

SUMMARY: The document below is the fine of 11 June 1582 by which clear title to lands in Essex passed from Oxford to Edward Glascock for £428. An Edward Glascock is mentioned as bailiff of Oxford's manor of Lavenham in WARD 8/13. For the feodary John Glascock's survey of Oxford's lands in Essex, see ERO D/DU 65/72.

This is the final agreement made in the court of the Lady Queen at Westminster on the morrow of Holy Trinity in the year of the reigns of Elizabeth, by the grace of God Queen of England, France, & Ireland, Defender of the Faith, etc. from the Conquest the twenty-fourth [=11 June 1582], before Edmund Anderson, Thomas Meade, Francis Wyndham & William Periam, justices, & others faithful to the Lady Queen then there present, between Edward Glascock, gentleman, querent, and Edward, Earl of Oxford, deforciant, of seven messuages, seven tofts, seven gardens, two hundred & sixty acres of arable land, twenty & six acres of meadow, a hundred & forty acres of pasture & forty acres of wood with the appurtenances in Yeldham, Toppesfield, Sible Hedingham & Castle Hedingham;

Whereof a plea of covenant was summoned between them in the same court, namely that the foresaid Earl acknowledged the foresaid tenements with the appurtenances to be the right of himself, Edward Glascock, as those which the same Edward has of the gift of the foresaid Earl, and he has remised & quit-claimed them from himself and his heirs to the foresaid Edward Glascock and his heirs forever;

And besides the same Earl has granted for himself & his heirs that they will warrant to the foresaid Edward Glascock & his heirs the foresaid tenements with the appurtenances against the foresaid Earl & his heirs forever;

And for this acknowledgement, remission, quit-claim, warrant, fine & agreement the same Edward Glascock has given to the foresaid Earl four hundred twenty & eight pounds sterling.

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Examined

1 Hec est finalis Concordia facta in Curia domine Regine Apud Westmonasterium in Crastino sancte Trinitatis Anno regnorum

2 Elizabethhe dei gracia Anglie ffrancie & Hibernie Regine fidei defensoris &c A Conquesto vicesimo quarto coram Edmundo

3 Anderson Thoma Meade ffrancisco Wyndam & Willelmo Peryam Iusticiarijs & alijs domine Regine fidelibus

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4 tunc ibi presentibus Inter Edwardum Glascock Generosum querentem et Edwardum Comitem Oxonie deforciantem de

5 septem Mesuagijs septem toftis septem gardinis ducentis & sexaginta acris terre viginti & sex

6 acris prati Centum & quadraginta acris pasture & quadraginta acris bosci cum pertinentijs in Yeldham

7 Topesfeild Heddingam Sible & Castell Heddingham Vnde Placitum conuencionis summonitum fuit inter eos

8 in eadem Curia Scilicet quod predictus Comes recognovit predicta tenementa cum pertinentijs esse Ius ipsius Edwardi

9 Glascock Vt illa que idem Edwardus habet de dono predicti Comitis Et illa remisit & quieteclamavit

10 de se & heredibus suis predicto Edwardo Glascock & heredibus suis Imperpetuum Et preterea idem Comes

11 concessit pro se & heredibus suis quod ipsi Warantizabunt predicto Edwardo Glascock & heredibus suis predicta tenementa

12 cum pertinentijs contra predictum Comitem & heredes suos Imperpetuum Et pro hac recognicione remissione quietaclamacione

13 Waranto fine & Concordia idem Edwardus Glascock dedit predicto Comiti quadringentas

14 viginti & octo libras sterlingorum

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