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<Text: Award>

THys Endentur~ berse wytnese wher~ as varians & Debate was hade & stirrid betwene Elyn~ that  
 was y<sup>e</sup> wyffe of *christofore* Brown@  
 opon y<sup>t</sup> one party & henr~ of Ryscheton~ & *christofore* Ducworth & all thair~ feloschype y<sup>t</sup> werene  
 present w<sup>t</sup> thame at that tyme y<sup>t</sup> the said~  
*christofore* Brown~ toke hys dethe<sup>3</sup> wond on y<sup>t</sup> other~ party for y<sup>e</sup> whiche varians & debate y<sup>e</sup>  
 parties aforesaid by thar~ awne agrement arne  
 bowndon to other~ . by thar~ severell obligacions in xv marc~ . to performe & fulfyl y<sup>e</sup> ordenance  
 Dome & award of Robert Schirbrirne y<sup>e</sup> yonger  
 esswyerer & Robert Walmersley of all Accouns of trespassese querell & debates & Accoun of  
 appelle of & for y<sup>e</sup> dethe of y<sup>e</sup> said *christofore* Brown~  
 late husband to y<sup>e</sup> said Elyn~ . hade done or caused before y<sup>e</sup> day of y<sup>e</sup> date of thys present awarde .  
 where apon~ we y<sup>e</sup> said Robert & Robert  
 all chalenge<sup>3</sup> & Onswarse ymong~ y<sup>e</sup> said parties by vorherd knawnne & vnderston~ by+gude  
 diliberacion~ & by agrement & assent of both the  
 said parties ordeigne<sup>3</sup> demyn~ & awardest y<sup>e</sup> saide parties & ychone of thame to be fule frende<sup>3</sup> &  
 acordet ychone w<sup>t</sup> other~ of & for all Accouns  
 trespasses querell Debates & appelle<sup>3</sup> above said for euermore . And also we demyn~ & awarden~  
 y<sup>e</sup> said Elyn~ to relese cesse & lose y<sup>e</sup> accoun  
 of appele y<sup>t</sup> scho hase or any wise may haue ayenst y<sup>e</sup> said henr~ & *christofore* Ducworth or ayenst  
 ayther~ of thame or ayenst any other~ persone  
 or persones as for y<sup>e</sup> dethe of y<sup>e</sup> said *christofore* hir~ housband And also we domyn~ & awarden y<sup>e</sup>  
 said Elyn to make & seale & dilyuere  
 to y<sup>e</sup> said henr~ before fastyns Euyn~ next afther~ y<sup>e</sup> date of thys Awarde a suffischand relese to y<sup>e</sup>  
 same henr~ [<sup>&</sup>] *christofore* Ducworth  
 of all maner accouns & appeles aforesaid . And also we Demyn~ & awarden y<sup>e</sup> same Elyn y<sup>t</sup> sho fro  
 nowe forth nawther~ succur support  
 reset cowncel ne cause no maner of persone ne persones y<sup>t</sup> wold schewe any malys agaynes y<sup>e</sup> sayd  
 henr~ or *christofore* Ducworth or to  
 ayther~ of thame as for y<sup>e</sup> dethe of y<sup>e</sup> said *christofore* hir~ housband by Awe or lawe bot thame lett  
 to her~ power~ . ne y<sup>t</sup> y<sup>e</sup> said Elyn~

ne none of hir~ frendes for hir~ ne in hyr~ name destourbe ne lett y<sup>e</sup> said henr~ to haue Coronor~  
 qwest as for y<sup>e</sup> dethe of y<sup>e</sup> said  
*christofor~* hir~ housband to passe to y<sup>e</sup> entent of y<sup>e</sup> said henr~ And also we demyn~ & awarden~ y<sup>e</sup>  
 said henr~ to pay or make to be  
 payd to y<sup>e</sup> said Elyn~ or hir~ asenes . x . marc~ . of lawefule mone of england in forme y<sup>t</sup> folose . y<sup>e</sup>  
 is to wete j Marc~ before y<sup>e</sup> next  
 sonday next foloyng~ y<sup>e</sup> date of thys *present* awarde . And also we demyn~ [*<ill><2-3 words></ill>*] &  
 awardyn~ . [*ye same*] henr~ to pay or make to be payd to y<sup>e</sup> same Elyn  
 or to hir~ assenes . xx s~ . w<sup>t</sup>-in~ *<ill></ill>* viij day of y<sup>e</sup> fest~ of Nat~iuit~ of sant Johnn Baptist~  
 whych sal+be in y<sup>e</sup> 3er~ of owr~ lord Jhesu  
*<ill><2-3 chars></ill>* thovsand iiij hondereth . libr~ and xx s w<sup>t</sup>-yn viij days of y<sup>e</sup> natiuit~ of owr~  
 lord Jhesu next after y<sup>e</sup> fest~ beforesaid & xx s~  
 w<sup>t</sup>-in viij days of y<sup>e</sup> fest of y<sup>e</sup> Natiuit~ of sant John~ Bapt~ y<sup>t</sup> sal+be in y<sup>e</sup> 3er~ of owr~ lord Jhesu .  
 m . cccc . lvj & xx s~ w<sup>t</sup>-in viij dais  
 of y<sup>e</sup> Natiuit~ of owr~ lord Jhesu next foloyng~ y<sup>e</sup> fest~ next befor~ said . xx s~ . w<sup>t</sup>-in viij dais of y<sup>e</sup>  
 fest~ of Natiuit~ of sant Johnn Baptist~  
 y<sup>t</sup> sal+be in y<sup>e</sup> 3er~ of owr~ lord Jhesu . M . cccc . lvij . and xx s~ w<sup>t</sup>-in viij dais of y<sup>e</sup> Natiuit~ of  
 owr~ lord Jhesu next svyng [*y<sup>e</sup>*] next fest~  
 afor~said Jn-to y<sup>e</sup> wytnese of this owr~ award & ordenance we y<sup>e</sup> said Robert & Robert to both y<sup>e</sup>  
*parties* of thes Endentur~s settys  
 owr~ Selys Geffen~ at Ribschastr~ on~ y<sup>e</sup> thrid day of Februar~ y<sup>e</sup> xxxiiij 3er~ of y<sup>e</sup> regn~ of kyng~  
 henr~ y<sup>e</sup> sext after y<sup>e</sup> conquest  
 of england