

**Account of R de Nunthey *serviens* of Morden from the Morrow of Michaelmas in the 13<sup>th</sup> year of King Edward [II] until the same feast in the 14<sup>th</sup> year of King Edward [II].** [1319-1320]

**Rents of assize**

The same renders account for 17s 11d for rent for the Christmas term. And for 17s 10½d for the Easter term. And for 17s 11d for the term of the Nativity of blessed John. And for 2s 8d for medsilver at the same term. And for 21s 9½d.<sup>10d</sup> for the Michaelmas term. with rent increment of John Huberd And for 5s for tallage at the same term. Sum £4 3s 2½d.

**Issues of the manor**

The same renders account for 2s<sup>4s</sup> for the farm of 8 hens for the year. by the bailiff And for 6s 8d for animals agisted in the lord's pasture in summer. And for 13d for the hide sold of one horse dead of murrain. And for 20d for the hides sold of 2 draught horses dead of murrain. And for 18s for the hides sold of 9 oxen dead of murrain. And for 9s 6d for the hides sold of 9 cows dead of murrain. And for 2s for the hides sold of 1 heifer and 1 bullock dead of murrain. And for 8d for the hides sold of 2 yearlings dead of murrain. And for ~~2s 6d~~<sup>3s</sup> for garden fruits sold. Sum ~~44s 1d~~<sup>46s 7d</sup>

**Livestock sold**

The same renders account for 20s for 4 infirm oxen sold. And for 2s for 1 calf sold. Sum 22s.

**Corn sold**

The same renders account for 9s 8d for 1 quarter 6½ bushels of wheat sold, price of a quarter 5s 4d. Sum 9s 8d.

**Fines and profits**

The same renders account for 4s 10d for the issues of the Court the Saturday the Morrow of blessed Thomas the Apostle. And for 14s 11d for the View and Court held the Morrow of St John the Baptist. Sum 19s 9d.

**Sold at the audit**

The same answers for 46s 3¾d received for things sold at the audit. Sum 46s 3¾d.

**Sum total of receipts £11 7s 6¼d.**

**Expenses**

**Surplus**

In surplus of the account for the preceding year 42s 4d. 42s 4d.

**Rent paid**

In rent paid to W de Kenewardesle for the year 4s. In acquittance of rent of John Huberd <sup>beadle</sup> for the year 2s. In acquittance of tallage of the same 4¼d. In acquittance of the same for medsilver 2d. Sum 6s 6¼d.

**Cost of ploughs**

In iron and steel bought and fitted 10s 4d.<sup>9s 10d</sup> In 4 plough feet bought 18d.<sup>12d</sup> In 2 new ploughshares bought 21d. In 1 new ploughs bought 12d. In timber bought for ploughs 46d.<sup>8d</sup> In shoeing 2 draught horses in preparation for [*contra*] harvest 4d. Sum 16s.<sup>14s 7d</sup>

**Cost of carts**

In mending 1 wheel 6d. In 1 pair of wheels bought 2s 4d. In 20 clouts with nails bought 20d. In grease bought 6d. In shoeing 2 carthorses for the year 18d. In making 3 cords, 1 pair of traces, 4 halters from their own hemp 8d. Sum 6s 8d.\*

**Building costs**

In stipend of 1 man and his mate roofing the court-house in places for 4 days 18d. Sum 18d.

**Petty expenses**

In 3 bushel salt bought 15d. In expenses of 14 men with their 7 ploughs for 1 day's boonwork at the winter sowing, R the *serviens*, the beadle, dairyworker, and smith 2s 2d. In expenses of 16 men with their 8 ploughs for 1 day's boonwork at the Lenten sowing, R the *serviens*, the beadle, dairyworker, and smith 2s 6d. In expenses of household servants for Christmas and Easter Days 3s. In fetching 1 oak at Penge for firewood 12d.<sup>In felling</sup> and sawing 1 oak for firewood 8d. Sum 9s 11d.<sup>7d</sup>

**Mowing and hoeing Gillene mede<sup>†</sup>**

In hoeing corn by piecework 3s.<sup>2s, beside labour services this year</sup> In mowing the garden of Neubury by piece-work 6d. In mowing the meadow of Eylonde by piece-work 16d. In mowing the meadow of Comstrode 12d. In mowing the meadow of Bereworth 14d. In mowing the meadow at Gillene by piece-work 5½d. In mowing a certain parcel in Le Mersse for ox pasture 4d. In cheese bought for the use of the custom tenants for haymaking 3d. Sum 8s 0½d.<sup>7s 0½d</sup>

**Harvest costs**

In fish bought for the use of 24 men reaping at 2 dry boonworks in harvest 14d. And they reaped 4 acres beans, 8 acres barley. In fish bought for the use of 72 men reaping with the household servants at 2 boonworks, 78 men at the third boonwork with the same servants 2s 8d. In ale bought for the same 13s 4d. In cheese bought for the same 2s 8d. For meat nothing because from stock. And they reaped 50 acres wheat, 30 acres oats, 2 acres beans. And note that [customary] labourers reaped 20 acres wheat, 28 acres oats. In reaping 3 acres wheat by piece-work 18d. In reaping 2½ acres barley by piece-work 20d.<sup>15d</sup> In reaping 4 acres oats by piece-work 20d.<sup>16d</sup> And so they have in gain [*s<sup>o</sup> h'ntin avantag*] 1 acre wheat, ½ acre barley, 1 acre oats. In mowing 8 acres vetches by piece-work 4s. In ale bought for the use of R the *serviens* and the beadle from the feast of St Peter ad Vincula until Michaelmas, 1 reap-reeve and 1 stacker for 6 weeks in harvest 6s. In meat bought for the same 40d, because the rest from stock. In fish bought for the same 2s 6d. In cheese 15d. In candles 4d. In expenses for 'harvest goose' 19½d. Sum 43s 8d.<sup>42s 11½d</sup>

\* These figures total 7s 2d.

† This is the first time Gillene Mede has been included in the accounts.

**Stipends**

In stipend of R the *serviens* for the year 13s 4d. In stipend of 1 carter, 4 household ploughmen for the year 22s 6d. In stipend of 1 dairyworker for the year 3s 6d. In stipend of 1 cowman for  $\frac{1}{2}$  year ~~2s 6d.~~<sup>12d</sup> In stipend of 1 reap-reeve and 1 stacker in harvest 6s. Sum ~~47s 10d.~~<sup>46s 4d</sup>

**Threshing**

In threshing ~~68~~<sup>67</sup> quarters 6 bushels wheat, 7 quarters 5 bushels curall of the same, by piece-work, ~~19s 0 $\frac{1}{2}$ d.~~<sup>16s 9d</sup> viz a quarter per ~~8 bushels~~<sup>9 bushels</sup> for 3d. In threshing 24 quarters 6 bushels barley ~~4s 1d.~~<sup>3s 8d</sup> viz a quarter per ~~8 bushels~~<sup>9 bushels</sup> for 2d. In threshing 12 quarters 2 bushels beans, 5 quarters 1 bushel vetches by piece-work 3s 7d,<sup>1 $\frac{1}{2}$ d</sup> viz a quarter per ~~8 bushels~~<sup>9 bushels</sup> for 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. In threshing 77 quarters oats ~~8s 0 $\frac{1}{4}$ d.~~<sup>5s 8d</sup> viz a quarter per ~~8 bushels~~<sup>9 bushels</sup> for 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ d. In winnowing half the total said corn ~~2s,~~<sup>21 $\frac{1}{2}$ d</sup> viz 4 quarters per 9 bushels for 1d. Sum ~~36s 8 $\frac{3}{4}$ d.~~<sup>31s</sup>

**Livestock bought**

In 2 draught-horses bought 20s. In 1 draught-horse bought 12s. In 1 draught-horse bought 13s 6d. Sum 45s 6d.

**Corn bought**

In 6 quarters oats bought for fodder 10s, price of a quarter 20d. Sum 10s.

**Expenses of visitors**

In expenses of the bailiff for his comings 4s<sup>2s 11d</sup> by tally. In expenses of W Bissop 20d by tally. Sum ~~5s 8d.~~<sup>4s 7d</sup>

**Sum of all expenses** £13 8s 7 $\frac{1}{4}$ d. And so he is in surplus for 41s 1d.

And he owes 51s 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ d for arrears of his account for the church of Morden [*?Morton*] this year.<sup>‡</sup> And so he owes 10s 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ d.

<sup>‡</sup> see membrane 4 for the Rectory account.

**DORSE****Issues of the Grange**

- Wheat** The same renders account for 67 quarters 6 bushels wheat, and for 7 quarters 5 bushels curall of the same of the issue of the grange threshed by piece-work. Sum 75 quarters 3 bushels.  
4-fold less 13  
quarters 5 bushels  
Of which In sowing 17 quarters 6 bushels. Also in sowing mixed with rye 6 bushels. In customary payment to the sower 1 bushel. In livery of R the *serviens* from Michaelmas until the feast of St Peter ad Vincula 5 quarters 3½ bushels taking a quarter per 8 weeks. Also delivered to brother H de Langeb<sup>er</sup>gh 39<sup>quarters</sup> by tally. Also delivered to the reeve of Teddington [*Todynton*] 1½ quarters by tally. In expenses of the bailiff 2 bushels by tally. In expenses concerning harvest boonworks 1 quarter 1 bushel. In maslin for servants' livery 7 quarters<sup>5</sup> bushels. <sup>curall</sup> In sale 1 quarter 6½ bushels. Sum as above.
- Rye** The same renders account for ~~7 quarters 5 bushels~~<sup>15 quarters 2 bushels</sup> of issue of the mill by tally. And for 1½ quarters received from the *serviens* of Battersea [*Bat'ches*] by tally. And for 1 quarter received from the reeve of Teddington [*Todynton*]. And for 2 quarters 4½ bushels of purchase. Sum ~~12 quarters 5½ bushels bushels~~ [sic].<sup>20 quarters 2½ bushels</sup>  
Of which In sowing mixed with wheat 2 bushels. In expenses for haymaking by custom 1 bushel. In maslin for servants' livery 12 quarters 2½ bushels. <sup>In sale at the audit 7 quarters 5 bushels for 25s 5d. Sum as above.</sup>
- Mixstillio** The same renders account for 6 bushels wheat, 2 bushels rye above, mixed. And accounted in sowing. Sum as above. And none remains.
- Barley** The same renders account for 24 quarters 6 bushels barley of issue threshed by piece-work. Sum 24 quarters 6 bushels.  
4-fold less 5 quarters  
2 bushels  
Of which In sowing 5½ quarters. In customary payment to the sower 1 bushel. Also delivered to the keeper of the granary 17½ quarters by tally. In maslin for servants' livery 1 quarter 5 bushels. Sum as above.
- Beans** The same renders account for 12 quarters 2 bushels beans of issue threshed by piece-work. Sum 12 quarters 2 bushels.  
4-fold less 1 quarter  
6 bushels  
Of which In planting 3 quarters. ~~Also delivered to the reeve of Teddington [*Todynton*] 1 quarter by tally.~~ In maslin for servants' livery 8 quarters 2 bushels. In sale at the audit 1 quarter for 3s 4d. Sum as above.
- Vetches** The same renders account for 5 quarters 1 bushel vetches. <sup>And for 3 quarters 7 bushels of issue at the audit as he answered at 3-fold.</sup>  
Sum ~~5 quarters 1 bushel.~~<sup>9 quarters</sup>

Of which In sowing 2 quarters. In maslin for servants' livery 3 quarters 1 bushel. In sale at the audit 3 quarters 7 bushels for 7s 9d. Sum as above.

**Oats** The same renders account for 77 quarters oats of issue threshed by piece-work. And for 6 quarters of purchase. Sum 83 quarters.  
4-fold less 7 quarters  
4 bushels

Of which In sowing 31½ quarters. In making meal for servants' pottage 2 quarters. In fodder for 2 carthorses from Michaelmas until the day of St John before the Latin Gate for 219 nights, 13 quarter 5½ bushels, taking per night ½ bushel. In draught-horse fodder from Christmas until the feast of the Annunciation of blessed Mary <sup>this year for</sup> for 89 nights 11 quarters ~~2 bushels~~, <sup>1 bushel</sup> taking per night 1 bushel. Also delivered to the keeper of the grange of Westminster 24 quarters by tally. In expenses of the bailiff 4½ bushels by tally. In sale at the audit 1 bushel for 2½d. Sum as above.

**Livery** The same renders account for 7 quarters 5 bushels curall wheat, 12 quarters 2½ bushels rye, 1 quarter 5 bushels barley, 8 quarters 2 bushels beans, 3 quarters 1 bushel vetches for maslin for servants' livery. Sum 32 quarters 7½ bushels.

Of which In livery of 1 carter, 4 servant ploughmen for the year 25 quarters 5 bushels, each taking a quarter per 10 weeks. In livery of 1 dairyworker making servants' pottage for the year <sup>except 8 weeks in harvest</sup> 3 quarters 5 bushels, taking a quarter per ~~14 weeks~~. <sup>12 weeks</sup> In livery of a cowman ~~for the year 3 quarters 5½ bushels~~, taking a quarter per 14 weeks, viz for a half-year 1 quarter 6½ bushels 1 peck. In sale at the audit 1 quarter 6½ bushels 1 peck for 6s 1¾d. Sum as above.

### LIVESTOCK

**Horses** The same renders account for 2 horses from the remaining. Sum 2.

of which In murrain 1. And there remains 1 horse.

**Draught horses** The same renders account for 3 draught horses from the remaining. And for 4 draught horses of purchase. Sum 7.

of which In murrain 2. And there remain 5 draught horses.

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**Oxen** The same renders account for 15 oxen from the remaining. And for one castrated bull added. § Sum 16.

of which In sale 4. In murrain 9. And there remain 3.

**Cows** The same renders account for 9 cows from the remaining. And accounted in murrain immediately after Michaelmas.

**Calves** The same renders account for 1 calf of issue. And accounted in sale.

**Heifers** The same renders account for 1 heifer from the remaining. And accounted in murrain.

**Bullocks** The same renders account for 3 bullocks from the remaining. Sum 3.

§ This does not appear elsewhere in the livestock account

of which	In murrain 1. And there remain 2 bull bullocks [ <i>boviculi tauratt</i> ].
<b>Young heifers</b>	The same renders account for 1 young heifer from the remaining. And accounted given to St Antony.
<b>Yearlings</b>	The same renders account for 4 yearlings from the remaining. Sum 4.
of which	In murrain 2. And there remain 2 bullocks.
<b>Pigs</b>	The same renders account for 1 pig received as a stray [ <i>de cumelingo</i> ]. And sold at the audit for 2s.
<b>Geese</b>	The same renders account for 2 ganders, 4 breeding females, from the remaining. And for 28 of issue. Sum 34.
Of which	Of which delivered to brother P de Sutton 13 by tally. Also delivered to brother R Beby 11 by tally. In sale at the audit 4 for 16d. Sum 28. And there remain 2 ganders, 4 breeding females.
<b>Hens</b>	The same renders account for 8 hens from the remaining. And for 10 cocks from rent. For chicks of issue none because hens at farm.
Of which	Delivered to the cellarer at Westminster 10 by tally. And there remain 8 hens.
<b>Plough-feet</b>	The same renders account for 1 plough-foot of rent. And accounted in plough expenses.
<b>Hurdles</b>	The same renders account for 12 hurdles from the remaining. And for 11 <sup>½</sup> hurdles of rent. Sum 24. [!] In consumption 12. In sale at the audit 1½ hurdles for 1½d. And there remain 10 hurdles.
<b>Hides</b>	The same renders account <sup>for 1 white-tawed hide from the remaining</sup> for the hide of 1 horse. And for 2 hides of 2 draught horses, 9 ox hides, 9 cow hides, 1 hide of one heifer, 1 hide of 1 bullock, 2 hides of 2 yearlings dead of murrain. Sum 26.
of which	In sale 25. In expenses in cart harness this year ½ a white-tawed hide. And there remains ½ a white-tawed hide.
<b>Garden</b>	For garden fruits he answers inside.

**Account for the manor of Morden for 13<sup>th</sup> year of King Edward [II] son of King Edward – Robert de Nunthey.**

[The last extant account, for 1317-18, on membrane 2, instructed that future accounts should include labour services. These have not been included in this account.]