



Inquisition

Warminster

Proof of age of Thomas, son and heir of Warin Maudut. 1308

Proof of age of Thomas, son and heir of Warin Maudut, deceased, who held of the King Edward, father of the now King in chief, taken at Wermenstre before the King's escheator 17th November, 2 Edward II [1308], by the othat of the underwritten.

Peter son of Warin, knight, sexagenarian, sworn and examined as to the age of the said Thomas son of Warin, says that the said heir was aged 21 years on the feast of St. Kalixtus last past, and this he knows because the said heir was born at Mount Gomeri in the feast of St. Kalixtus, 15 Edward I [1287], and was baptized in the church there on the morrow of the said feast, and the said Warin, the father of the said heir, came to Wermenstre on the 15th day after the birth of the said heir, on which day he gave a banquet, at which the said Peter was present, and the said Warin asked the said Peter to bear witness to the day and year of the birth of the said heir when he should come to his full age, and by this he knows that so long a time has elapsed.

Robert de Lucy, Knight, aged 60, Nicholas aged 50, Nicholas Malmeyns, aged 70, William aged 50, Robert Plunkenet, of the same age, John de Bracton, aged 60, Reginald le Theyn, aged 60, Robert Marmion, of the same age, Elias Deverel, aged 50, Robert de Whiteclyre, aged 60, and Reginald Sewale, aged 70, say as above as to the age of the said heir. It was made known by John Botiler and Robert Maudut at Wermenistre to Robert son of Pagan, who has the custody of the lands and tenements of the said heir, that he should be present to show if he had or knew anything to say for himself why he should not deliver to the said heir the lands and tenements which are of his inheritance : which said Robert on the day given to him did not come.

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