APPENDIX A

MINSTRELS AND MINSTRELSY IN THE ROYAL WARDROBE BOOKS, 25 Edward I – 15 Henry VII

Introduction

The Wardrobe of the English royal household¹ was developed during the late thirteenth century as a financial and secretarial department through which the king could make transactions more easily and more quickly than through the offices of the Exchequer and Chancery. By making his Wardrobe responsible not only for the affairs of his household but for much of his military administration as well, Edward I gave his finances considerable freedom from the supervision of the barons – a freedom without which he could not have pursued his military policies in Scotland and Wales.

The Wardrobe accounts of Edward I's reign are thus particularly detailed in the information which they give about life and work at Court. Those of the following reign are slightly less detailed, for by the beginning of the reign of Edward II the barons had realised that the highly-developed Wardrobe was largely responsible for the financial freedom which the king enjoyed. Gradually, the barons were able to gain control of the Wardrobe, severely curtailing the king's financial resources. Edward's solution, towards the end of his reign, was to develop the Chamber to do the same work, with the freedom which the Wardrobe had previously enjoyed:² he was not successful, however, and the [2] Chamber never attained the status or size necessary for his purposes.

After Edward's deposition the Chamber declined again, although it was to some extent revived under Edward III. In this reign, too, the Wardrobe was again used for military administration, during Edward's early preparations for war with France. In the second half of the reign, however, the king gave up his attempts at financial independence in favour of the support of the barons for his foreign policies. The gradual decline of the Wardrobe therefore continued, as indeed it did for the rest of the Middle Ages. Many payments

¹ The best summary of the history of the Wardrobe is in Myers/*ELMA*, pp. 25 ff. The standard reference work is Tout/*Chapters*.

² A number of Chamber accounts have therefore been searched for the present work: they appear in the calendar which follows.

and gifts which under the first two Edwards would have appeared in the Wardrobe accounts were recorded in the Issue Rolls and Patent Rolls in later reigns.

Wardrobe accounts were first entered in a Day-Book, or Journal. When the account was finally made – often several years later – these entries, together with certain receipts and separate livery-rolls, etc., were arranged under various headings and made up as the book of the Keeper of the Wardrobe. A copy of the Keeper's book was made for the Controller (i.e. *Contrarotulator*, or keeper of the counter-roll), some of the details being summarised.

The exact *tituli*, or headings, under which the accounts were entered vary slightly with the year and the reign. Generally, the Keeper's and Controller's books begin with the receipts of the Wardrobe, and continue with payments to household officers for the day-to-day expenses of their departments: from the last years of Edward III's reign onwards, the latter payments are usually summarised. Other *tituli* normally appearing are those of Alms and Oblations; Necessaries; Prests, or part-payments, to members of the household and to those "qui non sunt"; Shoes; Liveries of Cloth and Fur; Gifts; Buying of Horses; Replacement of Horses; [3] Messengers; Debts; and Jewels and Plate. The sections concerned with Fees and Wages are often subdivided into payments to *milites*, squires, archers, *pedites*, huntsmen, sailors, carpenters, dykers, etc.

These sections are not all equally useful for our present purpose. In collecting material for this thesis I have not searched receipts, payments to household officers, or alms and oblations; occasional entries from these sections are included in my calendar only because they caught my eye or were pointed out to me. Similarly, I have not searched sections concerning *milites*, soldiers, sailors, jewels and plate, etc. Sections concerning falconers and messengers were occasionally searched as time allowed: they proved unfruitful.

Undoubtedly the most immediately interesting items were found in the *Dona* sections, where gifts were recorded both to the royal minstrels and to visiting entertainers; the *Necessaria* sections were also carefully searched, although they proved to be less fruitful. Shoes, wages, and liveries of cloth and fur were expenses which occurred annually, so that individual items do not have the unique importance of entries in the *Dona* and *Necessaria* sections. Nevertheless, they and the payments for horses give information about the status of the minstrels and their periods of residence in Court, and allow an inventory of the names of royal minstrels to be compiled.³ In this latter task, the lists of household creditors help greatly, as do the *Prestita* sections: prests, however, give little information other than names and the itinerary of the Court, and I have not given details of prests in my calendar.

³ The result of this particular piece of work is Rastall/MERH.

[4] HAND-LIST OF ACCOUNTS NOT CALENDARED

Accounts may appear in this hand-list for one of two reasons:

1 The document in question was not searched, usually because the catalogue indicated that it might not contain many relevant entries. These accounts are distinguished in the list by the letters (n.s.).

2 The document was searched, without relevant entries being found.

The documents listed here should not be dismissed as unfruitful, however. I did not normally search all sections of a Wardrobe account, and in addition I must have dismissed as irrelevant, in the early stages of the work, much material that I should later have noted.⁴ There was rarely time to return to a manuscript that had already been searched: all documents in this list should be seen again at some stage, although the need to search other records – especially the Issue Rolls – is more pressing.

This list does not claim to be exhaustive, and it no doubt excludes a number of fragmentary accounts. If it includes all the major accounts and most of the minor ones, however, it will have served its purpose.

The accounts of the various households are not distinguished: nor are any details given of the documents themselves.

[5] DATE DOCUMENT

Edward I

24-29	E101.354.5	
24-29	E101.354.7	(n.s.)
24-35	E101.354.10	
25	C47.4.7	(n.s)
27	E101.6.3	(n.s.)
285	Soc. of Ants	s. (n.s.)
28	Ryl 231	(n.s.)
28-29	E101.358.20	(n.s.)
29	Add 7966 B	(n.s.)
29	E101.9.20	(n.s.)
29	E101.359.8	(n.s.)
30	E101.361.13	(n.s.)

⁴ For instance, it was some time before I began to look for waferers, as the connection between waferers and minstrels did not immediately present itself.

⁵ The Society of Antiquaries manuscript is identical with Add 35291, except that it omits passages deleted in the latter.

30	E101.361.16	(n.s.)
31	E101.363.13	(n.s.)
31-32	E101.365.6	(n.s.)
31–35	E101.365.10	(n.s.)
33	E101.367.7	
33-35	E101.368.7	(n.s.)
34	Add 37655	(n.s.)
34	E101.369.15	(n.s.)
35	E101.370.6	(n.s.)
35	E101.370.7	(n.s.)

Edward II

1	Add 35093	(n.s.)
1	E101.369.17	(n.s.)
3	Harley 315m	(n.s.)
3	E101.506.16	(n.s.)
4	E101.374.6	(n.s.)
4-7	E101.506.18	(n.s.)
5	E101.374.15	(n.s.)
7	E101.540.22	(n.s.)
7	E101.375.9	(n.s.)
8-9	E101.376.11)	(n.s.)
	E101.376.14)	
?6	E101.376.16	
8-9	E101.377.4	
167	E101.379.7	(n.s.)
17	E101.379.17	(n.s.)
17	Ryl 132	
17	Add 35114	(n.s.)
17	Add 36763	(n.s.)
17	Aug II.109	(n.s.)
18	Egerton 2814	
19	E101.381.15	(n.s.)

Edward III

5–6	E101.385.19
6	Galba E iii, ff. 174–192 (n.s.)
6-8	E101.386.3
7	E101.386.12
7	E101.386.13
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⁶ Fragment.

⁷ Transcribed in *EHR* xxx, pp. 673 ff.

8-10	E101.507.16	(n.s.)
10 (?)	Ryl 233	
15–17	E101.389.13	
15	E101.389.15	
18-24	E101.390.12	
18-298	E101.391.1	
23	E101.391.4	
23-249	E101.391.20	
31	E101.392.20	(n.s.)
31	E101.393.4	
31	Ryl 237	(n.s.)
32	E101.393.5	
32-33	Galba E xiv	(n.s.)
33	E101.393.9	
34	E101.392.14	
34	E101.309.11	
3910	E101.395.4	
39-41	E101.396.2	
42 ¹¹	E101.396.8	
42-43	E101.396.9	
45-46	Ryl 240	
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<u>Richard II</u>

1–2	E101.400.3	(n.s.)
2–3	E101.400.9	(n.s.)
5-6	E101.400.19	(n.s.)
4-9	E101.401.9	(n.s.)
5-6	E101.400.28	
6–7	E101.400.26	
6-9	E101.401.12	(n.s.)
11–12	E101.401.19	(n.s.)
11–12	E101.401.20	(n.s.)
12–13	E101.402.1	(n.s.)
13	E101.402.3	(n.s.)
14	E101.402.6	(n.s.)
15–16	E101.402.9	(n.s.)
1612	E101.402.10	
17–19	E101.403.1	(n.s.)

⁸ Chamber accounts: extracts in Archaeologia 32, pp. 381 ff.

⁹ Chamber accounts.

¹⁰ Chamber accounts.

¹¹ Chamber accounts.

 $^{\rm 12}$ Incomplete Keeper's book: perhaps the first part of E101.403.22 (calendared).

19–20	E101.403.9	(n.s.)
19	E101.403.12	(n.s.)
21–22	E101.403.18	(n.s.)

Henry IV

4-5	E101.404.23	
5-6	E101.405.26	(n.s.)
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8-10	E101.405.14	(n.s.)
9-10	E101.405.19	(n.s.)
9-10	E101.405.22	(n.s.)
?	E101.406.9	(n.s.)

Henry IV - Edward IV

 $E101.406.14^{13}$

<u>Henry V</u>

?	E404.31, 401-	425
?	E101.407.1	(n.s.)
914	Ryl 238	
? 15	E101.407.8	(n.s.)
10-1	E101.411.5	(n.s.)

Henry VI

E101.407.13	
E101.407.19	
E101.407.17	
E101.408.1	
E101.408.4	(n.s.)
E101.408.17	(n.s.)
Harley 6163	(n.s.)
E101.408.24	
E36.84	(n.s.)
	E101.407.19 E101.407.17 E101.408.1 E101.408.4 E101.408.17 Harley 6163 E101.408.24

Edward IV

¹⁴ Accounts of Queen Joan of Navarre: transcribed by A.R. Myers as "The captivity of a royal witch" in the *Bulletin of the John Rylands Library*, xxiv, no. 2, and xxvi, no. 1.

¹⁵ Fragment.

¹⁶Fragment.

¹³ A collection of fragments, often mutilated and barely legible: part of the collection, for 27–28 Henry VI, is calendared below.

6–7	E36.207	(n.s.)
11–14	E101.412.3	(n.s.)
13-14	E101.412.5	
17-18	E101.412.9	
18-19	E101.412.10	
20	Harley 4780	

Henry VII

2-1817	E101.413.2	(n.s.)
12–14	E101.414.11	
$15 - 18^{18}$	E101.415.3	(n.s.)

[8] HAND-LIST OF ACCOUNTS CALENDARED

The order of documents given here is the order in which they are calendared below. Accounts are of the king's household unless otherwise stated. Documents are described where possible as a Journal (Jnl.), Keeper's book (Kr.) or Controller's book (Ctr.).

DATE DOCUMENT

Edward I

25	Add 7965	
25	C47.4.6.	Ctr. 8 February – 29 March.
24-26	Ryl 229	
27	Add 37654	Ctr.
27-28	E101.357.5	Account-rolls of the Treasurer of the queen's
		household.
28	Harley 626m	Ctr.
28	Add 35291	
29	E101.359.5	Jnl. beginning 24 March.
29	Add 7966A	Ctr.
29	E101.359.6	Kr.?
28-29	E101.358.18	Imperfect roll of prests.
29	E101.684.62,	
	piece 3	
30	E101.361.15 Jn	ıl. 28 April – 2 July.

¹⁷ Chamber accounts.

¹⁸ Transcribed in *PPE.H.VII*.

30	Ryl 232	
30	E101.361.27	
31-34	Add 35292	Jnl. 7 April, 31 Ed I – 27 April, 34 Ed I.
31	E101.364.13	
31	Add 17360	Ctr.
31	E101.363.10	Ctr.? 19 March – 5 April.
31	E101.363.18	Ctr., household of the Prince of Wales.
32	Add 8835	
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33	E101.368.6	Kr.
33	E101.367.16	Ctr.
33	E101.367.17	Livery-roll.
34	E101.369.11	Kr.
34	E101.368.27	Ctr.
34	E101.368.12	Accounts of the household of Thomas and Edmund,
		the king's sons.
34	E101.369.6	Roll of gifts and payments at Pentecost.
34-35	E101.369.16	
27-35	E101.357.15	Debts of the Wardrobe.
35–1	E101.370.16	Jnl. 20 November, 35 Ed I – 17 July, 1 Ed II.

<u>Edward II</u>

1	E101.373.15	
4	E101.374.7	Jnl. 8 July – 14 February.
4	E101.373.30	Jnl. 16 February – 7 July.
4	E101.374.5	
4–5	E101.373.26	
3–5	Nero C viii,	
	ff. 1–178v.	
5	E101.374.16	
5	E101.374.14	Liveries for the queen's household.
6	E101.375.8	
5–6	E101.374.19	Accounts of the household of Thomas and Edmund,
		the king's brothers, 30 September, 5 Ed II - 29
		September, 6 Ed II.
9	E101.376.7	Ctr., 8 July – 31 January.
13	E101.378.4)	Kr.
	Add 17362)	
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14	Add 9951	Ctr.
15–17	Stowe 553	Kr., 1 May, 15 Ed II - 19 October, 17 Ed II.
17	E101.379.19	Ctr. Jnl., 23 October – 7 July.
17–18	E101.380.4	Ctr. Jnl. of expenses of the king's Chamber, 16 April,
		17 Ed II – 21 May, 18 Ed II.
20	E101.381.6	Kr.? Debts of the Wardrobe.

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Edward III

1-2	E101.383.8	Ctr.
2–3	E101.384.1	Ctr.
4	E101.385.4	Kr. Livery-roll.
4	Ryl 234	Liveries of the queen's household.
5	Ryl 235	Ctr. Household of the queen.
6	Add 38006	Kr.? Accounts of the king's sister Eleanor,
0	1144 00000	18 April – 26 July.
6	E101.386.7	Ctr.? Accounts of the king's sister Eleanor: pr. in <i>Archaeologia</i> 77, pp. 121 ff.
8	E101.387.5	Ctr.
8 - 10	Add 35181	
8 - 11	Nero C viii,	
0 11	ff. 179–end	Ctr.
10-12	E101.387.25	Kr. Roll of receipts and liveries of the household of the
10 12	1101.007.20	Black Prince.
11–12	E101.388.9	Ctr., 31 August, 11 Ed III – 11 July, 12 Ed III.
11–12	E101.388.5	Ctr., August, 11 Ed III - 11 July, 12 Ed III.
12	E101.388.12	Kr. Roll of liveries of the household of the Black
		Prince.
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14	E101.389.6	Roll of expenses of the household of the Black Prince.
12–14	E36.203	Kr.
14	E101.389.5	(Fragment).
11–15	E101.389.11	Kr. Debts of the Wardrobe.
16-18	E36.204	Ctr., 21 July, 16 Ed III – 1 April, 18 Ed III.
16-18	E101.390.3	Kr. Account-roll of the household of the Black Prince.
13-18	Harley 4304,	Kr. Accounts of the household of the Black Prince.
	ff. 18-end	
c.21	E101.391.9	Kr. Debts of the Wardrobe.
23-24	E36.205	Ctr. Accounts of the household of the queen, 25
		January, 23 Ed III – 1 February, 24 Ed III.
27	E101.392.12	Kr. Extracts pr. in <u>Archaeologia</u> 31, pp. 137 ff.
29-33	Harley 4304,	Kr. Accounts of the household of the Black Prince.
	ff. 13–15	
31-32	Rylands 236	Accounts of the household of the queen, 1 April,
22 24	E101 202 11	31 Ed III – 1 April, 32 Ed III.
33–34 34–35	E101.393.11	Livery-roll, 1 November, 34 Ed III – 28 June, 35 Ed III.
	E101.393.15	
37-38 43	E101.394.16	Livery-roll, 29 June, 37 Ed III – 29 June, 38 Ed III.
43 45 47	E101.396.11	Ctr.
45-47 50_1	E101.397.5	Kr. 27 June, 45 Ed III – 27 June, 47 Ed III. Kr. 25 November 50 Ed III – 26 July J Bie II
50-1	E101.398.9	Kr. 25 November, 50 Ed III – 26 July, I Ric II.
		Extracts pr. in <i>Archaeologia</i> 60, pp. 531 ff.

48-1 E101.397.20 Kr. Livery-roll.

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<u>Richard II</u>

?	E101.403.25	Roll of household servants.
7–8	E101.401.2	Kr.
8	Ryl 242	Kr. 1 July – 31 December.
13-14	E101.402.5	
16–17	E101.403.22	Kr.? Perhaps part of E101.402.10:
		see above, p. 6 and n. 12.
16–17	Add 35115	Ctr. 30 September, 16 Ric II – 30 September, 17 Ric II.
17–19	E101.402.20	Kr.
19–20	E101.403.10	Ctr. 30 September, 19 Ric II – 30 September, 20 Ric II.

Henry IV

2	E101.404.11	Roll of expenses.
3-4	E101.404.21	Kr.
4–5	E101.404.24	Ctr. Accounts of the household of the Prince of Wales.
7-8	Harley 319	Ctr. 30 September, 7 Hen IV – 8 December, 8 Hen IV.
8	E101.406.10	Extracts pr. in Archaeologia 67, pp. 174 ff.

<u>Henry V</u>

1	E101.406.21	Accounts of the Treasurer of the household.
3	Stowe 1043	
?	E101.407.10	Roll of household servants.
7-8	E101.406.30	Accounts of the household of the queen mother,
		Joan of Navarre.
9	E101.407.4	

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Henry VI19

9	E101.408.11	
13-14	Add 17721	Kr.
17–18	E101.409.2	Kr.
19–20	E101.409.6	Kr.
20-21	E101.409.9	
22	E101.409.11	Ctr.
22-23	E101.409.12	Kr.
22-24	Add 23938	Expenses of the queen, 17 July, 22 Hen VI -

¹⁹ Accounts in the reigns of Henry VI and Edward IV ran from Michaelmas to Michaelmas, covering a single year.

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		16 October, 24 Hen VI.
25-26	E101.409.16	Kr.
26-27	E101.410.1	
26-28	E101.410.3	Ctr. This document now includes the former
		E101.540.29 and fragments of E101.406.14.
29-30	E101.410.6	Ctr.
30-31	E101.410.9	Kr.
35-36	E101.410.14	Kr.

Edward IV

3-4	E101.411.13	Kr.
5-6	E101.411.15	Kr.
6-7	E101.412.2	Kr.
5–9	E101.412.1	Debts of the Wardrobe.
19–20	E101.412.11	Ctr.
2220	Harley 433,	
	ff. 311 ff.	

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1 Harley 433, ff. 45v-210

Henry VII

11–13	E101.414.6	Jnl. 1 October, 11 Hen VII – 30 September, 13 Hen VII:
		pr. in PPE.H VII.
13–15	E101.414.16	Jnl. 1 October, 13 Hen VII – 30 September, 15 Hen VII:
		pr. in PPE.H.VII.

CALENDAR

Accounts are calendared in chronological order. Where different types of account are calendared for any one year, the Journal precedes the Keeper's and Controller's books: livery-rolls and miscellaneous accounts follow. Unless the contrary is stated, accounts are for the king's household, and are in Latin.

²⁰ Harley 433 is not a Wardrobe document: it contains records of wages and grants of the type usually found in the Patent Rolls, and is included here only because there is no printed transcription of it.

Where sections of the original document are clearly marked, the *tituli* are given in the calendar. *Tituli* are omitted for sections which were not searched or in which nothing relevant was found.

Entries are prefaced by their position in the original, folio-, page- or membrane-numbers being given. A blank line separates entries which appear under separate dates (in a Journal) or marginal headings (in a Keeper's or Controller's book): adjacent entries have (adjac) between them. Where two items appear under the same date or marginal heading, but with irrelevant material between them, the calendar of the second begins on a new line.

Most details are given for the payment of gifts and necessary expenses. Entries end with the place and date of payment if these are known: in accounts for a single year, the year of the payment [15] is that of the accounts unless otherwise stated; in accounts covering two or more years, the year is stated where possible. Gifts are normally from the king, but this information is not included in the calendar.

Details of wages and prests are not given, although I have roughly indicated the number of prests in each entry ("several" means c. 4–8, and "many" means c. 9 or more). Where an entry concerning wages includes amounts, period of employment, or the period of a minstrel's residence in Court in the original, I have indicated in the calendar that details were given. Prests are almost invariably part-payments of wages, or occasionally for cloth liveries; these are not specified in the calendar. In other cases I have stated the purpose for which a prest was made.

Money for a payment could be handed either to the recipient himself or to an intermediary: I have omitted this information in the former case, or where the intermediary was a household officer. Where payment was made through a minstrel the fact is stated, the letters p.m. (for *per manus*, the usual Latin formula) being used.

Names are standardised (*Windsor* for *Wyndesore*, for example) only if the original spelling is consistent and the modern version obvious. The courtesy-title *Dominus* (shortened to Dns), which could be used with a wide variety of implications, is retained in the calendar: certain words such as *psaltator* and *vigilis*, for which there is no convenient English equivalent, have also been retained in the original language.²¹ Apart from proper names, words left in the original language are underlined. If a word is given in its original language because [16] its meaning or form is uncertain, a scribal contraction is indicated in the usual way by an apostrophe.

Certain common names, such as John de London or John de Windsor, raise problems of identity. No mention is made of the appearance of such names if I was sure that the man concerned was not the minstrel.

25 Ed 1: Add 7965

²¹ Reasons for this decision are given more fully in Rastall/MERH, p. 5.

Necessary Expenses

f.3 Payment of 24.0d for six tabors bought for the king's falconers at 4.0d each: Waldinsfeld, 11 December.

Gifts

f.52 Gift of 20.0d to Gilotus, harper of Dns Hugo de Cressingham, returning to his master in Scotland: Bury St Edmund's, 20 November.

Gift of 40.0d to Nicholas and Adam, the king's harpers: Bures, 9 December.

Gifts to minstrels at the wedding of the king's daughter Elizabeth to the Count of Holland:

to King Page, John the violist and Conuce his son, making their minstrelsy, 50.0d each. Total £7.10.0d, 8 January.

to Grisecote, Visage and Magore, similarly making their minstrelsy before the lady, 20.0d each. Total 60.0d.

to Ruardinus the violist, King Morellus,²² Guillotus de Ros, Janinus le Leutor and Thomas (?) le Fole, 50.0d each. Total £12.10.0d.

to two harpers, two of the king's trumpets, John Drake the waferer, Dunrine (?), Bandettus, Thomelmus the violist, two harpers of the Bishop of Durham, two minstrels of the Earl Marshal, Hamoin L'estivour, Lambyn Clay and John de Cressin, 20.0d each. Total £15.

to a harper of Dns John Comyn, 1 mark.

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to Druettus, Monthaut and Jakettus de Scocia, Kings, 40.0d each.

Total £6.

to the waferer of the king's son, four *vigiles* of the king and the king's son, two harpers of the Earl of Oxford and Dns Thomas de Mylton, Henry the harper, Laurence the harper and Martinettus the taborer, 10.0d each.

Total 100.0d.

to various other minstrels between them, 46.8d.

Sum total £41.10.0d.

f.54 Gift of 40.0d to Patrick the trumpeter, the king's falconer, leaving the king's service for good because of his infirmity: Denham, 21 February.

Gift of 17.6d to Miemus de Mantzt, minstrel, coming to the king on a mission from Vastonia: Exeter, 5 April.

f.54v Gift of 20.0d to Meliorus, a harper who formerly came with Dns John Mautravers, for playing at the time that the king was having his blood let: Plympton, 23 April.

²² Nicholas Morell, King of Heralds in 1290: see Wagner/Heralds, p. 33.

f.55 Gift of 6.8d to Walter Lund, a harper whom the king found playing before the tomb of St Richard in Chichester Cathedral: Chichester, 26 May.

(adjac)

Gift of 40.0d to John de Depe, trumpeter, to replace a horse that died in the king's service: Maghefeld, 30 May.

f.55v Gift of £4.8.4d to fourteen minstrels playing before the image of the Virgin in the vault of Christ Church, Canterbury, in the king's presence: 6 June.

f.56v Gift of 40.0d to John de London and John de Depe, king's trumpeters, for two new-made trumpets: Westminster, 25 July.

f.57v £13.6.8d in gift to the lord Thomas de Lancaster, son of the lord Edmund the king's brother, knighted by the king at Gandanum at the feast of All Saints, for Thomas, a minstrel making his minstrelsy before the king, p.m. John, harper of the lord Thomas: 4 November.

(adjac)

Gift of 20.0d to Robinettus de Ipres and Quinius (?) de Ipres, making their minstrelsy before the king: Gandanum, 5 November.

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Replacement of Horses

f.58v 40.0d to Adam the harper to replace a horse.

Wages

f.77 Details of wages for Adam the harper.

f.77v Details of wages for John Drake, the king's waferer.

f.79 Details of wages for John de Depe, king's trumpeter: payment p.m. John de London, trumpeter, his fellow.

f.79v Details of wages for Adam de Skirewith, king's vigilis.

Robes

f.126v Robes for Nicholas and Adam, the king's harpers.

A robe for the whole year for John de Windsor, the king's *vigilis*. (adjac) Winter robes for John de London and John de Depe, trumpeters. f.127 A robe for the whole year to Adam de Skirewith, vigilis.

A robe for the whole year to Alexander de Windsor, vigilis.

f.131v Summer robes for Adam and Nicholas, the king's harpers.

The same to Richard, violist.

The same to John de Depe and John de London, the king's trumpeters.

25 Ed I: C47.4.6. Controller's Accounts, 8 February - 29 March

Gifts

f.3 Gift of 40.0d to Patrick the trumpeter, falconer, [19] leaving for good (? – *ex toto*) to go to his own district because he is too infirm to work adequately (? – *amplius*) in Court: Denham, 21 February.

Wages

f.4 Payment to John the harper of the Earl of Lancaster amongst various men coming to the king from the county of Lincoln.

Prests

f.7 Prest to John de London, trumpeter.

24, 25 and 26 Ed I: Rylands 229

f.8v £10.8.9d to John le Leutour, being money owed to him for his wages and robes, *anno* 26, as appears in the *titulus* of wages to squires for that year. Account made with him at Westminster, February, 31 Ed I.

£11.1.3d to John Drake, the king's waferer, being money owed to him for his wages, *anno* 26, as appears in the *titulus* of wages to squires for that year. Account made with him at Westminster, 23 March, (*anno* 26?).

27 Ed I: Add 37654

f.12 Wages paid to various horsemen of the county of York, coming to Newcastle on Tyne: the list includes Philip the harper.

f.12v The same.

27-28 Ed I: E101.357.5. Queen's Household, Treasurer's Accounts

[20] This is a set of three rolls, the first of which contains accounts of the period 3 November, 27 Ed I – 18 November, 28 Ed I.

Roll 3.

m.1 A summer robe for John Drake, waferer, anno 28.

m.2 Details of the wages of Guillotus, minstrel.

m.1d Prest to John Drake, waferer.

Another prest to John Drake.

Prest to John de Windsor, vigilis.

Another prest to John Drake, waferer.

28 Ed I: Harley 626m. Controller's Accounts

f.14 Wages to horsemen sent from Berwick on Tweed to Roxburgh for the period 20–28 November: one of these is Philip the harper.

The same, 29 November – 15 December.

The same, 16–24 December.

28 Ed I: Add 35291

- f.14 Details of the wages of Guillotus, the queen's psaltery-player.
- f.43 Three horses given to Guillotus.

f.70v Payment to Guillotus to replace a horse.

Gift of 20.0d to Guillotus for the payment of a debt.

f.140v The inventory of plate includes two silver trumpets.

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f.155 Prest to Nicholas de Eland, the king's harper.

A prest each to John de Windsor and Alexander de Windsor, the king's *vigiles*.

Prest on expenses to Nicholas the harper.

Another prest each to Alexander de Windsor and John de Windsor.

Another prest to Nicholas the harper. (adjac) Prest to Master John the waferer. (adjac) A prest each to John de Dupe and John de London, the trumpeters.

f.155v Prest to John de Dupe, trumpeter.

Prest on wages and expenses to John de London, trumpeter.

f.156v Prest to John de Dupe, trumpeter.

f.157 Many prests to John de London, trumpeter, one p.m. John de Dupe.

f.157v Several prests to John de Dupe, trumpeter, including a payment for carrying the king's letters to Dns Robert de Burgherssh, and another p.m. John de London, his fellow.

(adjac) Several prests to Alexander de Windsor. (adjac) Several prests to John de Windsor.

f.158 Many prests to Nicholas, the king's harper.

f.158v Prest to John de London, trumpeter. (adjac)

f.159 Prest to John de Dupe, trumpeter.(adjac)Prest to Alexander de Windsor.

Prest to Nicholas, the king's harper.

f.159v Prest to William the trumpeter.

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f.163v Prest to Alexander le Wayte.

29 Ed I: E101.359.5. Journal, beginning 24 March

f.1v 31 March: payment to John the trumpeter, messenger (*cokinus*), for his expenses.

2 April, Easter Day: gifts of 1/2 mark and 1 mark respectively to William de Hathewy and Gilbert de York, the king's violists. (Payment for the king's oblations follows).²³

3 April: payment of £20.0.0d to Guillotus, the queen's minstrel.

f.26 April: payment on his fees and robe to Dns William de Leyburn, p.m. John le Harpeur, his valet.

Prest to John, trumpeter of Prince Edward.

7 April: payment to Dns Radulphus de Manton p.m. Crodo (?),²⁴ minstrel of Dns J. de Britanum.

f.3. 22 April: 2.0d to Alan the trumpeter, for his expenses in carrying the king's letters.

f.3v 29 April: gift of 2 marks to the two German *gigatores*.

f.4v 14 May: one prest each to Nicholas and Adam, the harpers, and to John de Dupe.

18 May: 12d to Alan the trumpeter, for his expenses in taking the king's letters.

f.5 23 May: a similar payment of 12d to Alan the trumpeter.

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f.5v 6 June: payment of 12d to William le Wayte, groom of Dns Robert de Burgharsh, for his expenses.

f.6 22 June: payment of 8d to Alan the trumpeter, for his expenses.

f.6v 27 June: a similar payment of 2.0d to Alan the trumpeter.

f.7v 12 July: prest to Alexander de Windsor, the king's vigilis.

f.8 15 July: prest to Nicholas the harper. Prest to Adam the harper.

²³ This may be significant, in view of later payments to violists for playing while the king made his offering: see above, i, p. 63.

²⁴ This name is almost illegible, even in ultraviolet light.

16 July: payment of 2 marks to the two *gigatores*.

A payment to Dns Radulphus de Manton p.m. Walter Panely, trumpeter.

A prest each to several servants, including Nicholas, harper.

A prest each to several servants, including Alexander, vigilis.

A prest to John de Dupe, trumpeter.

29 Ed I: Add 7966A. Controller's Book

Gifts

f.66 Gifts of 13.4d and 6.8d respectively to Gilbert de York and William Hathewy, violists, making their minstrelsy before the king: 2 April.

f.66v Gifts of 20.0d to John de Cressy, 2 marks to Janinus, organist of Earl Warrenne, and 1 mark to Martinettus, minstrel, making their minstrelsy before the king and queen: Lincoln, February.

Gifts of 13.4d each to Henry and Girardus, German *gigatores* of the king: Kemeseye, 29 April.

(adjac)

Gift of 20 marks to various minstrels who played for the king and queen on Christmas Day and St Stephen's Day, given to Richard the violist and distributed by him: Northampton, 28 December.

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f.67 Gift of 15.0d to John la Geyte for a robe and other necessary expenses: Northampton, 7 January.

Gift of 40.0d to Henry and Gurardus, *gigatores*, for certain necessaries: Burton, 14 January.

of 6.8d for a sumpter-saddle and a *cuigul*': Eston, 19 January.

of 8.2d for a casket and hangings (? – *busta et litera*) *ad epus'* during February and March: Northampton, 13 March.

f.67v Gift of 3.0d to a certain minstrel making his minstrelsy before the queen: Northampton, 7 January.

f.68v Gift of 6.8d to Robinettus le Taborer de York, making his minstrelsy before the king: Boneye, 8 December.

Gift of 10.0d to Radulphus, trumpeter of Vastonia, for his expenses in returning to his own land: London, 16 June.

f.69 Gift of 1 mark each to Henry and Gunrardus, German *gigatores*, minstrels of the king, for necessaries: London, 16 June.

Gift of 20.0d to Jakeninus de Caumbray, minstrel of Dns Robert Daunget, making his minstrelsy before the king: Pebles, 9 August.

Wages

f.102v Details of wages for John the trumpeter in the Scottish wars: paid at London in July, 30 Ed I.

Messengers

f.123 8d to John the trumpeter for his expenses in carrying the king's letters.

Robes

f.136 A robe for Master John Drake.

f.138v A robe for the whole year for Adam, *vigilis*.

A robe for Adam de Clyderhou.

f.142v A summer robe for Adam de Clyderhou.

[25] Jewels and Plate

f.151v The inventory includes two silver trumpets.

Prests

f.163v Prest to Alexander le Gueyte.

f.165 Prest to Nicholas, king's harper.

f.165v Prests to Alexander le Gayte.

f.166 Prest to John de Windsor. (Probably not the vigilis.)

f.166v Prest to John de Windsor, perhaps the above payment repeated in error.

f.167 Prest to Nicholas, the king's harper.(adjac)Prest to John de London and John de Depe, trumpeters.

f.174 Many prests to Nicholas, king's harper.

Several prests to Alexander de Windsor, vigilis.

f.175v Two prests to John de Windsor, vigilis.

Prest to John de London, trumpeter. (adjac) Several prests to John de Depe, trumpeter.

f.178 Prest to John the trumpeter.

(adjac)

Three prests to Gilbert, trumpeter, for his wages when he was out of Court in January in the company of Prince Edward.

f.178v Prest to Adam, harper.

Prest to John de Depe, king's trumpeter.

Prest to Robert, King of the Heralds.

[26]29 Ed I: E101.359.6. Perhaps Keeper's Accounts²⁵

f.4v Prest on his office to Richard, waferer.

Prests to Squires

f.11v Prest to King Robert, the king's trumpeter.(adjac)Prest to Guillotus, harper.

f.12 Prests to Robert, King of the Heralds, one p.m. Guillotus the harper.(adjac)Prests to Guillotus the harper.

f.13v Prest to Adam, the king's harper.

f.14 Two prests to John de Depe, trumpeter.(adjac)Two prests to Richard, waferer.

²⁵ C.f. Add 7966A, above.

Gifts

f.21 Gift of 20.0d to Jakeminus de Caumbray, minstrel of Dns Robert Daunget, making his minstrelsy before the king: Peebles, 9 August.

<u>28 – 29 Ed I: E101.358.18</u>

Roll 1

m.2 Many prests to Nicholas, the king's harper.

m2d Several prests to Adam, the king's harper, one p.m. Nicholas, his fellow.

Roll 3

Several prests to John de Dupe, trumpeter; one is on his expenses in carrying the king's letters to Dns Robert de [27] Burghassh, and another is paid p.m. John de London, his fellow.

(adjac)
Several prests to Alexander de Windsor.
(adjac)
Prests to Adam Skirewith.
(adjac)
Several prests to John de Windsor.

29 Ed I: E101.684.62, piece 3

Notice of the receipt of £20.0.0d sterling, owed to him at the Wardrobe, by Guillotus, the queen's minstrel. His seal is appended.

<u>30 Ed I: E101.361.15. Journal, 28 April – 2 July</u>

f.2v 17 May: prest to Alexander, vigilis.

18 May: prest to Master John Drake.

f.4v 12 June: prest to Adam, the king's harper.

13 June: prest to Nicholas, the king's harper. Prest to Henry and Conrad, the king's *gigatores*.

f.5v 17 June: prests to the king's *vigiles*, viz., Adam de Skirewith, Alexander de Windsor and Robert de Finchesle.

18 June: 100.0d given to John de Neuton and Nicholas the harper, in money distributed amongst various minstrels.

Payment to Dns William de Leyborn p.m. John de Neuton, the king's harper.

f.6 24 June: prest to Nicholas, the king's harper. Prest to John de Neuton, the king's harper.

f.6v 25 June: prest to John de London (probably the Constable of Windsor Castle, not the trumpeter).

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f.1v²⁶ Prest to John de Sandwich, nakerer.

f.3v Prest to John de Depe and Nicholas the harper.

Prest to Alexander le Wayte.

f.5 Prest to Nicholas Eland, the king's harper.

Prests to John de Windsor and Alexander de Windsor, the king's vigiles.

Prest to Nicholas, the king's harper.

Prests to Alexander de Windsor and John de Windsor, the king's vigiles.

Prest to Nicholas, the king's harper. (adjac) Prest to Master John, the waferer. (adjac) Prests to John de Depe and John de London, trumpeters.

f.5v Prest to John de Dupe, trumpeter.

Prest to John de London, trumpeter.

f.6v Prest to John de Dupe, trumpeter, for a horse bought for him at Northampton, December, *anno* 29.

f.7 Many prests to John de London, trumpeter.

²⁶ Foliation is in the top right-hand corner of the page.

f.7v Many prests to John de Dupe, trumpeter, including payment for carrying the king's letters to Dns Robert de Bourgherssh.

(adjac) Many prests to Alexander de Windsor. (adjac) Many prests to John de Windsor.

f.8 Many prests to Nicholas, the king's harper.

f.8v Prest to John de London, trumpeter.

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f.9 Prest to John de Dupe, king's trumpeter.(adjac)Prest to Alexander de Windsor.

Prest to Nicholas, king's harper.

f.9v Prest to William, trumpeter.

30 Ed I: E101.361.27 (French)

Items for the queen's visit to France. Amongst articles to be given away as presents are sixty gold clasps (*Fermaux dor*) to be given to minstrels, messengers and other people.

31 - 34 Ed I: Add 35292. Journal, 7 April, 31 Ed I - 27 April, 34 Ed I

(31 Ed I)

f.29 April: prest to Alexander de Windsor and Robert de Finchesle, *vigiles*. Prest to Adam Skirewith, *vigilis*.

Gift of 20.0d to Hanekin, violist of Dns Gerard de Nottingham, making his minstrelsy before the king.

f.4v 23 June: prest to John de Depe, trumpeter.

26 June: payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. John the waferer. Prest to Master John, waferer.

30 June: prest to Alexander de Windsor, vigilis, and two others.

f.5v 9 July: prest to Richard de Blyda and Robert de York, trumpeters.

f.6v 29 July: prest to Master John, trumpeter of the prince (of Wales).

f.7v 8 August: prest to Robert de York and Richard de Blyda, king's trumpeters, p.m. the same Robert.

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11 August: prest to Nicholas, harper. The same to Adam, harper, p.m. the same Nicholas.

The same to John de Newenton, harper.

12 August: payment to Master John the waferer for shoes for his grooms.

f.8 15 August, *Receipts*: 76.8d from Master John, trumpeter of the prince, as a loan to the king. (Repaid at Westminster, 8 March, 33 Ed I).

f.9 31 August: prest to William Trenchant and William²⁷ Taillant de Norfolk.

f.9v 1 September: prest to Master John, waferer. Prest to John and Nicholas, the king's harpers.

2 September: prest to Adam, Alexander and Geoffrey, the king's *vigiles*. Prest to Richard the trumpeter and others.

f.10 3 September: prest to Henry and Conrad, the king's *gigatores*.

f.10v 17 September, *Receipts*: 56.0d from Master John, the prince's trumpeter, as a loan to the king.

24 September: prest to John Garceon, trumpeter.

f.11 2 October: gift of 1/2 mark to William, minstrel of the Earl of Sutherland, making his minstrelsy, etc.

9 October: gift of 40.0d to Simon the Picard and John the Picard, trumpeters of the Earl of Atholl.

f.12 17 October: prest to Richard the trumpeter.

Prest to John de Neuton, harper. The same to Nicholas, harper, p.m. the said John.

Prest to Alexander, Adam and Geoffrey, *vigiles*, p.m. the said Alexander. Prest to the two *gigatores*.

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²⁷ Probably an error for Thomas (see below, under 20 October).

18 October: prest to Master John Drake.

f.12v Payment to Master John Drake for his office.

20 October: prests to William Trenchant and Thomas Taillant.

f.14v 9 November: 34.2d to John de Newenton *pro pict'* (teaching to write?) of three groom *gigatores* and two groom harpers from 27 September to 6 November.

Prest to Master John the trumpeter.

Prests to Alexander de Windsor, Adam de Skirewith and Geoffrey de Windsor, *vigiles*.

f.15 Prests to Guillotus de Morle, harper, Robert de York, trumpeter, and John de Neuton, harper.

10 November: prest to Master John, waferer. Payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. the said Master John.

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f.18 5 December: prest to John Garcon, trumpeter.

f.19 10 December: prests to Adam de Skirewith, Alexander de Windsor and Geoffrey de Windsor, *vigiles*, p.m. the said Adam.

Prest to Master John, waferer.

f.21 20 December: payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. Master John the waferer.

f.22 1 January: gift of 40.0d to King Robert. Gift of 20.0d to William Trenchant.

f.22v 2 January: 1/2 mark each to Guillotus de Morle and John de Newenton, harpers.

f.23 3 January: prest to Robert, the king's trumpeter.

Prest to John Drake, waferer. Payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. Master John, waferer. 5.0d each (prest?) to Adam de Skirewith, Alexander and Geoffrey de Windsor, p.m. the said Adam.

f.23v 5 January: prest to Master John, waferer. Payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. the said Master John.

6 January, Epiphany: payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. John, the queen's waferer.

f.24v 15 January: prest to Robert de York, trumpeter.

f.25 22 January: prest to Guillotus de Morle.

f.26v 8 February: prest to John de Newenton, harper. The same to Guillotus de Morle, harper.

9 February: prest to Master John, waferer.

Prest to John de Newenton and Guillotus de Morle, harpers, p.m. the said Guillotus.

f.27 Payment of 15.0d for five tabors bought for fowling.

10 February: payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. John, the queen's waferer.

f.28 12 February: prest to Alexander, *vigilis*.

The same to Adam de Skirewith. The same to Robert de Finchesle. The same to Geoffrey de Windsor p.m. Adam de Skirewith.

f.28v 13 February: 5.0d each (prest?) to John de Newenton and Guillotus de Morle p.m. the said Guillotus.

f.29 15 February: payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. John, waferer.

f.29v 18 February: prest of 40.0d to Dns W. Regin', for bringing a certain minstrel from the prince, p.m. Hugo de Naunton.

Prest to Henry and Conrad, the king's gigatores.

f.30v 20 February: prest to Nicholas de Doncaster and John Crakestreng, trumpeters, p.m. the said Nicholas.

21 February: gift of 20.0d to the organist of Earl Warrenne, making his minstrelsy before the king.

f.31 25 February: prest to Nicholas de Doncaster and John Crakestreng, trumpeters.

Prest to the Earl of Gloucester p.m. Gillotus, the king's harper.

f.31v 26 or 27 February: prest to Master John de Weston p.m. Richard the harper.

f.32v 12 March: 5.0d to Basculus the crossbowman, for money paid by him to five harpers meeting the king on the roads above *Sabulum* between Dovayn and Sanford, 6 March, of the king's gift.

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f.33 14 March: gift of 13.4d to John de Kyngorn, the king's *flutar'*, for a robe.

f.33v 16 March: payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. John Drake.

f.34 18 March: payment of 19.5d owed to Guillotus de Psalterio.

f.34v 19 March: 5.0d each (prest?) to Adam de Skirewith, Alexander and Geoffrey de Windsor and Robert de Finchesle, *vigiles*, p.m. the said Alexander.

f.35 20 March: prests to King Robert, Gillotus the harper, and John de Newenton. Prest to Henry and Conrad, the king's *gigatores*, p.m. the said Conrad.

Payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. John, the queen's waferer.

f.35v 23 March: prest to Nicholas de Doncaster and John Crakestreng, trumpeters, p.m. the said John.

Prest to John the waferer.

f.37 5 April: prest to Adam de Cliderhou, harper.

f.39 24 April: prests to John de Newenton and Guillotus de Morle p.m. the said Guillotus. Prest to Robert, King of the Heralds, p.m. the said Guillotus.

f.39v 25 April: prest to Master John Drake. Prest to Adam de Cliderhou.

f.40 Prest to Alexander le Geyte.Prest to Geoffrey de Windsor, *vigilis*.Prest to Adam le Gayte.

f.40v 26 April: prest to Nicholas de Doncaster and John Crakestreng, trumpeters.

f.41 28 April: prest to Henry and Conrad, the king's *gigatores*.f.41v Payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. Master John, waferer.

f.43 6 May: payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. Master John, waferer.

f.45v 15 May: payment of 13.9d owed to Nicholas de Doncaster and John Crakestreng, trumpeters.

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f.48v 11 June: payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. Master John Drake. Prest to Master John Drake.

Prests to Alexander de Windsor and Geoffrey de Windsor, *vigiles*. The same to Adam de Skirewith and Robert de Finchesle, *vigiles*, p.m., the said Alexander.

f.49 12 June: prest to King Robert.

Prest to Nicholas de Doncaster, trumpeter.

f.49v Prests to John de Newenton, Gillotus de Morle and Adam de Cliderowe, the king's harpers, p.m. the said John.

f.50 16 June: payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. John, the queen's waferer.

Prest to Robert de York, trumpeter (cancelled entry).

f.53 14 July: 63.0d to Dns W. Regin' for two tunics of the prince's livery bought for the prince's trumpeters, two hauberks bought for them and two helmets bought for them.

f.53v 15 July: prest to Adam de Cliderhou, harper.

f.55v 30 July: prests to King Robert, John de Newenton and Guillotus de Morle.

f.56 1 August: payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. John, waferer.

f.57v 11 September: 2.0d to Dns W. de Bedewinde for the service of two violists.

f.58 17 September: prest to Alexander de Windsor, vigilis.

f.58v 20 September: prest to Master John de Weston p.m. Bartholomew, *vigilis* of Kircom tolagh' (?).

Prest to Dns John de Drokenford p.m. William de Cobham, William de Rude and others of the king's Chamber, servants of the household, servants at arms, squires, falconers, *vigiles* and footmen of the king's household, receiving money of the gift of the said Dns John.

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f.60v 6 December: a robe to each of several servants, including Adam de Cliderhou.

f.61 7 December: 20.0d each (prest?) to Adam de Skirewith, Geoffrey de Windsor and Robert de Finchesle, *vigiles*.

A robe for Master John the waferer.

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f.62v 19 December: money for robes for Henry and Gunradus p.m. the said Gunradus. Prest to Adam, the king's harper.

f.63v 30 December: prest to Master Elias, harper.

31 Ed I: E101.364.13

Wages to Squires

- f.22v Details of wages to John le Leutor.
- f.24v Details of wages to Adam Skirewith, *vigilis*.(adjac)Details of wages to Master John Drake, waferer.
- f.25v Details of wages to Adam de Cliderhou, harper.

f.26 Details of wages to Guillotus de Morleye.

Prests

f.32v Prests to Conrad and Henry, the king's *gigatores*, for certain necessaries bought by them.

f.44v Prests to Dns John de Sandale and Dns Thomas de Canterbury p.m. Bertrand the trumpeter and John the trumpeter.

Prests to Squires

f.74 Prests to John de Neuton, harper, one p.m. Nicholas, harper.

f.75 Prests to Nicholas, harper.

Prests to Adam, harper, two p.m. Nicholas, harper.

f.75v Prests to Master John Drake, waferer.

(adjac)

Three prests to Guillotus de Morle, harper, the second p.m. Nicholas, harper.

f.78v Prests to Alexander de Windsor, Robert de Finchesle and Adam de Skirewith, the king's *vigiles*.

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f.79v Prests to John de Depe, trumpeter, one p.m. Nicholas, harper.

f.80 Prest to Adam, *vigilis*. (adjac)

Prest to Alexander, *vigilis*. (adjac)

f.80v Prest to Robert de Finchesle, *vigilis*, in money owed to him for his expenses during the king's stay at Odyham in the month of January.

Prests to Richard de Blyda, king's trumpeter, one p.m. Robert de York. (adjac) Prests to Robert de York, trumpeter.

f.81 Prest to John de Depe, trumpeter, for his equipment bought for the war in Scotland.

f.81v Prests to Nicholas, harper.(adjac)Prest to Robert, King of the Heralds.

Prest to Nicholas de Eland, the king's harper.

Prest to John de Newenton, the king's harper. (adjac) Prest to Geoffrey de Windsor, the king's *vigilis*.

f.82 Prest to Nicholas, harper, p.m. John de Newenton.

Prests to Alexander de Windsor, Adam de Skirewith and Geoffrey de Windsor, the king's *vigiles*, all p.m. the said Alexander.

f.82v Prests to Alexander de Windsor, Adam de Skirewith and Geoffrey de Windsor, the king's *vigiles*.

f.84 Prests to Robert, vigilis.

f.96 Prests to Master John, trumpeter of the Prince of Wales.

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f.40v Prest to John, the king's harper.

f.42 Prest to Alexander de Windsor, vigilis.

^[37] *Prests*²⁸

²⁸ All the prests here calendared from this document are for the purchase of hay, corn, etc.

(adjac) The same to Robert de Finchesle, *vigilis*, p.m. Alexander de Windsor (adjac) The same to Adam Skirwy, *vigilis*, p.m. Alexander de Windsor.

f.43v Several prests to William, the king's harper.

Prest to John de Staunton.

f.44v Prests to Bandettus, the king's taborer, one p.m. William, the king's harper.

31 Ed I: E101.363.10. Controller's Accounts, 19 March - 5 April

Prests to Squires

f.9 Prest to Master John Drake, the waferer.

Gifts

f.11v Gift of 10.0d to Janinus de Rodes, an organist coming to England in the company of certain nobles of Flanders and making his minstrelsy before the king and queen at Ogerston on the day of the Annunciation of the Blessed Mary: Ogerston, 25 March.

31 Ed I: E101.363.18. Household of the Prince of Wales, Controller's Book

[38] Necessaries

f.5 Payment for two tabors bought for fowling (*pro ripar*') at 7.0d and 4.0d respectively, and sent to the prince at Marleberge: also 23.0d for ninety small horns bought to be used with the tabors for the same purpose, and sent to the prince: 10 December.

Payment of 13.4d to Reginald the waferer for a pair of obley-irons bought by him for the wafers afterwards made for the prince: 5 January.

f.5v Payment of 7.6d to Master John, organist of Earl Warrenne, for 15 lbs of tin bought by him for the prince's organs (afterwards made and repaired in the prince's manor at Langley against the arrival there of the king and queen in the month of February), and for other small things bought by him there: also 6.9d for the expenses of his horse and groom for the nine days in which they remained at Langley to repair the said organs, at 9d per day.

f.6v Payment to Reginald the waferer for his expenses in taking cloth and shoes from London to the Court at Blyda for thirty paupers on the day of the Lord's Supper: London, April.

f.18 Teguareth le crouther appears amongst fourteen footmen of the prince's Welsh household given money for shoes for the whole year.

Reginald the waferer appears in a similar list of valets.

Gifts

f.21 Gift of 4.0d from the prince to Robert Gaunsille, minstrel, making his minstrelsy before the prince: Newbury, 1 December.

Gift of 10.0d from the prince to Robert, the prince's *vigilis*, making his minstrelsy before the prince at Marlberge: Marlberge, 9 December.

6.8d to three clerks of Windsor, coming to Court at Warneborne, for certain interludes played there on the eve of Epiphany in the presence of the prince and other lords, of the prince's gift when they left: 7 January.

Gift of 6.8d to Henry de Northampton and his four [39] companions, boys, coming from Windsor to the Court at Warneborne, and serving in the prince's Chapel there at the feast of Christmas: Warneborne, 7 January.

13.4d to Jakeminus de Cateloyne, the nakerer, minstrel of the prince, going from Court to his own district, of the prince's gift for his expenses: Windsor, 7 February.

f.21v Gift of 13.4d from the prince to Richard de Tikhull, trumpeter, making his minstrelsy before the prince at Clipston for three days in the month of March: Clipston, 28 March.

²⁹13.4d to Gerard the violist, minstrel of Dns de Sutting, coming to the prince at Stradle from the lands of his lord and making his minstrelsy before the prince, of the prince's gift at his departure: Stradle, 7 April.

Gift of 20.0d from the prince to Amandus, minstrel of Dns Ernaldus de Gardinis, similarly making his minstrelsy before the prince: Stradle, 7 April.

Gift of 12.0d each to Thomasinus the violist, John Garsie and John de Cateloyne, trumpeters, and John the nakerer, minstrels of the prince, making their minstrelsy before the prince at Neubotel on the day of the Holy Trinity, of the lord's gift for four black cloaks of his livery bought for them.

²⁹ In the marginal heading, Gerard and Amandus are described as "minstrels of Flanders".

Gift of 3.0d to Janinus the nakerer, minstrel of the prince, for skins bought for his nakers, being covered and repaired: Stradle, 11 April.

f.22 Gift of 16.0d to John the nakerer and Janoche the trumpeter, minstrels of the prince, making their minstrelsy before the same lord at Newcastle on Tyne, for two tunics bought for them: Newcastle on Tyne, 6 May.

40.0d to Bestrudus and Beruche, violists of Geneva, making their minstrelsy before the prince at Newcastle on Tyne and Durham for two days in the month of May, and returning to their own district, of the prince's gift for their expenses in returning: Newcastle on Tyne, 9 May.

f.22v Gift of 13.4d from the prince to Janinus de Cateloyne, [40] the prince's trumpeter, to buy himself a trumpet of copper (? – *de cupio*): Dunfermelyn, 7 November.

f.23 Gift of £10.0.0d to John le Leutour, minstrel, to help in making himself a home in London: 27 January.

To Master John Garsie and John de Cateloyne, trumpeters, and Janotus the nakerer, minstrels of the prince, a gift of 33.0d from the prince, to pay for three hauberks and three iron gorgets bought and delivered to them: Rokesborough, May.

Gift of 76.0d from the prince to Bestruche, minstrel of Geneva, remaining in London, on the prince's instructions, for 102 days in the months of July, August, September and October after the prince's departure for Scotland, for his expenses during that time.

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Qui non sunt

f.39 Details of the wages of Nicholas de Doncaster and John Crakestreng, trumpeters of Earl Warrenne, remaining in the king's household at the command of the king.

Shoes

f.40v Money for summer and winter shoes to John le Taburer, *sometar' vessole* of the Almonry.³⁰

³⁰ He was perhaps in charge of the horses used for transporting vessels and plate.

Gifts

f.42 Gift of 40.0d to Robert, King of the Heralds, making his minstrelsy before the king: Dunfermline, 1 January.

(adjac)

Gift of 20.0d to William Trenchant, herald, making his minstrelsy before the king: Dunfermline, 1 January.

Gift of 20.0d to John, the organist of Earl Warrenne, [41] making his minstrelsy before the king: Dunfermline, 21 February.

5.0d to Basculus, crossbowman, in money paid by him to five Scottish harpers who met the king on the roads above *Sabulones* between *Dovar'* and Sanford on the 6 March: St Andrew's, 12 March.

f.42v Gift of 26.8d to Nicholas de Doncaster and John Crakestreng, trumpeters of Earl Warrenne, to buy themselves two horses: Stirling, 14 May.

Gift of 4.0d to various violists, *Timphanist'* and other minstrels (of Perth), coming before the king when he left St Johnstone, and making their minstrelsy.

f.43v Gift of $1/_2$ mark each to Nigel Beymer, Andrew de Clidesdale and Gilbert Bride, Scottish trumpeters following the king from Stirling as far as Yettham, to assist in their expenses in returning to their own district: Yetham, 22 August.

Several payments, totalling \pounds 7.15.11d, for robes, a horse, etc., given to John the messenger (*menestrallus* in margin-heading) of the Earl *Saband'*, on his return to his own district after coming to England to the king to tell of the war between the kings of France and Flanders.

f.44 Gift of 40.0d to John de Greyndon, minstrel of the Bishop of Durham, making his minstrelsy before the king on the day of the Translation of St John: Brustwyk, October.

Gift of 5.0d to Guillotus, harper of the Bishop of Durham, bringing a falcon to the king from the district of his master, and keeping the falcon for some time while helping in the king's daily affairs (? – *iuverando per dietas Regis*) between Alverton and Beverley, and afterwards given leave by the king to return to his own district.

Gift of 50.0d to Robert de York, the trumpeter, to buy trumpets for himself and his fellow, in money paid out to him at Newcastle on Tyne on his going to London in search of the same, and for his expenses in returning to the king: 29 January. f.44v Gift of 13.4d to John, messenger of Earl *Saband'*, for a hackney bought for him.

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30.0d to Master John de Claxton for money paid out by him on the instructions of the Bishop of Chester, Treasurer of England, to King Druet, John de Maunte, Arnulettus the violist, John de Swansea, James de Mazon and other minstrels, making their minstrelsy before the lady Mary, the king's daughter.

Replacement of Horses

f.51v Payment to Master John Drake, the waferer, for the replacement of a horse at Dunfermline.

Wages to Squires

f.68 Details of wages to Adam Skirewith, the king's *vigilis*, in the war in Scotland.

Falconers

f.69 Payment of 15.0d for five tabors for fowling bought on the king's instructions for his falconers, at 3.0d each.

f.69v Total of 36.0d paid for six tabors for fowling bought on the king's instructions at 4.2d each; for a *sattus* (-*um*?) and a *flassetus* (-*um*?) bought for covering and *cuissand'* the same tabors (2.0d); for a horse carrying the tabors from London to York, and for the wages of a groom coming with the horse and keeping the tabors (9.0d): November.

Robes

f.112 Money to Master John Drake, waferer, for a winter robe.

f.114v Money to Adam Skirewith, *vigilis*, for a robe for the whole year.

f.117 Money to Master John Drake for a summer robe.

f.119 No money to John le Leutour for a summer robe this year, because he was absent from Court at Pentecost.

Jewels and Plate

f.127v The inventory includes two silver trumpets.

[43] <u>33 Ed I: E101.368.6</u>

Qui non sunt

f.8v Prest to Gunradus, *gigator*, according to instructions in the Wardrobe, for *busta et littera*³¹ for him and his fellow.

Prests to Squires

f.11 Three prests to Adam, the king's harper.

f.12 Three prests to Geoffrey de Windsor, *vigilis*.(adjac)Prest to Robert de Finchesle, *vigilis*.

Three prests on wages and expenses to Adam de Skirewith, vigilis.

Three prests on the same to Master John Drake, waferer.

f.12v Three prests to Hugo de la Rose, harper.

f.13 Prests to the king's harpers, viz., to Gillotus de Morle, John de Newenton, Hugo de la Rose and Adam de Clyderowe, p.m. the said Gillotus.

Gifts

f.21 Gift of 20.0d to Master John de London, trumpeter: Branston, 10 January.

The same to John, his son.

f.21v Gift of 20.0d to John, trumpeter of Dns Robert *filius Pagani*, making his minstrelsy before the king on the day of Epiphany: Wymborn, 6 January.

(adjac)

A gift (amount not given) to Meliorus, harper of John Mautravers, harping before the king on the said day: Wymborn, 6 January.

(adjac)

Gift of 20.0d each to Henry and Gonradus, the king's *gigatores*, to buy themselves a robe each: Kingston in Dorset, 2 January.

³¹ C.f. p. 24, above.

[44] Among miscellaneous membranes collected at the back of this document are two containing prests of 33 Ed I. These include a prest to Hugo de Lincoln, *vigilis*.

33 Ed I: E101.367.16. Controller's Accounts

Prests to Squires

f.5 Prest to Adam de Cliderhou, harper, for a livery of cloth to him.

f.16 Three prests to Geoffrey de Windsor, the king's *vigilis*, the third p.m. Adam de Skirewith.

Prest to Master Elias, harper.

f.16v Three prests to John de Newenton, the king's harper, the second p.m. Adam de Cliderhou.

f.17 A prest each to Geoffrey de Windsor and Alexander de Windsor, the king's *vigiles*, both p.m. Robert de Finchesle.

- f.17v Prest to Hugo de Lincoln, the king's vigilis.
- f.18 Prest to Hugo de Lincoln, p.m. Adam de Skirewith.
- f.19 Several prests to Geoffrey de Windsor, two p.m. Robert de Finchesle. (adjac)

Several prests to Hugo de Lincoln, two p.m. Robert de Finchesle.

Several prests to John de Newenton, harper, one p.m. Simon de Hylles, his groom.

f.19v Prest to Hugo de Lincoln, vigilis.

33 Ed I: E101.367.17. Livery Roll

m.5 A garment for when they get up at night (? – *ad insurgend' de nocte*) to each of four *vigiles* of the king, viz., Adam, Robert, Hugo and Geoffrey.

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34 Ed I: E101.369.11. Keeper's Book

f.42 Expenses of the lady Mary, the king's daughter; £48.11.2d in gifts to minstrels and others.

f.93v The list of servants of various offices includes John le Taburer of the Almonry. $^{\rm 32}$

Gifts

f.95 Gift of £11.0.0d to Henry and Conrad, the king's *gigatores*, to replace their two horses lost in the king's service, in arrears for the robes that they have, and for other necessaries.

Gift of £10.0.0d each to the same for their expenses in returning to their own district, p.m. the said Henry: Westminster, 7 June.

f.96 30.0d to Bestulphus and Bertuchus, minstrels of Geneva, staying in London to await the coming of the lord Edward the king's son, Prince of Wales, coming from the parts of Scotland in the month of August, *anno* 32, of the prince's gift for their expenses in staying there for fifteen days in the said month.

200 marks given to King Robert and other Kings of the Heralds, and to other minstrels such as harpers, violists, trumpeters and various other minstrels making their minstrelsy before the king and other nobles being at Westminster on the day of Pentecost, that is, the day on which the lord Edward the king's son, Prince of Wales, was knighted; of the gift of the said prince on the instructions of the king: London, 23 May.

(adjac)

£37.4.0d to Richard de Whiteacre, Richard de Leyland, harpers, and various other minstrels making their minstrelsy before the king and other nobles on the 25 May, on which day Joan, daughter of the Count of Baar, was married to Earl Warrenne, and on the 26 May, on which day Eleanor, daughter of the Earl of Gloucester, was married to the younger lord Hugo le Despenser in the king's Chapel at Westminster: London, May.

f.98v Gift of 20.0d each to Henry and Conrad, the king's *gigatores*, to buy themselves two robes: Kingston in Dorset, 2 January.

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f.99v Gift of 60.0d to John Monet, minstrel of Dns Robert *filius Pagani*, making his minstrelsy before the king on the day of Epiphany: Wymburn, 6 January.

Gift of 20.0d each to Master John the trumpeter and John his son, staying in Court for Christmas and then returning to London: Branston, 10 January.

³² See above, p. 40 and n. 30.

Gift of 20.0d to John, trumpeter of Dns Robert *filius Pagani*, for playing his trumpet to the king on the day of Epiphany: Wymburn, 6 January.

(adjac)

Gift of 40.0d to Meliorus, harper of John Mautravers, harping before the king on the day of Epiphany: Wymburn, 6 January.

f.100 Gift of 1/2 mark to John de Staunton, the king's *vigilis*, for the purchase of various instruments: Luchet Mautravers, 8 February.

f.100v Gift of 60.0d to Conrad le Peper, *gigator*, coming to the king on the orders of the King of Germany and staying in England for a time during the months of March and April, for his expenses in staying there, given leave to return to his own district: Wynton, 10 April.

Gift of 14.0d to John de Staunton, the king's *vigilis*, to buy himself a robe: Wynton, 18 April.

f.101 10 marks to Nicholas de Caumbray, violist of the King of France, coming to England from his own district to the festivities of the lord Edward, the king's son, newly knighted on the feast of Pentecost at Westminster, of the king's gift on his return to his own district: Westminster, 28 May.

Replacement of Horses

f.102 Two payments to Adam de Cliderhou to replace horses.

f.102v To Henry and Gunradus, the king's *gigatores*, minstrels of Germany, remaining in Court on the instructions of the king and making their minstrelsy at the king's will, of the king's gift in payment for necessaries bought for them in the years 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 Ed I, £12.18.8d.

f.103v Gift of 100.0d to Allelmus, minstrel, for him and his [47] wife, in money delivered to him at the Exchequer by command of the Treasurer: 16 June.

Gift of 73.4d to Capiny, King of the Heralds, for the price of a horse: 16 July.

Wages of Squires

f.113v Details of the wages of Guillotus de Morleye, harper, in the war in Scotland.

(adjac)

Similar details of the wages of Guillotus de Morleye.

Robes

f.156 Money for a winter robe to Master John Drake, waferer.

f.159 Money for a robe for the whole year to John le Leutor, because he was out of Court at Christmas.

f.159v Money for a robe for the whole year to Adam Skirewith, *vigilis*.

Money for the same to Hugo de la Rose.

f.163 Money for a summer robe to Master John Drake, waferer.

f.165 Money for a summer robe to John le Leutor.

f.165v Money for a summer robe to Hugo de la Rose, harper.

Money for summer and winter robes to Adam de Cliderhou, harper, for the years 31–34 Ed I inclusive, except for his winter robe for 32 Ed I, when he was not in Court for Christmas Day.

f.177v The inventory of Chapel jewels and plate for 33 Ed I includes two silver trumpets.

Prests to Squires

f.202v Three prests to Hugo de Lincoln, *vigilis*, the third p.m. Adam Skirewith.

(adjac)

The same to Geoffrey de Windsor, *vigilis*, the third p.m. Adam Skirewith. (adjac)

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Prest to John de Staunton, vigilis, p.m. Adam de Skirewith.

Prest to John the trumpeter and John his son, for their expenses in coming to the king at the king's command and remaining in Court.

f.203 Prest to Geoffrey de Windsor and John de Staunton, *vigiles*.(adjac)Prest to Hugo de Lincoln, p.m. Geoffrey de Windsor.

Another prest to Hugo de Lincoln, vigilis.

Prests to the king's *vigiles*, viz., John de Staunton, Hugo de Lincoln and Geoffrey de Windsor. Robert de Finchesle's name is cancelled.

f.204 Three prests to Geoffrey de Windsor, vigilis.

Two prests to John de Staunton, vigilis.

f.204v Prest to John de Newenton, harper, p.m. Guilotus de Morle.

Four prests to Hugo de Lincoln, *vigilis*. (adjac) Three prests to Geoffrey de Windsor, *vigilis*. (adjac) Four prests to John de Staunton, *vigilis*. (adjac) Two prests to Master John Drake, waferer.

f.205v Prest to Geoffrey de Windsor and Hugo de Lincoln, the king's vigiles.

[49] 34 Ed I: E101.368.27³³

Wages to Squires

- f.19 Details of the wages of John le Leutor.
- f.20 Details of the wages of Adam Skirewith, vigilis.

Details of the wages of Master John Drake, the waferer.

f.20v Details of the wages of Hugo de la Rose.

f.21 Details of the wages of Adam de Cliderhou, harper.

f.21v Details of the wages of Robert de Finchesle.

f.22 Details of the wages of Guillotus de Morleye.

Qui non sunt

³³ Probably the Controller's accounts: c.f. E101.369.11, above.

f.46v Prest to Gunradus, the king's gigator.

f.47v Another prest to Conrad, gigator.

Prests to Squires

f.58v Three prests to Adam Skirewith, la Gayte.

f.59 Two prests to Hugo de Naunton, harper. (adjac)Two prests to Adam de Cliderhou.

f.60 Several prests to Master John Drake.

Three prests to Hugo de Lincoln, *vigilis*, the third p.m. Adam Skirewith. (adjac)

Three prests to Geoffrey de Windsor, *vigilis*, the third p.m. Adam Skirewith.

(adjac) Prests to John de Staunton. (adjac)

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Another prest to John de Staunton, p.m. Adam Skirewith.

f.61v Prest to Guillotus de Morle, harper.

f.62 Prest to John the trumpeter and his son, on their wages both past and to come, both for their expenses in coming to the king at the king's command and on their wages for staying in Court.

f.62v Prest to John the waferer.

Prest to Adam the harper. (adjac) Prest to Hugo de Newenton, harper.³⁴

f.63 Prest to Adam, Robert de Finchesle, Geoffrey de Windsor and John de Staunton, the king's *vigiles*. Also a prest to Hugo de Lincoln, p.m. Geoffrey de Windsor.

f.63v Prest to Hugo de Lincoln, vigilis.

Prest to Adam Skirewith, John de Stanton, Robert de Finchesle, Hugo de Lincoln and Geoffrey de Windsor, the king's *vigiles*.

³⁴ Probably Hugo de Naunton, not an error for John de Newenton.

Prest to Adam de Cliderowe and Hugo de la Rose, the king's harpers, p.m. the said Adam.

Prest to Master John Drake, the waferer.

f.64v Two prests to Robert de Finchesle, *vigilis*, the second p.m. Adam Skirewith.

f.65 Prest to Hugo de la Rose, the king's harper.

Prest to Master John de London and John his son, trumpeters.

Prest to King Capiny. (adjac) The same to King Robert, King of the Heralds.

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f.65v Three prests to Adam, the king's harper.

f.66 Three prests to Geoffrey de Windsor, *vigilis*.(adjac)Prest to Robert de Finchesle, *vigilis*.

Three prests to Adam Skirewith, vigilis.

f.66v Three prests to Master John Drake, waferer.

Three prests to Hugo de la Rose, harper.

Two prests to John de Staunton, vigilis.

f.67 Prest to William de Morle, the king's harper.

Prest to Guillotus de Morle, John de Newenton, Hugo de la Rose and Adam de Cliderow, the king's harpers, p.m. the said Guillotus.

f.68 Four prests to Hugo de Lincoln, *vigilis*.
(adjac)
Three prests to Geoffrey de Windsor.
(adjac)
Four prests to John de Staunton, *vigilis*.
(adjac)
Three prests to Adam Skirewith. Also payment for a winter robe (marginal

note).

f.68v Three prests to Robert, vigilis.

Two prests to Master John Drake, waferer.

f.69v Three prests to Robert de Finchesle.

f.70 Prest to Adam Skirewith, Geoffrey de Windsor and Hugo de Lincoln, the king's *vigiles*.

Prest to Master John Drake, waferer.

f.70v Prest to Robert de Finchesle, vigilis.

<u>34 Ed I: E101.368.12. Accounts of the household of Thomas and Edmund, the king's sons</u>

[52] Necessaries

f.3 11d to Martinettus the taborer, for the repairing of drums of the king's sons and for moneys paid by him for parchment for the covering of the said drums: London, 18 November.

Gifts

f.4v To William de Salisbury, waferer, being in the household of the lords Thomas and Edmund, the king's sons, to serve them in his office, and taking his leave to go to his own district because of infirmity, in reward for his service and labour, of the gift of the same lords, 3.4d: Windsor, 6 December.

To Martinettus the taborer and William and John the trumpeters, minstrels of the lords, making their minstrelsy in the presence of the same on the vigil and day of Epiphany on account of the king's celebrations, of the gift and favour of the said lords, 20.0d: Windsor, 6 January.

(adjac)

To Stephen de Northampton, *vigilis*, sent on the orders of the queen mother from Windsor to Kingston in Dorset to remain in the household of the same queen, a gift of 6.8d from the lords for his service and labour in their household.

(adjac)

To Michael the trumpeter and Matthew the crowder, minstrels of the lord Prince (of Wales), making their minstrelsy in the presence of the lords, 5.0d of the gift of the same: Northampton, 18 November.

Robes

f.5 Money to various valets, including William Barbitonsor, for an annual robe.

The list of minstrels and grooms given money for the same includes Stephen, *vigilis*, Martinettus the taborer, Richard the trumpeter and John his fellow.

Money to William Barbitonsor and the minstrels as above for winter and summer shoes.

f.8 Winter liveries to the household: details of cloth for robes to the minstrels, viz., William Barbitonsor, John the trumpeter, William his fellow and Martinettus the taborer.

[53] 34 Ed I: E101.369.6. Roll of payments and gifts to minstrels at Pentecost

This list is printed in Botfield/*Manners*, pp. 141–45; to Botfield's excellent transcription I have added the hands by which payments were made. A few words appeared under ultraviolet light from the five lines which Botfield found illegible, and they are here transcribed.

Payments (in French)

5 marks each to

The King of Champagne, p.m. King Capenny. King Capenny. King Baisescue. King Marchis. King Robert, p.m. Artoys.

60.0d to

Philip de Caumbereye, p.m. King Capenny.

4 marks each to

Robert de Boistous, p.m. King Capenny. Gerard de Boloigne, p.m. King Capenny.

40.0d each to Bruant. Northfolke.

20.0d each to Carltone, p.m. Bruant. Master Adam le Boscu. Devenays.

30.0d each to³⁵ Artisien. Lucat, p.m. King Capenny. Henner.

40.0d each to

The minstrel of Dns de Montmorency, p.m. King Capenny.

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King Druet. Janin le Lutor, p.m. Gauteron le petit. Gillotin le Sautreour, p.m. Gillot the king's harper. Gillet de Roos, p.m. Richard de Haleford.

 $1/_2$ mark to

Jack de Vescy.³⁶

40.0d each to

Richard de Haleford, p.m. himself. Le Petit Gauteron. Bandet le Tabourer.³⁷ Ernolet, p.m. Bandettus le Tabourer. Mahu, who is with the lady de Baar. Janin de Brebant.

Martinet, who is with the Earl of Warwick, p.m. Bandettus le Tabourer. Gauteron le Grant.

10.0d to

The harper of the Bishop of Durham.

2 marks each to

William the harper, who is with the Patriarch. Robert de Clou. Master Adam de Reve. Henri le Gigour. Corraud, his companion, p.m. Henry le Gigour. The third Gigour. Gillot the harper. John de Newenton.

 $^{^{35}}$ The total for these three is £4.10.0d, not £4.0.0d, as in Botfield's transcription.

³⁶ This entry is an insertion in the list of those paid 40.0d.

³⁷ Not "Baudec", as Botfield has.

Hugethun the harper, their companion. Adekin, his companion. Adam de Werintone. Adam de Grimshaw, p.m. Robert de Clou. Hamond Lestivour, p.m. King Druet.³⁸

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1 mark each to

Simond le Messager, p.m. King Druet.

The two trumpeters of the lord Thomas de Brotherton, p.m. Richard the violist.

Martinet le Tabourer, p.m. Richard the violist.

Richard Rounlo.

Richard Hendelek.

Janin de la Tour, his companion, p.m. John the waferer.

John, the king's waferer.

Pilke.

Januche) Trumpeters of the lord Prince (of Wales), p.m. Gillot, trumpeter. Gillot)

The nakerer.

The gitarer.

Merlin.

Thomasin, violist of the Prince, p.m. Gillot the trumpeter.

Raulin, who is with the Earl Marshal.

Esvillie, who is with Dns Peter de Maule.

Grendone.

The taborer of the lady Audham.

Gaunsaillie, p.m. Richard the violist Reunlo.

William sanz maniere.

Lambyn Clay.

Jack de Mascun.

His companion, p.m. James de Mascoun.

Mahu du North.

The minstrel with the bells.

The three minstrels of Lord Hastings, p.m. Cosin and Markin (Maskin, Mascoun?).

Thomelin de Tounleie, p.m. Robert de Clou.

The two trumpeters of the Earl of Hereford.

Perle in the eghe.

His companion.

Janyn le Sautreour, who is with Lord Percy.

Mahuet, who is with Dns de Tounny, p.m. King Druet.

John de Mochelneye.

Janin the organist.

³⁸ An "estivour" is probably a bagpiper.

The two trumpeters of the Earl of Lancaster. Mellet. Henri de Nushom. Janyn le Citoler. (This list totals forty people in all.)

20.0d each to William. Fairfax. Monet. Hancock de Blithe.

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These payments total £114.10.0d, out of the 200 marks allocated for payments to minstrels on this occasion. The remaining £18.16.8d was then given to certain people to share out as they thought fit, viz., to King Baisescu, King Marchis, King Robert, King Druet, Gauteron le Graunt, Gauteron le Petit, Martinet the violist who is with the Earl of Warwick, and of the Prince's household, two sergeants at arms and ... (a?) clerk.³⁹

Dorse.

(p)	a (M)at(ild') (M)ak(e)Joie per (J) de (C)otingham	(2)s.
(p)	a Mellers per (R) Beisescu	$^{1}/_{2}$ mar'.
(p)	a Janin() de (La)nnoe Trompour	$^{1}/_{2}$ mar'.
р	a (Thome) doo' vilour	$^{1}/_{2}$ mar'.
р	a 5 mei s () princip <i>is</i> cuil <i>ibet</i> 2s	10s.

Then follows a legible list, in French, a ceux 11 por toute la comune £13.4.8d:

Richard the harper, who is with the Earl of Gloucester.

³⁹ The roll is cut here. It is not clear if it was Martinet the violist or the two sergeants at arms who belonged to the prince's household.

The first items on the dorse may show how the remaining money was shared out, although the payments total only £14.16.8d, and the first five lines are in Latin, not French. These first lines are given here in the original, and are transcribed for the first time. Letters enclosed in brackets are either conjectural or very doubtful: my extensions of scribal contractions are underlined. Part of the fifth line is lost where the parchment has been damaged.

Walter Bracon, trumpeter. Walter the trumpeter. John the crowder. Tegwaret the crowder. Geoffrey the bagpiper (*le Estivour*). Guillot the taborer. Guillot the violist. Robert the violist. Jake de Vescy. Richard de Whiteacre.

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Gifts (in Latin)

5.0d to the violist of the lady de Wak'. $1/_2$ mark to Laurence the harper. $1/_2$ mark to John du Chat, with Dns J. de *Bur'*. 5.0d to Mellers. 5.0d to Little William, organist of the Countess of Hereford. $1/_2$ mark to Richard de Whiteacre, harper. $1/_2$ mark to Richard de Leylonde, harper. Carltone, herald. 5.0d to $1/_2$ mark to Gillotus, violist of the Earl of Arundell. Amekyn, the prince's harper. 5.0d to Bolthod.40 5.0d to 5.0d to Nagary, the prince's crowder. 5.0d to Matthew the harper. 5.0d to John le Barber. $1/_2$ mark to the two trumpeters of J. de Segrave. 5.0d to Richard, violist of the Earl of Lancaster. 40d each to: John, waferer of the Earl of Lancaster.⁴¹ Sagard, crowder. William de Grymesar', harper. the harper of the Countess of Lancaster. the two minstrels of J. de *Ber*(wyke?). Henry de Blida. Richard, harper. William de Duffield. 10.0d to five boy trumpeters of the prince (2.0d each). 20.0d to four *vigiles* of the king, at 1/2 mark each (probably the total is wrong). (blank) Adinet the harper.

⁴⁰ Not "Bolthede", as Botfield has.

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⁴¹ The expansion should be "waffrario", not "waffrarario", as Botfield has.

(blank)	Perotus the taborer.
2.0d to	Adam de Swylingtone, harper.
12d to	David the crowder.
2.0d to	Lion de Normanville.
12d to	Gerard.
2.0d to	Richard the harper.
3.0d to	Robert de Colchester.
12d to	John the crowder of Shrewsbury.
12d to	John, violist of Dns J. Renaude.
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2.0d to	John de Trenham, harper.
2.0d to	William Woderove, trumpeter.
2.0d to	John, harper of J. de Clyntone.
12d to	Walter de Brayles.
12d to	Robert, harper of the Abbot of Abingdon.
(blank)	Geoffrey, trumpeter of Dns R. de Monte Alto.
2.0d to	Richard, his fellow.
2.0d to	Thomas the crowder.
2.0d to	Roger de Corleye, trumpeter.
12d to	Audoenus the crowder.
2.0d to	Hugo Daa, harper.
2.0d to	
	Andrew, violist <i>de Hor</i> '.
12d to	Andrew, violist <i>de Hor'</i> . Robert de Scarborough.
12d to 3.0d to	
	Robert de Scarborough.
3.0d to	Robert de Scarborough. Guillotus, taborer of the Earl of Warwick.
3.0d to 3.0d to	Robert de Scarborough. Guillotus, taborer of the Earl of Warwick. Paul, minstrel of the Earl Marshal.
3.0d to 3.0d to 2.0d to	Robert de Scarborough. Guillotus, taborer of the Earl of Warwick. Paul, minstrel of the Earl Marshal. Matthew, waferer of Dns R. de Monte Alto.

The last items on this list are at the top right of the roll, next to the list of the eleven paid "for the whole company":

12d to	Matilda Makejoy.
12d to	John, trumpeter of Dns R. <i>filius Pagani</i> .
12d to	Adam, harper of Dns J. Lestraunge.
12d to	Reginald le Menteur, minstrel of Dns J. de Buteturt.
12d to	Perle in the Eghe.
10.0d to	Gillotus, harper of Dns P. de Malo Lacu.
40d to	Robert Gaunsillie.
$1/_2$ mark to) Jacke de Vescy.
(Cancelled	entry, omitted in Botfield's transcription, of 1/2 mark to King
Capigny.)	
(01)	

6.0d to Master Walter Leskirmissour and his brother, each 3.0d.

At the bottom are four cancelled French entries, without sums of money:

The two trumpeters of Mons. Thomas de Brotherton. Martinet the taborer. Richard the violist. Raulin, who is with the Earl Marshal.

[59] <u>34 – 35 Ed I: E101.369.16</u>

(Prests)

f.9v Prest to King Capiny on the price of cloth and fur delivered to him.
(adjac)
The same to King Robert.
(adjac)
The same to Adam, the king's harper.
(adjac)
The same to Hugo, the harper.
(adjac)
The same to John, the harper.

f.10 Prest to John Drake, waferer, on the price of cloth delivered to him.

f.10v Prest to King Capiny on the price of cloth delivered to him.

(adjac) The same to John de Neweton. (adjac) The same to Adam de Cliderhou. (adjac) The same to Hugo, the harper.

Qui non sunt

f.17v Prest to Thomas le Crouthere, going to Scotland with Dns John de Buteturte; details of his wages. (Probably not a minstrel.)

Prests to Squires, anno 35

f.26 Several prests to King Capiny, King of the Heralds of Scotland. (adjac)

Several prests to John de London and John, his son, trumpeters, two p.m. John the son, one p.m. John de Staunton.

Four prests to King Robert, King of the Heralds.

f.26v Several prests to Hugo de Lincoln, the king's *vigilis*, one p.m. John de Stanton and one p.m. Robert de Finchesle.

Several prests to Geoffrey de Windsor, the king's *vigilis*, two p.m. John de Staunton, one p.m. Adam de Skirewith, and one p.m. Robert de Finchesle.

(adjac)

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Several prests to Robert de Finchesle, the king's *vigilis*, one p.m. John de Staunton and one p.m. Adam de Skirewith. (Cancelled entry)

Several prests to John de Staunton, the king's vigilis.

f.27v Many prests to John de Newenton, harper, one p.m. Adam de Cliderhou.

f.31v Prest to John de Newenton, harper.

The above entry repeated and cancelled.

27 - 35 Ed I: E101.357.15. Debts of the Wardrobe

Anno 27: Wages of Squires

f.2 \pounds 7.10.1 $\frac{1}{2}$ d owed to Nicholas, harper.

Anno 30

f.7 £6.2.0d owed to Henry le *Gigor*.

Anno 35 (or earlier?)

f.13v 32.3d owed to William the trumpeter.(adjac)9.2d owed to John the trumpeter.

8.11d owed to John, *vigilis*.

f.17 £13.10.0d owed to Adam, vigilis.

f.21 £30.2.1 $^{1}/_{2}$ d owed to Master John Drake, waferer.

f.21v £8.9.6d owed to Adam de Cliderhou, harper.

f.22v 4.11d owed to Guillotus de Morleye.

f.23v £21.14.6 $^{1}/_{2}$ d owed to Robert de Finchesle.

f.24v £13.8.7d owed to John, vigilis.

£4.11.4d owed to Thomas, violist. [61]

f.25 $110.2 \frac{1}{2}$ owed to Robert de Clouth.

£4.6.3d owed to John the organist. (adjac) £4.19.4d owed to John the nakerer.

 $3.10^{1/2}$ d owed to Bandettus the taborer.

f.26 6.0d owed to Reginald the waferer.

f.27 18.0d owed to Richard, vigilis.

35 Ed I - 1 Ed II:42 E101.370.16. Journal, 20 November, 35 Ed I - 17 July, I Ed II

f.1 22 November: prest to King Capiny. Prest to John the trumpeter and John his son.

25 November: prest to King Robert.

Prest to Master John Drake. Payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. the said Master John.

Prest to Adam, *vigilis*, Hugo de Lincoln, Geoffrey de Windsor, Robert de Finchesle and John de Staunton, p.m. John de Staunton.

f.1v 26 November: prest to Hugo de Naunton and Adam de Cliderhou. Prest to John de Newenton p.m. the said Adam.

13 December: 40.0d to Guillotinus de vielles, minstrel of Dns de Rocheford, coming to England with the Duke of Brittany.

f.3v 24 December: prest to John the trumpeter and John his son. Prest to John de Newenton and Hugo de Naunton. The same to Adam de Cliderhou and Gillotus de Morle, p.m. the said Adam.

Prest to Adam Skirewith, Hugo de Lincoln and John de Staunton. Prest to Geoffrey de Windsor and Robert de Finchesle, p.m. Adam Skirewith.

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f.4 26 December: prest to Master John Drake.

29 December: prest to King Robert.

⁴² Edward I died on 7 July, 1307, that is, the day after the last entry here calendared. All entries in the calendar of this document therefore belong to the year 35 Ed I.

30 December: prest to King Capiny.

f.4v 9 January: 1 mark to Richard de Walton, impoverished harper of the king's almoner, to buy himself a robe.

f.5 11 January: prest to Master John Drake, the waferer.

1 February: prest to John de Neuton and Guillotus de Morle.

Prest to King Capiny, King Robert, Adam de Cliderhou and Hugo de Naunton.

Prest to Master John, the waferer.

Prest to Master John the trumpeter and John his son.

f.6 2 February: prest to William le Jittour (perhaps some sort of minstrel?).

f.6v 4 February: prest to Adam Skirewith, Robert de Finchesle, John de Stanton, Geoffrey de Windsor and Hugo de Lincoln.

f.7 9 February: prest to John de Newenton.

11 February: prest to Guillotus de Morle.

f.8 23 February: prest to Guillotus de Morley, harper.

f.9 22 March: prest to John the trumpeter and his son.

26 March, Easter Day: prest to Hugo de Naunton, Guillotus de Morle, John de Newenton and Adam de Cliderhou, the harpers.

1 mark (a gift?) to Master John Drake, by command of the Bishop.

f.10v 15 April: gift of 60.0d to Bernard Gask', minstrel.

19 April: prest to Master John Drake.

21 April: prest to John de Newenton, Hugo de Karl'o and Guillotus de Morle.

22 April: prest to John, the younger trumpeter. The same to John the trumpeter, p.m. the younger John.

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f.11 24 April: prest to Adam de Skirewith, Robert de Finchesle, Hugo de Lincoln, Geoffrey de Windsor and John de Stanton, p.m. the said Robert.

Prest to Adam de Cliderhou.

Prest to John de Neuton and Guillotus de Morle.

25 April: prest to John the trumpeter and John his son, p.m. John the son. Payment to Master J. de Weston p.m. Richard the harper.

f.11v 26 April: prest to King Capiny.

f.12 4 May: money to John the trumpeter and John his son, for their robes.

f.12v 10 May: prest to John de Neuton.

15 May: prest to Master John Drake. Prest to John the trumpeter and John his son. Prest to John de Newenton, harper.

f.13 17 May: payment to Dns Thomas de Leybourne p.m. John de Newenton.

21 May: prest to Guillotus de Morle and John de Newenton, harpers.

22 May: payment to Dns Thomas de Leybourne p.m. John de Newenton.

f.13v 29 May: gift of 40.0d to King Capiny, John de Cressy and other minstrels performing miracle plays and making their minstrelsy before the queen, p.m. Guillotus de Psalterio.

f.14 Prest to Hugo de Lincoln, vigilis.

30 May: prest to Robert de Finchesle, *vigilis*. Prest to Hugo de Lincoln, *vigilis*.

f.15 13 June: prest to King Capiny.

f.16 21 June: prest to John the trumpeter and John his son.

Prest to Adam de Skirewith, Geoffrey de Windsor and John de Staunton, the king's *vigiles*.

Prest to Master John Drake.

f.16v 24 June: gift of 40.0d to William Sangmaide, minstrel [64] of the Earl of Gloucester, making his minstrelsy before the king.

f.17 4 July: prest to John de Stanton, Adam de Skirewith and Geoffrey de Windsor, *vigiles*. Prest to John the trumpeter and John his son.f.17v Prest to Master John, the waferer.

6 July: prest to John de Neuton.

<u>1 Ed II: E101.373.15</u>

f.5 Several prests to William the trumpeter.

f.5v Three prests to Janinus the nakerer.(adjac)Three prests to Janinus the trumpeter.

Three prests to Richard Pilke, the first p.m. Helen, his wife.

Two prests to Janinus the organist.

f.6v Three prests to Master Robert de Clough, harper.

f.7 Prest to Thomas the violist.

Prest to Richard the violist.

f.7v Prest to John, vigilis.

Prest to Nicholas de Ranti, the king's minstrel. (adjac) Prest to Thomasinus the violist. (adjac) Prest to Richard the violist.

f.14v Details of wages to Yevan and Ithel, Welsh trumpeters.

f.15v Details of wages to Yevan and Ithel, Welsh trumpeters.

f.17v Details of wages to Yevan and Ythel, Welsh trumpeters.

f.19 Gift of 20.0d each to William de la Quenheth, Janin the trumpeter, Januche the nakerer and Janin the organist, the [65] king's minstrels, making their minstrelsy before the king at Dunfres, 10 August, p.m. the said William: Dunfres, 10 August.

40.0d to Yevan and Ythel, Welsh trumpeters, making their minstrelsy before the king at Minewhare, 17 August, at the feast which the Earl of Cornwall held there; by the gift and favour of the same king.

(adjac)

Gift of 20.0d to Master John, minstrel ("trumpeter" in margin heading) of the Earl of Lancaster, making his minstrelsy before the king at the said feast: Minewhare, 17 August. f.20 Gift of 40.0d to Richard de Blida, the trumpeter, making his minstrelsy before the king at Clipston, 17 September, to help him to build a home at Blida: Clipston, 17 September.

f.20v Gift of 20.0d to Yevan and Ithel, Welsh trumpeters, remaining in Court from 2 September until 1 October and making their minstrelsy before the king during that time, on their leaving Court: Lenton, 1 October.

Gift of 20.0d to Master Robert de Clough, the king's harper, making his minstrelsy before the king for a night: Nottingham, 4 October.

f.21 £20.0.0d given by the king and his council to various minstrels making their minstrelsy before the king on the feast of All Saints', that is, the day on which the Earl of Cornwall was married: Berkhamstede, 3 November.

Gift of 20.0d to Little Andrew, John Scot, Roger the trumpeter and Francekinus the nakerer, young minstrels of the king's household, being sent to London for some days in the month of July after the king's return towards Scotland, to buy themselves shoes and other necessaries during their stay in Doig'l (Dugale?) in the king's absence: 16 July.

(adjac)

f.21v Gift of 13.4d to Lambyn Clay, the king's minstrel, ill at London and remaining after the king's return from there, to help with the expenses of his stay: 18 July.

f.22 To Domicelle Semte and three other minstrels of the lord Ludwig of France and the lord Fotas de Merle, Constable of France, coming in the company of their said lords from the regions of France to London to the king and returning towards [66] their own district on the 12 November; a gift of 10 marks to divide between them to help with their expenses in returning to their own district: Shene, 12 November.

4 Ed II: E101.374.7. Journal, 8 July - 14 February

f.1 10 July: prest to John de Staunton and Hugo de Lincoln, *vigiles*.

f.3 30 July: payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. Richard Pilke, in money delivered to William de Boseham.

f.3v 4 August: gift of 100.0d, for his expenses, to Peter le Leutour, given leave to return to his own district.

f.5 20 August: prest to William de Alyesham, trumpeter.

f.6 3 September: 2.0d to Thomas de Pevesy, valet of the king's Chamber, for a *furellus* (*-um*?) bought by him for a certain harper named Willekyn Fox.

4 September: prest to John de Stanton and Hugo de Lincoln, vigiles.

f.6v 5 September: gift of 10 marks to King Robert, coming to the king from the regions of Scotland.

f.7 11 September: payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. Richard Pilke, in money delivered to William de Bosham, his groom.

f.9 15 October: prest to Hugo de Lincoln, vigilis.

f.9v 24 October: prest to Francekinus, nakerer.

f.10v 8 November: prest to John Scot, John de Kenynton and Francekinus the nakerer.

9 November: prest to John de Staunton and Hugo de Lincoln.

10 November: prest to Guillotus de Morle.

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f.11 15 November: prest to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. Richard Pilke, in money delivered to William de Boseham.

f.11v 30 November: prest to Master Robert del Clough.

f.12 7 December: payment to the clerk of the Kitchen p.m. Richard the trumpeter.

f.12v 14 December: payment to the clerk of the Marshalsea p.m. Berdric le Leutour.

f.13v 28 December: gift of 40.0d to David de Baldok, *timponar'* of Earl Warrenne, making his minstrelsy before the king.

30 December: prest to Master Robert de Clough.

f.14 6 January: gift of 100.0d to John de Caghton, Robert le Harpeur and other clerks of the town of Berwick, playing (*ludentibus*) before the king. Prest to William de Morle. Prest to Robert de Clough.

f.15 21 January: gift of 1/2 mark to John le Wayte, groom of Dns Robert de Kendale, coming to the king with letters from his lord and returning with letters from the king.

<u>4 Ed II: E101.373.30. Journal, 16 February – 7 July</u>

f.2 8 March: prest to Hugo de Lincoln and John de Staunton.

f.2v 13 March: 31.6d to Grillo, minstrel, in money owed to him for his wages, *anno* 4, p.m. Cosin. Payment to the clerk of the Marshalsea p.m. Grillo, minstrel, in money delivered to Cosin.

f.3v 29 March: prest to John Scot and John de Kenynton, trumpeters, and Francis, nakerer, p.m. the said Francekinus.

30 March: payment to the clerk of the Marshalsea p.m. John de Kenynton.

f.4 8 April: payment to the clerk of the Marshalsea p.m. [68] John de Kenynton.

f.4v 11 April, Easter Day: payment to the clerk of the Marshalsea p.m. John de Kenynton.

14 April: payment to the clerk of the Marshalsea p.m. Cosin, minstrel.

f.5 15 April: payment to the clerk of the Marshalsea p.m. the Prioress of Coldstream, for hay brought from her, by a tally delivered to John de Kenynton.

21 April: payment to the clerk of the Marshalsea p.m. John de Kenynton.

23 April: payment to the clerk of the Marshalsea p.m. John de Kenynton.

f.5v 28 April: prest to John Scot and John de Kenynton, trumpeters, and Francekinus, nakerer.

29 April: prest to Hugo de Lincoln, given leave by the king to go to his own district.

f.69 May: two payments to the clerk of the Marshalsea, both p.m. John de Kenynton.

f.6v 13 May: payment to the clerk of the Pantry p.m. Janotus de Brye, the queen's waferer.

f.7v 14 June: gift of 20.0d to John de la Tour, trumpeter of Dns Henry de Bello Monte.

<u>4 Ed II: E101.374.5</u>

Wages to Squires

f.29 Details of wages to John, the organist.

f.33v Details of wages to Robert Chaunceler, vigilis.

Details of wages to William le Sautreour.

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f.34 Details of wages to Richard Pilke, the king's waferer.

f.34v Details of wages to William, trumpeter: account made *anno* 9, with Margery, his wife.

Prests to Squires

f.87v Three prests to Hugo de Naunton, the second p.m. Walter, his groom.

f.88v Three prests to John de Staunton, the king's *vigilis*. Four prests to Hugo de Lincoln, the king's *vigilis*.

f.90 Several prests to Robert del Clough.

f.90v Several prests to William de Morle.

Two prests to Francekinus, nakerer. Prest to Janinus Scot, trumpeter. Prest to John de Kenynton, trumpeter.

4-5 Ed II: E101.373.26

f.2 Payment to the clerk of the Pantry and Buttery p.m. Richard Pilke, the king's waferer.

f.2v Payment to the clerk of the Pantry and Buttery p.m. Richard Pilke in money delivered to Helen, wife of the same Richard.

f.3 Payment to the clerk of the Pantry and Buttery p.m. Richard Pilke.

Payment to the clerk of the Pantry and Buttery p.m. William de Bosham, on the office of Richard Pilke, the king's waferer.

f.3v Payment to the clerk of the Pantry and Buttery p.m. Richard Pilke, in money delivered to William de Bosham.

f.4v Payment to the clerk of the Pantry and Buttery p.m. Richard Pilke, the king's waferer.

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f.5 Payment to the clerk of the Pantry and Buttery p.m. Richard Pilke, the king's waferer.

Wages to Squires

f.24 Details of the wages of Robert the harper.

f.24v Details of the wages of Elias de Garsynton, harper, first admitted to the king's wages 27 January, *anno* 5.

f.26 Details of the wages of William the trumpeter.

f.26v Details of the wages of Richard Pilke.

f.27 Details of the wages of John de Staunton, the king's vigilis.

Prests to Squires

f.71v Three prests to Hugo de Lincoln, the king's *vigilis*. Three prests to John de Staunton, the king's *vigilis*.

f.73v Prest to William de Morle.

f.76 Prest to Thomas the violist.

f.76v Prest to Geoffrey de Merton, <u>vigilis</u>.
(adjac)
prest to John de Kenynton, trumpeter.
Prest to Janinus Scot, trumpeter.
(adjac)
Prest to Francekinus, nakerer.

f.77v Prest to Geoffrey de Merton, vigilis.

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Anno 4

(pencil foliation)

f.3 Details of wages to Reymundus Arnald de Rycan, *Cosyn menestrallus*. (adjac)

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Details of wages to Grillo, minstrel.

f.8v Debt of $57.0 \frac{1}{2}$ d to John the organist, for wages and robes.

Anno 3

f.31v Payment of debts for wages, robes and his office to Richard Pilke, the king's waferer.

f.42v Money for wages and robes to William the trumpeter: account made with Margery the trumpeter, *anno* 9.

(adjac)

Debt for the expenses of the Wafery owed to John de Brya, the queen's waferer.

(ink foliation)

Anno 5

f.82 Gift of 20.0d to Perrotus de la Launde, minstrel of Dns Hugo de Nevill, making his minstrelsy before the king: 19 July.

f.84v Gift of 40 marks to King Robert and other minstrels, making their minstrelsy before the king and other nobles in the house of the Friars Minor at York on the day of the purification of the lady Margaret, Countess of Cornwall, p.m. the said King Robert, receiving money to divide between them: York, 20 February.

(adjac)

Gift of 40.0d to William, minstrel of the Earl of Champagne (? – *Campanie*), making his minstrelsy before the king: 23 February.

f.86 Gift of 40.0d to King Robert for taking pearls to the king from his own district: Newcastle on Tyne, 25 April.

f.86v Gift of 20.0d to Graciosus, the king's minstrel, making his minstrelsy before the king: Hoveden, 30 June.

Gift of 20.0d to Janin the trickster (*le Tregettour*), making his minstrelsy before the king in his chamber at the Priory of Swineshead, p.m. Janin the nakerer: Swineshead, 7 July.

f.87v Gift of 20.0d each to Peter Duzedeys, Roger the trumpeter and Janin the nakerer, the king's minstrels: 29 January.

(pencil foliation)

- f.112v Money for a winter robe for Robert the harper.
- f.113 Money for a winter robe for William the trumpeter.

Money for a robe for the whole year for John de Staunton, vigilis.

f.118v No money for a summer robe for Robert the harper.

Money for a summer robe for Elias de Garsynton, harper.

Anno 5: Household of the Queen

Wages to Squires

- f.131v Wages to John de Brye, waferer.
- f.132v Details of wages to Robert Chaunceler, vigilis.
- f.141v Winter robes to John de Brye, waferer.

f.142 Robes for the whole year for Robert Chaunceler and Richard de Burewardesle, *vigiles* of the queen's household.

5 Ed II: E101.374.16

p.3 Prest to Robert, King of the Minstrels.

p.4 Prest to King Robert, taborer, and his four companions, soldiers of the garrison of Berwick.

5 Ed II: E101.374.14. Queen's Household, Livery List

p. 7 Cloth for (?winter and) summer robes, *anno* 5, for [73] Merlin, violist, the queen's minstrel.

(adjac)

A similar livery for John Psaltator, the queen's minstrel.43

<u>6 Ed II: E101.375.8</u>

Gifts

f.27v Gift of 3.0d to John de Bolon' (Bologna?), the Lombard, making his minstrelsy with snakes before the king: Canterbury, 16 August.

f.29 Gift of 40.0d to Ooghmus (?), minstrel of the Earl of Pembroke, making his minstrelsy before the king in Windsor Castle: Windsor, 12 October.

f.29v To Ivo Vala the citoler and Thomas Dynys, his fellow, of the king's gift, in the price of two hackneys bought and given to them, £4.6.8d. To the same in the price of two saddles bought at Canterbury and given to them, 11.0d. Sum: £4.17.8d: Canterbury, 20 May.

f.30 Gift of £7.3.1d to Jakeminus de Mokenon, the king's minstrel, making his minstrelsy before the king: St. Richerus, 28 May.

Gift of 10.0d to Peter de Duzedeis, the king's minstrel: Pontis'am, 1 July.

Gift of 40.0d to Hurellus, minstrel of the King of France, on his return to the said King of France: Maubusshon, 7 July.

f.30v Gift of 20.0d to William Craddock, crowder, making his [74] minstrelsy before the king: Paris, 6 June.

f.32 Gift of 40.0d to Bernard the Fool and 54 companions ("minstrels of France" in margin heading), coming before the king with rejoicing (*tripudium* – dancing?), p.m. the said Bernard: Pountois, 19 June.

<u>5 – 6 Ed II: E101.374.19. Household of Thomas and Edmund, the king's</u> brothers: 30 September, 5 Ed II – 29 September, 6 Ed II

Gifts

f.8 Gift of 13.4d to King Druet, violist, and John Perle, trumpeter, minstrels of the Earl of Gloucester, making their minstrelsy in the presence of the lords: Strogoil, 31 December.⁴⁴

⁴³ A livery-list of winter robes is on pp. 10 ff, so that this list may be for summer robes only. Although this document is almost illegible, however, there appear to be no minstrels, *vigiles* or waferer in the list of winter liveries.

Gift of 5.0d to William de Hereford, harper, formerly of Dns John Ap'lldam, making his minstrelsy in the presence of the lords: the same place and date.

Gift of 13.4d to Robert de Framelyngham, harper, and John, his companion, and Richard Dassa, minstrel of the Countess Marshal,⁴⁵ coming in the company of the said Countess, making their minstrelsy in the presence of the lords: Framlingham, 15 June.

(adjac)

f.8v 2.0d to Matilda Makejoie, dancer (*saltatrix*), making her minstrelsy in the presence of the lords, of their gift at the wish of the lord Thomas: Framlingham, 24 June.

(adjac)

Gift of 20.0d to William Pilke,⁴⁶ the king's waferer, [75] and Helen his wife, minstrels, serving their wafers at the tables of the lords and their household, making their minstrelsy in the presence of the said lords, and taking their leave to go to the lord the king (being in the northern regions): Framlingham, 24 June.

Shoes

f.11 Winter shoes, *anno* 5: the list of valets includes John, *vigilis*, Gilbert, trumpeter, and John de Carlisle.

Summer shoes, *anno* 5: the list of valets includes John, *vigilis*, Gilbert, trumpeter, and John, his fellow.

Liveries

f.15 Cloth for Christmas robes, *anno* 5: the list of valets includes John, *vigilis*, Gilbert, trumpeter, and John de Carlisle, his fellow.

9 Ed II: E101.376.7. Controller's Book, 8 July - 31 January

Gifts

⁴⁴ This item was found too late to be included in Chapter I. It adds a definite example of a minstrel-king employed by a noble other than the king (see p. 37, i, above), and gives us a violist raised to Kingship.

⁴⁵ The Latin does not make it clear whether all three minstrels, or only Richard Dassa, were minstrels of the Countess: all three of them had come in the Countess's company, however.

⁴⁶ An error for Richard Pilke.

f.40 Gift of 37.4d to Roger the trumpeter and Arnold the trumpeter, minstrels of the king, playing (*ludentibus*) before the king between Woburn and Newport Pagnell, in the price of cloth and fur for two robes made for them: Lincoln, 1 September.

f.40v Gift of 100.0d to Nicholas de Renty, minstrel, for compiling (? – *conferens*) for the king a book of the life and times (*de moribus et vita*) of the lord king Edward, his father: Clipston, 8 November.

f.43 Gift of 12.6d to Arnulphus the trumpeter, being the price of cloth for a robe made for him: Denne, 5 October.

f.43v Gift of 3.4d to Hugo, the fool: Lincoln, 30 August.

40.0d to Richard de Blida, trumpeter, first renewed (? – *recens primus*) to the king's wages on 2 November, *anno* 9, [76] of the gift of the same king made to him at Tykhill the same month, *ad vitio*' a horse bought for him.

Wages and Expenses of various Falconers and Huntsmen

f.83 To Richard de Blida, trumpeter, sent out of Court by the king to various parts of the counties of York and Lincoln to hire crane-catchers and other fowlers (? – *Grues et alia volatilia*) for the king's works, for his expenses for the 37 days during which he was out of Court (dates given), at $4 \frac{1}{2} d$ per day on the Marshal's roll, $13.10 \frac{1}{2} d$.

Robes

f.87 Money for a winter robe for Robert (*sic*) Pilke, the king's waferer, amongst liveries to servants of the Pantry and Buttery.

f.90v Money for a winter robe for Richard the trumpeter (squire).

f.91v No money for a robe for the whole year for John Mauprine (squire), because he was out of the Court at Christmas.

Robes for the Queen's Household

f.93 Money for a robe for the whole year for Robert de Baumburgh, the queen's *vigilis*.

(adjac)

The same for Robert Chaunceller, the queen's *vigilis*, by account made with Robert de Baumburgh.

William le Sautreour is one of twelve squires of the queen receiving no money for winter robes because they were out of Court at Christmas. Money for a robe for the whole year for John de Bria, waferer.

The same for Janotus le Sautreour, the queen's minstrel. (adjac) The same for Dominic le Guttarer, the queen's minstrel.

Debts

f.123 60.0d owed to Richard Pilke, the king's waferer (squire), [77] for his robes *annis* 8 and 9.

f.123v \pounds 4.18.1 $\frac{1}{2}$ d owed to Hugo de Naunton (squire) for the same.

f.129 107.3d owed to Robert Chaunceler (squire) for his wages and robe, *anno* 9.

£12.1.9d owed to John de Bria, the queen's waferer (squire), for wages and robes *anno* 9, and in money owed to him for his office.

53.4d owed to Janotus le Sautreour (squire) for robes *annis* 8 and 9.(adjac)53.4d owed to Dominic le Guttarer for the same.

 $36.10 \frac{1}{2}$ d owed to William le Sautreour for robes *anno* 8.

13 Ed II: Add 17362 and E101.378.4. Keeper's Book

Add 17362

Shoes

f.21 Adam Wafrer, amongst servants of the Pantry and Buttery, is one of 54 valets given money for winter shoes.

E101.378.4

f.1 Adam Waffrer, one of two *portitores* of the Pantry and Buttery, is amongst 54 valets of the king's household given money for summer shoes.

Wages in War-time

f.22 Details of wages of John Scot, trumpeter. (adjac)The same details for Roger, trumpeter. f.23 Details of wages of William Timparon, *soldarius* (probably not a minstrel).

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Wages to Soldiers-in-arms in the Scottish War

f.30 Details of wages of Brian the waferer.

Add 17362

Gifts

f.31 Gift of 40.0d to William Corbet and his companion, trumpeters, minstrels of the Earl of Arundell, making their minstrelsy in the presence of the king in his chamber at the Friars' Minor at York: York, 24 October.

f.32 Gift of 40.0d to John de Brabancia, minstrel of the Count of Esshe and Doring, coming to the king with news of his son, *qui disponsavit filiam Markesij de Mas*: Sturreye, 19 March.

20.0d in gift to Henry de Neusom, harper,⁴⁷ making his minstrelsy before the king for a few days: Westminster, 11 April.

f.33v Gift of 33.2 $^{1}\!/_{2}$ d to King Robert to pay for his robes (details given) for Pentecost.

(adjac)

Gift of 24.9d to Tusset, minstrel of the King of France, for his robes (details given) for Pentecost.

The same to Trumellus, minstrel of the King of France.

Robes

f.57 Amongst 57 squires *sine sociis* given money for winter robes are John Scot, trumpeter, Roger, trumpeter, John, nakerer, and Richard Pilke.

f.57v Robes for the whole year (still squires *sine sociis*) to Ivo Vala, Reymund Cosyn, Thomas the citoler, Reginald Lenginur, Robert Chauncellier and John de Petrestre.

f.58 Robes to servants of the Pantry and Buttery: Adam Wafrer described as *portitor*.

⁴⁷ "A certain" harper in the margin heading: he was not at this time a royal minstrel.

f.62 Money for summer robes to the following squires *sine sociis*: John de Bria, John Scot, trumpeter, Roger, trumpeter, [79] John, nakerer, Laurence *le Cornour*, William the harper, Richard Pilke and (f.62v) Hugo de Naunton.

14 Ed II: Add 9951. Controller's Accounts

Gifts

f.19 Gift of £20.0.0d to Robert, King of the Heralds, and other minstrels of the King and kingdom of France, making their minstrelsy at the feast of the lord the king in his tent at Ambrianus (? – *in festo d'n'i Regis tento Ambrian'*): Ambrianus, 8 July (*anno* 14).

f.20 Gift of 20.0d to Walter le Cornour, minstrel of the Bishop of Exeter, making his minstrelsy in the king's presence in his chamber at Westminster: Westminster, 19 January.⁴⁸

f.21 Gift of 10.0d each to William Corbet and Walter the trumpeter, minstrels of the Earl of Arundell making their minstrelsy before the king in his chamber in the castle of Devizes: Devizes, 26 April.

Gift of 20.0d to Merlin the violist, minstrel of the Earl of Richmond, making his minstrelsy in the presence of the king: Westminster, 12 May.

f.22 Money to Richard Pilke for the replacement of a horse.

<u>15 – 17 Ed II: Stowe 553. Keeper's Accounts, 1 May, 15 Ed II – 19 October, 17 Ed II</u>

Wages in War-time

f.58v Details of wages to John Scot, trumpeter.(adjac)[80] The same to Roger, trumpeter.

f.59 Details of wages to William, harper.

Gifts

⁴⁸ This item was found too late to be included in Chapter II. On the question of the types of instrumentalist employed by the clergy (see above, i, pp. 80 f), this adds an *haut* instrumentalist to those already discussed.

f.67 Gift of 10.0d to Roger the harper and John Bisshop, minstrels of the Bishop of Ely, making their minstrelsy in the king's presence: York, 1 May, *anno* 15.

Gift of 40.0d to Robert, harper of Berwick, making his minstrelsy in the king's presence: Selby, 14 June.

f.68 Gift of 20.0d to Sourelius, *timpanistrarius* of the Earl of Louth in Ireland, making his minstrelsy before the king: York, 28 October.

Gift of 1/2 mark to Ranulphus the trumpeter, valet of Dns Antony de Lucy, carrying letters to the king from his master: Newark, 23 January.

f.68v Gift of 13.4d to Ranulphus, trumpeter, bringing letters from his master and returning with letters from the king: Knaresborough, 15 March.

Replacement of Horses

f.69v Money to Richard Pilke, servant of the wafery of the king's household, to replace a horse.

Money to William, harper, to replace a horse.

f.70v Money to John Scot, trumpeter, to replace a horse.

Money to Henry de Neusom to replace a horse.

Summer Robes, anno 15

f.103 Money to Richard Pilke, servant of the wafery.

f.104v Money to Roger, trumpeter, John Scot, trumpeter, John, nakerer, Laurence *le Cornour*, William, harper, and John Briays.

Winter Robes, anno 16

f.105v Money to Richard Pilke, the king's waferer.

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f.107 Money to Roger, trumpeter, John Scot, trumpeter, John, nakerer, Laurence *le Cornour*, Henry de Neusom, harper, and Roger de Northlegh, trumpeter.

(adjac)

Money for a robe for the whole year to Robert Chaunceler, John de Petrestre and John Harding, *vigilatores*.

Summer Robes, anno 16

f.108 Money to Richard Pilke.

f.109v Money to Roger, trumpeter, John Scot, trumpeter, Roger de Northlegh, trumpeter, John, nakerer, Laurence *le Cournour* and William, harper.

Gifts

f.128 Gift of 40.0d to Peter de Tempes, minstrel of Dns Hugo de Boyville, Chamberlain of the King of France,⁴⁹ making his minstrelsy in the king's presence: Pickering, 17 August.

f.153 Payments for wages and robes to squires of the king's household, including Roger, trumpeter, John Scot, trumpeter, John, nakerer, William, harper, Laurence *le Cornour*, John Brieys, Roger Crouder, Roger de Northlegh, Robert Chaunceler, John Petrestre and John Harding.

17 Ed II: E101.379.19. Controller's Journal, 23 October - 7 July

f.2 23 November. *Necessaries*: payment to John le Trumpour of Nottingham for 24 iron-bound tankards, each of 1/2 gallon, bought from him at Nottingham for the Buttery.

f.4v 28 December. *Gifts*: gift of 20.0d each to Thomas le Barber and Robert Polidod, minstrels of the Bishop of Ely, making their minstrelsy before the king at Christmas: Kenilworth.

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f.6v 18 January. *Necessaries*: $1/_2$ mark each to Robert Chaunceler, John de Petrestre and John Harding, the king's *vigiles*, for their winter tunics for their night vigils, that are usual in the winter season: Gloucester.

f.9v 16 April. *Gifts*: gift of 26.8d to John Briseionk, minstrel of the lord Robert (brother of the Duke of Burgundy), making his minstrelsy before the king: Langele.

f.12 27 May. *Necessaries*: money for winter shoes to various servants, including Hugo the harper and (f.12v) Nicholas Waffrarius of the wafery: Westminster.

⁴⁹ Peter is described as "minstrel of the King of France" in the margin heading.

f.13v 10 June. *Gifts*: gift of 1/2 mark to Adam le Dragon, minstrel, making his minstrelsy before the king: Westminster.

<u>17 – 18 Ed II: E101.380.4 (French). Controller's Journal. Chamber Accounts, 16</u> April, <u>17 Ed II – 21 May, 18 Ed II</u>

(17 Ed II)

f.5 27 April: gift of 40.0d to Richard Pilke and Helen, his wife, going on a pilgrimage (? – *alamitz er pelrinage*).

f.11 24 June: gift of 40.0d to Master Richard Dorre, violist, Vala, citoler, and Henry de Neusom, harper.

(18 Ed II)

f.16v 16 September: gift of 20.0d to Nicholas, harper of Lady Camoyse.

f.21v 13 December: 6d to John the trumpeter for a *pikois*.

f.22 23 December: payment to William le Wayte of Nottingham for six pieces of iron (? – *peces de fer*) bought from him.

f.22v 6 January, Epiphany: gift of 50.0d to the king's minstrels.

Gift of 2.0d to Little Alein, the minstrel who plays (qui soefle) on the hornpipe.

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13 January: gift of 20.0d to Henry de Neusom, the king's harper, and Richardyn, the king's violist, for their expenses towards their lodgings *(chambre)*.

f.26 24 February: gift of 20.0d to Thomelyn Sautriour of London, who played (*qui sautera*) to the king in his chamber at the Tower.

f.28 16 March: payment to Adam Kembester, Thommelyn Seviund and Hykeman, harper, coming in the company of John Pyke, valet of the king's chamber, for their wages (details given) during their passage by sea from Normandy to the Tower.

f.31 11 April: gift of 5.0d to Vala, the king's citoler, for his expenses in going to Lonstel.

f.33 6 May: gift of 6.8d to Roger, the king's trumpeter, for his expenses in going to Northampton.

f.34 17 May: details of wages to various people, including the Wayte of Theneye.

20 Ed II: E101.381.6. Keeper's Accounts?

Debts for Wages, annis 19 and 20

- f.4 2.5d owed to Roger, trumpeter (adjac)3.4d owed to Laurence *le Cornour*.
- f.4v 9.2¹/₂ d owed to Henry de Neusom. (adjac)
 3.9d owed to Ivo Vala. (adjac)
 5.8d owed to Richard the violist. (adjac)
 5.8d owed to Thomas the violist.
- f.5 $5.8 \frac{1}{2}$ d owed to John de Petrestre.

3.9d owed to King William of the Heralds.

 $10.7 \frac{1}{2}$ d owed to Jennanus, harper.

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f.5v $5.8 \frac{1}{2} d$ owed to Ferrandus, trumpeter.

1 - 2 Ed III: E101.383.8. Controller's Accounts

(pencil foliation)

Prests

f.9 Prest on the price of a horse to Roger the waferer.

f.10 Prest to Robert Polydod for arrears of his wages.

Prest to John Mauprine, piper, for arrears of his wages.

Debts

f.17v 102.2d owed to John Scot, trumpeter, for his wages.

(adjac) £6.16.9d owed to John, nakerer, for the same.

- 73.6 $\frac{1}{2}$ d owed to Radulphus *le Gayte* for the same.
- $13 \frac{1}{2} d$ owed to Nicholas de Wycombe for the same.
- $53.8 \frac{1}{2}$ d owed to Egidius, trumpeter, for the same.

59.8d owed to Roger de Northlee for the same.

£7.1.11d owed to Roger, trumpeter, for the same.

19.9 $^{1}/_{2}$ d owed to John Harding for the same.

9.10d owed to John de Hampton for the same.

f.18 $60.11 \frac{1}{2}$ d owed to William Harding for the same.

3.9d owed to Ivo Vala for the same.

5.3d owed to Thomas, violist, for the same.

f.18v 12d owed to John Scot for hay (probably not the trumpeter).

A total of 40d owed to Walter Gayt for hay (two adjacent [85] entries).

2 - 3 Ed III: E101.384.1. Controller's Accounts

Prests

f.11v Prest to Robert Polidod for arrears of his wages.

Prests on Fees and Wages in War-time

f.22 Prest to Roger de Northleye.
(adjac)
Prest to Clays, taborer.
(adjac)
Prest to William Harding.
(adjac)
f.22v Prest to Radulphus *la Gaite*.
(adjac)
Prest to Egidius, trumpeter.
(adjac)

Prest to John Mauprine. (adjac) Prest to John, harper.

Debts to Officers of the Pantry and Buttery

- f.25 (Pantry) Debt to John Drake for corn.
- f.26 (Buttery) Debt to Cecily Drake for the same.

Debts to Servants of the Kitchen

f.27 Debt to Radulphus Wayte for two pigs.

Debts to Servants of the Scullery

f.29 Debt to Adam the trumpeter for firewood (? – *busca*).

Debts to Servants of the Chamber

f.35 Debt to Heyne the harper for firewood.

f.35v Debt to John Bisshop for hooks (? - crochet').

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Debts to Servants of the Marshalsea

- f.38 Two payments (not adjacent) to John Leut de Bekenfeld for *hu'es*. (adjac. second payment)Debt to John Horner for the same.
- f.42 Debt to John the harper de Northley for fodder.

4 Ed III: E101.385.4. Keeper's Livery Roll

The minstrels are Robert Polydod, Roger, trumpeter, Roger de Northley, Egidius, trumpeter, John Scot, John, nakerer, John, harper, Mauprine, Cleys, taborer, John Teyssamit, Thomas, citoler, John Vala, Henry Wyssh, Roger, waferer, Merlyn, violist, and Janyn, *sautreour*.

The vigiles are Radulphus la Geyte, John Harding and William Harding.

After the list of messengers and valets of the Chamber comes another list of minstrels, viz., Richard le Guyterer, John Malhard, Walter Cardinal and Roger de Braybrok.

With the roll are many memoranda of the receipt of cloth and fur for liveries, collected into two groups. Three of them concern minstrels:

First group, no. 24. Notice of receipt of cloth and fur for his robe by Richard Bottore, giterer: London, 2 August, 4 Ed III. His seal is attached.

First group, no. 30. Notice of receipt of cloth and fur by Ivo Vala for winter robes, *anno* 3, for himself and Thomas Citoler: London, 12 July, *anno* 4. His seal is attached.

Second group, no. 57. Notice of receipt of cloth and fur by John Harding for three winter tunics for himself and his two companions, *vigilatores*: London, 10 December, *anno* 4. His seal is attached: it is in a slightly better state of preservation than the others, and although the motto round the outside cannot now be read, the *motif* in the centre is undoubtedly a pair of crossed shawms.

[87] <u>4 Ed III: Rylands 234. Liveries of the Queen's Household</u>

f.3 Payment for cloth (details given) for the winter tunic of the queen's *vigilis*, against the feast of Christmas.

f.3v Summary accounts for winter liveries include the *vigilis*.

f.18 Liveries for valets of the queen's household, including a tunic for Robert, the queen's *vigilis*, against the feast of St Mary Magdalene.⁵⁰

f.27 A robe each, against the feast of Christmas, to Merlin the violist and John *psalterion*, the queen's minstrels.

f.28 Liveries for Robert le Geyte, the queen's *vigilis*, for a winter robe and for another robe against the feast of Christmas.

5 Ed III: Rylands 235. Household of the Queen. Controller's Book

Gifts

f.17 Gift of 2.0d to John the violist and his companions, minstrels, making their minstrelsy before the image of the Blessed Mary in the vault of Christ Church, Canterbury, in the presence of the queen, p.m. the said John: Sturreye, 15 April.

⁵⁰ 22 July.

f.18v Gift of 26.8d to Mauprine and his companions, minstrels of the king, making their minstrelsy on the day of the marriage of Robert de Maule and Helen his wife, damsel of the queen's chamber, p.m. the said Mauprine: Barlings, 14 July.

Gift of 5.0d each to Cecilia, dancer, and Isabella Gerlond, waferer,⁵¹ making their minstrelsies before the queen, [88] p.m. the said Cecilia: Lincoln, 22 July.

(adjac)

Gift of 60.0d to John the nakerer, minstrel of the king: Lincoln, 23 July.

f.19 Gift of 60.0d to Merlin the violist, given leave by the queen to go to France, for his expenses: Rockingham, 18 August.

(adjac)

Gift of 68.0d to Hanekin de Bavaria and Hanekin de Cologne, *gigatores* of Germany, coming to England on the orders of the queen and remaining in Court for some time, for their expenses in returning to their own district: Rockingham, 23 August.

Gift of 2.0d to certain minstrels making their minstrelsy before the image of the Holy Cross in the north chapel of the cathedral church of St Paul, London, when the queen was making her oblations at the said Cross: Westminster, 5 October.

f.20 4.0d to John Perrot for money paid by him on the queen's orders for a saddle bought by him and given by the queen to Hanekin de Cologne, violist of Hanover, at Melton: in money paid to him (Perrot) at Windsor, 22 October.

<u>6 Ed III: E101.386.7 and Add 38006⁵² Household of Eleanor, the king's sister,</u> <u>18 April – 26 July</u>

Necessaries

f.5v:5v Gift of 6.8d to two minstrels making their minstrelsy before the ladies and their household, being at Bruges: Bruges, 3 June.

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⁵¹ The margin heading here is *Quedam saltatrices* in the plural. We may therefore assume that Isabella was also a dancer.

⁵² These two documents correspond so closely that I have not calendared them separately. Both sets of folio-numbers are given, those of the P.R.O. document coming first.

f.7:8 Gift of 12d to various minstrels ("violists" in Add 38006), making their minstrelsy before the Cross in the north chapel of St Paul's, London: London, 30 April.

(adjac)

Gift of 12d to a certain minstrel making his minstrelsy before the lady Eleanor on her journey between Ospring and Canterbury: 3 May.

Gift of 2.0d to various minstrels making their minstrelsy before the image of the Blessed Virgin in the vault of Christ Church, Canterbury: Canterbury, 4 May.

Gift of 10.0d to four minstrels making their minstrelsy before the lady Eleanor, coming from the sea as far as Leschises: Leschises, 6 May.

Gift of 13.4d to four minstrels of Aragon, coming to the lady Eleanor and making their minstrelsy before her: 7 May.

Gift of 13.4d to four women of Leschises, singing before the lady Eleanor at Leschises (3.4d each): 7 May.

f.7v:8v Gift of 6.8d to two minstrels of the district of Hoyland, coming from England as far as Novum Magium in the company of the lady Eleanor, for their expenses: Bruges, 8 May.

Gift of 60.0d to thirteen minstrels dancing (*tripudient'*) and making their various minstrelsies before the lady Eleanor: Bruges, 10 May.

Gift of 12d to a certain minstrel called a bagpiper, meeting the lady Eleanor on her journey and making his minstrelsy before her.

(adjac)

Gift of 20.0d to four minstrels dancing (*tripudient'*) and making their minstrelsy before the lady: Malines, 15 May.

Gift of 7.6d to William Cardinal, small minstrel of the King of England, coming from England to the district of *Gerl'*, p.m. Teysamitt: Boscum Ducis, 17 May.

(adjac)

Gift of 40.0d to John Teysamit, going from the district of Germany to the King of England, for his expenses: Boscum Ducis, 17 May.

(adjac)

Gift of £20.0.0d to various minstrels, making their minstrelsy before the lady Countess on the day of her marriage, p.m. Teysamit: Novum Magium.

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f.8:(8v) Gift of 12d to Richard, violist, making his minstrelsy before the lady Eleanor: Rosendale, 23 May.

8 Ed III: E101.387.5. Controller's Accounts

Debts

f.5v £4.2.0d owed to John Dare for wages and robes.
£4.11.0d owed to Richard le Guyterer for the same.
£4.11.0d owed to Godescalk, piper, for the same.
£4.0.0d owed to Roger, trumpeter, for robes.
£4.0.0d owed to Thomas, citoler, for the same.

f.6v 60.0d owed to Henry Whissh for the same.

60.0d owed to Ivo Vala for the same.

<u>8 – 10 Ed III: Add 35181</u>

Debts

f.12 45.5d owed to Thomas Purchace for the replacement of a horse and for his robes.

f.12v Debt of £4.2.0d to John Dare for his wages and robes cancelled because he had been paid at the Exchequer.

(adjac)

£4.11.0d to Richard le Guyterer for the same also cancelled.

£4.11.0d to Godescalk, piper, for the same also cancelled.

£4.0.0d to Roger, trumpeter, for robes also cancelled.

£4.0.0d to Thomas, citoler, for the same also cancelled.

f.13v 60.0d owed to Henry Whissh for his wages and robes cancelled.

60.0d owed to Ivo Vala for wages and robes.

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8 - 11 Ed III: Nero C viii, f. 179-end. Controller's Accounts

Robes

f.226 Money for winter robes, *anno* 8, to the following minstrels: Roger, trumpeter, John Scot, trumpeter, Egidius, trumpeter, Roger de Northle, John, nakerer, John Mauprine, Godscalk, piper, Janyn Dare, Richard, gitterner, Thomas, citoler, Robert Polydod, John Teissamit, Andrew Noreys, Henry

Wissh, Ranulphus Taillour, Thomas Purchace, John, harper, John Morleyns, Peter Gaffrer and William Marchis.

f.228 Money for summer robes, *anno* 9, to squires of the king's household, including Roger, trumpeter, John Scot, trumpeter, Egidius, trumpeter, Robert Polidod, John, nakerer, John Mauprine, Ranulphus Taillour, Thomas, citoler, Richard, gitterner, Godscalk, piper, Janin Dare, Thomas Purchace, John Morleyns, Peter Gaffrer, Henry Wissh, John Teisamit and Andrew Norreys.

f.229v Money for summer robes, *anno* 10, to squires, including Roger, trumpeter, John Scot, trumpeter, Egidius, trumpeter, Nicholas, trumpeter, Janin, nakerer, John Mauprine, Godscalk, piper, John de Morleyns, Thomas, citoler, Richard, gitterner, Janin Dare, Robert Polidod, Ranulphus Taillour, Thomas Purchace, Henry Whissh, John Teisand', Andrew Norreis and Peter Gaffrer.

f.231 Money for summer robes, *anno* 11, as before, to Roger, trumpeter, John Scot, trumpeter, Egidius, trumpeter, Nicholas, trumpeter, Robert Barber, trumpeter, Peter de Baion, trumpeter, J(ohn) de Swynflet, harper, Janin, nakerer, John Mauprine, Godscalk, piper, John de Morleyns, Thomas, citoler, Richard, gitterner, Janin Dare, Robert Polidod, Ranulphus Taillour, Thomas Purchace, Henry Whissh, John Teisand', Andrew Norreys and Peter Gaffrer.

Wages in War-time

f.235v Details of wages, *anno* 8, to the squires of the king's household: the list includes Roger, trumpeter, John Scot, trumpeter, Egidius, trumpeter, Robert Polidod, Janin, nakerer, John Mauprine, Thomas, citoler, Godscalk, piper, Janin Dare, Thomas Purchace and John de Morleyns.

Similar details for Roger de Northle, William Marchys [92] and Nicholas Wicombe.

f.239v Details of wage-increases to squires of the king's household, *anno* 9: the list includes Roger, trumpeter, John, trumpeter, Egidius, trumpeter, Nicholas, trumpeter, Robert Polidod, Janin, nakerer, John Mauprine, Thomas, citoler, Richard, gitterner, Godscalk, piper, Janin Dare, Thomas Purchace and John de Morleyns.

Similar details for William Marchis, William Harding, John Harding and Nicholas de Wicombe.

f.244 Wage-increases as before, *anno* 10, to Roger, trumpeter, Egidius, trumpeter, Nicholas, trumpeter, Robert Polidod, John, nakerer, Godscalk, piper, and Janin Dare.

(anno 8)

f.268 Gift of 60.0d to Anthony, minstrel of the King of Aragon, making his minstrelsy before the king in his chamber at Hautclere, 12 August: Clarenden, 18 August.

Gift of 20.0d to John de Morleyns, the king's minstrel: 1 October.

f.269 Gift of 100.0d to Tussettus de Suavia and Conpatus, his companion, minstrels of the Duke of Bavaria, coming to the king at Rokesburgh and making their minstrelsy in the presence of the king and queen: 12 December.

Gift of 60.0d to Roger, trumpeter, and his fellows, the king's minstrels, on the day of Epiphany: 6 January.

Gift of 60.0d to John Scot, trumpeter, in compensation for losses (injuries? – *dampna*) sustained in taking his horse and supplies from Berwick to Roxburgh on the occasion of an invasion by the Scots: 10 January.

f.269v Gift of 30.0d each to Merlin the violist and Barberus, bagpiper, given leave of absence to go to the minstrel schools on the Continent, to help with their expenses: Newcastle, 14 February.

A similar gift of 40.0d to Morlanus, bagpiper, given leave to go to the minstrel schools.

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f.270 Gift of 20.0d to Bernard de Burdegala, minstrel of Dns de Ufford, riding with the king towards Canterbury, to replace a horse: Canterbury, 16 April.

f.270v Gift of 10 marks to various minstrels on the occasion of the purification of the Countess of Exeter (Oxford?).

Gift of 5.0d to various minstrels making their minstrelsy before the image of the Virgin in the vault of Christ Church, Canterbury, in the king's presence: (April).

Gift of a mark to John de Malo Passu, the king's minstrel.

f.272v Gift of £8.0.0d to Perotus de Insula, minstrel, and six companions, heralds and minstrels of the Earl of Juliers, on returning to the said Earl: Edinburgh, 10 September.

Gift of 13.4d to William le Waite de Bainnburgh: Berwick, 6 October.

Gift of 13.4d to Robert Druet, minstrel, making his minstrelsy before the king: Dodyngton, 1 November.

f.273 Gift of 60.0d to John Teissamit, the king's minstrel, on being given leave of absence to visit his home.

Replacement of Horses

f.274 Payment to John, nakerer, to replace a horse.

The same to Roger, trumpeter.

f.274v The same to John de Morleyns, minstrel of the king's household.

f.275 The same to John Perrot. The same to Richard, gitterner.

The same to Thomas, citoler.

The same to Janin Dare.

[94] *Gifts*

(anno 10)

f.276 Gift of 40.0d to Master John, minstrel of the King of Bohemia, on bringing the king four swords and a pair of gloves as a gift from his master: (March).

Gifts of 10.0d each to several of the king's archers, including William Crouder and Adam Waffrer, being given leave to visit their own regions: London, 17 April.

f.276v Gift of 20.0d to Nicholas de Wycombe, *vigilis*, to replace a horse: Guildford, 19 April.

Gift of 40.0d to Godescalcus, the king's minstrel, for the same: Guildford, 21 April.

Gift of 40.0d to Peter de Ruyte, minstrel from overseas: Guildford.

f.277v Gift of 20.0d to Godescalk, the king's minstrel, to help with the expenses of his service on horseback: Doncaster, 5 February.

f.278v Gift of 20.0d to Robert de Farebourn, *tympanistra* of Robert de Dosenill, constable of the castle of Pontefract, for playing to the king between

Pontefract and St Johnstone, from whom the king took his instrument and gave it to his own (the king's) *tympanistra*: St Johnstone, 3 July.

f.279 Gifts of 40.0d each to many squires, including Henry Whissh: St Johnstone, 5 August.

Gift of 20.0d to John Perot, *cornmuser de montvalour*, in compensation for his *tympanum*, which was broken by the king: St Johnstone, 5 August.

Replacement of Horses

f.280 Money to Roger, trumpeter, to replace a horse.

f.280v Money to Nicholas, trumpeter, for the same.

Gifts

(anno 11)

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f.283 Gift of 40.0d to John de Boghland, crowder (*Crouth menistrallus*), of John de Pulteney, making his minstrelsy in the presence of the king between London and Hatfield, for his expenses: Westminster, 2 March.

(adjac)

Gift of £10.0.0d to Roger, trumpeter, and his companions, minstrels, making their minstrelsy at the feast of the recovery (? – *relevatio*) of the queen, p.m. the said Roger: Hatfield, 10 March.

f.283v Gift of 1/2 mark to the *Rotour* minstrel of the Earl of Juliers, playing before the king at Westminster: 16 July.

f.284 Gift of 40.0d to Reginald *le Roter de Alemanum*, making his minstrelsy before the king in the Tower of London: (August).

f.284v Gift of 6.8d to John de Mees of Lorraine and Peter de Burgundy, minstrels of the queen, making their minstrelsy before the king at York, 14 May: the said place and date.

Replacement of Horses

Money to various officers, including Richard Gitterer and Robert Polidod, for replacing horses.

Debts

f.318 Money owed to various squires of the household at the time of the accounting (probably *anno* 14):

22.10 $^{1}/_{2}$ d owed to Janin, harper, for wages and robes. (adjac)

f.318v £7.15.7d owed to John de Morleyns for the same.

20.0d owed to Robert Barber, trumpeter. (adjac) 108.2d owed to Janin, nakerer.

£4.5.4d owed to John Perot.

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<u>10 – 12 Ed III: E101.387.25 (French) Household of the Black Prince. Keeper's</u> <u>Roll of Receipts and Liveries</u>

Robes of the king's livery given to the minstrels of Wales *de Radyngges*, against the feast of Easter.

Details of livery given to a minstrel of Schareshull,⁵³ being with the Duke (of Cornwall, i.e. the Black Prince) in his illness.

<u>11–12 Ed III: E101.388.9. Controller's Accounts 31 August, 11 Ed III – 11 July, 12 Ed III</u>

Debts to Various Household Servants

f.30v £6.4.9d owed to Peter le Gaffrer for wages and robes.

f.31v Debts to the minstrels:

 \pounds 3.8.0 ¹/₂d owed to Roger, trumpeter, for wages and robes.

74.10 $^{1}/_{2}$ d owed to John Scot, trumpeter, for the same.

105.8 $^{1}/_{2}d$ owed to Egidius, trumpeter, for wages, robes and the replacement of horses.

f.32 72.4d owed to Nicholas, trumpeter, for wages and robes.

£14.16.11 $^{1}/_{2}$ d owed to Robert Barber for the same.

 $75.11 \frac{1}{2}$ d owed to Peter de Baion for the same.

70.8 $^{1}/_{2}$ d owed to John, nakerer, for the same.

 $69.7 \frac{1}{2}$ d owed to John Mauprine for the same.

48.5d owed to John Morleynes for the same.

46.6 $^{1}/_{2}$ d owed to Thomas Purchace for the same.

55.11d owed to William Marchis for the same.

73.4d owed to Thomas, citoler, for the same.

74.1 $^{1}/_{2}$ d owed to Richard, gitterner, for the same.

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⁵³ Probably John de Schareshull, the harper.

74.11d owed to Godescalk, piper, for the same.
76.9 ¹/₂d owed to John Dare for the same.
56.1 ¹/₂d owed to John, harper, for the same.
63.6 ¹/₂d owed to William Harding, one of the king's *vigiles*, for the same.

Debts to Servants of the Pantry and Buttery

f.39 $102.3^{3}/_{4}$ d owed to John Kent de Stanes for ale (? – *cervisis*).

Debts to Servants of the Chamber

f.62v Unspecified debt of 4d to Thomas the trumpeter.

11 - 12 Ed III: E101.388.5. Counter-Roll, August, 11 Ed III - 11 July, 12 Ed III

m.2 (actual) 2 January. *Gifts*: gift of 20.0d to Gilletus the trumpeter and Perottus, his companion, minstrels of the district of Gene, making their minstrelsy in the presence of the king and queen on the day of the Circumcision, p.m. Nicholas, trumpeter.

21 February. *Gifts*: gift of 40.0d to Radulphus de Estriche, *cornmuser*, making his minstrelsy before the king at Westminster.

m.5 (pencil numbering) 12 June. *Gifts*: gift of 10.0d each to Perotus and Janynus, minstrels of Queen Philippa, making their minstrelsy before the king.

Gift of 20.0d to John Dare and Richard Guyterer, minstrels, making their minstrelsy in the king's presence.

m.11 11 July. *Robes*: money for winter and summer robes for many servants, including Peter de Normard, waferer, and the minstrels, viz., Roger, John Scot, Egidius, Nicholas, Peter de Bayone, Robert Barber (all trumpeters), John, nakerer, Thomas, citoler, Richard, gitterner, Godescalk, piper, Janin Dare, John de Murleyns, *cornmuser*, John, harper, John de Schareshull, harper, John Mauprine, Robert Polidod, Ranulphus Taillour, Henry [98] Whissh, Thomas Purchas, William Marchis, John Teysamit and Andrew le Norreys.

Money for a robe for the whole year for several servants, including Nicholas de Wycombe, John Harding and William Harding, *vigiles*.

m.18 (still 11 July). *Gifts and Replacement of Horses*: gift of 40.0d to Egidius, trumpeter, to replace a horse.

<u>12 Ed III: E101.388.12. Household of the Black Prince. Keeper's Roll of Winter</u> <u>Liveries</u>

Liveries to various squires, including Morlinus, minstrel.

Dorse. Liveries to valets, including Roger le Wayte and Thomas le Waffrer.

14 Ed III: E101.389.6. Household of the Black Prince, Roll of Expenses

10 June. *Gifts*: gift of 2.0d to Nicholas the trickster (*le Tregetour*), minstrel: Babewell, 6 June.

15 July. Gifts: gift of 11d to John the Fool of Eltham.

19 August. Gifts: gift of 6.8d to Thomas the gestour of Newark: Reading.

23 September. *Gifts*: gift of 2.0d to a certain minstrel playing the organs before the prince at Claverton.

30 September. Gifts: gift of 12d to John the Fool of Eltham.

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14 October. *Necessaries*: money to several servants, including Roger the Wayte, valet of the duke's household, for winter shoes, *anno* 13, and summer shoes, *anno* 14.

Money to Thomas the Waferer (in the same list).

No date. *Gifts*: gift of 2.0d to Roger, the duke's *vigilis*, for a fur bought for him for Christmas, *anno* 14.

<u>12 – 14 Ed III: E36.203. Keeper's Book, 12 July, 12 Ed III – 27 May, 14 Ed III</u>

Necessaries

f.94v 60.0d to Gerard, the queen's *vigilis*, sent to Paris on the king's business (*in neg' Reg'*) to investigate secretly the actions of Dns Philip de Valois for 40 days in the months of September and October, *anno* 12, at 18d per day.

f.95v Payment to Robert de Bosham for his *domibus conductis* for the king's waferer⁵⁴ during the months of July, August and September, *anno* 12.

Gifts

⁵⁴ Or perhaps "wafery". This entry may mean that Robert had taken over the waferer's job for the period stated.

(*anno* 12)

f.99 Gift of 13.4d to John de Bricell, minstrel of the Duke of Brabant: Antwerp, 30 July.

Gift of 40.0d to Conrad the trumpeter, minstrel of the Emperor of Germany, making his minstrelsy before the king: Antwerp, 9 August.

f.99v Gift of 10.0d to Peter Sifre and John Sautour, waferers, proffering their wafers to the king at his dinner at Antwerp in the presence of the Count of Juliers: Antwerp, 21 August.

Gift of 20.0d to Francis, violist, making his minstrelsy in the presence of the king: Antwerp, 22 August.

Gift of 100.0d to Conrad and Ancelinus, minstrels of [100] the Archbishop of Cologne, making their minstrelsy in the presence of the king in the hall where the said bishop consulted (? – *convinavit*) the king: Bu'ne (?), 25 August.

f.100 Gift of 100.0d to Master Ichell and his ten companions, minstrels of the Emperor, making their minstrelsy in the king's presence on the Island of Werd': Werd' Island, 28 August.

Gift of 40.0d to four minstrels of the said Emperor, meeting the king in the Emperor's barge between the Island of Werd' and Convalencia and making their minstrelsy there the same day (28 August).

Gift of 50.0d to Master Conrad, King of the Heralds, and his ten companions, minstrels of various magnates of Germany, being at the Island of Werd' in the presence of the king and making their minstrelsy there, p.m. the said Conrad, the same day (28 August).

Gift of 50.0d to Henry van Valbik and his five companions, minstrels of the Archbishop of Treverens, making their minstrelsy on the said Island, p.m. Godscalk, piper: Werd' Island, 28 August.

f.100v Gift of 26.8d to the King of the Heralds of Sprus, coming to the king from his own district with news of that district: Sitard, 1 September.

10.0d as a similar gift to the Marshal of the Heralds of the regions of Brabant, coming to the king as far as the said district: the same place and date.

1/2 mark to each of four minstrels of Dns de Falcomount, meeting the king there and making their minstrelsy before the king: the same place and date.

Gift of 13.6d to Lambert de Loreine and John Cornmusere, minstrel of Queen Philippa,⁵⁵ meeting the king at Sensk: Sensk, 4 September.

⁵⁵ The entry reads *menestrallo*, and so refers only to John Cornmusere as a royal minstrel. See below, n. 56.

f.102 Gift of £10.0.0d to Ludekin, King of the Heralds of Germany, and Ludekin the piper, minstrel⁵⁶ of the Emperor, coming to the king and making their minstrelsy before him: Antwerp, 25 December.

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f.102v £13.10.0d to Ludkin the piper and his companions, minstrels of the Emperor and of the Dukes of Brabant and Guelderland (Gel'r'), making their minstrelsy before the queen on the day of her recovery (*relevacio*): Antwerp, 6 January.

18.0d to Ulric and Peter, minstrels of Master Paul de Monte Florum, making their minstrelsy before the king: 26 January, *anno* 13.

(anno 13)

f.104v Gift of 9.0d to Peter de Salto and his companion, minstrels of Sabandia, making their minstrelsy before the king: Antwerp, 20 May.

f.105v Gift of £18.0.0d to Henry Wisch for various services rendered: Filford, 11 July. (Probably not the minstrel.)

f.106v 27.0d to Dns Thomas de Hatfield, clerk, in complete payment of all moneys paid out by him, of the king's gift, to the minstrels of the queen, making their minstrelsy before the king at Brussels: Aspre, 4 November.

45.0d to Dns Thomas de Hatfield in payment of moneys paid by him to the minstrels of the Margrave Julian of Brandenburg, making their minstrelsy before the king at Marcnon (?): Marcnon, 12 November.

(anno 14)

f.107v Gift of 10.0d to Jakeminus the piper and Hanekin his companion, minstrels, meeting the king and making their minstrelsy before him on his arrival at Ghent: Ghent, 5 January.

f.108v Gift of 9.0d to two minstrels of Lovaign, making their minstrelsy before the king at Lovaign in the month of December, *anno* 12: Lovaign, 2 December (*anno* 12).

Robes and Shoes

f.122v Money for winter robes, *anno* 12, and summer and winter robes, *anno* 13, to several servants, including Andrew Norreys, King of the Heralds.

⁵⁶ As above, n. 53, "minstrel" is singular.

f.123 Money for winter robes, *anno* 12, and summer and winter robes, *anno* 13, to various squires of the king, including John de Hampton, John de Hetheye, Henry Wissh (and another eight names), John, nakerer, Roger, trumpeter, Egidius, trumpeter, Nicholas, trumpeter, John Mauprine, Peter de Baion, Ranulphus Taillour, Robert Barber, Robert de Bosham, John de Morleyns, Robert Polidod, Thomas Purchaceour, William Harding, Thomas, [102] citoler, Nicholas de Wycombe, John Wolfram, Godescalk, piper, John Dare and Richard, gitterner. (Hetheye and Wolfram may not be minstrels).

Replacement of Horses

f.129v Money to Henry Whish to replace a horse.

Money to Robert Polydod for the same.

f.130 The same to Thomas le Purchaceour.The same to John, nakerer.Money for the same to John de Steneshull, King of the Heralds of Germany.

Passage of Horses to England, January, anno 13, and February, anno 14.

f.154v Money to several servants, including Henry Whish and Thomas Purchaceour.

f.155 Money to men-at-arms, including John Francekinus, William Bisshop and Robert Polidod.

f.155v Money to various servants, including John, nakerer, Roger, trumpeter, Egidius, trumpeter, Nicholas, trumpeter, Robert de Bosham, Godescalk, piper, Nicholas de Wycombe, Adam de Neubolt, Peter de Baion, Robert Barber, Thomas Betoign, John de Morleyns, William Harding (and another nine names, including a falconer), John Dare, Richard, gitterner (and another three names), and Thomas, citoler. (Neubolt and Betoign may not be minstrels.)

Prests

f.175v Prest, anno 13, to Henry Whissh.

14 Ed III: E101.389.5. (fragment)

f.1 Wages to Adam Waffrarius and others.

f.2 Money to several servants, including Roger de Porchester, waferer, for summer shoes.

- f.4 Payment of £13.18.4¹/₂d of the £17.18.4¹/₂d owed to Thomas, citoler. (adjac)
 Payment of £82.0.0d of the £152.0.0d owed to Henry Whissh.
- f.7 Payment of a debt of £14.10.3d owed to John Dare.
- f.9 Payment of £16.9.6d of the £19.9.9d owed to John, nakerer. (adjac)Payment of £17.2.7d of the £20.2.7d owed to Roger, trumpeter.
- f.9v Payment of a debt of £7.18.1d owed to Robert Barber, trumpeter.

Payment of £6.8.8d of the £7.18.8d owed to Peter de Bayon, trumpeter.

Payment of £20.11.4 $^{1}/_{2}d$ of the £23.1.4 $^{1}/_{2}d$ owed to William Harding, *vigilator*.

16 - 18 Ed III: E36.204. Controller's Book, 21 July, 16 Ed III - 1 April, 18 Ed III

Gifts

f.84v Gift of 40.0d to John de la Mote, minstrel, making his minstrelsy before the king at Easter at Eltham: 31 March.

Gift of 30.0d to Hanekin, piper, for a horse brought for him: 31 March.

Gift of 10.0d to John Sautreour, minstrel of Queen Isabella, making his minstrelsy before the king at Rysing: 29 April.

f.85 Gift of 100.0d to Hanekin de Andernagh and his companions, minstrels of the Count of Hanover, making their minstrelsy before the king at Westminster: 30 May.

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Gift of 40.0d to Lubekin, piper, minstrel of the Earl of Northampton, making his minstrelsy before the king at Woodstock: 22 June.

Gift of 13.4d to John van Maistrik, minstrel, making his minstrelsy before the king in his chamber: 31 July.

20 marks to Libekin, piper, and his companions, minstrels of the king and queen, making their minstrelsy before the same king and queen at the Tower of London, at the marriage of the king's son Lionel: 14 August.

f.85v Gift of 6.8d to Ranulphus Taillour, minstrel, coming as far as Estrye (or *Ostrye*) to the king, and making his minstrelsy there before the king, for his expenses in returning to his own district: 11 September.

Gift of 3.0d to William le Harpour, messenger of Queen Isabella, coming to the king with letters from Queen Isabella: 16 September.

Gifts for the Replacement of Horses

f.88v Money to John de Hampton and others for horses.

Robes and Shoes

f.90 Money for winter robes, *anno* 16, and summer and winter robes, *anno* 17, to Roger, trumpeter, Egidius, trumpeter, Thomas Purchas, Robert de Bosham, Henry Whish, Robert Polidod, Robert Barber, Thomas, citoler, Godescalk, piper, and Nicholas, trumpeter, the minstrels of the king's household; also to Andrew Norreis and many others.

f.90v Money for winter robes, *annis* 15, 16 and 17, to Lambert, taborer, John Churleshede, Arnold, piper, John de Chilcote, Radulphus, piper, William de Hedele and William Harding, *vigilator*. (Churleshede and Chilcote may not be minstrels.)

f.91 Money for robes, *annis* 16 and 17, to several servants, including John Wayte.

Wages during the War in Scotland

f.103v Details of wage-increases to certain squires of the king's household, including John de Hampton and Egidius, [105] trumpeter.

Similar details for certain squires of the king's household, including Thomas de Betoign, Robert de Bosham and Robert, trumpeter.

Wages during the War "in partibus Britanum"

f.107v Details of wages to Henry Whish and others.

Debts to various Servants for Wages in War-time, Replacement of Horses, and Robes

f.128v £7.0.0d owed to John de Hampton.

104.8d owed to John, nakerer.

f.129 Payment of 38.0d of the 60.0d owed to Lambert, taborer.

Payment of 66.0d of the £6.0.0d owed to Libekin the piper and his son. Payment of 38.0d of the 60.0d owed to Arnekin, piper.

20.0d owed to Henry Whish. 100.0d owed to Andrew Norreys. 57.1 $^{1}/_{2}$ d owed to Nicholas, trumpeter.

f.129v £6.10.7 ¹/₂d owed to Richard, trumpeter.
Payment of 30.0d of the £4.0.0d owed to Godeschalk, piper.
30.4 ¹/₂d owed to the same.
48.2d owed to Egidius, trumpeter.

112.6d owed to William de Harding.

f.131 26.0d owed to John Wayte, palfreyman, for robes and shoes.

16 - 18 Ed III: E101.390.3.57 Household of the Black Prince. Keeper's Roll

[106] Prests

m.3 Prest to John Polidod, minstrel of the prince, for arrears of his wages.

<u>13 – 18 Ed III: Harley 4304, ff. 18 onwards.⁵⁸ Household of the Black Prince.</u> <u>Keeper's Accounts</u>

List of the Household, anno 18

f.18 Roger, the prince's vigilator.

f.18v Radulphus, trumpeter.

A valet *vigilator* of the prince's household.

f.19 Thomas, valet waferer: at a second appearance he is described as "the prince's waferer".

f.20v John Cliff, trumpeter.

⁵⁷ This is a very faded document: about half of it can be read under ultraviolet light.

⁵⁸ This is a seventeenth-century transcription.

f.21 Nicholas, organplayer.

(anno 16)

f.22 Money to several servants for shoes, including Thomas the violist and John, *vigilis*.

c. 21 Ed III: E101.391.9. Keeper's Accounts

Debts

f.10 27.7d owed to Egidius, trumpeter, for wages and robes. (adjac) [107] A total of £12.5.4d owed to Lambert, taborer, for the same. (adjac) A total of £7.4.8d owed to Henry Whissh for the same. (adjac) 16.6d owed to William Harding for wages. (adjac) 13.2d owed to Peter, clarioner. (adjac) £7.0.0d owed to Andrew Norris. (adjac) 24.7d owed to Radulphus, piper. (adjac) 40.0d owed to John de Childercote. (Not a minstrel?) (adjac) 40.0d owed to John de Thurlesheld. (Not a minstrel?) (adjac) A total of £16.11.8d owed to Arnald, piper. (adjac) 100.0d owed to George, nakerer. (adjac) f.10v 20.0d owed to Lybkin, piper (adjac) £19.15.4d owed to Hankin fitzLybkin, piper. (adjac) 16.0d owed to Henry, fiddler.

f.11 Debt of 78.4d to Walter Cardinal for wages, robes and shoes.

f.17 Debt of 11.0d for goods bought from John Harpour of Wiltshire (probably not a minstrel).

f.21 Debt of 5.9d to Nicholas, trumpeter, for *furnag*'.

f.21v Debt of 5.6 $1/_2$ d to Richard le Wayte for the same. Debt of 22d to William Barbour for deer (? – *cervis*).

f.34 Debt of 12d to John Perat of the Chamber.

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<u>23 – 24 Ed III: E36.205. Queen's Household, Controller's Accounts, 25 January,</u> <u>23 Ed III – 1 February, 24 Ed III</u>

Messengers

f.10 Payment to Adam Prat p.m. Adam Waffrarius: Havering, 5 January. (adjac)

2.0d in expenses to Adam Waffrarius, taking letters from the queen from Orsete to Colchester, to the Abbot there: the same place and date.

Necessaries

12d in expenses to Adam Waffrarius, going on the queen's business from Childerlangley to Sunning(dale) and Reading: Childerlangley, 25 February.

f.12 Money for his winter tunic, anno 23, to Gerard, vigilis.

13.0d to Adam Waffrarius, sent from Shene to Bristol, to the mayor of that town, with letters from the queen directed to Robert Russell, going and coming for seven days; and another time from Orsete to Marlburgh, going and coming for seven days with letters directed to Robert Russell, taking 6d per day for his expenses: Orsete, 15 November.

f.12v 6.8d in expenses to Adam Waffrarius, sent on the queen's business from Lambhithe to Bristol for gold and silver vessels and jewels as a guarantee (*guerend'*) from there, and returning to Orsete: Orsete, 15 December.

f.13 Money for winter shoes, *anno* 22, to various servants, including Adam Waffrarius, valet.

The same for summer shoes, anno 23.

27 Ed III: E101.392.12. Keeper's Book

Robes

f.41 Money for summer and winter robes to various squires [109] of the king's household, including Thomas Purchasour, John Yong and Radulphus le Wayte.

f.41v Money for robes to various valets and messengers, including Walter Cardinal.

Gifts

f.43v Gift of 3.4d to John Harpour: Dartford, 4 November.

Messengers

f.46 Payment to Walter Cardinal.

<u>29 – 33 Ed III: Harley 4304, ff. 13–15.⁵⁹ Household of the Black Prince. Keeper's Accounts</u>

Shoes, annis 29, 31 and 33

f.13 The list of valets includes Reginald Waffrar.

The list of footmen includes Tagwaret le Crouder.

f.15 A list of household servants includes Richard Pilke, waferer.

A list of those "qui non sunt" includes Tegwaret Cruder and Reginald Waffrar.

<u>31 – 32 Ed III: Rylands 236. Queen's Household, 1 April, 31 Ed III – 1 April, 32 Ed III</u>

Gifts

f.3v Gift of 6.8d to John Wayte and his companions, minstrels, making their minstrelsy on Christmas Day.

[110] <u>33 - 34 Ed III: E101.393.11</u>

⁵⁹ Seventeenth-century transcription.

Gifts

f.71 Gifts of 7.4d each to several grooms of the household, including John Waffrer, for expenses at Calais: 3 November, *anno* 33.

Gift of 20.0d each to Flagillot, piper, John Badencore and Peter de Burgoigne, minstrels of the king: probably 6 November or later.

f.73 Gift of 40.0d each to John of France, apothecary to the King of France, and to Peter Comer and Peter Praga, minstrels of the king (of England): 22 June, *anno* 33.

f.73v Gift of 41.3d to Flagellet, piper, John Badencore and Peter de Burgoigne for their expenses in going to England.

Gift of 16.8d to various minstrels making their minstrelsy before the king.

f.74 Gifts of 10.0d each to various valets of the household, including Edmund Wayt and William Wayt, for their expenses in travelling from Calais towards England.

f.74v Summary robes list within the *Gifts* section: winter robes are included for nineteen unnamed minstrels and *vigilatores* of the king.

Gift of 48.0d to Peter de Praga, the king's minstrel, for a horse bought for him in France.

A similar gift, of 40.0d, to Nicholas de Praga, the king's minstrel.

Robes and Shoes

f.76v Money to many servants of the household for winter and summer robes, including Hankin *filius Libbekini*, Nicholas Praga, Peter de Praga, John Yonge, Peter, clarioner, Philip Vaghan, (f.77) Nicholas Hanneye, William Harding, John Hampton, Gerard le Wayte, Arnekin, piper, Lamkin, taborer, Elias, piper, and Peter Comer, the king's minstrels.

Money to several servants of the household, including William Wayt and Walter Wayt, for winter and summer robes.

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f.78 Money for a robe and shoes for the year to each of several servants of the household, including Richard, waferer.

Wages in War-time

f.95 Details of wages to Henry Wayt.

f.107v Details of wages and payments for taking horses from Calais to Sandwich to Hankin fitzLibkin, Nicholas de Praga and Peter de Praga, John Yonge, Peter, clarioner, Philip Vaghan, William Wayt, Nicholas Hanneye, (f.108) Walter le Wayt, John de Hampton, Gerard le Wayt, Peter Comer, (names of three messengers), Roger Fromard and Peter Rosse, minstrels of the king.

f.114v Details of wages to Thomas de Hampton, the king's minstrel.

f.116v Details of wages to Flagillet, piper, John Badencore and Peter de Burgoigne, the king's minstrels.

Wages in Peace-time

f.117 Details of wages to Nicholas Praga and Peter de Praga, Peter, clarioner, William Harding, the king's minstrel, Philip Vaghan, Nicholas de Hanney, John Hampton, Roger Fromard, Peter de Roos, Peter Camer and Elias, piper.

f.118 Details of wages to Gerard le Wayt.

Prests

f.118v Prest to Hankin fitzLibkin.

<u>34 – 35 Ed III: E101.393.15. Livery Roll, 1 November, 34 Ed III – 28 June, 35 Ed III</u>

m.6⁶⁰ Details of a large *l'cum* (or *l'cus*) supplied for the queen, embroidered with angels playing various musical instruments (*ludentibus cum diversis artibus ministrall'*).

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m.4 Details of gowns made against the feast of Christmas for the king's minstrels, viz:

Hanekin filzLibekin, piper, Hernekin, piper, Lambekin, taborer, Oyli (dative case – Elias?), piper, William Harding, piper, Peter, clarioner, Philip, trumpeter, John de Hampton, trumpeter, Nicholas, trumpeter, Roger Fromward, trumpeter, Peter de Roos, trumpeter, Gerard, piper, Robert Fol, *bourdour*, Peter Comhere, Nicholas, Fiddler, Peter Sauterer and Master John, waferer: 30 November.

(m.3a) Details of a gown against the coming feast of Christmas for Peter Fitheler, one of the king's minstrels: 11 December.

⁶⁰ The membranes of this roll are numbered from the bottom.

Details of an identical robe for the Christmas just past for John Alisaundre, one of the king's minstrels: 4 February.

m.3 Details of identical robes for the Christmas just past for Edmund Wayt, William Wayt, Walter Wayt and William Langport, the king's *vigilatores*: 15 February.

Details of an identical robe for the Christmas just past for John Sitoler, one of the king's minstrels: 22 February.

m.2 Details of identical robes for the Christmas just past for Peter, piper, Flagelot, piper, and John, piper, minstrels of the king: 30 April.

37 - 38 Ed III: E101.394.16. Livery Roll, 29 June, 37 Ed III - 29 June, 38 Ed III

m.11⁶¹ Details of four banners painted with the quartered arms of the king and made for the instruments (*tubis*) of the king's minstrels against the feast of St George.

m.8 Details of robes for Christmas for the king's minstrels, viz., for Perrot, piper, John Midleton, trumpeter, [113] John, waferer, Andrew, organist, and John his son, Hankin Mareschall, Arnald, piper, Lambekin, taborer, John, piper, William Harding, piper, Hampton, trumpeter, Nicholas Praga, fiddler, Robert, fool, John Chichestre, Nicholas, trumpeter, Percival, Flagelot, piper, John Alisandre and Peter, fiddler: 26 November.

m.7 Details of mantles with hoods given to Walter Wayt and William Langeport, the king's *vigilatores*, for the winter season; also of robes, identical with those of the minstrels, against the feast of Christmas: 1 November.

The livery-list of huntsmen includes Picard Horner. Nicholas Waytman is named as a groom huntsman.

m.5 Details of a robe against the feast of Christmas for Richard Waffrer, groom of the king's household: 11 December.

m.4 A robe against the feast of Christmas for John Devenish, one of the king's minstrels, the same as the other king's minstrels had: 19 December.

A robe against the feast of Christmas just past for William Aleyn, one of the king's minstrels, the same as the other minstrels had: 7 January.

⁶¹ The membranes of this roll are numbered from the bottom.

m.3 A robe against the feast of Christmas just past for Radulphus Wayt, one of the king's huntsmen, the same as the other huntsmen had: 26 May.

43 Ed III: E101.396.11. Controller's Accounts

Summer Robes

f.16v Money to squires and servants of the household, including Nicholas Praga and (f.17) Richard Waffrer.

Summer Shoes

f.18 Money to many servants, including Thomas de Hampton (perhaps not the minstrel) and John Frend, valet, the queen's waferer.

[114] *Gifts*

f.19 Gift of 6.8d to Hanekin Fytheler, making his minstrelsy before the image of the Blessed Mary in the vault of Christ Church, Canterbury, when the king was making his offering there: 14 May.

Gift of 3.4d to John Harpour, harping in St Augustine's Church, Canterbury, when the king was making his offering there: the same day.

45 – 47 Ed III: E101.397.5. Keeper's Book, 27 June, 45 Ed III – 27 June, 47 Ed III

Horses Bought

f.38v 40.0d to Henry Cornour *de Vise* for a horse.

Fees and Robes

f.43 Money for winter and summer robes to the squires of the king's chamber, including Nicholas Praga, Richard Wafrer and Peter Roos. (Presumably *anno* 45).

Gifts

f.45 Gift of 13.4d to minstrels making their minstrelsy before the image of the Blessed Mary in the vault of Christ Church, Canterbury, and before the

shrine of St Augustine in St Augustine's Church, Canterbury: 1 April (anno 45?).⁶²

Gift of 20.0d for his expenses to John Prat, sent from London to Hampton at the command of the king: 2 April.

[115] Fees, Robes and Shoes

f.82 Money for winter and summer robes (*anno* 46?) to various servants, including Nicholas Praga and Richard Wafrer.

f.83 Money for robes and shoes to Thomas Hampton (perhaps not the minstrel) and others.

Gifts

f.84 Gift of 13.4d to two minstrels making their minstrelsy before the image of the Blessed Mary in the vault of Christ Church, Canterbury, and before the shrine of St Augustine in St Augustine's Church, Canterbury: 18 August.⁶³

f.85 Gift of 40.0d to Henry, piper, and his three companions, minstrels, making their minstrelsy before the king at Shene: 2 June.

<u>50 Ed III – 1 Ric II: E101.398.9. Keeper's Accounts, 25 November, 50 Ed III – 26</u> July, 1 Ric II

Debts for Fees, Wages and Robes

f.6 38.1 ¹/₂d owed to John Wilton, minstrel.39.2d owed to Davy, piper.

Fees and Robes

f.31 Money for summer and winter robes to the king's squires, including Peter Roos.

f.31v Money for robes for the year to the valets, including John Kent.

⁶² See above, i, p. 63. This item was found too late for inclusion on that page: it adds another instance of minstrelsy before the shrine of a saint, and the minstrels, again, do not seem to have been royal minstrels. They appear to have followed the king from one church to the other.

⁶³ As n. 61, above. This item, like the first of those in i, n. 15, p. 63, above, falls outside the period between Easter and Trinity.

f.32 Money for robes and shoes for several servants, including Thomas Hampton (perhaps not the minstrel).

<u>48 Ed III – 1 Ric II: E101.397.20. Keeper's Livery Roll, 24 November, 48 Ed III – 6 July, 1 Ric II</u>

(anno 48)

m.18 Payment to Thomas Broderer for delivering to five king's minstrels for their instruments (*tubis*) for the tournament at Smithfield this year, banners of plain sindon cloth; also for supplying the same five banners with fringes and laces: 10 February.

m.23 Details of robes delivered to the minstrels for Christmas, viz., to Perrot, piper, John, piper, Lamkin, taborer, William Harding, Nicholas Hanney, John Hampton, John Bokyngham, John Prat, William Crane, John Happerslove, Ralph de Bampton, Percival, Henry, piper, Richard, piper, Hankin, piper, and Janyn, nakerer: 28 November.

(anno 49)

m.24 Details of a robe for the past year for William Lamport, one of the king's *vigiles*: 22 June.

m.25 Details of the robes delivered to the minstrels for Christmas, viz., to Perrot, piper, John, piper, John Hampton, Ralph Bampton, William Crane, John Bukyngham, William Harding, Nicholas, trumpeter, Percival, Hankin lodder, Henry, piper, David, piper, Lambekin, taborer, and Henry Fras: 11 December.

(*anno* 50)

m.26 Details of a robe for William Lamport, one of the king's *vigiles*, for the past year: 28 June.

To William Lamport as above: 10 November.

m.27 Details of robes delivered to the minstrels for Christmas, viz., to John Hampton, Nicholas Hanney, Ralph Bampton, Henry Fraas, John Steel, John Bokyngham, William Crane, Henry, piper, David, piper, Lamkin, taborer, Percival, William Harding, Conce, piper, Conce, nakerer, Perot, piper, John, piper, and John Wilton: 6 December.

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(1 Ric II)

m.30 Liveries to many household servants, including Richard Waffrer.

m.31 Liveries to many valets, including William Lamport and (adjac) John Wayt.

Liveries to the king's huntsmen, including Picard Horner at the head of the list.

m.32 Liveries to the minstrels, viz., to John Hampton, John Bokyngham, William Crane, William Harding, William Percival, Henry Frace, Ralph Bampton, John Stele, Henry, piper, David Walsshman, John Wilton, Conce, piper, Conce, nakerer, Nicholas Hanney and Lamkin, taborer.

The list of grooms of the household includes William Waffrer.

Temp Ric II: E101.403.25 (French) Roll of Household Servants

Amongst miscellaneous names is John, waferer.

The king's minstrels are listed: they are Henry Marchal, Henry Windsor, Peter Hause, John Cliff, William de Bingley, Robert, trumpeter, Conute, piper, Percival, *gestour*, John Hilton, Richard Kirton, Henry, clarioner, Drawstaf, trumpeter, Prat, trumpeter, Richard, trumpeter, Richard Guildford,⁶⁴ and Nusselyn, piper.

7 - 8 Ric II: E101.401.2. Keeper's Accounts

Gifts

f.44 Gift of 6.8d to Gilbert Vans, minstrel of the Countess of Norfolk, making his minstrelsy before the king: 4 November.

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Gift of 6.8d to Richard Dryngton, minstrel, making his minstrelsy before the king: 8 March.

8 Ric II: Rylands 242. Keeper's Book 1 July - 31 December

⁶⁴ See below, p. 119. Guildford left Court in 16 or 17 Ric II, so that this document dates from before then.

f.21v Wages to Peter de Vannes, minstrel.

<u>13 – 14 Ric II: E101.402.5</u>

Horses Bought

f.30 Money to John Kent of Southwark for a horse bought from him.

Robes and Fees

f.32 Money to John Kent for a robe for the present year.

f.32v Money to Thomas Noreys for a robe for the present year.

Money to Thomas Hampton for the same.

(Probably none of these is a minstrel or waferer.)

<u>16 – 17 Ric II: E101.403.2265</u>

Fees and Robes

f.27 Money for a robe and shoes for the present year to several servants, including Robert Horner.

[119] *Gifts*

f.29 Gift of 6.8d to Richard Guildford, impoverished minstrel of the king (*pauper ministrallus*), on taking his leave.

John Kent, waferer, appears in a list of grooms.

16-17 Ric II: Add 35115. Controller's Book

Robes

f.41v Radulphus Sifler appears in the list of valets.

⁶⁵ Perhaps Keeper's accounts (c.f. Add 35115, below), possibly part of E101.402.10 (not calendared).

Gifts

f.43 John Kent, waferer, appears in a list of grooms.

<u>17 – 19 Ric II: E101.402.20. Keeper's Book</u>

Wages in War-time

f.31 Details of the wages of John Pratte, clarioner, going to Ireland, *anno* 18.

<u>19 – 20 Ric II: E101.403.10. Controller's Book</u>

Fees and Robes

f.45 Money to the valets of the king's household, including John Kent, waferer, for robes and shoes for the year.

Gifts

f.47 20.0d each to the grooms of the king's household, including John Shirwood, waferer, for their rewards.

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<u>2 Hen IV: E101.404.11. Roll of expenses of the marriage of Blanche, the king's daughter</u>

m.1 £8.0.0d as a gift from the princess to various heralds and minstrels of the Duchess of Holland, and to various other minstrels of the town of Durdreght: 16 June.

26.8d as a gift from the princess to various minstrels of the Earl of Cleve: Cleve, 26 June.

£26.13.4d as a gift from the princess to various heralds and minstrels of the King of the Romans, the Arch-(bishop of Cologne)⁶⁶ and of various other nobles at the celebration of the marriage of the princess: July.

<u>3 - 4 Hen IV: E101.404.21. Keeper's Book</u>

Necessaries

⁶⁶ This membrane is damaged: the Archbishop's name is now illegible.

Wages and Robes

f.45 Henry, waferer, appears in a list of squires of the household.

Gifts

f.48 Gift to John Pakman, groom waferer.

Gifts to John Trumpet and another, grooms of the kitchen.

[121] <u>4 - 5 Hen IV: E101.404.24. Household of the Prince of Wales. Controller's</u> Accounts

A. (book)

Wages in War-time

(anno 5)

f.16 Wages to the minstrels of the prince, viz., to John Clyf, Thomas Norves, William Baldewyn, John Vernagu, William Haliday and John Sendall.

B. (set of rolls)

Wages in War-time

(anno 4)

Details of wages to John Cliff, Thomas and William, trumpeters, and John, nakerer.

(anno 5)

Details of wages to John Cliff and his five fellow-minstrels.

Wages

(anno 4)

Details of wages to John Cliff, Thomas and William, trumpeters, and John, nakerer.

Wages in War-time

(anno 5)

Details of wages to John Cliff and his five fellow-minstrels.

[122] 7 - 8 Hen IV: Harley 319. Controller's Book, 30 September, 7 Hen IV - 8 December, 8 Hen IV

Fees and Robes

f.46v Money for winter and summer robes for the present year for many household servants, including Walter Aleyn, Richard Elmeswell, Snayth, fiddler, Robert Crakell, John Beauchamp, Claux, nakerer, William Byngeley, Walter Lynne, William, luter, John Melton, Henry, waferer, John, harper, and Robert Lytelden.

<u>8 Hen IV: E101.406.10. Expenses of the marriage of Philippa, the king's daughter</u>

f.3 Details of gowns for the minstrels of the queen, viz., William Byngeley, Walter Lynne, William Algode, John Trumpyngton, Walter Aleyn, Richard, trumpeter, John Beauchamp and John, harper.

1 Hen V: E101.406.21. Keeper's Accounts

Fees and Robes

f.27v Money for summer robes to many servants, including John Colys, Robert Felton, Henry waferer, William, luter, Hans, gitterner, John Cliff, Thomas Hardiberd, Thomas Norris, William Baldwin, William Langton, William Haliday, Guy Middleton and John Melton.⁶⁷

Gifts

f.30v A list of gifts to various grooms of the household includes John Horner and Edmund, waferer.

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⁶⁷ Colys and Felton may not be minstrels. This is a separate list, however, coming between the list of squires and that of valets of the chamber.

3 Hen V: Stowe 1043.68

f.220v Details of a gown given to William Corff, the harper.

f.227v Details of sixteen gowns made for the sixteen minstrels at the feast of Pentecost, celebrated in the presence of the king, the Emperor, the Duke of Holland and other lords.

Temp Hen V: E101.407.10. List of servants of the king's household⁶⁹

m.2 List includes Hans, gitterner, Snayth, fiddler, William Langton, William Haliday, Thomas Haliday, Walter Haliday, William Maysam, Richard Geffrey, John Cliff, Thomas Hardiberd, John Michell, Thomas Norris, William Baldwin, Guy Middleton, John Melton, John Broun, John Peyte and John Paynell.

7 - 8 Hen V: E101.406.30. Household of the Queen Mother, Joan of Navarre

Gifts

f.8v Gift of 12d to certain watchmen of Rochester: December.

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The Queen's Chamber

f.11 Payment of 6.8d to John Delahay for a certain harp (? – *sithera*) bought for the queen.

<u>9 Hen V: E101.407.4</u>

f.37v Liveries of cloth to the minstrels for the coronation (presumably of the queen), viz., to William Langton, Thomas Haliday, Walter Haliday, William Maisham, Richard Geffrey, John Broun, John Payt, John Panell, John Aleyn, John Cantabrigge, Thomas Corbet, Thomas Cozyn, ...⁷⁰ William Bradstreet and Conuce Snayth.

⁶⁸ This is a seventeenth-century transcription.

⁶⁹ This list is probably later than 1 Hen V, since William the luter and Henry Waufrer do not appear in it. If Duncan/*Minstrelsy*, p. 96, is correct in saying that Thomas Chatterton was a king's minstrel at Pentecost, 1416, then it is also earlier than that date: in any case, it dates from before 9 Hen V, when William Bradstreet was a king's minstrel (see Rastall/*MERH*, p. 28).

⁷⁰ This page is damaged, as a result of which the names of two minstrels are missing from the list.

9 Hen VI: E101.408.11

Prests in War-time

f.3v Several prests to each of the following (all adjacent entries):

William Langton, minstrel, Thomas Chatterton, minstrel, William Maisham, minstrel, Thomas Haliday, minstrel, Walter Haliday, minstrel, William Bradstreet, minstrel, John Wilde, minstrel, John Patte, minstrel, (f.4v) John Paynell, minstrel, Guy Waite, Nicholas Gildesborogh, minstrel, and Nicholas Sonn, minstrel.

<u>13 – 14 Hen VI: Add 17721. Keeper's Book</u>

Liveries to the King

f.31 Details of banners made for the king's trumpeters.

[125] <u>17 – 18 Hen VI: E101.409.2. Keeper's Book</u>

Furs

f.9v Payment to John Trompe and others for skins bought from them (probably not a minstrel).

Liveries

f.51v Liveries to Richard More and William Wodeford, *vigilatores* within the king's household, like the livery which Guy Middleton, *vigilator*, had: 9 April, *anno* 17.

<u>19-20 Hen VI: E101.409.6. Keeper's Book</u>

Liveries

f.29v Details of liveries, *anno* 18, to Richard More and William Wodeford, *vigilatores* within the king's household.

<u>20 – 21 Hen VI: E101.409.9</u>

Robes

f.37 Money to the king's minstrels for winter and summer robes at Christmas and Pentecost, *anno* 20, viz., to William Langton, William Maisham, Thomas Haliday, Walter Haliday, John Payte, John Paynell, William Bradstrete, (f.37v) John Wilde, Thomas Chatterton, Nicholas Gildesburgh, Thomas Radcliff, William Paynell and Robert Marshall.

22 Hen VI: E101.409.11. Controller's Book

Fees and Robes

f.39 Money to the minstrels for winter and summer robes at the feasts of Christmas and Pentecost, viz., to William [126] Langton, William Maisham, Thomas Haliday, Walter Haliday, John Payte, John Paynell, William Bradstrete, John Wilde, Thomas Chatterton, Nicholas Gildesburgh, Thomas Radcliff, William Paynell and Robert Machall.

f.39v Money for robes and shoes to various valets of the king's household, including Henry, waferer, and (adjac) Robert Moore.

22-23 Hen VI: E101.409.12. Keeper's Book

Liveries

f.95v Details of liveries, *anno* 21, to Richard More and William Wodeford, *vigilatores* within the king's household.

<u>22 – 24 Hen VI: Add 23938. Expenses of Queen Margaret coming into</u> England, 17 July, 22 Hen VI – 16 October, 24 Hen VI

Necessaries

f.11 23.4d paid to seven foreign trumpeters, playing (*tubant'*) for the queen and accompanying her on the journey: 10 April.

<u>25 – 26 Hen VI: E101.409.16. Keeper's Book</u>

Fees and Robes

f.35 Money for winter and summer robes to the minstrels of the king's household, viz., to William Langton, William Maisham, Thomas Haliday, John

Payte, John Paynell, William Bradstrete, Thomas Chatterton, Nicholas Gildesborgh, Thomas Radcliff, William [127] Paynell, Robert Marshall, William Wilde,⁷¹ Walter Haliday, Robert More and William Godeyere.

Money for their summer robes to William Wykes and John Cliff, king's minstrels.

f.35v Money for robes and shoes to various valets of the king's household, including Henry, waferer.

<u>26 – 27 Hen VI: E101.410.1</u>

Gifts

f.28 Gift of 20.0d each, for their rewards and liveries, to John Wayte and others, grooms of the chamber and of other offices of the king's household.

Fees and Robes

f.31 Money for winter and summer robes to the minstrels of the king's household, viz., to William Langton, William Maisham, Thomas Haliday, John Payte, John Paynell, William Bradstrete, Thomas Chatterton, Nicholas Gildesborgh, Thomas Radcliff, William Paynell, Robert Marschall, John Wilde, Walter Haliday, Robert More, William Godeyere, William Wykes and John Cliff.

26 - 28 Hen VI: E101.410.3. Controller's Book72

Gifts

f.29v Gift of 16.8d each, for their rewards and liveries, to Thomas Harper, John Wilde and others, grooms of the chamber and other various offices of the king's household.

Fees and Robes

f.31v Money for winter and summer robes to the minstrels of the king's household, viz., to William Langton, William [128] Maisham, Thomas Haliday, John Payte, John Paynell, William Bradstrete, Thomas Chatterton, Nicholas Gildesborgh, Thomas Radcliff, William Paynell, Robert Marshall, John Wilde, Walter Haliday, Robert More, William Godeyere, William Wykes and John Cliff.

⁷¹ Error for John Wilde.

⁷² This document now includes the former E101.540.29 and fragments of E101.406.14.

29 - 30 Hen VI: E101.410.6. Controller's Book

Gifts

f.38 Gifts to various grooms of the household, including John Wayte.

Fees and Robes

f.41 Money to the minstrels of the king's household for winter and summer robes, viz., to Robert More, Walter Haliday, Thomas Haliday, William Maisham, John Payte, John Paynell, William Bradstrete, Thomas Chatterton, Nicholas Gildesborgh, Thomas Radcliff, William Paynell, Robert Marshall, William Godyere, William Wykes and John Cliff.

Money to Thomas Harper, valet of the king's chamber, for winter and summer robes.

f.41v The list of valets of the household includes Henry, waferer.

<u>30 – 31 Hen VI: E101.410.9. Keeper's Book</u>

Gifts

f.40v 20.0d each, for their rewards and liveries, to William Marshall, John Goodyere, John Wayte and others, grooms of the chamber and other various offices of the king's household.

Fees and Robes

f.43v Money for winter and summer robes to the minstrels of the king's household, viz., to Robert More, Walter Haliday, Thomas Haliday, John Paynell, William Bradstrete, Thomas Chatterton, Nicholas Gildesborogh, Thomas Radcliff, William Paynell, Robert [129] Marshall, William Goodyere, John Wykes,⁷³ John Cliff and William Maisham.

The list of valets of the king's chamber includes Thomas Harper.

<u>35 – 36 Hen VI: E101.410.14. Keeper's Book</u>

⁷³ Error for William Wykes.

Liveries

f.23 Liveries for the years 32, 33, 34 and 35 Hen VI to Robert More, one of the *vigilatores* within the king's household; the same to Hugo Joye and John Spolly, *vigilatores* within the king's household.

3 - 4 Ed IV: E101.411.13. Keeper's Book

Fees and Robes

f.36v Money for winter and summer robes to Thomas Wilde, Robert Grene, John Harper and others, squires of the king's chamber and household.

f.37 Money for winter and summer robes to the minstrels of the king's household, viz., to Walter Haliday, Robert Marshal, William Wykes, William Cliff, John Cliff, William Crystian, Thomas Cawthorn, Thomas Grene, Richard Patyn, John Hillys, John Hatche, William Goodyere, William Howe, John Paynell, Richard Hillys and John Croveland.

<u>5 - 6 Ed IV: E101.411.15. Keeper's Book</u>

Fees and Robes

f.17v Part of the robes-list for the king's minstrels: the rest is lost because the manuscript is incomplete. The names on the surviving part of the list are: Walter Haliday, Robert Marshall, William Wykes, William Cliff, William Cristean, Thomas [130] Cawthorn, Thomas Grene, Robert More, John Cliff, Richard Patyn, John Hillez, John Hatche and William Goodyere.⁷⁴

<u>6 – 7 Ed IV: E101.412.2. Keeper's Book</u>

Fees and Robes

f.37 Money for winter and summer robes to the minstrels of the king's household, viz., to Walter Haliday, Robert Marshall, William Eynesham, William Cliff, John Cliff, William Cristean, Thomas Cawthorn, Thomas Grene, John Heere, Richard Patyn, John Hillez, Richard Hillez, John Hatche, William Goodyere, William Hoo, John Panel, John Priour, William Panell and John Crowland.

⁷⁴ The missing names are probably those of William Howe, John Paynell, Richard Hills and John Crowland: see Rastall/*MERH*, pp. 32 f.

5 - 9 Ed IV: E101.412.1. Debts of the Wardrobe

Wages

(anno 7)

f.24 $34.1 \frac{1}{2}$ owed to William Hamond.

(anno 8)

f.35 16.6d owed to John Crowland. $17.7 \frac{1}{2}$ d owed to Alexander Mason.

f.36v 17.0d owed to Thomas Wayte.

(anno 9)

f.51 11.3d owed to Thomas Cawthorn.11.3d owed to John Hawkins.11.3d owed to Robert Grene.(Three more names here)

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- $4.10 \, {}^{1}/{}_{2}$ d owed to William Hamonde.
- $16.1 \frac{1}{2}$ d owed to William Priour.
- $15.4 \, {}^{1}/{}_{2}$ d owed to William Clifton.
- 15.4 $^{1}/_{2}$ d owed to John Hatche.
- 15.9d owed to Richard Hilles.
- 15.0d owed to Thomas Payntour.
- 15.9d owed to Thomas Panell.
- 60.0d owed to John Crowland.
- 55.10 $^{\rm 1}/_{\rm 2}d$ owed to Alexander Mason.

<u>19 – 20 Ed IV: E101.412.11. Controller's Book</u>

Gifts

f.35 13.4d each, for their rewards, to William Clifton, Henry Glasebury and others, grooms of the Chamberlain of the king and queen.

22 Ed IV: Harley 433. Wages and Grants

f.311v Grant of 20 marks to Alexander Mason, *geyster*. (adjac)

Grant of 51.4 $^{1}/_{2}$ d to John Thwayt.

Grant of 10 marks to Robert Grene, minstrel.

Grant of 10 marks to John Haich, one of the king's trumpets.

f.312v Grant of 10 marks p.a. to Thomas Cawthorn, minstrel.(adjac)Grant of 10 marks to John Crowland, minstrel.

Grant of 10 marks to Thomas Hawking, minstrel.

Grant of 10 marks to William Ducheman, trumpet.

Grant of 10 marks to John Paynell, trumpet.

f.313v Grant of 10 marks to Richard Hilles, trumpet.

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f.314 Grant of 10 marks to Thomas Payntour, trumpet.

f.315 Grant of 50.0d to William Clifton, trumpet.

Grant of 10 marks to Thomas Mayow, minstrel of the king.

Grant of 10 marks to John Priour, trumpet.

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Grants made 28 June

f.45v Confirmation of a grant of 10 marks p.a. for life to John Crowland. (adjac)
Grant of 10 marks p.a. for life to John Priour. (adjac)
Grant of 10 marks p.a. for life to Thomas Paynter, trumpet.

f.46 Grant of 10 marks p.a. for life to Robert Grene, minstrel.

Grant of 10 marks p.a. for life to John Hawkins, minstrel.

f.78 Confirmation of an annuity of 10 marks p.a. for life to John de Peler, trumpet.

f.96 Annuity of 10 marks p.a. for life to Richard Hilles, trumpet.

f.104v Confirmation of an annuity of 10 marks p.a. for life to John Hache, trumpet.

f.190 Licence for Henryk Hes, Hans Hes and Mykell Yonger, minstrels, to return to the Duke of Austria: 6 October, *anno* 2.

f.210 Notice to mayors, sheriffs, etc., to allow free passage to Conret Suyts and Peter Skeydell, minstrels of the Duke [133] of Bavaria, travelling with two other persons towards Calais on their way home; providing that their behaviour is good on the journey: Westminster, 1 March, *anno* 2.

<u>11 – 13 Hen VII: E101.414.6. Journal (English) 1 October, 11 Hen VII – 30</u> September, 13 Hen VII

(anno 11)

f.4 18-20 October: £6.13.4d to three strange minstrels.

f.6 1–6 November, All Hallows' and All Souls' Day payments: wages to nine trumpets, four sackbuts and three string minstrels.

Gift of 2.0d to a woman that sings with a fiddle.

f.9 22–27 November: gift of 20.0d to Hampton of Worcester for making *balades*. Payment concerning the "disguisings" follows.

f.10v 2–4 December: wages to the nine trumpets, four sackbuts and three string minstrels.

- f.11v 8-11 December: 20.0d to three strange minstrels.
- f.13 21 December, St Thomas's Day: gift of 40.0d to two strange trumpets.

f.13v 31 December: 26.8d to two *playes* in the hall.Wages to the nine trumpets, four sackbuts and three string minstrels.

f.14v 1-2 January: New Year payments to players, heralds, the watch, etc. Gifts of 100.0d to the sackbuts and string minstrels, 100.0d to the king's trumpets, 40.0d to the king's still minstrels, 40.0d to the queen's minstrels.

f.17 3 February: wages to the nine trumpets, four sackbuts and three string minstrels.

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f.18 12 February: payment of £7.0.0d for the new furnishing, casting and repairing of the Round Organs.

f.19 14–19 February: 40.0d to four minstrels of Royne.

f.20v 26 February: 40.0d to William, one of the sackbuts, going over the sea into Flanders.

3 March: wages to the nine trumpets, four sackbuts and three string minstrels.

f.25v 1 April, Good Friday: wages to the nine trumpets, four sackbuts and three string minstrels.

f.28 17–22 April: 13.4d to Hugh Denes for a lute.

f.29 25 April: 13.4d to Hugh Denes for a lute.

f.29v 1-6 May: wages to the nine trumpets, four sackbuts and three string minstrels.

f.30 10 May: 20.0d to the Waits of London.

f.33 1 June, Trinity Sunday: wages to the nine trumpets, two sackbuts and three string minstrels.

f.36v 25 June: wages to William the sackbut.Wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.6.8d to a French organ-player.

f.41 2 August: wages to the nine trumpets, three string minstrels and three sackbuts.

f.42 9 August: 6.8d to the Waits of Salisbury.

f.43 17 August: 6.8d to the luter of the prince (Arthur).

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f.44 25 August: 20d in reward to the piper. Gift of 6.8d to the Waits of Chichester.

f.44v 29 August: wages to the nine trumpets, three string minstrels and three sackbuts.

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f.47 20 September: gift of 66.8d to the blind poet.Gift of 20.0d to the minstrels of the prince (Arthur).10.0d to the organ-player of the prince.

f.48 28 September: wages to seven trumpets, three string minstrels and three sackbuts.

f.52v 31 October: wages to the three string minstrels, three sackbuts and seven trumpets.

f.53 6-8 November: 20.0d to the minstrels of London.

11 November: gift of 33.4d to four minstrels.

f.54v 29 November: wages to the three string minstrels, three sackbuts and seven trumpets.

Gift of 13.4d to two minstrels of London.

f.55v 11–16 December: £8.0.0d to two trumpets coming from Ireland.

f.57v 1 January: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

Gift of 50.0d to the sackbuts and 50.0d to the string minstrels, 100.0d to the king's trumpets, £4.0.0d to the still minstrels, 40.0d to the queen's minstrels.

f.58 6 January: 13.4d to Hugh Vaughan for two harpers.

f.58v 7 January: 53.4d for two new *greate gestis*.

f.59 13 January: 6.8d to a Welshman (? - Washe) that makes rymez.

f.60 27 January: (following payments for a disguising) 20.0d to the minstrels of the Earl of Arundell.

f.60v

1 February: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

f.61A 17 February: gift of 26.8d to the queen's fiddler.

f.49v 4-7 October: 40.0d to Francis for strange minstrels.10.8d to the minstrels of the Duke of York (i.e. Prince Henry).

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f.62 2 March: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

f.67 3–7 April: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

f.69v 25 April (perhaps expenses incurred on St George's Day, 23 April): gift of 10.0d to the Waits of London.

40.0d to Hugh Denes for other strange minstrels.

f.70 1–5 May: wages to the nine trumpets, three string minstrels and three sackbuts.

f.72v 24 May: 20.0d to Arnold, minstrel of the prince.

f.73v 31 May: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and two⁷⁵ string minstrels.

f.76 10 June: 10.0d to the minstrels of Northampton. Gift of 13.4d to the Waits of Leicester.

f.77 30 June: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

f.80v 21 July: gift of 26.8d to the French minstrels. Gift of 66.8d to the minstrels of the Archduke.

f.82 4 August: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

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f.85v 1 September: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

f.87 10–12 September: £10.0.0d to Master Bernard, the blind poet.Gift of 20.0d to the minstrels of the prince.26.8d to the organ-player of the prince.

f.90 26 September: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

⁷⁵ Perhaps an error: they are paid 100.0d, which is the usual monthly wage for three string minstrels.

[137] <u>13 - 15 Hen VII: E101.414.16. Journal (English), 1 October, 13 Hen VII - 30</u> <u>September, 15 Hen VII</u>

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f.1v 10 October: 10.0d to the minstrels of Exeter.

f.4 30 November: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

f.6v 25-30 November: 10.0d to a strange minstrel.

1 December: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

f.7 Probably 6 December: wages to the French minstrels.

f.9v 24–29 December (probably Christmas Day or later): gift of 10.0d to Perkyn, trumpet.

f.10 31 December: wages to the nine trumpets, three string minstrels and three sackbuts.

f.10v 1 January: New Year's gift of 100.0d to the king's trumpets, 50.0d to the sackbuts, 50.0d to the string minstrels, £4.0.0d to the still minstrels, 40.0d to the queen's minstrels, 40.0d to the French minstrels.

f.11 5 January: 20.0d to a trumpet that went to Ireland.

f.15 1 February: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

f.16 4–9 February: 13.4d to the Waits of London and Kingston.31.8d to the trumpets of the prince.

f.17 17 February: wages to the French minstrels.

f.18v 4–9 March: 23.4d to Lady Bray, being 13.4d for Harry Glasebury and 10.0d for the king's minstrels.

Wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three [138] string minstrels. Wages to one of the French minstrels. f.19 10–15 March: 20.0d to a tumbler at Eltham.6.8d to the minstrels of the prince.

f.20 31 March: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

f.22v Palm Sunday – Wednesday following: 20.0d to Arnold, recorderplayer.

f.23 Shire Thursday: wages to the French minstrels.

f.24 18 April, Easter Day: 13.4d to one that "bloweth in a horne".

f.24v 22–24 April: 6.8d to one that "bloweth in a horne".

f.25 29 April – 4 May: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

6.8d to the minstrels at Canterbury.20d to the clerks for singing *Te Deum*.Gift of 12.0d to the French minstrels.

f.26v 15 May: 6.8d to him that plays on the horn.

f.27 23 May: 20.0d to the minstrels of the Duke of York.Gift of 20.0d to the luter of the Duke of York.

f.28 27–29 May: wages to the nine trumpets, two string minstrels⁷⁶ and three sackbuts.

f.31 13-14 June: gift of 6.8d to Bonetainis.

f.31v 16-22 June: 13.4d to the minstrel(s) of Honnesley.

f.32 30 June: wages to the nine trumpets, two string minstrels and three sackbuts.

f.34 12 July: wages in advance to Bounetainis.

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f.35 22–24 July: gift of 10.0d to a trumpet of the Earl of Kildare.

f.25v 4 May: gift of 66.8d to a strange taborer. Gift of 20.0d to a strange tumbler.

⁷⁶ The payment here, of 20.0d, is probably an error: c.f. f.32, where the payment is 60.0d.

f.36 31 July: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and two string minstrels.

f.37 5–11 August (probably the 6th, at the Earl of Oxford's): 6.8d to the *Joculer* of the Earl of Oxford.

f.37v 19–25 August: gift of 10.0d to the Waits of Norwich.

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26 August - 1 September: gift of 10.0d to the Waits of Lynne.

- f.38 Wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and two string minstrels. Wages to Bonetemps.
- f.38v 2-4 September: gift of 10.0d to the Waits of Cambridge. Wages to one string minstrel.
- f.39v 8-11 September: 2.0d to a piper at Huntingdon.
- f.40v 16-18 September: 10.0d to three waits at Northampton.

f.41 19–21 September: 20.0d to Lady Bray for the queen's minstrels at Beaudon Ferry.

f.41v 23–28 September: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

Wages to Bonetanps.

f.45v 1–2 November: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

Wages to Bonetanps.

f.46 6 November: wages to the organ-player of the prince. £10.0.0d delivered to two minstrels of Flanders.

f.48v 2–5 December: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

Wages to Bonetanps.

- f.50v 28 December: 20d to a tumbler at Lord Bath's.10.0d to the organ-player of the prince.
- f.51 Gift of 10.0d to the players of London.20.0d to two taborers and a tumbler.

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f.51v 31 December: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

Wages to Bonetanps.

January: New Year gifts of 100.0d to the trumpets,
 50.0d to the sackbuts,
 50.0d to the string minstrels,
 £4.0.0d to the still minstrels,
 40.0d to the queen's minstrels,
 13.4d to Bonetanps.

f.52 2-4 January: 13.4d to William, luter of the prince. Gift of 13.4d to the players of the prince.

f.54v 1 February: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

Wages to Bonetanps.

f.57 28 February: gift of 10.0d to the piper.

f.58 3–5 March: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

Wages to Bonetanps.

f.59 10-15 March: 106.8d for three new gestes bought.

f.60 22 March: wages to the organ-player of the prince.

f.61 31 March: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

Wages to Bonetanps.

f.63 19 April: gift of 20.0d to Bonetanps.

f.63v 26 April: 10.0d to Sir Thomas Brandon for minstrels.

f.64 4 May: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

Wages to Bonnetanps.

f.66v 31 May: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

Wages to Bonetanps.

f.67 6 June: gift of 20.0d to the Waits of London.

6.8d to the minstrels of Lord Straunge.

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- f.67v 8 June: gift of £6.13.4d to the French minstrels, 10.0d to other French minstrels.
- f.68 15 June: gift of 40.0d to the organ-player.
- f.68v 22 June: 13.4d to Sir John Cheyney's minstrels.

f.69v 24 June: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

Wages to Bonetanps.

f.71 26 July: gift of 10.0d to the king's piper.

f.72v 1–3 August: wages to the nine trumpets, three string minstrels and three sackbuts.

Wages to Bonetanps.

f.73v 16 August: gift of 10.0d to the French minstrels.

f.74 20 August: gift of 66.8d to three French minstrels.

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23 August: 13.4d to the waits of the Earl of Northumberland.

f.75v 1-6 September: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

Wages to Bonetanps.

f.76v 13 September: 40.0d to the minstrel(s) of Honneslow.

f.77v 21–29 September: 26.8d to a trumpeter for a horse.

30 September: wages to the nine trumpets, three sackbuts and three string minstrels.

Wages to Bonetanps.