RK213 (1)

CLOSE ROLLS.

1259. John de Verdun appointed justice in Eyre for Counties of Stafford, Warks, Leics, Lincoln, shopshire. (Eyre = travelling justice)

1260 John de Verdun summoned to London to join a committe on the kings business.

1263 Gift by the king to John, of deer from one of the royal for restocking John's park

1264 Theobald, son of John de Verdon appointed custodian of the forest of Bevewade.

1266 Amicia, widow of Walter de Verdon, brought suit against John for dispossesing her of property she claimed (in Cosford and Lutteford)

1265 John receives instructions regarding wine ~~he~~ left by him in the castle of , of which he is custodian.

1268 John in Ireland as the kings representative leaving named attorneys in England.

12 9 Two references to an inheritance by Nicholas son of John de Verdon. Nicholas seems to be prohibited from 'wasting and destroying' this

1268 John de Verdon recorded as kings justice in Leics, Warwks, Salop, Staffs., Hereford, Oxon, Middlesex, Essex, and Bucks. Also as representative in Wilts.

RK 213 (2)

1275 Nov. — Eleanor de Verdun has given power to Robert Baliall, clerk, to make attorneys in her place in all the pleas in the kings court in Ireland for two years.

1275 Nov — Agreement drawn up for how much dower Eleanor should get from Theobald. amongst other things she gets the a third part of the advowsen on N.V. but no rights to the mand at all. If Theobald dies in her lifetime all her dower goes back to her.

1273 Jan 13. — John de Verdon of Milton, his heir had been defaulted

1275 May — Debts of John de Verdon

1275. — Theobald son of John and Eleand his wife, in conflict over her dower

1275 May. — Theobald sent Ireland on kings Licence leaving two Attorneys. Also quitted for two years of common summons of justice (jury) in Wilts., Glos., Herts., Salop, Staffs., Leics., Warwks., Oxon., Bucks, and Essex unless he returns in the meantime.

1275 June. — Debts of John passed on to Theobald.

1276 May. — Eleand late the wife of John de Verdon trying to settle possesion of lands in her dower in England and Ireland with Theobald, heir and son of John. she had trouble getting her dower and the king intervened.

1276 May/June — Theobald again penalised by the King for

not giving Eleanor part of the dower she is entiteled to.

1276 May. Theobalds attorneys admitted at Kildare.

1276 June/July. Theobald pts two sites in his place, in a suite before the king concerning non ~~payment~~ observance of an agreement and acknowlegement between him and Eleanor

1276 Sept Theobald, in the kings presance, gave powr to attorneys for one year while ~~he was~~ in Ireland.

1278 Jan. Order to cause John son of John le Verdun to have possesion of a moiety. (Son John now 21)

1278 June Eleanor; agreements about her dower with John de Aveynes.

1278 June Eleanor granting power to William Hamelyn to receive attorneys.

1279. Sir Robert de Verdon Sheriff witness to inquiriess taken in Yorks., Notts., Derby. Sheriff of cos., Leic., + Rutland.

1279. Apr./May. Theobald in debt.

RK 213 (4)

1280. To the Justicery of Ireland, order to cause the of Theobald de Verdon in Meath which the King recovered against him by an inquisition and by the consideration of his court... in

1281 Theobald de Verdon acknowledges debt of 100/- to William de Ros, to be levied in default of payment on his land and chattles in C° Warwks.

1280 John de Verdun, nephew and heir of simon, son of Simon, sometime ~~heir~~ Lord of Brickles-worth, acknowledged to that he claimed to hold nothing of the King of the lands that belonged to Simon, son of Simon.

1280 Theobald de Verdun, son of sir John de Verdun and Margery his wife (c° heir of Walter de Lacy) claims that certain rights in the property of Walter in c° Meath (Ireland) has been side tracked to the Crown. Edward I orders an enquirey

1282 Theobald de Verdun acknowledges debt of ~~100~~ £50 to Robert, Bishop of Bath and Wells to be levied on his lands and chattles on default of payment.

1282 Theobald de Verdon acknowledges debt of £10 to John de , levy to be made on property in Warwks. and Leics.

RK 218(5)

1282. Theobald de Verdon acknowledges debt of £50 to the chancellor bishop of Bath and Welles. Levy to be made in, Beds., Bucks., Salop, and Stafford.

Cancelled on payment

Also acknowledged debt of £40 to Laurence de L[illegible]odelawe – Payment levy as above.

1282 Theobald de Verdon acknowledges debt of £80 to Robert de Stapelton – to be levied in Warwks., and Leics.

1282 Copy of Letter of Edward, eldest son of Henry III to sir John de Verdun, instructing him to pay, in Edwards name, to Edward and Geoffrey de , the 200 marks John is bound to pay to Edward of the debts of the late Walter de Lacy until the debt be paid in full, unless Edward previously provide Geoffrey in lands or rent elsewhere, as he is bound to do by his charter in Geoffrey's lands.

Copy of the letter of Geoffrey de , brother of the King of England to sir John Verdon requireing payment to the bearer of the 100 marks due at Michaelmas.

Mem: In 1282, Theobald de Verdon admitted the authenticity of the two letters.

1284. Theobald pardoned attendance at the Eyre court at C° Bucks.

Eyre court at Leicester, Notts, and C° Warwks.

RK 213(6)

1284 Theobald de Verdon, Constable of Ireland, acknowledges debt of £200 to Thomas de Verdun and Henry de , to be paid from his manors of Farnham and to them in for four years to be paid at the rate of £50 yearly. At the end of four years Theobald to be quit of his debt. In event of prior death Thomas and Henry to fran debt the sum they have already received.