotes pl and Henry Bonyngton def, did not come: John Lockyngton, *wever*, John Rotheley, William Steward, William Hill, John Spycer, *barbour*, Henry Sotheron, Nicholas Odham. In mercy. Dis.

**16 M DIS** The jurors between Robert Cook pl and William Jonson def, and between John Balth[wayt] pl and Peter Grenwode def, did not come: Adam Knotte, *pewtrer*, Alan Goushill, John Shagh, *coteler*, Richard Alrede, John Yvenet, Edward Coteler.<sup>5</sup> In mercy. Dis.

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**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Wilfrid 14 Henry VI [13 Oct 1435].**

**17 INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX** Thomas Okore of Nottingham, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of Nicholas Milner of Nottingham <essoins>. Plea: debt of 12s.4d. He says that Nicholas owes and unjustly detains 12s.4d. for the mainpern of Nicholas Mylner of Lenton which Nicholas Mylner of Nottingham should have paid for the farm of Thomas' mill at Nottingham for the month of June 13 Henry VI [1435], taken for Nicholas Mylner of Lenton at the feast of St Peter advincula following [1 Aug 1435]; he paid nothing but refused to

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<sup>5</sup> MS followed by *Johannes*.

pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. Nicholas Mylner in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**18** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE John Lokyer of Derby <np, plg of Richard Dalbury>, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of John Smyth, *lokyer*, of Nottingham. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. He says that John Smyth was retained by John Lokyer on the feast of St Peter advincola 13 Henry VI [1 Aug 1435] to serve him for one year as a *lokker*; on Wed before Michaelmas 14 Henry VI [28 Sept 1435] John Smyth without reasonable cause withdrew from his service. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. John Smyth in his own person comes and defends the force and says he was not retained or withdrew. Inq. Np.

**19** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN WENT, ADAM FENT Henry Smalley of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of Henry Nayler of Langley in the parish of Heanor. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. He says that Margery (*Marg'ia*) Nayler, daughter of Henry, was retained at Whitsun 12 Henry VI [16 May 1434] for one year with Henry Smalley in housewifery (*huswyfrye*). Henry Nayler on the feast of the assumption of the BVM [following] [15 Aug 1434] retained and received Margery and still retains her. Damages: 10s. He produces suit. Henry Nayler in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plgs: Thomas Irenmonger, Thomas Shoter. Np.

**20** INQ M PLG PROS AS ABOVE The same Henry Nayler <np, plg of Thomas Irenmonger> in his own person complains of the same Henry Smalley. Plea: debt of 4s.4d. He says that Henry S[malley] at Whitsun 12 Henry VI [16 May 1434] for 4s.4d. retained Margery (*Marger'*) Nayler, daughter of Henry Nayler, in housewifery (*huswyfrie*), which he should have paid at the feast of the assumption of the BVM following [15 Aug 1434]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. Henry Smalley in his own person comes and defends the force and says that Margery withdrew from his service before the agreed term, and he owes him nothing. Inq. Np. Plg: Thomas Irenmonger.

**21** LEVY M William Baxster, *corviser*, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Gelbert <2+>. Plea: [debt] of 11s.2d. for his amercement v Roger Wyllington.

Many defaults. John Gylbert comes and acknowledges. Damages assessed at 2s. Precept to levy. William seeks execution of the body. Allowed. Imprisoned.

**22** M Joan Glade, by John Ode her attorney, complains of Richard Coton of Nottingham <licence>. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. Richard for a licence in mercy. Plg: Thomas Alestre.

**23** M John Hare complains of Robert Selby, *wright*, <3+, licence. Plg: Geoffrey K[neton]>. Plea: debt. Robert for a licence in mercy. Plg: Geoffrey Kneton.

**24** LEVY M John Cryche of Radford in his own person complains of John Ewer <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 13s.4d. for three steers (*bovicl*). John Ewer comes, by Richard Dalbury his attorney and acknowledges 13s.4d. Damages discharged. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**25** M Joan, queen of England, by Richard Dalbury her attorney, complains of Thomas Stokes <2+, licence> and William Whitehals. Plea: debt of 20s. and 20d. old damages. Thomas and William for a licence in mercy.

**26** M James Wyntworth, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of [Thomas Stokes and] William Whitehals. Plea: debt of 23s. and 20d. old damages. Thomas and William for a licence in mercy.

**Forinsec pleas held before John Orgrave, mayor, etc., on Tues after the feast of St Romanus the bishop 14 Henry VI [25 Oct 1435].**

**27** ... PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX Isabella widow of John Robert attorns Richard Foston of Nottingham v Agnes widow of Roger Wyngreworth. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Precept to Richard Dalbury, serjeant at mace of the bailiffs, to attach Agnes for Wed [after] the feast of St Crispin and St Crispian following [26 Oct 1435]. The same day given to Isabella. On which day the serjeant at mace returns that Agnes has nothing within the liberty of Nottingham by which he is able to attach. Precept to the [serjeant] at mace to take Agnes' body and have her before the mayor on Thur before the feast of St Simon and St Jude [27 Oct 1435]. The same day given to Isabella. On which day the serjeant returns that he has Agnes' body. Agnes attached to reply to Isabella. Isabella complains that, etc., on the dorse of this roll.

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**Forinsec pleas held on Wed before the feast of St Simon and St Jude in the year within [26 Oct 1435].**

**28 ESSOINS**

Nicholas Mylner of Nottingham def v Thomas Okor' pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hunt. Inq.

John Byrchover of Nottingham def v William Barker pl by assent of the parties. Plea: trespass and contempt. Inq.

**29 PAID M** John Taylliour for a licence to agree with Roger Parre of Leake in mercy. Plea: trespass and contempt.

**30 LEVY M** Henry Bonyngton comes, by Richard barbour [his attorney], and acknowledges 5s. v Richard Cotes of Nottingham. Plea: debt. Damages assessed at 2d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**31 LEVY M** William Jonson of Stapleford acknowledges 8d. v Robert Cook of Lenton. Plea: debt. Damages assessed at 2d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**32 M** John Balthwayt np v Peter Evenwode of Sneinton. Plea: trespass against [the king's] peace. In mercy.

**33** The same Peter np v the same John. Plea: trespass against [the king's] peace. In mercy. Plg: John Ewer.

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St Simon and St Jude in the said year [27 Oct 1435].**

**34 INQ PLG PROS ADAM WENT, JOHN FENT** John Toton of Ilkeston, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of William Joly of Nottingham. Plea: detinue of a sword worth 2s.4d. He says that John on Sat before [the feast] of the nativity of the BVM 14 Henry VI [3 Sept 1435] delivered to William in safe custody a sword worth 2s.4d. for burnishing (*ad furburandum*) and to restore to John on Sat after Michaelmas following [1 Oct 1435]; he restored nothing but unjustly detained and still detains. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he does not detain the sword. Inq.

**35** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE John Ireland of Nottingham, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of William Mascury of Sneinton <essoyn>. Plea: debt of 4s.11d. He says that William owes and unjustly detains 4s.11d. for the rent of a shop leased to William which he should have paid at Easter 13 Henry VI [17 Apr 1435]; 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. Inq.

**36** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE William Steward of Nottingham, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of John Archer of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 7d. He says that John on Sat after the feast of invention of the HC 13 Henry VI [7 May 1435] bought a horse-collar (*coler eq'*) from William, to be paid on the feast of nativity of St John the Baptist following [24 June 1435]; 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.

**37** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE Nicholas Loscowe of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of William Joly of Nottingham. Plea: detinue of a baselard worth 26s.8d. He says that Nicholas on Sat after the feast of invention of the HC 11 Henry VI [9 May 1433] delivered the baselard in safe custody which William should have restored to Nicholas on the feast of nativity of St John the Baptist [24 June 1433]; he restored nothing but unjustly detained and still detains. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he does not detain the baselard. Inq. Nicholas np.

**38** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE Isabella widow of John Robert of Eastwood <np>, by Richard Foston her attorney, complains of Agnes widow of Roger Wyngre worth of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. She says that Agnes with others unknown on Mon after the feast of Corpus Christi 13 Henry VI [20 June 1435] with force and arms (staffs) took and carried off a great bronze pot worth 6s.8d. Damages: 100s. She produces suit. Agnes in her own person comes and says she is not guilty. As to the trespass, she says that when Isabella submits that the pot to have been unjustly taken on the said day, Agnes says that the pot was in her own free tenement and was a true distraint taken for arrears of rent, and so no trespass was made to Isabella. Isabella says that the pot was unjustly taken. Inq. Plgs: Robert Dawe, parson of St Peter's church, Nottingham, Thomas Roley.



**39** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE Richard Foston of Nottingham in his own person complains of John son of Roger of Wingerworth <licence. Plgs: John Etwell, John Lovell>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on Mon after the feast of St James 13 Henry VI [1 Aug 1435] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off a bronze pot worth 6s.8d. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. As to the trespass, when Richard submits the pot to have been unjustly taken, he says that he, as the bailiff of Agnes widow of Roger Wyngreworth, took it for a true distraint on a tenement for arrears of rent by Agnes' command and so no trespass was made to Richard. Inq. Plgs: John Etwell, John Lovell.

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**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St Simon and St Jude 14 Henry VI [27 Oct 1435].**

**40** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN IRELAND, JOHN ODE John Perot of Annesley, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Burley of Selston <licence. Plg: J[ohn] Ode>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John Burley on Sat after the feast of St Simon and St Jude 14 Henry VI [29 Oct 1435] at Nottingham with force and arms (baslard, bows and arrows) lay in ambush and made an assault on John Perot, beat, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 40s.<sup>6</sup> He produces suit. John Burley in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**41** JUDGEMENT M PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX John Ewer of Nottingham, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of John Alfurton <15+, convicted, Tues>. Plea: debt. He unjustly detains 8s.6d. for divers spices bought on a certain day at Nottingham. John Alfurton attached by a horse worth ...<sup>7</sup> Charged for 15 court-days. Did not appear. 15 defaults. On which defaults John Ewer seeks judgement and his debt with damages according to the law and custom of Nottingham. Adjudged that John Ewer should recover v John Alfurton 8s.6d. and ...<sup>8</sup> John Alfurton in mercy.

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**42** LAW LEVY M PLG PROS ADAM WENT, JOHN FENT William Shyrwode of Derby, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of Roger Neuton of Nottingham <default of law>. Plea: debt of 3s.4d. He says that Roger on Wed after the feast of St Valentine 6 Henry V [15 Feb 1419] bought from William a doublet (*duplum*) of worsted (*wolstede*) worth 6s.8d. to be paid at Easter following [16 Apr 1419], yet paid only 3s.4d.; he paid nothing further but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. Roger in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Law. He has day on Thur following at the first hour with 8 hands. William charged and appeared. Roger charged and does not appear. William seeks judgement and his debt with damages for default of law by the view of the court. Adjudged that William should recover v Roger 3s.4d. and 2s. damages. Roger in mercy.

**43** M John Wylbram <np> in his own person complains of Robert Selby <3+>. Plea: debt. John np. In mercy.

**44** M John Smalley of Eastwood, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Dey of Granby <+, licence>. Plea: debt of 22d. John Dey for a licence in mercy. Plg: William Baxster.

**45** PAID M Ralph in le Wroo of *Ragdale* complains of Nicholas Brunnesley <licence>, rector of Eastwood. Plea: breach of covenant. Nicholas for a licence in mercy.

**46** PAID M Alice Dyvett complains of Samson Strelley <licence>. Plea debt. Samson for a licence in mercy.

**47** M William Plasterer of Nottingham <np> complains of Henry Storer. Plea: debt. William np. In mercy.

**48** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX William Dey of Moor Green (*del Moregrene*) in the parish of Greasley, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Henry Hugyn of Nottingham, *bochr'*. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Henry on Sat after the feast of All Saints 14 Henry VI [5 Nov 1435] at Nottingham with force and arms (*cote an<sup>ce</sup> a whelston'*) [?] made an assault on William, beat, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 5m. He produces suit. Henry in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**49** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN WENT, ADAM FENT Thomas Okor of Nottingham, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of William Tailliour of Nottingham, *laborer* <licence>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that William on Sat after the feast of All Saints 14 Henry VI [5 Nov 1435] with force and arms (dagger) made homsoken on Thomas and all his household (*familiam*), affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. William for a licence in mercy.

**50** INQ PLG PROS JOHN HALE, HENRY BAR Alan Loksmyth of Nottingham in his own person complains of Walter Storthes of Nottingham. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. Walter at the feast of St Martin 13 Henry VI [11 Nov 1434] was retained with Alan to serve from the said feast for one year as a *lokker* and for a term of 3 years following; on Fri after the feast of All Saints following [5 Nov 1434] Walter without cause withdrew from Alan's service. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. Walter in his own person comes and defends the force and says he was not retained or withdrew from his service. Inq. Plg: Hugh Bladesmyth.

**51** [INQ] ... William Sparoo of Nottingham, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Harebaroo of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on Wed after the feast of All Saints 14 Henry VI [2 Nov 1435] with force and arms (fists) made an assault on William, beat, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. John Harbaroo in [his own person comes] and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**52** [INQ] ... William Tailliour of Nottingham complains of William Mascury. Plea: debt of 13d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 13d. for the cleaning out of a well (*fundacione unius fontis*) which he should have paid at Epiphany last [6 Jan 1435]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: ...<sup>9</sup> He produces suit. William Mascury in his own person comes and defends the force and says that when William Mascury ... to William Tailliour for the cleaning out of a well (*ad fundacionem acque in predicta fonte hauriendam*), which cleaning out ... fixed nothing, and he says he owes him nothing. Inq.

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**53** [INQ] ... William Mascury in his own person complains of William Taillour of Nottingham, *laborer*. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. William Taillour on ... St Denis 13 Henry VI [c 9 Oct 1434] was retained with William Mascury to serve William Mascury ... feast of St Denis [c 9 Oct 1434] to the feast of St Simon and St Jude [28 Oct 1434] to clean out a well (*in officio fundatoris unius fontis ita quod poterit aquam inde haurien*); William Taillour on the feast of St Wilfrid following [12 Oct 1434] without cause withdrew from William's service. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. William Taillour in his own person comes and defends the force and says he was not retained or withdrew from his service. [Inq.] Plg: John Ireland.

**54** M William Brook <np> in his own person complains of Edmund Cook of ...<sup>10</sup> <2+>. Plea: debt. William ...

**55** M John Radford of Nottingham complains of Henry Robynson <licence. Plg: Richard Dalbury>. Plea: debt. Henry for a licence in mercy. Plg: [Richard Dalbury].

**56** M John Keysier <np> complains of John Alcle of Muskham. Plea: debt. John Keyser np. In mercy.

**57** M The same John Keyser <np> complains of John Webster of the same. Plea: trespass. John Keysier np. In mercy.

**58** [M] ... The same John Keyser <np> complains of John Webster of Holme. Plea: trespass. John Keysier np. In mercy.

**59** [M] ... Isabella widow of John Robert of Eastwood np v Agnes widow of Roger Wyngreworth of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. In mercy. Agnes goes without day.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed before the feast of St Martin in the above year [9 Nov 1435].**

**60** ESSOIN William Mascury of Sneinton def v John Ireland of Nottingham. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hert. Inq.

**61** LEVY M Found by inq that Nicholas Mylner of Nottingham owes Thomas Okore of Nottingham 12s.4d. Adjudged that Thomas should recover v Nicholas 12s.4d. and 12d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**62** LEVY M Found by inq that William Joly of Nottingham detains a sword worth 20d. of John Toton of Ilkeston. Adjudged that John should recover the sword worth 20d. v William and 2d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy. William Steward should recover v John Archre 7d. and 1d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**63** LEVY M Found by inq that Henry Hugyn is guilty v William Deye of Moor Green (*del Moregrene*) in the parish of Greasley. Plea: trespass against the king's peace worth 16d. Adjudged that William Deye should recover v Henry 16d. In mercy. Precept to the bailiffs to make 16d. for William's use.

**64** LEVY M Found by inq that Walter Storthes of Nottingham was retained with Alan Loksmyth. Adjudged that Alan should recover Walter's service. That Walter withdrew from Alan's service. Adjudged that Alan should recover Walter's service and 4d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**65** M Found by inq that John Harebaroo of Nottingham is not guilty v William Sparoo of Nottingham. Plea: trespass [against the king's peace]. Adjudged that William should recover nothing v John but for his unjust suit in mercy.

**66** LEVY M RESPITE OF JUDGEMENT M Found by inq that William Mascury owes William Taylliour 13d. Adjudged that William Tailliour should recover v William Mascury 13d. and 1d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. That William Tailliour was retained with William Mascury and withdrew from his service. As this plea was moved outside the terms agreed, William Mascury should recover v William Tailliour 4d. damages. Respite of judgement as he says that the plea is not sufficient ...<sup>11</sup>

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St Martin in the above year [10 Nov 1435].**

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**67** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM COST William Joly of Nottingham in his own person complains of John Whitehonde and Margery (*Marger'*) his wife. Plea: detinue of a sword worth 2s.4d. He says that William on Sat after the feast of St Peter and St Paul 13 Henry VI [2 July 1435] delivered the sword in safe custody to John and Margery to be returned to William on the feast of St Peter advincula following [1 Aug 1435]; they returned nothing but unjustly detained and still detain. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John in his own person, and Margery by John her husband and attorney, come and defend the force and say they detain no such sword. Inq.

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**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St Martin 14 Henry VI [10 Nov 1435].**

**68** X BURGESS INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX Thomas Roley of Nottingham, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of Ralph Vescy of Nottingham. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. John Vescy on the feast of All Saints 14 Henry VI [1 Nov 1435] was retained with Thomas to serve from the feast of All Saints for a year in husbandry (*husbandre*). Ralph Vescy on Sun before the feast of St Martin 14 Henry VI [6 Nov 1435] retained and received John his servant and still retains. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Ralph in his own person comes and defends the force and says he never received or retained John. Inq. Plg: Ralph Preston.

**69** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE Gervase in le Lane of Clopton in his own person complains of Thomas Hastelyn of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Thomas on Sat before the feast of [the assumption of the] BVM 14 Henry VI [3 Sept 1435] with force and arms (bow and arrows) took and led away a horse worth 20s. in Gervase's custody. Damages: 26s.8d. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plgs: Hugh Bladesmyth, Thomas Flechre.

**70** INQ PLG PROS JOHN REST, ADAM EST John Chaloner of Sheffield, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of William Steward of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 10s.4d. He says that William on Sat after [the feast] of the nativity of St John the Baptist 11 Henry VI [27 June 1433] bought tanned hides (*cor' tannat'*) from John for 10s.4d. to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1433]; 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.

**71** M William Dernton, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Robert Palfreyman of Lincs <licence. Plg: William Bradmere>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Robert for a licence in mercy. Plg: William Bradmere.

**72** M William Heynes of Coventry, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Toose of Leicester <licence>. Plea: debt of 46s.8d. William Toose for a licence in mercy.

**73** M John Eastwood snr complains of Thomas Tawburn <licence>. Plea: debt. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

**74** LEVY M Henry Pierrepont, kt, and Thomas Baker of Holme, Henry's bailiff, by John Ode their attorney, complain of William Barley of Edwalton <10+, acknowledges. Plg: William Blithburgh. [Damages]: 2d.>. Plea: debt of 2s. Attached by a mare which William Jonson of Edwalton appropriated. William Barley charged. Many defaults. William Barley comes in his own person and acknowledges 2s. In mercy. Plg: William Blithburgh.

**75** PAID M Robert Brereton, citizen and *mercator* of York, in his own person complains of Thomas Lewan, citizen and *mercator*' of York. Plea: debt on demand of £8 for a bond shown in court. Attached by a horse. Plg pros: Robert Brerecroft, John Cost. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

**76** PAID M The same Robert complains of the same Thomas. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

**77** PAID M Gervase Clerk of Wilford in his own person complains of John Chaumburleyn of *Sewalby*. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Gervase np. In mercy. John goes without day.

**78** M John Squier <np> and Margaret his wife, by Richard Barbour their attorney, complain of Gervase Clerk of Wilford. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. John and Margaret np. In mercy. Gervase goes without day.

**79** M John Burley of Selston <np> in his own person complains of Thomas Turnour of Underwood. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. John np.

**80** INQ PLG PROS JOHN REST, ADAM EST Thomas Eseham, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Richard Tamworth of Nottingham <4+, Tues>. Plea: debt of 32s. Richard ...<sup>12</sup>

**81** M John Serjaunt in his own person complains of John Haryot vicar of Bunny <licence>. Plea: debt. John the vicar for a licence in mercy.

**82** M The same John Haryot <np>, vicar, complains of the same John Serjaunt. Plea: breach of covenant. John Haryot np. In mercy.

**83** M Lambert Fen of Nottingham <np> complains of Agnes Wyngreworth. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Lambert np. In mercy.

**84** INQ M PLG PROS ADAM REST, JOHN EST William Tailliour, *cook* <np>, in his own person complains of John Eastwood jnr. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on Sun the feast of St Edmund king and martyr 14 Henry VI [20 Nov 1435] with force and arms (staff) made an assault on William, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. William np.<sup>13</sup>

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**85** INQ M [PLG] PROS AS ABOVE William Tailliour, *cook*, in his own person complains of John Harebaroo of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on Sun the feast of St Edmund king and martyr 14 Henry VI [20 Nov 1435] with force and arms (dagger) made an assault on William, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 6s.8d. [He produces suit. John] in his own person comes and says he is not [guilty]. Inq. John for a licence in mercy. Plg: John ... jnr.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed the feast of St Clement the Pope in the said year [23 Nov 1435].**

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**86 ESSOINS**

William Steward def v John Chaloner of Sheffield pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Richard Hunt. Inq.

Richard Tamworth def v Thomas Eseham pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Robert Rud[dington]. Inq.

**87 LEVY M** Found by inq that William Mascury owes John Ireland 4s.11d.

Adjudged that John should recover v William 4s.11d. and 8d. damages assessed by the inq. John seeks that the bailiffs should increase his damages. The bailiffs increased the damages by 4d. to 12d. Adjudged that John should recover v William his debt and the increase in damages.

**88 LEVY M** Found by inq that John Whitehonde owes William Joly 2s.2d. Adjudged that William should recover v John 2s.2d. and 2d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**89 M** Thomas Hasteleyn of Nottingham for a licence to agree with Gervase in le Lane of Clopton. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. In mercy.

**90 RESPITE** Judgement between William Mascury pl and William Tailliour def in respite to the next court as the court was not advised. Plea: trespass and contempt.

**91 M** Geoffrey Kneton, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of Thomas Wolf of Nottingham <6+, licence>. Plea: debt of 5s.4d. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Clement in the above year [24 Nov 1435].**

**92 INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM WEST** Ralph Stoye of Nottingham <essoin>, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Spynk of Radcliffe-on-Trent. Plea: debt of 16d. He says that John Spynk owes and unjustly detains 16d. for hay bought from him at the feast of [the nativity] of St John the Baptist 13 Henry VI [24 June 1435], to be paid at the feast of St Peter advincula following [1 Aug 1435]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 8d. He produces suit. John Spynk in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Plg: John Ode. Inq.

**93** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN WENT, ADAM FENT William Kelum of Kelham, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of Richard Madersay of Nottingham, *roper* <licence>. Plea: debt.<sup>14</sup> He says that Richard Madersey owes and unjustly detains ...<sup>15</sup> for the rent of a tenement in ...<sup>16</sup> leased to him at Michaelmas 13 Henry VI [29 Sept 1434], which he should have paid at Michaelmas 14 Henry VI [29 Sept 1435]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Richard Madersey in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**94** LEVY M Richard Riche, citizen and *mercere'* of London, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Thomas Hastelyn of Nottingham, *mercere'* <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of £4 2d. He owes and unjustly detains £4 for divers merchandise bought on a certain day. Thomas in his own person comes and acknowledges £4 2d. Adjudged that Richard should recover v Thomas £4 2d. and 2s. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**95** LEVY M Thomas Whatton of Loughborough, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Thomas Stokes <acknowledges> and William Whitehals late bailiffs. Plea: debt of 4m 12d. damages and expenses. They owe and unjustly detain [4m 12d.] for the execution of Richard Boney snr recovered at the time they were bailiffs and not levied for Thomas' use. Thomas Stokes and William come, by Richard Barbour [their attorney], and acknowledge 4m 12d. Damages discharged. Adjudged that Thomas should recover v Thomas Stokes and William Whitehals 4m 12d. Damages discharged and 2d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**96** LEVY M John Draper of Nottingham, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Richard son of Robert Tailliour of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 3s.8d. for a robe bought from him. Richard in his own person comes and acknowledges the debt. Damages assessed at 3d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**97** LEVY M Robert Baxster, *corviser*, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of the said Richard <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 7d. Richard acknowledges. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

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**98** M Robert Harryson complains of Richard Sherman <licence>. Plea: [trespass] against the king's peace. Richard for a licence in mercy.

**99** M John Clerk of St Peter's parish complains of John Wynpeny, clerk <licence. Plg: John Lovell by John Ode>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. John Wynpeny for a licence in mercy.

**100** CAPTION M John Ewer, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of John Danyell snr <2+, caption>. Plea: debt. Summoned. Charged. Does not appear. The bailiffs return that he has nothing within their bailliwick. Let him be taken.

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**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Clement 14 Henry VI [24 November 1435].**

**101** INQ PLG PROS JOHN EST, ADAM WEST William Dernton and Margaret his wife, by John Ode their attorney, complain of Alan Goushill <essoin>. Plea: debt of 3s.4½d. They say that he owes and unjustly detains 4s.9d.<sup>17</sup> for ale bought from them, which he should have paid at the feast of St Martin 14 Henry VI [11 Nov 1435]; 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.

**102** M John Blackeby complains of William Blithburgh <licence>. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.

**103** PAID M Robert Rasyn complains of Robert Sagher of Nottingham <licence>. Plea: debt. Robert Sagher for a licence in mercy.

**104** M Richard Rich, citizen and *mercero* of London, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Thomas Hastelyn of Nottingham, *mercero*, <licence. Plg: John Dorham>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Thomas for a licence in mercy. Plg: John Ode.

**105** INQ PLG PROS JOHN EST, ADAM REST Richard Stones of Nottingham, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Mason of Nottingham, *laborer* <4+,

essoins>. Plea: trespass. He says that because of John's default in putting in (*ponend'*) a furnace worth 6s.8d. on Tues after the close of Easter 13 Henry VI [26 Apr 1435], the furnace was burnt down. Damages: 10s. He produces suit. John Mason in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of St Nicholas in the above year [7 Dec 1435].**

**106 ESSOINS**

John Mason, *laborer*, def v Richard Stones pl. Plea: trespass. Essonr: John Cut. Inq.

Ralph Stoye of Nottingham pl v John Spynk of Radcliffe def. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Est. Inq.

Alan Goushill def v William Dernton pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: Richard Fox. Inq.

**107** M Richard Tamworth v Thomas Eseham. Plea: debt. 4 defaults. In mercy.

**108** [M] The same Richard for a licence to agree with the same Thomas in mercy. Plea: the same.

**109** M DIS The jurors between John Chaloner of Sheffield pl and William Steward def did not come: William Brook, Edmund Wodhall, Henry Stynger, John Ferrour, *flechr'*, Alan Goushill, Thomas Goldsmyth, William Hekeley. In mercy. Dis.

**110** M John Etwell, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of William Blithburgh of Nottingham, *bochr'* <2+>. Plea: debt. Defaulted. William for a licence in mercy.

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Nicholas in the above year [8 Dec 1435].**

**111** LEVY M PLG PROS JOHN EST, ADAM WEST John Michel of Coventry, *mercer'*, by Roger Brerelegh his attorney, complains of Richard Boney snr of Nottingham <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 100s. He says that Richard on 27 Aug 11 Henry VI [1433] by his bond, which John showed in court, firmly bound himself for 100s., to be paid to John or his attorney on the feast of the purification of the

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<sup>17</sup> MS *sic*.

BVM following [2 Feb 1434]; he rendered nothing nor paid but refused to render or pay and still refuses. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. The bond is dated as above. [Richard] in his own person comes and defends the force and acknowledges the bond as his. As to [John's] damages, he seeks the assessment of the court. Adjudged that John should recover v Richard 100s. and 20d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**112** INQ PAID M PLG PROS ADAM REST, JOHN EST Robert Draper of Nottingham, *porter*, in his own person complains of Nicholas Loscowe of Nottingham <licence>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Nicholas on Sat after the feast of the conception of the BVM 14 Henry VI [10 Dec 1435] with force and arms (axe) lay in ambush at night and made an assault on Robert, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: ...<sup>18</sup> Nicholas in his own person comes and [says] he is [not] guilty. Inq. Nicholas for a licence in mercy ...

**113** M [PLG] PROS AS ABOVE Richard Chefewyn of Nottingham, *corviser*, in his own person complains of John Gylbert of Nottingham <15+, convicted ...>. [Plea: debt of] 24s. for certain contracts made between them on a certain day. [Summoned.] Defaulted 15 times. On which defaults [Richard] seeks judgement and his debt with damages. Adjudged that Richard should recover v John 24s. and 12d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**114** LEVY M John Draper of Nottingham in his own person complains of Henry Bonyngton <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 4s.3d. Henry in his own person comes and acknowledges 4s.3d. Let him recover. In mercy. Damages discharged. Precept to levy.

**115** PAID M Margery (*Marger*) Odham <np> complains of John Fossebrook, *corviser*. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Margery np. In mercy.

**116** LEVY M John Dockette, by Richard Dalbury [his attorney], complains of William Wayvyn <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 14d. William comes, by Richard Barbour his attorney, and acknowledges 14d. Damages assessed at 1d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**117** M Thomas Hastelyn of Nottingham <np> complains of William Kyme of Arnold. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Thomas np. In mercy.

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**118** M John Wodhony [?] ..., by Richard Dalbury his attorney, ... Defaulted.  
Thomas for a licence in mercy.

**119** ... Henry Hunt of Nottingham ... Ambaston. Plea: debt. [Defaulted.] Thomas  
for a licence in mercy.

**120** RESPITE Judgement between William Mascury pl and William Taylliour def in  
respite to the next court as the court was not advised.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed the feast of St Thomas the Apostle in the  
[above] year [21 Dec 1435].**

**121** LEVY M William Steward acknowledges ... John Chaloner of Sheffield. Plea:  
debt ... Damages assessed at 3d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**122** As to 7s. remaining ..., found by inq that the said William owes nothing to  
John. [Adjudged that John] should recover nothing v [William] but for his unjust  
suit in mercy.

**123** LEVY M Found by inq that Alan G[ou]shill owes William Dernton 4s.3½d.  
Adjudged that [William] should recover v Alan 4s.3½d. and 3d. damages. In  
mercy. Precept to levy.

**124** M John Mason, *laborer*, for a licence to agree with Richard Stones in mercy.  
Plea: debt.

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur [after] the feast of St Thomas the  
Apostle in the above year [22 Dec 1435].**

**125** INQ PLG PROS JOHN EST, ADAM REST Thomas London of Trowell in his own  
person complains of John Gyllawe of Nottingham, *sadeler* <essoyn by the assent  
of the parties>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on  
Thur before the feast of the conception of the BVM 14 Henry VI [1 Dec 1435] with  
force and arms (staff) lay in ambush and made an assault on Joan, Thomas'

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daughter, affrayed and maltreated her. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plg: John Pykhill.

**126** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM EST Thomas More of Nottingham, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of William Alen of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 8s.2d. He says that William owes and unjustly detains 8s.2d. for his board from Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432] to Christmas following [25 Dec 1432] at 8d. per week and 2d. outstanding, which he should have paid at Epiphany following [6 Jan 1433]; 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.

**127** PAID M John del Rowe of Colwick complains of William servant of William Sherman <licence, received (*r*), Alexander>. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.

**128** M John Dalderby <np> complains of Hugh Lyveron. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. John np. In mercy.

**129** M John Parker, *wright*, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of Robert Sagher <licence>. Plea: debt. Robert for a licence in mercy.

**130** M John Dalderby complains of Hugh Lyveron of Nottingham, *skynner* <+, licence. Plg: John in le Wroo>. Plea: debt. Defaulted. [Hugh] for a licence in mercy.

**131** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE Hugh Bladesmyth in his own person complains of John Barrett of Nottingham, *flechr'* <essoin>. Plea: debt of 3s.6d. He owes and unjustly detains [3s.6d.] for mainperning John v William Bower and for the amercement paid for John, which John should have paid at the feast of St Martin last [11 Nov 1435]; 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.

**132** LEVY M PLG PROS AS ABOVE Geoffrey Kneton, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of Thomas Wolfe of Nottingham <15+, convicted, broke prison and left before judgement>. Plea: debt of 5s.4d. He says that Thomas owes and unjustly detains 5s.4d. for the farm of the castle watermills

(*molendinorum aquaticorum de castell' mylnes*), which he should have paid at Michaelmas last [29 Sept 1435]; he paid nothing. Thomas summoned. Charged for 15 court days. Did not appear. 15 Defaults. On which defaults Geoffrey, by Richard his attorney, seeks judgement and his debt with damages. Adjudged that Geoffrey should recover v Thomas 5s.4d. and 2d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**133** PLG PROS AS ABOVE William Hostyler of Nottingham complains of Thomas Wolfe of the same <15+, convicted>. Plea: debt of 3s.4d. He says that he agreed to give him 3s.4d. to increase his goods (*pro suo bono adjumamine*) to have the farm of the king's mills (*Kynges mylnes*). Summoned. Did not appear. Defaulted 15 times. On which defaults William by ...<sup>19</sup> his attorney, seeks judgement and his debt with damages ...<sup>20</sup>

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**Forinsec pleas held on Wed before Epiphany 14 Henry VI [4 Jan 1436].**

**134** LEVY M Found by inq that John Spynk of Radcliffe-on-Trent owes Ralph Stoyle of Nottingham 16d. Adjudged that Ralph should recover v John 16d. and 4d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**135** M Thomas Irenmonger complains of Nicholas Maple of Sneinton <licence. Plg: John Tamworth>. Plea: debt. Nicholas<sup>21</sup> for a licence in mercy.

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before Epiphany in the above year [5 Jan 1436].**

**136** INQ PLG PROS JOHN FOX, ADAM COX John Beston, chaplain, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of Richard Hunt of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 4s. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 4s. for the rent of a cottage next Chapel Bar (*le Chapellbar*), which Richard should have paid at Christmas 14 Henry VI [25 Dec 1435]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Richard, by John Ode his attorney, comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

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**137** INQ PLG PROS JOHN EST, ADAM REST Robert Taillour of Lambley <np>, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of William Fytheler of Nottingham. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. John Boston at Michaelmas 13 Henry VI [29 Sept 1434] was retained with Robert to serve him from Michaelmas to Michaelmas a year later in husbandry (*husbandre*); William on Thur after the feast of St Cuthbert following [24 March 1435] retained and received John his servant for a long time. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he did not retain or receive any servant of Robert for a long time. Inq. Robert np. In mercy.

**138** INQ PLG PROS RICHARD REST, JOHN WEST Margery (*Marg'ia*) Odham of Nottingham <np> in her own person complains of John Fossebrook jnr of the same. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. She says that John Fossebroke on Sat in Easter week 13 Henry VI [23 Apr 1435] with force and arms (staff) made an assault on Margery and violently beat her so that her life was despaired of and against her wish had sex with her (*contra voluntatem Margerie carnaliter cognovit*). Damages: £10. She produces suit. John comes and says he is not guilty. As to sex (*carnalem copulam*), he says that he had sex with Margery with her agreement and not otherwise (*cum ipsa Margerie intima voluntate licenciatam ipsam ut supra cognovit et non aliter*). Inq. Margery np. In mercy.

**139** MAINPERN To this court come John Fossebrook, *bochr'*, Richard Dalby, *baxter*, and Thomas More, *coryour*, of Nottingham and mainperned the body of John Fossebrook, *corviser*, to the next court in the plea between the said Margery pl and John Fossebrook, *corviser*, def when it should be judged to the satisfaction of the court and the parties under a penalty of £12 to be made on their goods and chattels for the use of Alexander Mylنگate and Robert Coe, bailiffs ... [if] deficient in anything.

**140** PAID M Thomas Mountgomery, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of John Squier of Nottingham <licence>. Plea: debt. [John] for a licence with Thomas in mercy.

**141** PAID M John Sylk complains of William Bolde of Nottingham <licence>. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.

**142** M Roger Stacy complains of Walter Thory <2+, licence>. Plea: debt. Defaulted. Walter for a licence in mercy.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed before the feast of St Fabian and St Sebastian in the above year [18 Jan 1436].**

**143** M Thomas London of Trowell np v John Gyllowe, *sadeler*, of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. In mercy.

**144** M Thomas More of Nottingham, *coryour*, np v William Alen, *corviser*. Plea: debt. In mercy.

**145** M John Barrett of Nottingham, *flechr'*, for a licence to agree with Hugh Bladesmyth. Plea: debt. In mercy.

**146** M Found by inq that Richard Hunt of Nottingham owes John Beston, chaplain, nothing. Adjudged that John should recover nothing v Richard but for his unjust suit in mercy.

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St [Fabian] and St Sebastian [in the above year] [19 Jan 1436].**

**147** M John Ode <np> in his own person complains of William Plasterer of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. John np.

**148** M Joan, queen of England <np>, and Nicholas Myluner, by John Ode their attorney, complain of William Myluner. Plea: trespass and contempt. Joan and Nicholas np. ...

**149** M William Clerk of Nottingham <np> complains of John Lacy. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. William np. In mercy.

**150** PAID M John Wright, chaplain, complains of John Wynpeny. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. John Wright np. In mercy.

**151** M John Meysham complains of Katherine Fox <licence. Plg: William Webster>. Plea: debt. Katherine for a licence in mercy. Plg: William Webster.

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**152** INQ PLG PROS JOHN EST, ADAM REST <rests> William Jamesson of Nottingham, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of John Warde of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 10d. He says that John owes and unjustly detains 10d. for straw bought from him at the feast of the invention of the HC last [3 May 1435], which he should have paid at the feast of St Barnabas [11 June 1435]; 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.

**153** INQ PLG [PROS] AS ABOVE <rests> Margaret Wheteley in her own person complains of William Fysshre of Nottingham, *bochr'*. Plea: debt of 15d. She says that [William] on Wed before the feast of St Peter and St Paul 13 Henry VI [22 June 1435] borrowed 15d. from John Wheteley her [husband], to be paid to Margaret at the feast of the translation of St Thomas the martyr [following [7 July 1435]; he paid nothing] but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: ...<sup>22</sup> William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes her nothing. [Inq.]

**154** INQ <rests> John Balthwayt in his own person complains of Walter Thory <+>. Plea: debt of 2s. [borrowed]. He says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**155** INQ PLG PROS JOHN WEST, ADAM EST <rests, default of jurors> John Lacy of Nottingham complains of Robert Hornyngwold of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Robert on Sun the feast of St Vincent 14 Henry VI with force and arms (staff) made an assault on John, beat and maltreated him. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. Robert in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**156** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE <rests, default of jurors> The same John Lacy in his own person complains of William Clerk of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that William on Sun the feast of St Vincent 14 Henry VI [22 Jan 1436] with force and arms (bow and arrows) made an assault on John, beat, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**157** INQ PLG PROS JOHN REST, ADAM EST Henry Martyn of Carlton <np>, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Robert Edyngley, *laborer*. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. Robert on the feast of the purification [of the BVM] 13 Henry VI [2 Feb 1435] was retained with Henry to serve him from the said feast to the same feast a year later in husbandry (*husbandre*); on Thur before the feast of St Vincent 14 Henry VI [19 Jan 1436] Robert withdrew without reasonable cause and licence from Henry's service. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. Robert in his own person comes and defends the force and says he served Henry for the whole term agreed between them and so did not withdraw from Henry's service. Inq. Henry np. In mercy.

**158** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE The same Henry <np>, by the said John his attorney, complains of William Palette, *laborer*. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. William on the said feast of the purification [of the BVM] [2 Feb 1435], as above, was retained with Henry, to serve as above, and withdrew as above. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he served Henry for the whole term agreed between them and did not withdraw as above. Inq.

**159** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX Robert Cotyngham of Nottingham in his own person complains of William Gybon of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that William on Sun after the feast of St Leonard 14 Henry VI [13 Nov 1435] with force and arms (bow) made an assault on William Cotyngham, Robert's son and servant, beat, wounded and maltreated him so that William's service was lost for a long time. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. William Gybon in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**160** INQ M PLG PROS Joan, queen of England, and Geoffrey Kneton, by Richard Barbour their attorney, complain of John Warde of Nottingham <licence>. Plea: debt of 6s.8d. They say that John on Wed after the feast of nativity of St John the Baptist 13 Henry VI [29 June 1435] bought from them hay worth 6s.8d., to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1435]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. They produce suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq. John for a licence in mercy.

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<sup>22</sup> MS damaged.

**161** PAID M John Bower of Nottingham in his own person complains of Robert son of Richard Ballard of Arnold. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Attached. Did not appear. Defaulted. Attached. [Robert] comes [and] for a licence with John for the two attachments in mercy.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed before the feast of the purification of the BVM in the above year [1 Feb 1436].**

**162** M Found by inq that William Gybon is not guilty v Robert Cotyngham. Adjudged that Robert should recover nothing v William but for his unjust suit in mercy.

**163** M 14d. The jurors between William Jamesson pl and John Warde def, between Margaret Wheteley pl and William Fysshre def, and between John Balth[wayt] pl and Walter Thory, did not come: Robert Selby, William Barton, Richard More, John Hawcke, John Parker, *wright*, William Waltham, *smyth*, John Coteler, Edward Coteler. In mercy.

**164** M 14d. The jurors between John Lacy pl and Robert Hornyngwold def, and between the same John pl and William Clerk def, did not come: John Lere, John Sellers, John Wyle, William Saxilby, Nicholas Odham, Robert Wymendham, Hugh Munck. In mercy.

Roll 7 nothing before

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur the feast of the purification of the BVM 24 Henry VI [2 Feb 1436].**

**165** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM HUNT Joan, queen of England, and Geoffrey Kneton, by Richard Dalbury their attorney, complain of Robert Farley of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 3s.4d. They say that Robert on Mon after the feast of St Peter and St Paul 13 Henry VI [4 July 1435] bought from them the crop of one acre of meadow for 3s.4d., to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1435]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. They produce suit. [Robert] in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq.

**166** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE The same Joan and Geoffrey, by the same attorney, complain of Thomas Farley of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 3s.4d. They say that Thomas on Tues after the feast of St Peter and St Paul 13 Henry VI [5 July 1435] bought from them for 3s.4d. the crop of one acre of meadow, to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1435]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. They produce suit. Thomas in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq.

**167** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE John Ingelby of Nottingham complains of Nicholas Broude <licence>. Plea: debt of 6d. He owes and unjustly detains 6d. for the pledge of William Bolde, which he should have paid at Michaelmas last [29 Sept 1435]; 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. Nicholas for a licence [in mercy].

**168** INQ PLG PROS JOHN FOXYN, ADAM BOX Thomas Barley of Kimberley <np>, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of Richard Redeswell of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Richard Redeswell on Sat after the feast of St Leonard [12 Nov 1435] with force and arms (staff) made an assault on Thomas, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. Richard Redeswell in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**169** INQ PLG PROS JOHN BOX, ADAM FOX John Trevor <np>, by Richard Dalbury and John Bower his attornies, complains of Walter Thory. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Walter on Mon before Michaelmas 14 Henry VI [26 Sept 1435] with force and arms (staff) received Elias Trevor, his son and servant, in his house and maintained him against John's wish. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. Walter in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**170** PLEA John Trevor of Nottingham, *marchant*, complains of Elias Trevor of Nottingham, *vyntner* <acknowledges>. Plea: covenant on demand of £15 16s. Plg pros: John Fox, John Cost.

**171** ATTORNEY John Trevor of Nottingham, *marchant*, attorns Richard Dalbury and John Bower v the said Elias. Plea: covenant.

**172** INQ Elias Trevor summoned to reply to John Trevor of Nottingham, *marchant*. Plea: that he render £15 16s. which he owes and unjustly detains.

Elias on Sat before the feast of the purification of the BVM 14 Henry VI [28 Jan 1436] accounted (*computavit*) before John Bower and Thomas Heuster, John Trevor's auditors, from the feast of nativity of St John the Baptist 13 Henry VI [24 June 1435] to the feast of the conversion of St Paul 14 Henry VI [25 Jan 1436], which account being audited, Elias was found in arrears for £15 16s.; he rendered nothing but refused to render and still refuses. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. Elias in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**173** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE Margaret del Kerr, vagabond (*vacabund'*) <np>, in her own person complains of Richard Jebbe servant of Thomas Bladesmyth. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. She says that Richard on Mon after the feast of the purification of the BVM 14 Henry VI [6 Feb 1436] with force and arms (fists) made an assault on Margaret, beat, affrayed and maltreated her. Damages: 3s.4d. She produces suit. Richard in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plg: Thomas Bladesmyth. Margaret np.

**174** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE The same Richard <np> in his own person complains of the same Margaret. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Margaret on Mon after the feast of the purification of the BVM 14 Henry VI [6 Feb 1436] with force and arms (staff) made an assault on Richard, beat, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Margaret in her own person comes and says she is not guilty. Inq. Richard np.

**175** [M] ... John Ballard of Arnold, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of William Jell <licence> and Henry Hugyn of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 18d. William and Henry for a licence in mercy.

**176** [M] ... John Malefeld, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Warde <licence>. Plea: debt. John Warde for a licence in mercy.

**177** [M] ... John Byram and Roger Brerelegh complain of Thomas Irenmonger of Nottingham <licence>. Plea: debt. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

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**178** [M] ... Walter Thory in his own person complains of Elias Trevor <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 19d. Elias acknowledges. Damages assessed at ... In mercy. Precept to levy.

**179** ... [John] Ilkeston in his own person complains of Elias Trevor <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 13s.4d. borrowed. Elias comes and acknowledges 13s.4d. Adjudged that John should recover v Elias 13s.4d. Damages discharged. In mercy. Precept to levy. John seeks execution of the body and committal to prison. Afterwards he rel[eased] ... his action.

**180** PAID M John Smyth of Barton in his own person complains of William Inman <licence>. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.

**181** PAID M William Inman in his own person complains of John Rudderston <licence>. Plea: debt. John for a licence in mercy.

**182** M John Sampson, parson of the church of St Nicholas, Nottingham, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of William Stoyle servant of Richard Redeswell <licence>. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.

**183** M Nicholas Broude in his own person complains of William Bolde of Nottingham <licence>. Plea: debt. William for a licence in mercy.

**184** INQ M PLG PROS ADAM FOX, RICHARD COST John Dorham <np> in his own person complains of Joan wife of Godfrey Stokes of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Joan on Wed after the feast of St Ambrose 13 Henry VI [6 Apr 1435] with force and arms (fists) took and carried off 2 ounces of silk (*unc' de serico*) worth 2s.8d. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Joan in her own person comes and says she is not guilty. Inq. John np. In mercy.

**185** INQ PLG PROS John Ballard of Radcliffe-on-Trent <essoïn>, by ...<sup>23</sup> his attorney, complains of William Tailliour of the same. Plea: trespass against the statute of labourers. Robert Berewyk at Michaelmas 12 Henry VI [29 Sept 1433] was retained with John to serve him from Michaelmas to Michaelmas a year later in husbandry (*husbandre*); William on the feast of the translation of St Thomas the martyr following [7 July 1434] to the feast of the Innocents 14 Henry VI [28 Dec 1435] retained and received Robert, John's servant, for a long time.



Damages: 20s. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plg: Richard Plattes.

**186** INQ M PLG PROS RICHARD EST, ADAM REST Richard Coe, chaplain, of Nottingham in his own person complains of William Brook <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 8d. He says that Richard on the feast of invention of the HC 13 Henry VI [3 May 1435] leased to William herbage worth 8d., to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1435]; 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.

**187** INQ PLG PROS ADAM REST, RICHARD EST John Meysham and Henry Hugyn, collectors of the butchers' farm (*collector' firmu' carnific'*) , by John Ode their attorney, complain of John Man, *bochr'* <essoins>. Plea: debt of 12d. They say that he owes and unjustly detains 12d. for the butchers' fine (*pro fine carnific'*) granted to the mayor, which he should have paid at Michaelmas 14 Henry VI [29 Sept 1435]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 4d. They produce suit. John Man in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of St Valentine in the said year [15 Feb 1436].**

**188** ESSOINS

Thomas Farley def v Queen Joan and Geoffrey K[neton]. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hunt. Inq.

Robert Farley def v the same Joan and Geoffrey pls. Plea: debt. Essonr: Robert Kyng. inq.

**189** LEVY M

Found by inq that William Jamesson should recover 10d. and 1d. damages v John Warde. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

That Margaret Wheteley should recover 16d. and 2d. [damages] v William Fysshre. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**190** M Walter Thory for a licence to agree with John Balthwayt in mercy. Plea: debt.

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**191** LEVY M Found by inq that Robert Hornyngwold is not guilty v John Lacy. Adjudged that John should recover nothing v Robert but for his unjust suit in mercy. That William Clerk is guilty v the said John to the value of 3d. Adjudged that he should recover v William 3d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

Roll 8 more before

**Further forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of St Valentine 14 Henry VI [15 Feb 1436].**

**192** LEVY M Elyas Trevor of Nottingham, *vyntner*, acknowledges £15 16s. v John Trevor, *merchaunt*, of Nottingham. Plea: debt. In mercy. Damages discharged. Immediately Elias agreed with Richard Dalbury, one of John's attornies, by a bond so that Elias withdrew from the court quit and the execution of the bailiffs.

**193** BURGESS M The jurors between Robert Jentyll pl and John Wylbram and Hugh Brockestowe defs, did not come: Thomas Farley, John Lovot jnr <ill>, John Esthwayt jnr, William Tailliour, *cook*, John Shagh, *coteler*, John Halton. In mercy. John Wright pardoned by the mayor.

**194** M Henry Hugyn for a licence [to agree] with John Barton and William Joly in mercy. Plea: debt.

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Valentine in the above year [16 Feb 1436].**

**195** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN EST, ADAM REST John Malefeld <np> in his own person complains of John servant of Hugh Bladesmyth. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on Thur the eve of Epiphany 14 Henry VI [5 Jan 1436] with force and arms (staff and baselard) lay in ambush and made an assault on John Malefeld, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. John the servant in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plg: Hugh Bladesmyth.

**196** INQ M PLG PROS AS ABOVE The same John Malefeld in his own person complains of the same John the servant <licence. Plg: Hugh Bladesmyth>. Plea: trespass. He says that John the servant on Wed before the feast of the exaltation

of the HC 14 Henry VI [7 Sept 1435] shoed John Malefeld's horse; John shoed the foot of the horse with an iron nail and [caused] many large wounds. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. John the servant in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**197 PAID M** Geoffrey Kneton of Nottingham, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of William Somonder of Staunton <licence>. Plea: trespass and contempt. William for a licence in mercy.

**198 LEVY M** John Boswell of Chilwell, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Hugh Lyveron of Nottingham <15+, convicted>. Plea: debt of 2s. Hugh summoned. Charged for 15 court days. Did not come. 15 Defaults. John Boswell, by John Ode his attorney, comes and seeks judgement and his debt with damages on the defaults according to the law and custom of Nottingham to be adjudged to him. Adjudged that John Boswell should recover v Hugh 2s. and 4d. damages. In mercy.

**199 LEVY M** John Perkyn of Nottingham, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of David Walssh[man] of Nottingham <15+, convicted>. Plea: debt of 2s.7d.: 2s. for a murrey robe and 7d. for ale, to be paid at the feast of All Saints last [1 Nov 1435]. Summoned. Charged for 15 court days. Did not appear. 15 defaults. On which defaults comes John, by Richard his attorney, and seeks judgement and his debt with damages to be adjudged to him. Adjudged that John should recover v David 2s.7d. and 4d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed before the feast of St Chad in the above year [29 Feb 1436].**

**200 [ESSOIN]** John Meysham pl v John Man def. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Fox. Inq.

**201 [LEVY M Found]** by inq that Robert Farley owes Joan, queen of England, and Geoffrey Kneton 3s.4d. Adjudged that Joan and Geoffrey should recover v Robert 3s.4d. and 2d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**202 ...** Thomas Farley acknowledges 3s.4d. v the said Joan and Geoffrey. Plea: debt. Damages: 2d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**203** LEVY M Found by inq that William Taillour of Radcliffe-on-Trent is guilty v John Ballard of the same. Plea: trespass and contempt to the value of 6s.8d. Adjudged that John [should recover v William] 6s.8d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St Chad in the above year [1 Mar 1436].**

**204** [INQ] ... of Basford in his own person complains of Thomas Smalley of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 18d. He says that ... at Christmas 4 Henry VI [25 Dec 1425] [Thomas] borrowed from John 18d., [which he should have paid] at Christmas following [25 Dec 1426]; 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.

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**205** [INQ] ... [Henry] Sotheron of Nottingham in his own person complains of John [Sollers] <+>. Plea: debt of 2s. ... He says that ...[on] Wed after the feast of the annunciation of the BVM ..., to be paid [at] Christmas [following; he paid nothing but] refused [to pay] and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He [produces] suit. [John] ... [by] ... his attorney comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. [Inq.]

**206** [M] ... *chapman*, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of William ... of Nottingham. Plea: ... William [for a licence] in mercy.

**207** [M] ... ...well, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, [complains of] William Waltham, *smyth* <3+, licence>. ... William Waltham for a licence in mercy.

**208** [INQ] ... Agnes Sylversyde of Nottingham and William Sylversyd of the same complain of William Barton of Nottingham. Plea: detinue. They say that Agnes and William Sylversyde on Wed before the feast of All Saints 13 Henry VI [27 Oct 1434] delivered in safe custody to William a horse worth 5s., [to be restored] on [the feast of] the commemoration of [All] Souls following [2 Nov 1434]; he restored nothing [but] unjustly detained the horse and still detains. Damages: 2s. They produce suit. William Barton in his own person comes and defends the force and says he detains no horse. Inq.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of St Gregory in the above year [14 Mar 1436].**

**209** ESSOIN John Sollers of Nottingham def v Henry Sotheron pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Cut. Inq.

**210** M John Man of Sneinton for a licence to agree with John Meysham and Henry Hugyn in mercy. Plea: debt.

**211** LEVY M Found by inq that Thomas Smalley of Nottingham owes John Sheperde of Basford 18d. Adjudged that John should recover v Thomas 18d. and 2d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**212** M Found by inq that William Barton of Nottingham does not detain a horse v Agnes Sylversyde and William Sylversyde. Adjudged that Agnes and William Sylversyde should recover nothing v William Barton but in mercy for their unjust suit.

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Gregory [in the above year] [15 Mar 1436].**

**213** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX Margery (*Margeria*) Cowdale, executrix of the will of Robert Cowdale, by John Bate her attorney, complains of John Hill, vicar of the church of Grantham, lately parson of the church of Barton <essoin>. Plea: debt of 3s.4d. She says that John the vicar on Sat after the feast of St Leonard 6 Henry VI [8 Nov 1427] received 3s.4d. from John Mee of Barton for the use of Robert Cowdale, lately deceased, to be paid at the feast of St Andrew following [30 Nov 1427]; he paid nothing to Robert during his lifetime or to Margery after his death, but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. She produces suit. John the vicar, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, comes and defends the force and says he owes her nothing. Inq.

**214** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN WEST, ADAM REST Margaret Kay of Nottingham <np>, by John Ode her attorney, complains of Alice Castelton of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 2s.4d. She says that Alice owes and unjustly detains 2s.4d. for a tenement in Warser Gate (*Walsetegate*) leased to her at Michaelmas 11 Henry VI [29 Sept 1432], to be paid at Easter following [12 Apr 1433]; she paid nothing

but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. She produces suit. Alice in her own person comes and defends the force and says she owes her nothing. Inq.

**215** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN CUT, RICHARD RICH Walter Power of Nottingham <np> and Elizabeth his wife in their own persons complain of John Russell, Welshman (*Walsshman*). Plea: trespass against the king's peace. They say that John on Sun after the feast of St Gregory 14 Henry VI [18 Mar 1436] with force and arms (staff) lay in ambush and made an assault on Elizabeth, affrayed and maltreated her, wishing to have sex with her (*volendo ipsam adulterasse*). Damages: 40s. They produce suit. John in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

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**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Gregory 14 Henry VI [15 Mar 1436].**

**216** INQ Robert Clogh of Wakefield and Robert Berecroft of Nottingham complain of Nicholas Coton of Nottingham in the county of Nottingham, mason. Plea: debt on demand of 20s. Plg pros: John Hert, Adam Smert. Robert Clogh of Wakefield and Robert Berecroft of Nottingham attorn John Ode v Nicholas. Nicholas Coton of Nottingham summoned to reply to Robert and Robert. Plea: that he render to them 20s. which he owes and unjustly detains. They say that Nicholas on 8 March 12 Henry VI [1434] by a bond, which Robert and Robert showed in court, firmly bound himself to Robert and Robert for 20s., to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1434]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6s.8d. They produce suit. They say that the bond was made at Nottingham on the stated day. Nicholas in his own person comes and defends the force and says the bond was not made by him. Robert and Robert say it was made by him. Inq.

**217** INQ FOR ASSESSMENT<sup>24</sup> M PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX Robert Berecroft of Nottingham in his own person complains of Reynald Burnett of Beeston. Plea: trespass. He says that on the feast of St Martin 13 Henry VI [11 Nov 1434] he delivered in safe custody to Reynald his 2 oxen worth 2m to plough and till (*colend*) his land for his work and labour, and when required to return them safe and well. Reynald undertook the oxen in safe custody on the feast of St Martin but against their agreement he imprudently hired them to William

Halyfax to plough his land and pull his plough by which he found them enfeebled and full of sores. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. Reynald in his own person comes and defends the force and acknowledges the transaction. As to the damages he seeks the assessment of the court.

**218** M Master James Fyssyssyam, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of Margaret Pynchbecke <licence>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Margaret for a licence in mercy.

**219** M William Odham <np> complains of Robert Sagher. Plea: debt. William np. In mercy.

**220** INQ PLG PROS JOHN EST, RICHARD REST John Fossebrook of Nottingham, *corviser*, in his own person complains of Lambert Fen of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 11d. He says that Lambert on Sat before the feast of St Peter advincula 13 Henry VI [39 July 1435] [bought from him] 2 pairs of shoes, one pair for himself for 6s. and the other pair for his wife worth 5d., to be paid at the feast of the assumption of the BVM following [15 Aug 1435]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6d. He produces suit. Lambert in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**221** INQ PAID M PLG PROS AS ABOVE John Burton of Willoughby in his own person complains of John Wright of Widmerpool. Plea: debt of 6s.8d. He says that John Burton at the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist 12 Henry VI [24 June 1434] hired John Wright to plough and replough (? *binand' and rebinand'*) 5 acres of arable land, to be paid at the feast of St Peter advincula following [1 Aug 1434]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. John Wright in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. John Burton np. In mercy.

**222** LEVY M John Dunstabull of Oxtun, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of Richard Stones of Nottingham <2+, acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 5s. Defaulted. Richard in his own person comes and acknowledges 5s. Let him recover. Damages: 2d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**223** M Robert Wolaton <np> complains of John Burdon. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Richard np. In mercy.

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<sup>24</sup> MS *pro taxac'* marginated.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of the annunciation of the BVM in the above year [30 Mar 1436].**

**224** ESSOIN John Hill, vicar of Grantham, lately parson of the church of Barton, def v Margery (*Marg'iam*) Cowdale. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hunt. Inq.

**225** [LEVY M] Found by inq that John Sollers owes Henry Sotheron 3s.4d. Adjudged that Henry should recover v John 3s.4d. and 4d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**226** M Found by inq that Lambert del Fen owes John Fossebrook, corviser, 11d. Adjudged that John should recover v Lambert 11d. and 1d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**227** LEVY M Found by inq that Nicholas Coton of Nottingham in the county of Nottingham, *mason*, owes Robert Clogh of Wakefield and Robert Berecroft of Nottingham 20s. Adjudged that [Robert and] Robert should recover [v Nicholas] 20s. and 20d. damages. [In mercy.] Precept to levy.

Roll 9d

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the [feat of the] annunciation of the BVM [14 Henry VI] [31 Mar 1436].**

**228** [INQ] ... John Etwell of Nottingham and Margaret his wife, by John Ode their attorney, complain of Robert P...ter of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 7s.8d. They say that John Etwell on Mon after the feast of invention of the HC 12 Henry VI [10 May 1434] [leased] the pasture called *Castellhyllles* [to Robert] for a farm of 7s.8d. which remained unpaid in arrears ...; he paid nothing but refused to pay [and still refuses]. Damages: 12d. They produce suit. Robert in his own person comes and defends [the force] and says he owes them nothing. Inq.

**229** [INQ] ... Ralph Preston, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of Thomas Buckall of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 15s.2d. He says that Thomas on Mon before the feast of the conversion of St Paul 5 Henry VI [20 Jan 1427] borrowed 8s.6d. from Ralph and also 6s.8d. on the same day paid to the bailiffs at the time for an effusion of blood made by Thomas on Henry his father-in-law



(*socer*), to be paid at the feast of the purification of the BVM following [2 Feb 1427]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. Ralph np. In mercy.

**230** [INQ] PLG PROS ADAM FOX, RICHARD COST <rests, default of jurors> Matilda (*Matild'*) de Bolton of Nottingham in her own person complains of William Wright of Blyth. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. She says that William on Mon before the feast of St Ambrose 14 Henry VI [2 Apr 1436] with force and arms (dagger) by night made an assault on Matilda, beat, wounded and maltreated her. Damages: 40s. She produces suit. William in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plg: Geoffrey Kneton.

**231** INQ PLG PROS JOHN EST, ADAM WEST <rests, default of jurors> The same William in his own person complains of the said Matilda (*Matild'*). Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Matilda on Mon before the feast of St Ambrose 14 Henry VI [2 Apr 1436] with force and arms drew out William's dagger and with it made an assault on William, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. Matilda in her own person comes and defends the force and says she is not guilty. Inq. Plg: Thomas Alestre.

**232** LEVY ASSESSMENT PLG PROS AS ABOVE Ralph Preston of Nottingham, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of Thomas Buckall of Nottingham. Plea: trespass and contempt against the statute of labourers. Thomas at Christmas 14 Henry VI [25 Dec 1435] was retained with Ralph to serve him from Christmas until Easter following [8 Apr 1436] as a corviser; Thomas on Mon after the feast of St Hilary [16 Jan 1436] for 2 days each week until the present day withdrew from Ralph's service. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and acknowledges his retainment and withdrawal. As to damages, he seeks the assessment of the court. Adjudged that Ralph should recover v Thomas 20d. and the fine is assessed at 19d. Thomas [in mercy]. Precept to levy.

**233** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX <rests, default of jurors> Thomas Dalby in his own person complains of Marion Glasyer of Southwell. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Marion on Mon in Easter week 14 Henry VI [9 Apr 1436] with force and arms (staff) entered Thomas' house against his wish, and finding Joan his servant, took her and led her away. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. Marion in her own person comes and says she is not guilty. Inq.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed in Easter week in the abovesaid year [11 Apr 1436].**

**234** ESSOIN Robert Porter of Nottingham def v John Etwell and Margaret his wife. Plea: debt. Essonr: Richard Hunt. Inq.

**235** M Margery (*Marger*) Cowdale np v John Hyll, vicar of Grantham, in mercy. Plea: debt. Plg: John Bate.

**236** M DIS The jurors between Matilda (*Matild*) Bolton pl and William Wright def, did not come: William Hill, *taillour*, John Serjaunt, Ralph Stoye, William Odham, Thomas Wysowe, John Hampton, Thomas Goldsmyth, Richard Alrede. In mercy. Dis.

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**Further forinsec pleas held on Wed in Easter week 14 Henry VI [11 Apr 1436].**

**237** INQ PLG PROS JOHN GODART, JOHN COST John Hampton of Gainsborough, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of Richard Tamworth of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 8s.4d. He says that Richard on Thur after the feast of the translation of St Thomas the martyr 13 Henry VI [14 July 1435] bought 1000 white herrings for 24s.8d., to be paid at the feast of St Margaret following [20 July 1435], on which day Richard satisfied John less the said sum of 8s.4d. now in demand; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 10s. He produces suit. Richard Tamworth in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**238** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX Hugh Wylughby, kt, of Wollaton, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of Walter Thory of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 5s. He says that Walter owes and unjustly detains 5s. for a tenement leased to him on the feast of the annunciation [of the BVM] 13 Henry VI [15 Aug 1435], to be paid at the feast of the annunciation of the BVM following [15 Aug 1436]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Walter in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**239** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN EST, ADAM FOX John Hare of Radford, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of Margaret Potter <licence>, executrix of the will of Robert Potter. Plea: debt of 18d. She says that John at the feast of St Martin 14 Henry VI [11 Nov 1435] delivered 18d. to Margaret for her to make gudgeons (*lez gojouns*) for a new mill, she neither made the gudgeons or restored 18d. on the feast of St Peter in cathedra [22 Feb 1436]; she rendered nothing but refused to render and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. Margaret, by John Ode her attorney, comes and defends the force and says she owes him nothing. Inq. Margaret for a licence in mercy.

**240** M PLG PROS AS ABOVE The same John Hare, by the same attorney, complains of the same Margaret <licence>. Plea: detinue. John on Sat after the feast of St Valentine 14 Henry VI [18 Feb 1436] delivered to Margaret 12 lbs of bronze (*ennee*) worth 3s. to make gudgeons (*lez gojouns*) for his mill, and to restore [them] to John on the feast of St Peter in cathedra following [22 Feb 1436]; she restored nothing but refused to restore and unjustly detains. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Margaret comes, by John Ode her attorney, and defends the force and says she detains nothing. Inq. Margaret for a licence in mercy.

**241** M PLG PROS ROGER BRERE[LEGH], ADAM FOX John Loudham, warden of the Friars Minor of Nottingham, by Roger Brerelegh his attorney, complains of Simon Baraghen, *wever*, of Nottingham <licence>. Plea: debt of 12d. He says that Simon owes and unjustly detains 12d. for stabling a horse, which he should have paid at Christmas last [25 Dec 1435]; 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.

**242** M [PLG] PROS ... FOX Richard Tamworth <np> in his own person complains of John Hampton of Gainsborough. Plea: deceit. He says that Richard on Thur after the feast of the translation of St Thomas the martyr 13 Henry VI [14 July 1435] bought 500 sound and uncorrupted white herrings guaranteed as for good eating (*sub warrantizazione boni prandi*) for 12s. John on the said day [delivered] 500 unsound rotten herrings so that he spoiled the marketability of the herrings, in deceit to [his] shame. Damages: 13s.4d. He produces suit. John Hampton, by John Ode his attorney, comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq. Richard np. In mercy.

**243** [M] ... John Malefeld of Nottingham, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Warde of Nottingham <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 2s. for the pledge of John Sylvestre. John Warde in his own person comes and acknowledges 2s. Let him recover. Damages assessed at 2d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**244** M Richard Sherman, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Nicholas Loscove <licence>. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Nicholas for a licence in mercy.

**245** M Benedict Boteler in his own person complains of Thomas Buckall of Nottingham <+>. Plea: debt. Defaulted. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

**246** [M] ... Nicholas Coton <np> complains of John Walles of Beverley. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Nicholas np. In mercy.

**247** [M] Thomas Jebbe, by John Ode his attorney, complains of William Hoke of Eaton in the Vale <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 14d. William comes, by Richard Barbour his attorney, and acknowledges 14d. Damages assessed at 2d. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. Plg: William Baxster, *corviser*.

**[Forinsec pleas] held on Wed the feast of St Mark in the above year [25 Apr 1436].**

**248** [ESSOIN Walter Thory] of Nottingham def v Hugh Welughby, kt, pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: R Hunt. Inq.

**249** [LEVY M Found by inq that Robert] porter of Nottingham castle owes John Etwell and Margaret [his] wife ... and 8d. [Adjudged that] John and Margaret should recover v Robert 7... [and] 4d. damages. [In mercy.] Precept to levy.

**250** [M Matilda Bolton] np v William Wright of Blyth. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. In mercy.

**251** ... [Found by inq that] Matilda (*Matild'*) Bolton of Nottingham is guilty v William Wright of Blyth. Plea: ... Adjudged that William should recover v Matilda ... Matilda should be allowed to make a fine with the king ...

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**252** ... Thomas Dailby of Nottingham np v Marion [Glasyer] of Southwell. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. ...

**253** [M] ... Found by inq that Richard Tamworth owes John Hampton of Gainsborough 8s.4d. [Adjudged that] John should recover v Richard [8s.4d.] and 8d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Mark in the above year [26 Apr 1436].**

**254** INQ ... Geoffrey Kneton of Nottingham, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of Walter Thorysby of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that [Walter] on Sat after the feast of St Lucy 14 Henry VI [17 Dec 1435] with force and arms (staff) took with [his] dogs 4 stock animals (*pecudes*) worth 13s.4d., so ran and chased them, and beat them with staffs that he killed them. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. Walter in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**255** INQ PLG PROS ... Nicholas Coton of Nottingham, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of Walter Thorysby. Plea: trespass. He says that Nicholas on Mon after the feast of St Lucy 14 Henry VI [19 Dec 1435] delivered in safe custody to Walter a pregnant sow worth 5s. On the same day Walter so beat the sow with staffs and chased [her] with his dogs that she died. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. Walter in his own person comes, by John Ode his attorney,<sup>25</sup> and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**256** INQ [PLG] PROS ... John Elman, prior of Lenton, and John Dyghton his fellow monk, by John Ode their attorney, complain of Robert Selby of Nottingham, wright <essoin>. Plea: debt of 2s.8d. They say that John on Sun after the feast of invention of the HC 13 Henry VI [8 May 1435] bought a cowl of black worsted (*wolstede*) to be paid at the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist next [24 June 1435]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. They produce suit. Robert in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq.

**257** LEVY M William Kechyn of Strelley, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of Hugh Corde of Nottingham <15+, Thur in Easter week, convicted on Fri>. Plea: debt of 10d. for carrying a load of sea coals (*pro cariacione unius lode carbon' marit'*). Summoned. Charged for 15 court days. Did not appear. 15 defaults. On which defaults comes William, by his attorney, and seeks judgement and his debt with damages to be adjudged to him as Hugh has given no reply in law but defaulted 15 times. Adjudged that William should recover v Hugh 10d. and 1d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

\*NB much formula

**258** LEVY M Henry Sotheron in his own person complains of John Sollers of Nottingham <+, licence>. Plea: debt of 2s. Defaulted. John in his own person comes and acknowledges 2s. Damages assessed at 2d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**259** M John Balthwayt complains of Thomas Basset of Nottingham <5+, licence>. Plea: debt. Many defaults. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

**260** Joan, queen [of England], and Geoffrey Kneton complain of Magot Draper of Nottingham <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 3s.4d. Magot, by Richard Dalbury her attorney, comes and acknowledges 3s.4d. Damages assessed at 2d. Let them recover. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**261** M John Balthwayt complains of John Danyell, *tailliour*, of Nottingham <licence>. Plea: debt. John Danyell for a licence [in mercy]. Plg: Richard Barbour.

**262** LEVY M William Pate of Sneinton, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Colyngham of Stoke Bardolph <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 7s. for a mare. [John] in his own person comes and acknowledges 7s. Damages assessed at 4d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**263** M John Tamworth snr complains of Richard Spycer of Warsop. Plea: debt. Richard for a licence in mercy. Plg: John Kent.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of St John before the Latin Gate in the said year [9 May 1436].**

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<sup>25</sup> MS *sic*.

**264** ESSOIN Robert Selby of Nottingham def v John Elman, prior of Lenton, and John Dyghton his fellow monk pls. Plea: debt. Essonr: Richard Hunt. Inq.

**265** M

Found by inq that Walter Thorysby of Nottingham is not guilty v Geoffrey Kneton. Adjudged that Geoffrey should recover nothing v Walter but for his unjust suit in mercy.

The same Walter is not guilty v Nicholas Coton. Adjudged that Nicholas should recover nothing v Walter but for his unjust suit in mercy.

**266** M DIS The jurors between Hugh Welughby pl and Walter Thorysby def did not come: John Stannesby, Hugh Bladesmyth, Thomas Wysowe, Adam Knott, William Joly, Richard Alrede, William Waltham. In mercy. Dis.

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**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St John before the Latin Gate 14 Henry VI [10 May 1436].**

**267** INQ M PLG PROS THOMAS ROLEY, ADAM FOX William Sclatier of Thorpe in le Clottes <np> in his own person complains of William Sparoo of Nottingham. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. Joan Sparoo on the feast of St Peter in cathedra 14 Henry VI [22 Feb 1436] was retained with William Sclatier to serve him from the said feast until the same feast a year later in housewifery (*huswyfrie*). William Sparoo on Sat after the feast of St Chad following [3 Mar 1436] retained and received Joan his servant and still retains. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. William Sparoo in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**268** INQ PLG PROS JOHN KYLTON, JOHN COST William Sparoo of Nottingham in his own person complains of William Sclatier. Plea: deceit. He says that William Sclatier on Sat after the feast of St Peter advincula 13 Henry VI [26 Feb 1435] should have carried to William Sparoo a cartload of sea coals mined at Underwood (*unam carrectat' carbon' marit' a minera de Underwode*); he carried nothing. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. William Sclatier in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**269** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE The same William Sparoo in his own person complains of the same William Sclatier. Plea: debt of 4d. He says that William Sclatier on Sat before the feast of St Peter advincula 13 Henry VI [30 July 1435] bought a scythe for 4d., to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1435]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. William Sclatier in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq.

**270** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX John Fox of Nottingham, by Thomas Beauchamp his attorney, complains of Petronilla lately his servant. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. Petronilla on the feast of St Gregory 14 Henry VI [12 Mar 1436] was retained to serve John from the said feast for one year in housewifery (*huswyfrie*); on Mon before the feast of St John before the Latin Gate [30 Apr 1436] Petronilla withdrew without reasonable cause and licence from John's service. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. Petronilla in her own person comes and defends the force and says she was not retained nor withdrew. Inq. Plgs: John Ode, Richard Barbour and Richard Dalbury for Petronilla.

**271** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE John Elman, prior of Lenton, and Gilbert his fellow monk, by John Godart their attorney, complain of Robert Selby of Nottingham. Plea: detinue. They say that Robert on Sun after the feast of St Botolph 13 Henry VI [19 June 1435] gave a table with a pair of trestles (*trestell*) worth 18d. to Gilbert which Robert should have delivered to Gilbert on Sat following [25 June 1435]; he delivered nothing but unjustly detained and still detains. Damages: 12d. They produce suit. Robert in his own person comes and defends the force and says [he detains] no table. Inq.

**272** M Richard Sherman <np> complains of Nicholas Loscowe. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Richard np. In mercy.

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

**274** M The same Nicholas complains of the same Richard. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Nicholas np. In mercy.



**275** M John Dayun of Nottingham complains of Walter Thorysby <licence>. Plea: debt. Walter for a licence in mercy.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed after [the feast of St] Dun[stan] in the above year [23 May 1436].**

**276** [INQ] ... William Brook complains of Thomas Mor of Nottingham, currier (*coryour*). Plea: debt.<sup>26</sup> He says that he owes and unjustly detains 8d. for Lambert del Fen, which [he should have paid] at Christmas last [25 Dec 1435]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 4d. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and defends [the force and says] he owes him nothing. Inq.

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**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Dunstan in the above year [24 May 1436].**

**277** INQ PLG PROS JOHN EST, RICHARD BARBOUR William Warner of *Roley* in Staffs., by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of Alice Bracebrigg of Nottingham. Plea: debt of 6s.8d. He says that Alice on Sat after the feast of St Peter advincola 13 Henry VI [6 Aug 1435] received from Gervase Clyfton, 6s.8d. for William's use, to be paid to William at the feast of St Martin following [11 Nov 1435]; 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 asserting that William fixed the day [of repayment] to Michaelmas following [? 29 Sept 1435] and so says she owes him nothing until [Michaelmas]. Inq.

**278** BURGESS INQ PAID M PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX Henry Peyntour of Nottingham, master of St Mary's guild in St Nicholas' church, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of John Grene jnr, *walker*, of Nottingham <licence>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on Sat after Michaelmas 14 Henry VI [1 Oct 1435] with force and arms (staff) broke a house of the BVM in

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<sup>26</sup> MS *transgressionis debiti*.

his custody, and took and carried off 2 locks (*seras*) worth 8d. Damages: 20d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**279** BURGESS PAID M 3d. PLG PROS AS ABOVE The same Henry, by the same attorney, complains of the same John <licence for 2s.8d.>. Plea: debt of 8s.8d. He says that he owes and unjustly detains 8s.8d. for the rent of a tenement leased to John on Sun before the feast of St Martin 12 Henry VI [1 Oct 1434], to be paid at the terms of invention of the HC [3 May] and St Martin [11 Nov] in equal portions; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and acknowledges 7s. Let him recover. In mercy. [Precept to] levy. As to 2s.8d.<sup>27</sup> outstanding, he says he owes him nothing. Inq. He seeks execution of the body and committal to prison until [he should pay].

**280** M John Gotehard of Nottingham <np> in his own person complains of John Ballard of Radcliffe. Plea: debt. John Gotehard np. In mercy.

**281** INQ PLG PROS JOHN WEST, ADAM REST William Feron of Nottingham in his own person complains of William Node of Radcliffe-on-Soar <delivered. Plg: John Ewer>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that William Node on the feast of All Saints 13 Henry VI [1 Nov 1434] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off 2 coverlets (*coverletes*) worth 3s.4d., a linen sheet worth 16d., and a lined cloak worth 4s. Damages: 10s. He produces suit. William Node in his own person comes and defends the force and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**282** INQ PLG PROS AS ABOVE The same William Feron complains of the same William Node. Plea: debt of 18d. He says that William Node owes and unjustly detains 18d. for threshing, which he should have paid at the feast of St Martin 13 Henry VI [11 Nov 1434]; 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.

**283** M LET NOTHING BE EXECUTED<sup>28</sup> John Radford of Nottingham complains of William Neleson of Newthorpe <acknowledges and withdrew by John's licence>. Plea: debt. 8s.6d. William in his own person [comes] and acknowledges. He seeks

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<sup>27</sup> MS *sic*.

<sup>28</sup> MS *nichil fiat exec'* (marginated).

execution of the body. Afterwards, William withdrew by John's licence. William in mercy.

**284** M Thomas Wheteley of Gedling <np> complains of William Feron of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Thomas np. In mercy.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of St Boniface in the above year [6 June 1436].**

**285** M Found by inq that Alice Bracebryg owes nothing to William Warner of *Roley* until Michaelmas following as they agreed. William should recover nothing until [Michaelmas]. In mercy.

**286** LEVY FINE Found by inq that William Node is guilty v William Feron of Nottingham. Plea: trespass [against the king's peace]. Adjudged that William Feron should recover v William Node 5s. William Node seeks to make a fine with the king. [Fine] assessed at 4s.11d. Plg: John Ewer.

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**Further forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of St Boniface 14 Henry VI [6 June 1436].**

**287** LEVY M Found by inq that William Node owes William Feron 18d. Adjudged that William Feron should recover v William Node 18d. and 1d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy. Plg: John Ewer. Let William Node be delivered [to prison].

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Boniface in the above year [7 June 1436].**

**288** INQ M PLG PROS ADAM REST, JOHN EST John Russell of Nottingham, walker, in his own person complains of Andrew servant of William Brook <licence>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Andrew on Mon after the feast of St Boniface 14 Henry VI [11 June 1436] with force and arms (fists) took, broke and carried off John's scythe worth 2s.3d. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Andrew in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**289** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN REST, ADAM WEST Thomas Beauchamp in his own person complains of William servant of Nicholas Broude <licence. Plg: Nicholas Broude>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that William on Sun after the feast of St Mark 14 Henry VI [29 Apr 1436] with force and arms (staff) took and led away Emmot, Thomas' servant, and unjustly withdrew her from his service, by which Thomas lost her service for a great length of time. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. William in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**290** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX William Odham of Nottingham and ...<sup>29</sup> his wife complain of William Mountgomery of Grimston in Leics. <essoin>. Plea: detinue of 5½ strikes of drage worth 2s.3½d. They say that William and ...<sup>30</sup> on Sat before the feast of St Peter advincola 12 Henry VI [31 July 1434] bargained a sow for the 5½ strikes of drage with William Mountgomery and delivered the sow on the same day. William should have delivered the 5½ strikes of drage on the feast of the assumption of the BVM following [15 Aug 1434]; he delivered nothing but detained and still detains. Damages: 3s.4d. They produce suit. William Mountg[omery], by John Bullur his attorney, comes and defends the force and says he detains nothing. Inq. Plg: John Bullur.

**291** [M] ... John Sampson, parson of St Nicholas' church, Nottingham, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of William Nundy of Kirkby-in-Ashfield <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 20s. William in his own person comes and acknowledges 20s. Adjudged that John should recover v William 20s. and 12d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy. Attached by a *plastrum (plastr)* in Richard's custody.

**292** [INQ] ... John Malefeld, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Warde <4+>. Plea: debt of 3s. He says that John Warde on Sat after the feast of St Ambrose 14 Henry VI [7 Apr 1436] became pledger and fidejussor of Henry Selvestre and agreed to pay 3s. to John Malefeld at Whitsun [27 May 1436] if Henry should pay John nothing. Henry paid nothing by which the action accrued to John Malefeld to seek 3s. v John Warde; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. John Warde in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes him nothing. Inq. <Afterwards he acknowledged 2s. and ...12d.>

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**Forinsec pleas held on Wed after the feast of St Botolph in the above year [20 June 1436].**

**293 ESSOINS**

William Mountgomery of Grimston in Leics def v William Odham and Margery (*Marg*) his wife pls. Plea: detinue. Essonr: John Kemp. Inq.

John Warde def v John Malefeld pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Cramp. Inq.

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Botolph in the above year [21 June 1436].**

**294** [INQ] ... of Nottingham in his own person complains of William Smyth of Heage <licence. Plg: John Godart>. Plea: detinue of an iron ripple comb (*repulcombe*). He says that John on Sat after the feast of St Peter and St Paul 4 [Henry VI] [6 July 1426] delivered the ripple comb (*[rep]ulcombe*) in safe custody to William to be restored on the feast of St Margaret [following] [20 July 1436]; he restored nothing but unjustly detains. Damages: 12d. He produces suit. William, by Richard Dalbury [his attorney], comes [and defends the force] and says he detains no such ripple comb. Inq.

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**295** ... [by] Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of Richard March of Bourne (*Brun*) Lincs. <licence>. [Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers.] Richard March was retained with Thomas at Whitsun 14 Henry VI [27 May 1436] to the feast of the nativity of St [John the Baptist] [24 June 1436] to paint certain pictures (*certas ymagines*); ... the feast of St Barnabas following [11 June 1436] without cause [withdrew] from Thomas' service. Damages: ... [He produces] suit. Richard in his own person comes and defends the force and says he was not retained nor withdrew. Inq. [Richard] for a licence in mercy.

**296** [M] ... John Dorham of Nottingham complains of Nicholas Mason, *dawber* <licence>. Plea: debt. Nicholas for a licence in mercy.

**297** [M] ... Stepeley complains of John Whitehonde <licence>. Plea: debt. John for a licence in mercy.

**298** [M] ... John ... in his own person complains of Richard Lodes. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. John np. In mercy.

**299** ... John Cromarssh of Trowell, by Henry Monyassh of Nottingham, *barbour*, [his attorney], complains of Nicholas Brunnesley, parson of the church of Eastwood <4+, acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 12d. Many defaults. Nicholas comes, by Richard Barbour [his attorney], and acknowledges 12d. detained for 2 years.<sup>31</sup> Let him recover. Damages assessed at 3d. Precept to levy.

**300** [M] ... Thomas Pever of Beauvale in his own person complains of Thomas Herteshorn of Newthorpe <+, licence>. Plea: debt. Thomas Herteshorn for a licence in mercy.

**301** ... William Thornton <np> complains of Robert Alwyn. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. William np.

**302** ... Robert Alwyn complains of William Thornton and Cecilia his wife. Plea: trespass against the [king's ] peace. Robert np.

**303** [M] ... John Grove complains of Richard March of Bourne <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 6d. He comes and acknowledges. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**304** Alice Tannesley, by Richard Coo, chaplain, her attorney, complains of Richard March. Plea: breach of covenant. She says that Alice on Mon after Trinity Sun 14 Henry VI [4 June 1436] [made a] covenant with Richard to make for her case [?] (*clausur*) for a table at the altar of St John in St Mary's church from Trinity Sun to the end of 15 days following [17 June 1436], which covenant on the same day Richard broke. Damages: 3s.4d. She produces suit. Richard in his own person comes, and without any exception, precisely acknowledges the covenant to have been broken. Adjudged that Alice should recover v Richard 3s.4d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**305** [INQ] ... John Thrompton <np>, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Thomas Basset of Nottingham. Plea: detinue. He says that John on the feast of St Philip and St James 14 Henry VI [1 May 1436] delivered a heifer (*unam juvencl*) worth 7s. in safe custody to Thomas, to be restored on the feast of invention of

the HC [3 May 1436]; he restored nothing but unjustly detained and still detains. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and defends the force and says he detains no such bullock. Inq.

**306** INQ M PLG PROS AS ABOVE John Dalley in his own person complains of Joan Tailliour lately of Nottingham <licence. Plg: John Esthwayt snr>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Joan on the feast of the nativity of the BVM 10 Henry VI [8 Sept 1431] with force and arms (staff) took and led away William Tailliour his servant <[and] detained him for 3 years>. Damages: 30s. He produces suit. Joan in her own person comes and says she is not guilty. Inq.

**307** INQ PLG PROS JOHN EST, ADAM FOX Henry Grene, executor of the will of William Tyler, in his own person complains of Joan Tailliour. Plea: debt of 3s. He says that William in his lifetime on the feast of the purification of the BVM 7 Henry VI [2 Feb 1429] leased to Joan a tenement from the said feast for a whole year, to be paid at the feast of St Valentine following [14 Feb 1430]; she paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 3s.4d. He produces suit. Joan in her own person comes and defends the force and says she owes him nothing. William had absolved her from the payment of 4s. [Inq.]

**308** LEVY ASSESSMENT PLG PROS JOHN EST, ADAM REST PUT IN RESPITE FOR PAYMENT AT LIBERTY OF JOHN DUGHTY John Dugthy of Coventry, *marchant*, by John Ode his attorney, complains of John Davy of Coventry. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. John Davy at Whitsun 14 Henry VI [27 May 1436] was retained with John Dugthy to serve him from Whitsun for a whole year as a brewer in the brewer's craft (*bruercraft*); on Sat the eve [of the feast] of the nativity of St John the Baptist [23 June 1436] without reasonable cause and licence at Nottingham John Davy withdrew from John Dugthy's service. Damages: 40s. He produces suit. John Davy in his own person comes and defends the force and acknowledges the retention and withdrawal. He seeks the damages to be assessed by the court. He has day for the assessing of the fine to the next [court].

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**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Botolph 14 Henry VI [21 June 1436].**

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<sup>31</sup> MS unclear.

**309** LEVY M John Wright of Hollowstone (*Holoston*) in his own person complains of Richard March of Bourne <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 9d. for ale. Richard in his own person comes and acknowledges 9d. Let him recover. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**310** LEVY M John Dalley of Nottingham in his own person complains of Joan Tailliour. Plea: debt of 2s.9d. Joan comes in her own person and acknowledges 2s.9d. Damages discharged. Let him recover. In mercy. Precept to levy. He seeks execution of the body.

**311** PAID M William Skynner for a licence with Thomas Stokes in mercy. Plea: trespass and contempt. He paid 12d. by the hand of the parson of Hickling.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed before the feast of the translation of St Thomas the martyr in the said year [4 July 1436].**

**312** M William Mountgomery of Grimston in Leics <+, licence> for a licence with William Odham of Nottingham in mercy. Plea: detinue. Plg: John Bullur.

**313** LEVY M Found by inq that John Warde <4+> owes John Malefeld 12d. Adjudged that John Malefeld should recover v John Warde 12d. In mercy. John Malefeld should recover v John Warde 2s. which he acknowledged in this court and 1d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**314** M Found by inq that Joan Tailliour owes nothing to Henry Grene of Nottingham. Adjudged that Henry should recover nothing v Joan but for his unjust suit in mercy.

**315** LEVY M Robert Jentell in his own person complains of John Lacy <acknowledges>. Plea: debt of 6s.4d. borrowed. John in his own person comes and acknowledges 6s.4d. Damages discharged. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**316** M John Draper of Nottingham in his own person complains of Thomas Pentrich of Nottingham <licence> and Margery (*Marg'ia*) his wife. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Thomas for a licence in mercy.



**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of the translation of St Thomas the martyr in the said year [5 July 1436].**

**317** [SIGNUM] INQ PLG PROS JOHN WRIGHT, CHAPMAN, ADAM COST Joan Hawkyn, by Richard Dalbury her attorney, complains of Margaret Padley of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. She says that Margaret on Thur before the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist 14 Henry VI [21 June 1436] with force and arms (fists) made an assault on Joan, beat affrayed and maltreated her. Damages: 20s. She produces suit. Margaret in her own person comes and says she is not guilty. Inq.

**318** INQ M PLG PROS JOHN ODE, JOHN COST John Lokyer, servant of John Lokyer of Derby, by John Ode his attorney, complains of Thurstan Howorth of Newark <licence. Plg: Thomas Neusham>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Thurstan on Mon after the feast of the translation of St Thomas the martyr 14 Henry VI [9 July 1436] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off 16d. of John's cash. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. Thurstan in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plg: Thomas Newsham, spurrier (*spourour*).

**319** [INQ] PLG PROS JOHN EST, RICHARD WEST Thomas Bukall of Nottingham <np. Plg: Ralph Preston> in his own person complains of Ralph Vescy of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Ralph on Thur after the feast of the translation of St Thomas the martyr 14 Henry VI [12 July 1436] with force and arms (staff) made an assault on Thomas, beat, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 100s. He produces suit. Ralph, as he is in the king's service, comes, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**320** [M] ... [Ro]bert Jentyll in his own person complains of John Lacy <licence>. Plea: trespass and contempt. John for a licence in mercy.

**321** [M] ... William Bower complains of William servant of William Harper <licence>. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. William the servant in mercy for a licence.

**322** PAID M Ralph Preston complains of the same William the servant. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. William [for a licence in mercy].

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**323** [INQ] PLG PROS ... Ralph Vescy of Nottingham <np. Plg: John Balth[wayt]>, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of Thomas Buckall of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. [He says that] Thomas on Thur after the feast of the translation of St Thomas the martyr 14 Henry VI [12 July 1436] with force and arms (staff) made an assault [on] Ralph, beat and maltreated him. Damages: 100s. He produces suit. Thomas in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plg: ... of Nottingham. John was present in court and acknowledges the pledger.

**324** M John Stonesby of Nottingham complains of Thomas Coton. Plea: debt. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

**325** M Constance Kay of Nottingham, by Richard Barbour her attorney, complains of Robert lately servant of Robert Ingelby <licence. Plg: John Ode>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Robert the servant for a licence in mercy. Plg: John Ode.

**326** M John Parker of Nottingham, *wright*, <np> in his own person complains of Richard Deeken of Nottingham, *skynner*. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. John np. In mercy. Richard goes without day.

**327** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, JOHN FOX Joan, queen of England, and Geoffrey Kneton, by Richard Barbour their attorney, complain of Henry Peyntour of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 16s.8d. They say that Thomas Wolfe owed Joan and Geoffrey 16s.8d. outstanding for a greater sum and to be paid to them at Christmas 14 Henry VI [25 Dec 1435] for the greater security of 16s.8d. to be paid at Christmas. Henry at Christmas became pledger and fidejussor of Thomas and agreed to pay 16s.8d. at Christmas if Thomas should not pay 16s.8d. to Joan and Geoffrey; he paid nothing by which the action accrued to Joan and Geoffrey to seek 16s.8d. v Henry; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6s.8d. They produce suit. Henry, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq.

**328** SIGNUM INQ M PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX William Stepeley and Thomas Barker, William's servant, by the said William the master and his attorney, complain of John Annesley of Nottingham <licence. Plg: Thomas

Tylton>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. They say that John on Sun after the feast of the translation of St Thomas the martyr 14 Henry VI [8 July 1436] with force and arms (knife) made an assault on Thomas, William's servant, affrayed and maltreated him by which William lost Thomas' service for a long time. Damages: 6s.8d. They produce suit. John in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plg: Thomas Tylton.

**329** M Thomas Farley complains of Nicholas Broude <licence>. Plea: debt. Nicholas for a licence in mercy.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed before the feast of St Margaret in the above year [18 July 1436].**

**330** INQ ESSOIN Henry Peyntour of Nottingham def v Queen Joan and Geoffrey Kneton pls. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Est. Inq.

**331** LEVY PAID FINE Found by inq that Margaret Padley of Nottingham is guilty v Joan Hawkyn to the value of 2d. Adjudged that Joan should recover v Margaret 2d. Margaret seeks to be allowed to make a fine with the king. Allowed. Fine assessed by the court at 4d.

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St Margaret in the said year [19 July 1436].**

**332** INQ PLG PROS JOHN EST, ADAM WEST William Jell of Nottingham complains of John Chapeleyn of Nottingham <essoin>. Plea: debt of 5s. He says that William on Sun after the feast of St Chad 14 Henry VI [4 Mar 1436] leased a close of grass to John until the feast of the nativity of St John the Baptist following [24 June 1436], to be paid at the feast of St Peter and St Paul following [29 June 1436]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. He produces suit. John comes and defends the force and says that they agreed he would make payment at Michaelmas then following [29 Sept 1436], and so owes him nothing. Inq.

**333** M John Coton of Ilkeston complains of Robert Overard <licence. Plg: William Steward>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Robert for a licence in mercy.

**334** M John Maryonson <np. Plg: William Steward> complains of John Coton of Ilkeston. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. John Maryonson np. In mercy.

**335** The same John Maryonson complains of the same John Coton <licence>. Plea: debt. John Coton for a licence in mercy.

**336** PAID M Robert Gybon complains of Alice his servant. Plea: trespass and contempt. Alice for a licence in mercy. Plg: John Lathewer, *wever*.

**337** PAID M The same Robert complains of John Lathewer. Plea: trespass and contempt. John for a licence in mercy.

**338** M Robert Ingelby complains of Robert Plomer of Nottingham. Plea: trespass and contempt. Robert Ingelby np. In mercy.

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**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of St Margaret 14 [Henry VI] [[19 July 1436].**

**339** INQ M PLG PROS WILLIAM SAXILBY, JOHN ROPER Thomas Walker of Belgrave Gate (*Bealgravegate*), Leicester, by William Saxilby of Nottingham his attorney <np. Plg: William Saxilby>, complains of John Grene of Nottingham, *walker*. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John on Sat after the feast of the translation of St Thomas the martyr 14 Henry VI [14 July 1436] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off 8 yards of divers russet cloth worth 8s. Damages: 10s. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plg: John Horspole snr.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed the feast of St Peter advincula in the above year [1 Aug 1436].**

**340** INQ ESSOIN John Chapeleyn def v William Jell. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Draper. Inq.

**341** LEVY M Found by inq that Henry Peyntour of Nottingham owes Joan, queen of England, and Geoffrey Kneton of Nottingham 16s.8d. Adjudged that Joan and

Geoffrey should recover v Henry 16s.8d. and 12d. beyond 16s.8d. for damages assessed by the court. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of St Peter advincula in the above year [2 Aug 1436].**

**342** INQ PLG PROS THOMAS IRENMONGER, ADAM COST John Caumbruge of Shrewsbury (*de Salop*), *coteler*, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of Edward Bateman of Nottingham, *coteler* <essoin>. Plea: debt on demand of 60s. Plgs pros: Thomas Irenmonger, John<sup>32</sup> Cost. John complains that Edward on 16 Dec 4 Henry VI [1425] by a bond which John showed in court, firmly bound himself to John for 60s., to be paid to John, his attorney or executor, at Whitsun next [19 May 1426]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. John says that the bond was made in Nottingham within the jurisdiction of this court. Edward, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, comes and defends the force and says the bond was not made by him. Inq.

**343** INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX John Manchestre and John Norman, by Richard Dalbury their attorney, complain of Robert Farley <essoin>. Plea: debt of 17d. They say that Robert on Sun after the feast of invention of the HC 13 Henry VI [8 May 1435] took a frith (*frist*) for 17d. from John and John, to be paid at Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1435]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 12d. They produce suit. Robert in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq.

**344** [INQ] PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM FOX William Benyngton of Nottingham, *wright*, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of John Both of Nottingham, *wright* <essoin by assent>. Plea: trespass and contempt against the ordinance and statute of labourers. John on the feast of the invention of the HC 14 Henry VI [3 May 1436] was retained with William to serve him from the said feast until Michaelmas following [29 Sept 1436] as a carpenter (*carpentar*); on Sun after the feast of St Barnabas following [17 June 1436] John, without reasonable cause and licence, withdrew from William's service. Damages: 20s. He produces suit. John in his own person comes and defends the force and says he was not retained nor withdrew from his service. Inq.

**345** [M] ... William Halyfax of Nottingham, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of John Chapeleyn <6+, licence>. Plea: debt. Many defaults. John for a licence in mercy.

**346** M John Tapton of Nottingham in his own person complains of Joan de Blyth of ... by Richard Dalbury serjeant. Joan for a licence to agree with John [in mercy].

**347** ... John ... of Loughborough ..., by Richard Barbour his attorney [complains of John Westhall. Plea: debt.] John Westhall [in his own person] comes and acknowledges ... Precept to levy. As to 3s.4d. outstanding ...

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**348** LEVY M Thomas Burton of Loughborough, *marchaunt*, by Richard Barbour his attorney complains of ... Plea: debt of 5s. ... at 2d. In mercy. Precept to levy. As to 3s.4d. [outstanding] ...

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed the feast of the assumption of the BVM in the above year [15 Aug 1436].**

**349** [ESSOINS]

Edward Bateman def v John Cambruge of Shropshire pl. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Hunt. Inq. They have day to the next court.

John Farley of Nottingham v John Manchestre and John Norman pls. Plea: debt. Essonr: R Hunt. Inq.

John Both of Nottingham def v William Benyngton pl. Plea: trespass and contempt. Essonr: Robert Rag. Inq by assent.

**350** M Found by inq that John Chapeleyn owes nothing to William Jell until Michaelmas following. Adjudged that William should recover nothing v John but for his unjust suit. In mercy.

**351** M John Balthwayt, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of John Danyell, *tailliour*, of Nottingham. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. John Danyell for a licence in mercy.

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<sup>32</sup> MS *sic*.

**352** M The same John Balth[wayt], by the same attorney, complains of John Danyell <+, licence>. Plea: deceit. John Danyell for a licence in mercy.

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of the assumption of the BVM in the above year [16 Aug 1436].**

**353** BURGESS INQ PLG PROS JOHN COST, ADAM WEST <rests> John Neuton of Nottingham, *hostiler*, in his own person complains of John @orke of Nottingham, *wever*. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that John @orke on Sun after the feast of the assumption of the BVM 14 Henry VI [19 Aug 1436] with force and arms (staff) at night lay in ambush and made an assault on John Neuton beat, affrayed and maltreated him. Damages: 100s. He produces suit. John @orke in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq. Plg: found.

**354** INQ PLG PROS JOHN REST, ADAM WEST John Wodehall, *barbour*, in his own person complains of Robert Selby of Nottingham, *wright*. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. He says that Robert on Fri after the feast of St Mathias 12 Henry VI [26 Feb 1434] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off a timber beam. Damages: 6s.8d. He produces suit. Robert in his own person comes and says he is not guilty. Inq.

**355** LEVY M PLG PROS AS ABOVE John Warde in his own person complains of Henry Selvestre <15+, convicted>. Plea: debt. Henry summoned. Attached. Charged for 15 court days. Does not appear. 15 defaults. On which comes Henry and seeks judgement and his debt with damages to be adjudged to him according to custom. Adjudged that John should recover v Henry the debt and ...<sup>33</sup> damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**356** LEVY M PLG PROS AS ABOVE The prior of the Carmelites of Nottingham and Thomas Stretton one of the brethren, by Richard Dalbury their attorney, complain of David Walsshman and Joan his wife <15+, convicted>. Plea: detinue of a pair of linen sheets worth 3s. David summoned. Attached. Charged for 15 court days. Did not appear. 15 defaults. On which come the prior and Thomas, by their attorney, and seek judgement and their debt with damages to be adjudged to them according to the custom of Nottingham. Adjudged that the prior and Thomas should recover v David and Joan 3s. and 4d. damages. In mercy. [Precept to] levy.

**357** M Richard Dalby of Nottingham complains of Robert Crophil lately his servant. <licence>. Plea: trespass and contempt. Robert for a licence in mercy.

**358** M The same Richard complains of the same Robert <licence>. Plea: debt. Robert for a licence in mercy.

**359** M Richard Redeswell of Nottingham <np> complains of Thomas Barley of Kimberley. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. Richard np. In mercy. This plea was entered at the feast of St Chad last [2 Mar 1436].

**360** M THUR WILFRID Richard Foston of Nottingham in his own person complains of Geoffrey Forster of Chesterfield. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace. He says that [Geoffrey] on Fri after the feast of St Peter and St Paul 13 Henry VI [1 July 1435] with force and arms (staff) took and carried off a green robe well furred with black lambskin worth 20s. Geoffrey for a licence in mercy.

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**Forinsec pleas held on Wed the feast of decollation of St John the Baptist 14 Henry VI [29 Aug 1436].**

**361** M Richard Foston of Nottingham, *chapman*, in his own person complains of Geoffrey Forester of Chesterfield in Derbys, *litster* <2+, taken Sat after the feast of St Wilfrid [15 Oct 1435], licence>. Plea: debt on demand of £6 13s.4d. Plg pros: John Cost, Adam Fox. Charged and the bailiffs return that he has nothing within [their bailliwick by which he could be distrained]. Precept to take [his body]. Geoffrey for a licence in mercy. Plg: John Lovell.

**362** John Caumbruge, by Richard Barbour his attorney, pl and John Bateman, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, def come. The jurors having been brought and examined say that the bond was made by Edward yet the payment on the bond, 20s., should be reserved.

**363** LEVY M Found by inq that Robert Farley owes 17d. to John Manchestre and John Norman. Adjudged that John and John should recover v Robert 17d. and 1d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

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<sup>33</sup> MS blank space.



**364** M John Bothe of Nottingham, *wright*, for a licence to agree with William Benyngton in mercy. Plea: trespass and contempt.

**365** M Robert Selby, *wright*, of Nottingham <licence> for a licence to agree with John Wodehall, *barbour*, in mercy. Plea: trespass against the [king's] peace.

**Further forinsec pleas held on Thur after the feast of decollation of St John the Baptist in the said year [30 Aug 1436].**

**366** [M] ... John Ireland, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of Thomas Alot, vicar of the church of Radford <7+, licence>. Plea: debt of 8m 10s. for a bond, to be paid at Easter last [8 Apr 1436]. Damages: 10s. Plg: Henry Barbour. Many defaults. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

**367** M Robert Smyth of Nottingham <np> complains of John Falk his servant. Plea: trespass and contempt. Robert np. In mercy.

**368** M Robert Ingelby <np> complains of Robert Plomer. Plea: trespass and contempt. Robert Ingelby np. In mercy.

**369** M Richard Selby <np> complains of Robert son of Simon Porter. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Richard np. In mercy.

**370** [M] ... John Fossebrook of Nottingham, *bochor*, by Richard Dalbury his attorney, complains of Henry Selvestre of Sneinton <15+, Thur advincula convicted>. Plea: debt of 22d.: 10d, for meat and 12d. borrowed, to be paid at Michaelmas 13 Henry VI [29 Sept 1434]; he paid nothing. Attached by a mare. Summoned. Charged for 15 court days. Did not appear. 15 defaults. On which defaults comes John, by Richard his attorney, and seeks judgement and his debt with damages to be adjudged to him according to law and custom. Adjudged that John should recover v Henry 22d. and 2d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**371** ... M Thomas Chaworth, kt, <np> by John Bate his attorney, complains of Robert Brome of Stretton in Cheshire. Plea: trespass and contempt. Thomas np. In mercy.

**372** M The same Robert <np> in his own person complains of Thomas Elton of Notts, *laborer*. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Robert np. In mercy. Plgs: John Bate, Richard Chestrefeld for 8d.

**373** [M] John Grene, *coryour*, complains of the said Thomas Elton <licence>. Plea: trespass against the king's peace. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

**374** M John Olem of Chilwell, by Richard Barbour his attorney, complains of John Pampion of Lenton. Plea: debt. John Pampion for a licence in mercy.

**375** INQ ... Reynald Cobham and John Manchestre complain of William Etwell. Plea: debt of 6s.8d. for a *wer'* taken from them. Plg: William Grene of Sneinton. To be paid at Michaelmas 14 Henry VI [29 Sept 1435]; he paid nothing but refused to pay and still refuses. Damages: 2s. They produce suit. William in his own person comes and defends the force and says he owes them nothing. Inq.

**Forinsec [pleas] held on Wed before the feast of exaltation of the HC in the [above] year [12 Sept 1436].**

**376** [ESSOIN William Etwell] def v Reynald Cobham and John Manchestre pls. Plea: debt. Essonr: John Rest. Inq.

**377** ... [John Ilkeston complains] of Agnes Trowell of Ikeston. Plea: trespass and contempt. Plgs pros: John Cost, Adam Fox. [Precept to] ... serjeant at mace to summon Agnes to be at the forinsec court on Fri after the feast of St ... to reply to John Ilkeston. The serjeant [replies that Agnes] has [nothing] within his bailliwick by which she could be summoned. Precept to take [her body and] to have it on Sat following. The serjeant returns that he has Agnes' body. Day given to Agnes to the next court following ... William Blande whom John Husse, Nicholas and William mainperned (Roll 15d) ... John Ilkeston charged and appears. Agnes charged. Does not appear. Default. [Precept to the serjeants to have Agnes' body] if she can be found within their bailliwck. Distrain of William Blande, John Husse and Nicholas as they did not have Agnes' body on the day given ... feast of St Denis [c 9 Oct 1436].

**Forinsec pleas held on Thur before the feast of exaltation of the HC in the above year [13 Sept 1436].**

**378** M John Elman, prior of Lenton, and John Manchestre of Nottingham complain of Thomas Irenmonger <2+, licence>. Plea: debt of 5s.11¾d. for [tithes]<sup>34</sup> of hay. He made many defaults. Thomas for a licence in mercy.

**Forinsec pleas held on Wed before Michaelmas 15 Henry VI [26 Sept 1436].**

**379** [M] ... Found by inq that William Etwell of Nottingham owes Reynald Cobham and John Manchestre 6s.8d. Adjudged that John and Reynald should recover v William 6s.8d. and 4d. damages. In mercy. Precept to levy.

**380** [M] ... Geoffrey Kneton complains of Robert Cook of Lenton. Plea: debt of 6s.8d. Robert comes and acknowledges. Damages discharged. In mercy. Precept to [levy].

**381** M John Wilbram complains of Robert Cook of Lenton. Plea: debt of 7s. Robert acknowledges. Damages assessed at 4d. In mercy. Precept to levy.

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<sup>34</sup> MS damaged *d...*