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E R R A T A.

- Page 2, line 15, for *factu* read *facte*.
" 2, " 17, for *factu* read *facte*.
" 31, " 10, for *eccl a* read *ecclisia*.
" 31, " 27, for *quinto* read *nonagesimo quinto*.
" 44, " 23, for *Corstorphyn* read *Corstorfyn*.
" 49, " 23, for *o odecim* read *octodecim*.
" 62, " 2, omit *quondam*, erroneously inserted by the scribe.
" 65, " 15, for *burgensis* read *burgenses*.
" 67, " 11, for *Rholis* read *Rhodi*.
" 82, " 6, for *archipiscopatum* read *archidiuconatum*.
" 143, " 5, for *oracionem* read *oracionum*.
" 168, " 28, insert *nonagesimo* after *quadringentesimo*.
" 184, " 16, 17, for *Linlythge* read *Linlythgw*.
" 185, " 6, for *Dunkeldensi* read *Doublanensi*.
" 193, " 25, insert *domini* before *Borthwic*.
" 221, " 1, for *Dous* read *Deus*.
" 270, " 4, for *Clephane* read *Cheshome*.

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THE CHURCH OF ST. GILES, prior to the era of the Reformation, although surpassed in wealth and architectural splendour by some other religious establishments in Edinburgh, has more than a local interest attached to its history. A collection of the earlier charters connected with this Metropolitan Church, which has now existed for upwards of seven centuries, could not therefore fail to form a suitable addition to the several Chartularies already printed for the BANNATYNE CLUB. The materials for such a volume were indeed somewhat scanty and dispersed, but there fortunately exists a Register of such deeds, commenced in the year 1368, and partially continued for upwards of a century. This Register, which is a square folio of thirty-eight leaves of vellum, written at different times and by different hands, is in the possession of the Right Honourable LORD PANMURE, by whom the use of it was most liberally granted. Such original charters as are now preserved in the Archives of the City of Edinburgh were communicated with equal liberality by the LORD PROVOST and MAGISTRATES, who, at the same time, permitted free access to their Records for the purpose of elucidating the history of the Church. The collection has been further enlarged with charters in the possession of private individuals, and with such as are incorporated in some contemporary Protocol books, or in the Great Seal Register. The whole of these charters have been arranged

in chronological order, and those prior to the year 1400, and such others as seemed of more than special interest, are given without abridgment. While grateful thanks are due to the several parties who have contributed the use of the necessary materials for this work, it is but proper to add, that the details of preparing the transcripts for the press, of abridging the more recent charters, revising the text, and forming the index, have been assigned to Mr. James B. Brichan, the editor of the latter portion of the *Origines Parochiales Scotiae*.

The HISTORY OF EDINBURGH is very obscure until we reach the times of David the First, in the twelfth century. That a parish church of small dimensions may have existed nearly coeval with the Castle and town, and long antecedent to existing records, is at least highly probable. Symeon of Durham, who flourished in the early part of the thirteenth century, under the year 854 includes Edinburgh in reckoning the churches and towns belonging to the Bishopric of Lindisfarne or Holy Island, in the district of Northumbria; and this See, previously to the Scoto-Saxon period, extended over the ample range of Lothian as well as the more southern districts of North Britain. This reference is generally considered as applicable to the Church of St. Cuthbert under the Castle; but it is to be remarked, that St. Cuthbert's was always a distinct Church and Parish, and formed no part of Edinburgh, and the name “Edwinesburch”¹ must therefore have had a special reference to the Castle and town. It was, however, only when Malcolm the Second, King of Scotland, about the year 1020 obtained the cession of Lothian from the Saxon Earl Eadulf, that this district, with an increasing population, became of importance, and it has ever since remained a part of the kingdom of Scotland: the ecclesiastical jurisdiction afterwards continued to be exercised by the Bishop of St. Andrews, and the assumed dependency upon the See of York was constantly and most resolutely opposed by the Scottish Church.

The Abbey, founded by David the First, in honour of the Holy Cross,

¹ Twysden's *Hist. Ang'ic. Script.* x. p. 139. Petrie's *Monumenta Historica Britannica*, p. 675.

and the Virgin Mary, and all the Saints, was commenced in the year 1128. In the great Charter, which may be dated about the year 1145, the King, for the support of this foundation for Canons Regular of the rule of St. Augustin, bestowed the Church of the Castle, the Church of St. Cuthbert under the Castle wall, the Chapels of Corstorphin, Liberton, and various lands, chiefly in the vicinity of Edinburgh. Had there been a parish church of equal importance with that of St. Cuthbert's, it might be supposed that it would have been mentioned with the other churches named in this Foundation Charter. Yet we find that in connexion with the parish church there was at that period a farm to the south of Edinburgh, which, from its being the grange of the Vicar of St. Giles's Church, was called St. Giles's Grange. It was conferred by David the First on the monks of Holm Cultram.¹ The name of the Grange in that locality is still retained. Under the date of 1243, we find the name of a Perpetual Vicar of the Church of St. Giles, Edinburgh; this circumstance, along with the earlier reference to its Grange, suggests that the church must have been attached to some religious house, and like the Priory of Coldingham, it might for a time have remained subordinate to Lindisfarne. It therefore seems the most reasonable conjecture, that the parish church dedicated in honour of St. Egidius or St. Giles, and which has ever since retained the name of the patron saint, was erected during the reign of Alexander the First (1107-1124), the founder of the Abbey of Scone, and several other religious houses. Edinburgh at least was a place of sufficient importance in his brother David the First's reign (1124-1153) to be reckoned one of the *Quatuor Eurgorum Principaliū*, as a judicatory for commercial matters.² The other boroughs were Stirling, Roxburgh, and Berwick; and their enactments form the earliest existing collected body of the Laws of Scotland.³

A portion of the original church, which, from its style, may with some degree of confidence be assigned to the early part of the twelfth century,

¹ "Monachi de Harehope, alias Holme, per recolendae memoriae David Regis, filii S. Margarete Regine, donationem fundati, cui annexæ erant certe terre in Laudonia, prope villam regiam de Edinburg, videlicet Spital-

tona et SANT GILYSIS GRANGE."—*Forduni Scotichronicon*, vol. ii. p. 161.

² Chalmers's *Caledonia*, vol. ii. p. 384.

³ *Acts of the Parliaments of Scotland*, vol. i.

existed within the recollection of persons still alive, being a richly ornamented Norman porch, which had formed the entrance to the nave on the north side of the church. Fortunately, before its removal in the year 1797 or 1798, a representation of it was taken and etched by an Edinburgh artist, of which a careful fac-simile has been engraved as a frontispiece to this volume.¹ The archivolt, it will be seen, was in several divisions, exhibiting figures of animals and grotesque heads, along with crenelated and chevron mouldings. Such doorways were often preserved, when every other part of the church was rebuilt.² Had it still existed, it would have formed the most interesting specimen of early architecture in this part of the country. The prevalence of Norman remains among such of the ancient parish churches of the Lothians as still retain any of their original masonry, proves that a very general impulse had been given to ecclesiastical architecture about the period when the Abbey of Helyrood was founded in the twelfth century.³ In confirmation of this remark, it might be sufficient to mention the existing churches of Kirkliston and Dalmeny, and the older portions of that of Duddingstone.

In the ancient Taxation of ecclesiastical benefices, preserved in several of the chartularies, without date, but evidently belonging to the thirteenth century, as the rule by which the Scottish clergy were to be assessed by the Church of Rome, the *Ecclesia Sancti Egidii de Edinburgh* was placed in the Deanery of Linlithgow, and rated at the annual value of twenty-six merks. This comparatively small assessment may be accounted for by the parish not extending beyond the boundaries of the town ; the amount being only one merk more than the adjoining parishes of Duddingstone and Restalrig, but not one-third of that of Lasswade, or one-sixth of St. Cuthbert's (*sub Castro*) under the Castle. The vicinity of the Abbey of Holyrood

¹ This engraving is without name or date, and is now very rare. I recollect being told, a great many years ago, that the artist's name was Armour, and that he was the son of a shopkeeper near the Royal Exchange. In the *Edinburgh Directory* for 1800-1801, I find the address of "John Armour, drawing-master, Milne's Square," no doubt the person referred to. He appears to have left Scotland, as we find recorded among the deaths (*Scots*

Magazine for July 1805) of 30th April,—"At Heywood Hall, St. Mary's, Jamaica, by a stroke from the tongue of a wain, while it was loading with sugars, Mr. John Armour, son of Mr. John Armour, merchant in Edinburgh." His father, who became an auctioneer, but was still described as merchant, Fountainbridge, died in 1810.

² *Glossary of Architecture*, p. 42. London, 1838. Svo.

³ Wilson's *Memorials of Edinburgh*, vol. ii. p. 158.

may have likewise been the cause why the borough of Edinburgh was not constituted the seat of an Archdeacon. In the Taxation of 1275, known as Bagimont or Bayamond's Roll, St. Giles is rated at xvij li.¹ This sum nearly coincides with another taxation of Ecclesiastical benefices for Papal tenths within the southern district of Scotland, preserved among the Records of Durham, in a roll of the early part of Edward the First, in which the *Ecclesia Sancti Egidii* is estimated, *verns valor*, at vj li. xij s. iiiij d., and *Vicaria ejusdem* at x li.; the *Decima* respectively being xij s. iiiij d. and xx s.²

This ancient Church of St. Giles, consisting of a nave and chancel, with small side aisles, may have either been rebuilt, retaining the ornamented porch, or only been completed in the course of the thirteenth century. Notwithstanding the ravages committed by the invading forces of England, and the successive alterations and improvements, not less destructive, it can scarcely be said ever to have been wholly demolished, although its Norman character gradually disappeared as the church was enlarged, and numerous chapels and aisles were added, thus including the work of many different periods; but no part of the architecture now indicates an earlier date than the latter part of the thirteenth century. As usual in all large churches, it presented internally the form of a cross, with the central tower placed at the junction of the nave and choir, with transepts and aisles both south and north.

During the minority of David the Second, the infant heir of King Robert the First, who died in 1329, Edinburgh was exposed to constant depredations in the contests with England and the adherents of Edward Balliol. That the parish church did not escape the ravages of the English invaders is stated by some of our older historians. The Chartulary of St. Giles, now printed, in fact commences with an exordium, dated on the Tuesday following the feast of St. Michael the Archangel (29th September) 1368.

¹ Abacuk Bisset's *Rollment of Courts*. MS., Advocates Library. Fol. 188. The original roll is not known to be preserved; and Bisset commits an ana-

chronism in calling it the "Propositura Beati Ægidii de Edinburgh."

² Printed in the Surtees Society volume entitled *The Priory of Coldingham*, p. cviii. London, 1841, 8vo.

to this effect:—That the Aldermen and Baileys of Edinburgh, taking into consideration how, *from the ravages of war*, the mortality of man, and the ignorance of youth, many bequests to their Church of St. Giles, and the altars endowed therein by burgesses, had been abstracted or misapplied, to the diminution of Divine worship, they, with the consent and assent of the rest of the burgesses, appointed John Rollo, Common Clerk of the community, to insert in this book, in the form of a Register, the annual rents belonging to the church, and its several altars within the same, with copies of the charters of foundation, as contained in the list subjoined. This resolution was only partially carried into effect, as instead of “the many bequests,” the list mentioned only specifies ten charters, of dates between 1346 and 1363, and no deeds of an earlier date have been preserved.

In the spring of 1383, John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster, came to Edinburgh, but restrained his forces from sacking or destroying the town, the citizens having, according to Wyntoun, saved it by ransom. In the subsequent invasion, the English army under Richard the Second, in 1385, again took possession of Edinburgh, but after they had occupied the town for five days, it was committed to the flames. All our old historians concur in stating that while the Abbey of Holyrood escaped at this time, St. Giles's Church was involved in the general conflagration of the town. Thus Andrew of Wyntoun, in his *Metrical Chronicle*, says that the English forces, after burning the Abbeys of Melrose and Dryburgh,

OF EDINBURGH THE KYRK BRYNT THAI,
And wald have dune swa that Abbay,
But the Duke, for his curtasy,
Gert it that time sawfyd be.¹

In like manner, Walter Bower, the continuator of the *Scotichronicon*,² states expressly, “Ac nobilem villam de Edinburgh, cum ECCLESIA SANCTI ÆGIDI

¹ *Orygynale Chronicle, &c.*, vol. ii. p. 330.

² Lib. xiv. cap. 50, vol. ii. p. 401.—Bishop Lesley, in mentioning the destruction of Edinburgh at this time, says emphatically, “Atque (ut edii in homines, sic imploratis in Deum monumentum ibi desigeret sempiternum)

S. ÆGIDI TEMPLUM *scrissimo absumpsit incendio.*”—
De Rebus gestis Scotorum, p. 262, Roma, 1578, 4to.
There can be no doubt that the injuries which several of these religious edifices suffered during English invasions were never fully repaired.

EJUSDEM voraci flamma incineravit." In tracing the history of the Church of St. Giles, three epochs are thus distinctly marked. The first is that to which we have referred, when it was of limited extent and size; and the roof and other portions being probably of timber, were consumed, while the decorated Norman porch, with the massive stone piers and arches of the nave and of the chancel, may have only been partially injured, and not wholly destroyed like the wooden houses, thatched with straw, of which, according to Froissart's description, the town chiefly consisted.

An original document of the period is fortunately preserved, and serves to illustrate the actual state and progressive enlargement of the Church of St. Giles in what may be called the second epoch of its history. It is the contract between the Provost and community of Edinburgh on the one part, and John Prymros, John of Scone, and John Skuyer, masons, on the other part, by which they engage to erect five vaulted chapels on the south side of the parish church of Edinburgh, from the west gavel, lying "in rayndoun" (signifying, probably, in a straight line) eastward to the great pillar of the steeple, in the same style of masonry as the vault above St. Stephen's altar, erected on the north side of the parish kirk of the Abbey of Holyrood. Four of these chapels were each to have a window of three lights; and the fifth chapel was to have a door equal to, or corresponding with, the west door of the church. The contract is in the following terms:—

"THIS Endentur made at Edynburgh the xxix day of the moneth of Nouember, betwene worthy men and nobyl Adam Forstar lorde of Nethir Lebertoun, Androw Yutson Prowest of the burgh of Edynburgh and the Communitie of that ylke on the ta half, and Jonne Prynros Jonne of Scone and Jonne Skuyer masonnys on the tothir half, berys wytnes in fourme the qwykq estir folowys. That is for to say. At the forsaidys Jonne Jonne and Jonne, al as ane, and ane as all, sal mak and voute fyve Chapellis on the south syde of the Paryce Kyre of Edynburgh, fra the west gavyl lyand in rayndoun est on to the grete pyler of the stepyl, vouty on the maner and the masonry as the voute abovyn Sant Stevins anter standan on the north syde of the parys auter of the Abbay of the Halyrudehous, the qwhylk patronne they haf sene. Alsua tha ylk men sal mak in ylk Chapel of the four a wyndow with thre lychtys in fourme masonnelyke, the qwhilk patrone thai haf sene, and the fyfe chapel wouty with a dure als gude maner as the durre standan in the west gavyl of the forsaid Kyrk. Alsua the chapel and the lys qwhare the auterys sal stand, sal be vouty all vndir a maner as it is befor spokyn. Alsua the forsайдye fyve Chapellys sal be thekyt abovyn with stane and water thycht the buteras fynyt wp als

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hech as the laue of that werk askys · Alswa betwene the chapellis gutertyt with hewyn stane to cast the watir owte and to save the were for the watir · Alswa the Communyte as it is befor spokyn fyndand al cose and al grayth tyl that werk and the forsayde masounys doand thair craft tyl that werk trewly withoutyn fraude as trew men aw to do · Alswa it is accordyt at the forsayde Communyte sal gyfe to the forsayde masounys for the forsale werk as it is before spokyne vi^e mark of sterlyngis of the payment of Scotalnde · Alswa it is accordyt at the forsayde Communite sal gyf to the forsayd masounys ay xl lib. befor hand for to mak thayrawne werk with ay tyl the foresayde werk be brocht tyl ende · Alswa the forsayde masounys sal lay in place on thair cost xii^c hewyn stanys astlayer and coynye swylk as fallys to that werk, the qwilke werke the forsale masounys sal warande watir thicht · And till thire thingis lelely to be fulfillit ilke ane of the forsaid masounys is othiris bourecht · Wretyn vndir the seillis of the forsaides Adam Prouest and the Communite selle anentis the forsaides masounys to be remaynande · And Join Primros has procurit the selle of James of Fulforde, and Join of Scone has procurit the selle of Join of Irwyne in failyhe thai hade name of their awyne and Join Sqwyer has pute to his awyne selle anentis the forsaides Adam Prouest and Communyteis to be remaynande the yher of Our Lorde a thousande eee lxxx and vii."

An important fact may be deduced from the above contract, as it is evident from these stipulations that the nave of the church, extending to the pillars of the great steeple, was entire, and had escaped the effects of the conflagration in the year 1385.

This contract, dated 29th November 1387, which presents one of the earliest specimens of Scottish prose now extant,¹ is peculiarly interesting in connexion with ecclesiastical architecture. The sum stipulated to be paid to the masons was 600 merks of sterlings of the payment, or money, of Scotland; and on the back of the contract² is the acknowledgment of the builders having received, in 1390, twelve score pounds sterling, and, in August 1391, a further payment of ninety-two pounds, leaving a balance of the stipulated sum as still due of £268. The work was evidently still in progress; but whether the sums paid to John Prymros, one of the masons, in 1399 and 1402, recorded among the miscellaneous notices at the end of the chartulary, formed part of the first contract, must be left to conjecture. An examination of the form of the groining clearly indicates that the outer walls of both the south and north aisles of the original church had been taken down and rebuilt, and new vaulted roofs substituted. At this period, the

¹ Maitland has printed this contract, but not with much accuracy. He refers to a previous contract in the year 1380, "between the Provost of Edinburgh and divers masons to vault or arch over a certain part of the

said church;" but no evidence has been found of any such deed having ever existed.—*History of Edinburgh*, p. 270.

² See *infra*, No. 18, p. 25.

nave had no clere-story, which, as it now exists in the western portion of the building, is a modern addition, of lathe and plaster, in imitation of stone.

In the plan of the church, these chapels are marked *b* 1 to 5, and the porch or door, *a*. In recent times this vaulted porch, with its richly groined ceiling, served as the south entrance to the Tolbooth Church; and over it was a small chamber, lighted by an oriel window, the corbel of which was an angel holding the city arms. This apartment, from its contiguity to the Council Chambers, was long used as a charter-room, and immediately above it was another small room or closet, having some old-fashioned oak cabinets, also filled with a mass of deeds, papers, and city records. Its entrance latterly was from the pulpit-stair within the church. It was originally the Vestry, or room for holding the vestments of the clergy, but being no longer required for such a purpose, it was employed, by order of the Council, for "keeping of their Evidentis buikis," &c. This was in April 1563.¹ But this porch and chamber, as well as the two chapels marked *b* 4 and *b* 5, without the least regard to old associations or to picturesque effect, and although in perfect preservation, after a lapse of more than four centuries, were most ruthlessly sacrificed in order to obtain the tame formality of the present exterior.

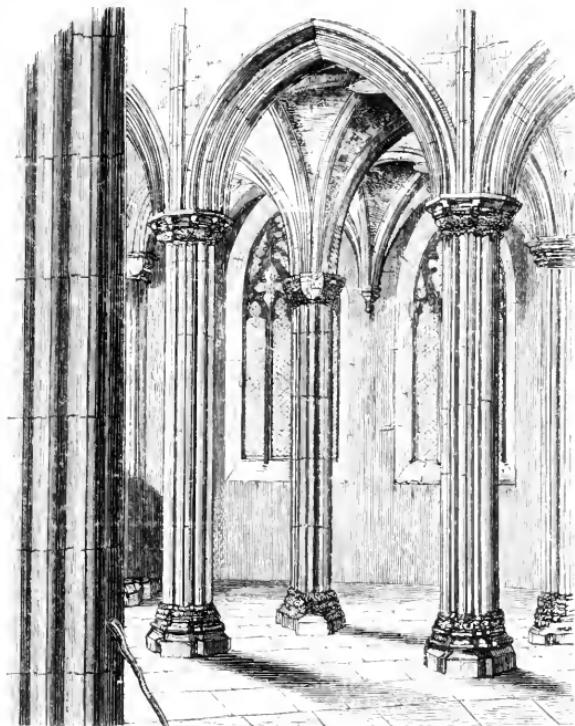
King Robert the Third, in consequence of the injury which the church sustained in 1385, may have been led by public grants to aid in its restoration and enlargement. In the Chamberlain Rolls, between the years 1390 and 1398, various annual sums are allocated, *conceduntur per Regem ad fabricam Ecclesie Beati Egidi de Edinburgh*. During the minority and captivity of James the First in England, the same record exhibits similar grants between 1409 and 1413, *ex donacione Domini Gubernatoris* (Robert Duke of Albany), *ad fabricam Ecclesie parochialis burgi de Edinburgh*.²

It thus appears that the Church of St. Giles, like almost every large fabric of the kind, was a work continued for many generations, and enlarged by public as well as private contributions. At a somewhat later period than the five chapels commenced in 1387, a similar range of small chapels on the north side were erected, two on each side of the old Norman porch. The two

¹ See Extracts in Appendix, No. III.

² *Ibid.* No. II.

western chapels still remain with a light and elegant clustered pillar, from the capital of which spring the ribs of the groined roof, and the arches that divide it from the adjoining aisle. The accompanying woodcut gives a view of this part of the church, being one of the few portions which were allowed to remain almost untouched; but forming part of the north gallery of the church now called West St. Giles, it was not thought necessary to encumber the sketch with the gallery and under-pews, or to represent the barbarous manner in which the bases of the pillars have been hewn away.

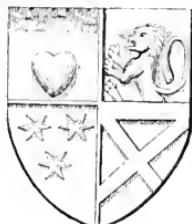


In the ground-plan of the church, the above centre pillar, marked *q*, is called the Albany pillar, from having on its capital two shields of arms. The shield on the south side of the pillar, contains the armorial bearing of

Robert, Duke of Albany, the second son of King Robert the Second ; the other, on the north side, of Archibald, fourth Earl of Douglas.¹



DUKE OF ALBANY.



EARL OF DOUGLAS.

An incident related by Bower in his *Scotichronicon*, under the year 1416, seems to indicate that the building of the church was completed, so far as the design of that time extended. “Hoc etiam anno par avium ciconiarum venerunt in Scotiam, et super ecclesiam S. Egidii de Edinburgh nidificabant, et per unam ratam anni ibi morabantur ;”² but with some simplicity it is added, “sed quo postea avolaverunt nescitur.” It needs scarcely be remarked, that storks were not likely to build their nests on a church where masons were still at work. It is highly probable that a small Lady Chapel may have existed at the east end of the church, but been removed when the building was enlarged.

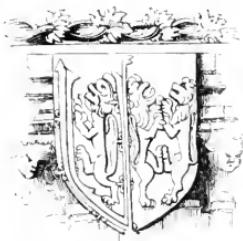
The third period of the history of the church may be dated from the middle of the fifteenth century, when the choir had been enlarged and completed, by extending the building eastward in its present form. At the same time the roof was raised, and the clerestory windows added. That it was thus enlarged appears not only from the more ornate style of the building, but from the appearance of the walls, marking distinctly the older portions, and also from the heraldic devices and armorial bearings still existing. Thus it is evident that while the pillars nearest to the centre are plain octagons, with arches corresponding in simplicity, those at the east end have decorated capitals supporting moulded arches. There is a change also in the groining of the aisles, and the spaces between the pier-arches are enlarged.³ The

¹ Wilson's *Memorials of Edinburgh*, vol. ii. pp. 167, 168.

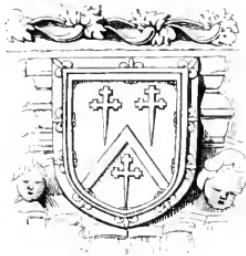
² *Ibid.* vol. ii. p. 449.

³ *Ibid.* vol. ii. p. 160.

King's pillar, as it is called, is the first from the window on the north side, and near the spot where stood the High Altar. On the foliated capital are four coats of arms, two of which, the second and third, are here represented.



Of these armorial bearings, the first has the lion within the double treasure, and is usually supposed to be those of King James the Second (1436-1460); the second, impaled, of his Queen, Mary of Gueldres (1449-1463). In both these shields a blank space occurs, the upper part being apparently left unfinished, but as this form elsewhere occurs, it may perhaps have some heraldic signification. The third, as above, has also the lion within the double treasure, but having a label of three points, which is held to denote a prince or heir, if not a younger son. The fourth shield has three fleurs-de-lys, for France.



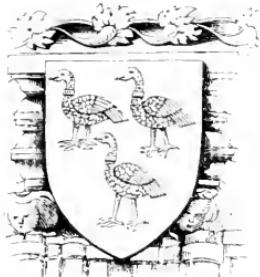
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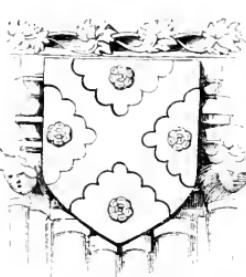
OTTERBURN.

On the opposite pillar, on the south side of the High Altar, are also four coats of arms, viz., those of the town of Edinburgh, and of the families of Kennedy, Otterburn, and Preston.

To commemorate other benefactors, on the demi-pillar, on the north side of the eastern window, we have the arms, three cranes *gorged*, of Thomas Cranstoun, a burgess, and chief magistrate of Edinburgh in 1439, and again in 1454; and on the south side, those of Napier of Merchiston, also Provost of the City in 1457, on the Lennox shield, a saltire engrailed, cantoned with four rosettes, which the Napier family assumed before the middle of the



CRANSTOUN.



NAPIER.

fifteenth century.¹ But a circumstance occurred which led to the proposed erection of the Preston Aisle, on the south side of the church, in the year 1454.

In noticing this erection, we may briefly advert to the Saint who, from some unexplained cause, was chosen by the burgesses of Edinburgh as their tutelar Saint. St. Egidius, or Giles, an Abbot who flourished towards the end of the seventh century, according to the recognised authorities in such matters, was an Athenian by birth, and of noble extraction. His extraordinary piety and learning drew the admiration of the world upon him in such a manner, that it was impossible for him to enjoy in his own country that obscurity and retirement which were the chief object of his desires on earth.² Having sailed for France, he spent many years in the wild deserts near the mouth of the Rhone, and afterwards in a forest in the

¹ In a short article by the late Alexander Denchar, genealogist, in the *Scots Magazine*, New Series, June 1818, p. 538, and in later works, some of these armorial bearings are assigned rather hastily to other names, such as Isobel, Countess of Lennox, who died in 1451;

Cranstoun, *Scutifer Regis*, in the reign of James the Third; Kennedy, Bishop of St. Andrews; and Nicolson. Had it been intended for Bishop Kennedy, the shield (see opposite page) would no doubt have had a mitre.

² Alban Butler's *Lives of the Saints*, vol. ix. p. 1.

diocese of Nismes. The Bollandists¹ have shown that this district belonged to the French towards the beginning of the eighth century, when St. Giles died, and that his body remained there till the thirteenth century, “when, the Albigenses being very troublesome in that country, it was thought proper to remove it to Toulouse, where it is still kept in St. Saturnius’ Church.

. . . His name occurs on the 1st of September in the Calendars of the English Church, before the Reformation; that, and two ancient churches in London, are a sufficient proof of his being known and honoured by our devout ancestors.”² The parish church of Elgin was also dedicated to St. Giles.³ One of the few existing Seals of our Collegiate Church (see the accurate engraving at the end of these Notices) represents, under a canopy supported by spiral columns, a full length figure of St. Giles with the nimbus, holding the crozier in his right hand, and in his left a book and branch. A hound, his usual attendant, is playfully leaping up to his hand. But the circumstance to which we referred, as having led to the further enlargement of the church was connected with a relique of the Patron Saint.

In the Charter dated 11th of January 1454-5 (printed as No. 77, p. 106), it is narrated, that William Preston of Gourtoun, then deceased, and interred in the Lady Aisle, had, with diligent labour and great expense, and, aided by a high and mighty prince the King of France, and many other Lords of France, succeeded in obtaining possession of the arm-bone of St. Giles; and that this inestimable relique had been freely bequeathed by him “to oure mothir Kirk of Sant Gele of Edynburgh withoutyn ony condicion.” The Provost, Bailies, and Community of Edinburgh, deeply impressed with the importance of such an acquisition, voluntarily undertook to com-

¹ *Acta Sanctorum Septembri*, tom. i. p. 286. In chapter 11, entitled, “Sacri Corporis translationes et reliquie,” we find notices of the head and various reliques of St. Giles, including a part of his arm, which was brought from France to Prague in the year 1356; but no mention is made of his *arm-bone*, which found its way to Scotland in the following century.

² Anonymous author of *Lives of Saints*, 1739. 4 vols. 4to.

³ In the year 1390, Stewart, Earl of Buchan known as the Wolf of Badenoch, in his depredations burnt the

town of Elgin, the Church of St. Giles, the cathedral church, &c.—(Shaw’s *Province of Moray*, p. 276.) Elgin was a parsonage dedicated to St. Giles, and was the Bishop’s pastoral charge. The High Church of Elgin, dedicated to St. Giles, is described as having stood on two rows of massive pillars, vaulted and covered with thick and heavy hewed stone. On Sunday the 22d June 1679, when the people had returned from worship in the forenoon, the whole fabric fell down, except the central pillars and steeple. The rebuilding was finished in 1684, as detailed by Shaw.—(*Ib.* p. 65.)

Yeit kend til al men be yo pui loee We ne
of proesounē of dorston son and ave tode
William of yxproesounē ne fadrougehe mony
vn̄ leadeis of france soa the getyn egh
Withoutym on n̄ cōdition makyn We
six or sevyn thre māl yx possiblē &
ne said Ile to be beginnyng within a tē
of day with a hatt spesiald ne b
in my thre partis of my leſt alleagand
ylo / ilſ wa nat we fall offing gif
om dy ſcendre lyke to fet ony head
Whilke heis borowē in ye ſear vathē
alleſla nat fra ye deſe of ye ſaid vā
we ſomit nat more fal le anc oþ
thmyḡ we haue fet to oure c̄hou
ſande four hundred þ ſyfty ſon



menee within one year, and to complete in the space of six or seven years, an aisle “furth fra our Lady isle, quhair the said William lyis,” to erect there his monument with a brass tablet, with his arms, and an inscription, specifying his having brought that relique to Scotland; his arms also to be put in hewn stone in three other parts of the aisle; also an altar, and to endow a chaplain to sing for him from that time forth, and granting to his nearest relations the privilege of carrying the relique in all public processions. The monument with its brass tablet has long since disappeared; but the original charter was deposited several years ago in the General Register House, by ALEXANDER MACONOCHE WELWOOD, Esq., one of the contributors of this volume, and one of the nearest relations of the Preston family now alive; his uncle, the late Sir Robert Preston, of Valleyfield, Baronet, being the lineal descendant from Preston of Gorton mentioned in the charter. An accurate facsimile of this curious deed is here inserted. The fate of the Relique itself will be afterwards noticed. The Preston Aisle, subsequently known as the Assembly Aisle, is marked E on the ground-plan; and it will be observed that the groined roof corresponds with that of the chancel, marked A, which, as already stated, was raised at the time when the building was extended eastward. The annexed cut of the Preston arms is copied from one of the central bosses of the ribs of the groined ceiling.

On the other central bosses are the City arms, and a shield, 1st and 4th a bend, 2d and 3d a chevron, which represent the armorial bearing of Hepburn, Earl of Bothwell, quartered with the arms of Vaux, Lords of Dirleton, by the marriage of Sir Patrick Hepburn of Halis, with the co-heiress of that ancient family. Patrick Lord Halis was Lord Provost in 1487.



It may have been to aid in discharging this obligation, that the Provost and Council, in the year 1462, when they passed a Statute regarding the mode of selling victual and timber, brought by strangers to the port of Leith, enacted, that “any person who brekis this Statute *sall pay to the Kirk Wark of St. Geill*, ilk persoun singularie be himself, ane chalder of quheit, but remissioune.” In like manner, a previous enactment in 1438 may have had some reference to the enlargement of the church. But in the present remodelled state of the building, we have no sure means of assigning the several divisions to their respective dates. Such work proceeded slowly, the number of persons employed was limited, and the ornamental parts and mouldings were usually executed by the Master Mason himself. We can therefore only offer as a probable conjecture, that the same workmen who extended the chancel, and added the clere-story the whole length from the pillars of the central tower to the east end of the choir, were employed in completing the Preston Aisle. All this was accomplished, we may suppose, prior to the year 1475, when the parish church had been converted into a collegiate foundation.

To the same period also may be assigned the Steeple or Airy Lantern, formed by cross ribs, in the shape of a crown (although this in part was probably of a later date), which, from its elevated position, rising in bold relief against the sky, near the centre of the long line of buildings of the old town, covering the ridge from the Castle to the Netherbow Port, was always a conspicuous and picturesque feature in any view of the town.¹ An admirable representation of the Tower and Lantern is given in Billings’s *Baronial and Ecclesiastical Antiquities of Scotland*, vol. ii. His technical or professional description may be quoted:—

“The general plan of the church is a cross, the lantern-tower springing from the meeting of the arms. Continuous with the extremity of the nave is an additional transept with a flat roof. The main transept has aisles, and the southern branch has projecting edifices on either side, which give it in itself the form of a cross. . . . This species of lantern, formed

¹ Its effect is now less striking since the erection of the lofty spires of the Assembly Hall and of the Tron Church.

by cross ribs, as in groined arching, seems to be peculiar to the north of Britain. It does not occur further south than Newcastle, while in Scotland, we find it still remaining in King's College, Aberdeen, and the Tron Steeple in Glasgow ; until lately it existed in Linlithgow, and formerly terminated the Tower of Haddington. Of all the Scottish instances, St. Giles is at once the richest and lightest. The others had merely been formed by crossed arches springing from the corbels of the tower. That of St. Giles has an octagonal character, from two arches springing from the centres of the wall-plates. Along the intermediate spaces there is a parapet, pierced with quatrefoils, having a flowered moulding at the projection, and cusps on the upper edge. The outer edges of the arches are adorned with crocketed pinnacles, and supported by the general keystone, there springs from the centre of a clustre of small pinnacles, rising tier over tier, a graceful spire. The whole plan exhibits those capricious irregularities so frequently to be found in the finest specimens of Gothic work."

To the same period we may refer the great bell of St. Giles, which must have been heard far and near on special occasions ; as when, after news arriving of the disastrous field of Floddon, the inhabitants were ordered, at the tolling of the common bell, to assemble in military array for the defence of the city. This bell was cast in Flanders, and is described having the arms of Guelderland upon different parts, together with figures of the Virgin and child, and other devices, and had the following inscription :—" HONORABILES VIRI BURGENSES VILLE DE EDINBURCH IN SCOTIA HANC CAMPANAM FIERI FECERUNT ANNO DNI. M.CCCC.LVV. [1460?] JOHS. ET WILHELMUS HOERHEN ME FECERUNT ; IPSAMQUE CAMPANAM GYELIS VOCARI VOLUERUNT. DEFUNCTOS PLANGO : VIVOS VOCHO : FULMINA FRANGO."¹

¹ It might be thought that this was the St. Mary Bell, sold with the brazen pillars in the church, in 1563 ; but there were other bells besides these two. In the *Gentleman and Lady's Weekly Magazine*, Dec. 7, Edinburgh, 1774, p. 319, in giving the above inscription, it is stated : "Some time ago, the great bell of St. Giles's Church having suffered damage, it was found necessary to take it down, and put up one of the Abbey Church

bells in its place. As we apprehend many of our curious readers may be desirous to know the inscription which surrounds this ancient bell, we have, for their satisfaction, taken a copy of it. (As above.) . . . The arms of Guelderland appear upon different parts of the bell, together with pictures of the Virgin Mary with a child in her arms, and several other devices."

HISTORICAL NOTICES OF

In a satirical poem of the reign of James the Fourth, a Dwarf is introduced saying to the burgesses of Edinburgh,

I come amang you heir to dwell :
Fra sound of Sanct Gelis bell
 Nevir think I to flee.¹

From the Council Records towards the close of the fifteenth century, and the early part of the sixteenth, we learn that various fines were still directed to be appropriated to the Kirk wark of St. Giles, including the reparation of altars. Thus in the Seal of Cause granted to the Incorporation of Fleschers, 11th of April 1488, certain penalties were to be exacted, two parts to be raised by the town's officers "to the kirk wark," and the third part by the deacon of their craft, to the reparation of their own altar within the church. But there is one contract of the Provost and Council in the year 1491, which is worthy of special notice. This curious document, which contains regulations for the hours of attendance of the Master Mason, and his colleagues and servants, hitherto unnoticed, is as follows:—

" STATUTUM PENES REGIMENT MAGISTRI LATIMI ECCLESIE COLLEGIALE BEATI EGIDI
 BURGI DE EDINBURGH.

" The quhilke day the Prouest, Dene of Gild, Baillies and Counsale of the burch of Edinburgh thinkis expedient and als ordanis that thair Maister Masoun and the laif of his collegs and seruaundis of their Kirk wark that now ar and sal happen to be for the tym sall diligentie fulfill and keip thair seruice at all tymes and houris as after followis: that is to say—The said maister and his seruandis sall begyn to their werk ilk day in somer at the straik of v houris in the morning, and to continew besylie into thair lawbour quhill viii houris thairafter and than to pas to their disione, and to remane thairat half ane hour, and till enter agane to thair lawbouris at half hour to ix houris before none, and swa to wirk thairat quhill that xi houris be strikkin, and afternone to forgather agane to thair wark at the hour of ane, and than to remayne quhill iiiii houris afternone, and than to gett a recreacioun in the common luge be the space of half ane hour, and fra thinefurth to abyde at thair lawbour continually quhill the hour of vii be strikkin: And in winter to begyn with day licht in the morning, kepand the honris abovewritten, and to haif bot thair noneschanks allauerly afternone, and to remayne quhill day licht be gane. And gif the said Maister quhatsumeuir, or his collegs and seruandis faillis in ony poyns abonewrittin, or remanis fra his said seruice ony tyme, he to be correctit and punist in his wages at the plesour of the Dene of Gild that sall happen to be for the tyme, as the said Dene will answer to God and to the guid Towne thairupoun."²

¹ "The Drochis Part of the Play," in Dunbar's Poems, vol. ii. p. 42.

² Extracts (by Alexander Guthrie, about 1580) from

the Council Records of Edinburgh, MS. Advocates Library, (31:4:9) fol. ii. The original Records of this date are not preserved.

These regulations do not furnish us with the name of the Master Mason, but a previous entry, supposed to belong to the year 1484, may perhaps supply the omission; as Alexander Gray “was then chosen and sworne Maister of the werk to the towne for this yeir to enm, for quhilk he sall haif xx⁴ mark of fie.” That some extensive operations were in progress when these regulations were enacted, seems beyond doubt. So far as can now be ascertained, the latest additions to the church may have included an extension of the south transept, and the erection of the two aisles or chapels on each side, marked *g* and *d* on the ground-plan. The latter was connected with the south wall of the chapels of 1387 marked *b* 1 and *b* 2, and had a groined roof, which was fully as rich as any portion of the choir. This was the chapel referred to in the Charter of Confirmation of a mortification by Sir Alexander Lauder of Blyth, Provost of Edinburgh, to an altarage of St. Giles’s Kirk, dated 17th of August 1513, by which he founded “a chaplainry in the New Chapel, near the south-western corner of the church, in honour of God, the Virgin Mary, and Gabriel the Archangel.” It consisted of two arches, extending between the south porch of 1387, and the south transept; and in the interior of the wall, between the two windows, an altar-tomb was constructed under a deep recess, on which a recumbent figure had no doubt been originally placed.¹ On each side of the centre ornament, at the top, but placed against the wall, there appears like heraldic supporters, the lion rampant and the dragon.

The Church of St. Giles stood in the centre of the town, having the *Via Regia* or High Street on the north, and an open space towards the south, beyond the churchyard, which was afterwards converted to the same purpose. But the church, from an early period, was blocked up by successive erections, originating in the circumscribed limits of the town within its walls. The “buith raw” was a range of houses running parallel on the north side of the church; and the magistrates derived an annual revenue from the booths and shops erected against the walls of the

¹ Wilson’s *Memorials of Edinburgh*, vol. ii. p. 166. This altar-tomb is traditionally called the Caithness monument. From the insignia, the crown of thorns, the

nails, &c., it may have been the aisle and altar of Christ crucified.

church. Dunbar, the Scottish poet, about the year 1500, when he remonstrates with the merchants of Edinburgh, for allowing the public streets to be so crowded and filthy, says,—

Your stinkand Style, that standis dirk,
Haldis the lycht fra YOUR PARROCHIE KIRK ;
Your foirstairs makis your houses mirk
Lyk na contray bot heir at hame :
 Think ye not schame,
Sa little polesie to wirk
 In hurt and sklander of your name ?¹

The covered passage which so long retained its appropriate name of the “Stinking Style,” in the “Booth Row,” or Luekenbooths,² served as a communication between the north side of the church, and the part of the principal street called the Lawnmarket. At the north-east corner there were steps leading to the entrance of the church, called “Our Lady’s Steps,” from the image of the Virgin, placed in a niche of the outer wall.³ Near the same spot stood the City Cross. It was removed and rebuilt somewhat lower down the High Street in the year 1617.⁴ In a letter to Cardinal Wolsey from Dr. Magnus, 26th of November 1524, an account is given of the Earl of Angus, with a numerous retinue, forcing his way into Edinburgh, and “at thair cummyng to the Crosse, beside Sanct Giles Church, they did proclamations to be made,” &c.⁵

The place which is now called the Parliament Close was anciently the churchyard of St. Giles, being the common cemetery of the town, as usual attached to the parish church. The Provost’s house, with its garden or glebe, was on the east side; the houses of the prebendaries and ministers were on the west side; and the declivity on the south side, afterwards familiarly known as “the Back Stairs,” became the lower churchyard, at the foot

¹ Dunbar’s Poems, vol. i. p. 97. Edinburgh, 1834.
² 2 vols. post 8vo.

² In a Sasine, dated 8th February 1521-2, mention is made of a “tenementum edificatum ex parte australi Vici Regii dicti burgi inter bothas sive oppellas vocavit vulgariter the Lukkyubuthis ejusdem,” &c.

³ Sir George Mackenzie, in his *Observations on Acts*

of Parliament, &c. (p. 31. Edinb., 1686, folio), supposes that this name was given in compliment to the wife of the Earl of Arran, Lord Chancellor of 1584; but these Steps were so named before that lady was born.

⁴ Calderwood’s *History*, vol. vii. p. 243.—*Proceedings of the Society of Antiquaries of Scotland*, vol. ii. p. 287.

⁵ *State Papers*, reign of Henry VIII., vol. iv. p. 256.

of which stood the chapel of the Holy Rood, in which Walter Chepman, as we shall have occasion to notice, founded a chaplainry. In an Act of Parliament, 18th of October 1439, mention is made of a tenement belonging to the King, described as “ jacens in burgo nostro de Edinburgh, situatum ad portam orientalem Cimeterii parochialis Ecclesie Beati Egidi ejusdem burgi.”¹ This cemetery, as we have stated, was afterwards enlarged. On the 14th of January 1477-8, William Forbes, Provost of St. Giles, with consent of the Chapter, considering the necessity of providing for the interment of his parishioners, granted to the said church that portion of his garden which was contiguous to his manse, to the south of the church.² On the penult of July 1496, the same dignitary made a further grant of the north part of his manse and glebe, for extending the cemetery of the said church.³

We have unfortunately no trustworthy views of St. Giles's Church, or of Edinburgh, of an early date. Some of these are either bird's-eye views hastily sketched, or ideal representations to correspond with printed descriptions. Of the first class, is the sketch apparently made in the year 1547,⁴ in which, as here copied, the church is merely indicated, without any attempt at correctness of detail. Of the latter, is the slight woodcut which appeared in 1550, to illustrate the description of Edinburgh, by Alexander Alesius, in Sebastian Munster's work, *Cosmographia Universalis*, repeatedly published in German and French, as well as Latin ; and we may add the more imposing view, as if taken from an actual survey, in Braun's *Civitates Orbis Terrarum*, a work which also passed through many editions in the same languages, between 1572 and 1618. In the curious woodcut representing the siege of the Castle in the year 1573, which illustrates the first edition of Holinshed's *Chronicle*, we have a nearer approach to an actual glimpse of the church,



¹ *Acts of Parliament*, vol. ii. p. 53.

² Charter, No. 88, *infra*, p. 122.

³ *Ib.*, No. 111, p. 179.

⁴ See the facsimile of the original sketch in the *Banbury Miscellany*, vol. i. p. 184.

with its open space sloping down towards the Cowgate. The object intended in the view itself was evidently to point out the position where pieces of artillery were placed during this memorable siege; and the High Street, in particular, is most incorrectly drawn.

The survey of Edinburgh, drawn by James Gordon, minister of Rothiemay, in 1647, and engraved in Holland, is of great importance as the earliest correct plan of the city; and that portion of it showing St. Giles, and



the projecting tops of the Parliament House, then erected, is here added. A considerable part of the ground to the south of the church was then occupied by these new buildings; and the steeple and roof of the church had recently been restored. We could have wished that Gordon had devoted more of his time to delineations of the ecclesiastical buildings as they existed in his time, with the same fidelity that characterizes the four views of public buildings in Edinburgh, which were

also engraved in Holland, from his drawings.¹ Views of a later date are too common or well known to require any notice in this place.

Having thus attempted, in this general description, to trace the progress of the building as it existed prior to the Reformation, our attention may now be turned to the internal affairs of the church, by presenting some notices of its Dignitaries and chief Benefactors, interspersed with occasional references to such public events as in some measure were connected with its history.

Previously to its erection into a Collegiate establishment, the Church of St. Giles was under the parochial charge of a Perpetual Vicar. Mention has already been made of the grant by David the First of St. Giles's Grange

¹ These consist of views of the Castle, the Parliament House, Heriot's Hospital, and the Palace of Holyrood in its original state. See *Bannatyne Miscellany*, vol. i. p. 188; vol. ii. pp. 398, 401.

to the Monks of Holm Cultram, or Holm, an Abbey of Cistercians in Cumberland, about twelve miles distant from Carlisle, which is said to have been founded by Henry, Earl of Huntingdon, eldest son of King David, 3d kalends of January 1150.¹ The first official of the church whose name is to be found in public records, was **JOHANNES ECCLESIE SANCTI EGIDI DE EDINBURGH PERPETUUS VICARIUS**. He appears with Baldred, Dean of Lothian, as a witness to a Papal deed, in the reign of Alexander the Second, and the first year of the Pontificate of Innocent IV.; which fixes the date to the year 1243.² We also find, in charters under the year 1247, **MAGISTER ALEXANDER DE EDINBURGH**,³ and in 1268, **ROBERTUS DE EDINBURGH**, Canon of Glasgow,⁴ one or other of whom may perhaps have been his successor as Vicar. This designation of Vicar, and the donation of the grange or place in which the great tithes were usually stored, clearly denote that the church itself must for a time have been attached to some religious house or monastery.

The Parish Church of Edinburgh was occasionally used for holding national Councils, and other solemn meetings. In the year 1293, a General Council was held in full consistory, *in pleno consistorio*, within the Church of St. Giles.⁵ Four years later, on Sunday before the feast of St. Thomas in 1297, Doneca, daughter of John, son of Herveus, resigned certain lands to the Convent of Holyrood, in full consistory, held in the Church of St. Giles.⁶

In a charter granted by Sir David de Grahame to the Hospital of Soltra, **MASTER ALEXANDER OF RECLYNETOUN**, Perpetual Vicar of Edinburgh, appears as a witness.⁷ This was probably in the reign of Robert the First (1306-1329), as the charter was granted when Symon de Wedale was Abböt of Holyrood, and Symon occurs as Abbot on the vigil of St. Barnabas the Apostle in 1326.⁸

Of the various bequests for endowing altarages and chaplainries in the

¹ See extract from Fordun, *supra*, p. v. note 1; Dugdale's *Monasticon Anglicanum*, vol. i. p. 886; vol. iii. pp. 34-38; and also Hutchinson's *History and Antiquities of Cumberland*, vol. ii. p. 397, for the earliest notices of this foundation, by some attributed to Henry the First of England (1100-1135).

² *Liber Cartarum Sancte Crucis*, p. 55.

³ *Registrum Monasterii de Passelot*, p. 119.

⁴ *Ib.*, p. 139.

⁵ *Liber Cartarum Sancte Crucis*, pp. 81, 82.

⁶ *Ib.*, p. 81.

⁷ Chartularium donum S. Trinitatis nuncupatae Hospitalis de Soltra. MS., Advocates Library. Alexander de Rellington clericus, is a witness in a charter of confirmation by William Bishop of St. Andrews (1272-1279?).—*Registrum Monast. de Passelot*, p. 118.

⁸ *Liber Cartarum S. Crucis*, p. xxvi.

church, the earliest benefactors recorded belong to the middle of the fourteenth century. Among these were Mathias, son of Juliana, burgess, in the year 1345; Henry Multerer, of his lands of Grothill, in 1350, confirmed in 1362 by his son, Robert Multerer; John of Allyncrum, William Hare, Roger Hog, and other burgesses of Edinburgh. Some earlier grants may be included in the rental of the several altars;¹ but as the charters have not been preserved, the dates cannot be ascertained. In 1362, David the Second confirms the grants of the lands of Over Merchiston, of Railtoun or Raveltoun, and of Craigeruik, granted by William More, Lord of Abyrcorn,² Sir Patrick de Grahame of Kynpunt, and Sir David de Graham of Doundaff, and others. In one of these charters, dated in 1362-3, we find the name of DOMINUS BRICIUS, Perpetual Vicar of Edinburgh.

In the year 1384, the Scottish Barons met in St. Giles's Church. This circumstance is stated by Froissart, who says that “the Earl of Douglas, the Earl Muref, and other knightes and squyers of Scotland, helde *a secret conseyle toguther in the churche of Edinborowe*; when the said knights and barons of Scotland, and they of France, made an appointment to invade the realme of England, without the knowledge of the King of Scottes, who was at Edenborowe.”³ In prosecution of this enterprise, they overran Northumberland, and committed great devastations, which in the following year were amply repaid when, as already stated, St. Giles's Church suffered in the conflagration by which a great part of the town was destroyed.

In the year 1393 Mr. JAMES LYOUN was Vicar of St. Giles. After the Scottish Church had renounced the pretended jurisdiction of the Archbishops of York, the patronage of various churches in the district of Lothian probably remained vested in the King; and Robert the Third, on the 15th of December in that year, in consideration of the expenses incurred by the Monastery of Scone, from its being close to the seat of Government, and thus exposed to great charges in entertaining assemblages of nobles at the time of

¹ This rental was commenced in the year 1368, and is printed at pages 275-284.

² In the *Registrum de Passolet*, there is a Composition or Agreement regarding some disputes between the Abbot of Paisley and Sir William More, which was

concluded at Edinburgh, in the Chapel of St. Catharine within the Church of St. Giles de Edinburgh, dated 24th of April 1373.

³ Froissart's *Chronicles*, by Lord Berners, vol. i. fol. ccxxvii.

his coronation, and on other occasions, when met for the transaction of urgent business, conferred the right of patronage of the Church of St. Giles, and every other right which he or his predecessors had in the said church, on that monastery. This grant was confirmed by Walter Traill, Bishop, and the Chapter of St. Andrews, on the 3d of May 1395 ; by which union it was appointed that when Mr. James Lyoun the Vicar of St. Giles shall have ceased, by death or otherwise, to hold the benefice, the canons of the monastery should enter on possession of the church, keep it in repair, and supply it with ecclesiastical services. In the same year two Papal Bulls of Benedict XIII. confirmed the arrangement by which the Church of St. Giles became a dependency on Sccone. Although we do not meet with the name of any Vicar of the church for nearly half a century, the Canons of Sccone no doubt fulfilled their obligations.

Among other important transactions of which the Church of St. Giles was the scene, it is recorded that in the year 1440, the Lord Chancellor Crichton, and Sir Thomas Livingstone, Regent during the minority of James the Second, met there to deliberate as to the custody of the King's person. It also continued during the fifteenth century to receive many valuable endowments from ecclesiastics of distinction as well as burgesses ; in particular, the names may be specified of John Cameron, Bishop of Glasgow, and Chancellor of Scotland ; Thomas of Cranstoun, burgess of Edinburgh, his wife Mariot, and his son William of Cranstoun ; the Forresters of Corstorphine ; John Gray, Rector of Kirkliston ; John Laing, King's Treasurer, Bishop of Glasgow, and Chancellor ; Thomas of Lauder, Master of the Hospital of Soltra and Bishop of Dunkeld ; James Livingstone, Bishop of Dunkeld and Chancellor ; Robert Logan of Restalrig ; Archibald Napier of Merchiston ; and John Otterburn, Official of Lothian and Archdeacon of Galloway. Had all the charters and deeds of foundation been recorded, we should no doubt have met with the names of other distinguished benefactors, and ascertained the precise dates or the occasion on which some of the chapels or aisles were erected.

JOHN METHVEN, Doctor of the Canon Law, is the next Vicar of Edin-

burgh of whom we find any record. Like many of the beneficed clergy of that period, he filled successively several important offices. He was educated at St. Andrews, and from the records of the University it appears that Dominus Johannes de Methven became a Bachelor of Arts in 1430, and a Master of Arts in 1431. In 1437, his name occurs as Provost of the Collegiate Church of Lynclouden. In 1449, he is styled Doctor of Decrees, and was Master of the Rolls and Clerk Register. In the Parliament held 29th January 1449-50, the Vicar of Edinburgh, without having his name specified, was appointed one of twelve persons of distinction who were chosen to examine and report on all Acts of Parliament and of General Council.¹ In the following year, on the 5th of July, Dr. Methven is expressly called Vicar of Edinburgh;² and on the 21st of May 1454, a safe-conduct was granted to John Methven, Doctor of Decrees, and Vicar of Edinburgh, with twelve persons, to pass through England and proceed to Calais.³ Whether a new nomination was occasioned by his death or resignation is uncertain, but we find

NICHOLAS DE OTTIRBURN styled Vicar of Edinburgh, on the 8th of June 1455,⁴ in the safe-conduct granted to George Bishop of Brechin, William Earl of Orkney, and others. He also was a person much employed in public affairs, and had completed his studies at St. Andrews, being one of the Determinants in 1419, and a Licentiate either in 1420 or 1421. In an indenture of Archibald of Douglas, who assumed the title of Earl of Murray or Murray in virtue of his marriage, he pronounces a judgment in his official capacity on the 26th of August 1447, in which he is designated “Nicholans de Ottirburn, Magister in Artibus, Licentiatus in Decretis, Canonicus Ecclesiae Glasguensis, ac Officialis Curiae Sancti Andreæ.”⁵ In letters of safe-conduct, 13th July 1459, he is again styled Vicar of Edinburgh, and also Clerk Register and Clerk of the Rolls.⁶ He died on the last day of January 1461-2, as we learn from the obituary preserved in

¹ *Acts of Parliament*, vol. ii. p. 36.

² Rymer's *Fœdera*.

³ *Rotuli Scotie*.

⁴ *Rotuli Scotie*, but according to Rymer's *Fœdera*,

⁵ *Registrum Magni Sigilli*, 9th Jan. 1449-50, lib. iv. no. 95.

⁶ Rymer's *Fœdera*; *Acta Purl. Scot.*, vol. ii. pp. 75, 77.

the date given is the 8th of June 1454.

the Glasgow Chartulary.¹ His nephew, John de Otterburn, Provost of the Collegiate Church of Methven, Canon of Glasgow, and Official of St. Andrews within the Archdeaconry of Lothian, founded commemorative services or prayers for his soul, at Glasgow in 1468,² and at Edinburgh in St. Giles's Church in 1478.³

WILLIAM FORBES, Canon of Aberdeen, was the next incumbent as Vicar of St. Giles, and his name appears in a deed of the year 1464. During his time the parish church, in its decorated style of architecture, had assumed its enlarged and completed form. A large number of altars, more or less richly endowed, had been founded within distinct chapels, by the piety and munificence of persons of various ranks; not less than thirty separate altars being indicated in the following charters; and the enlargement of the fabric affords a satisfactory proof of a desire to adapt the church to the religious wants of the increasing population. King James the Third, at the request of the magistrates and community of Edinburgh, in a charter under the Great Seal, dated the 28th of October 1466, granted his consent for the erection of St. Giles's Church into a Collegiate institution;⁴ but a delay of some years would seem to have occurred in carrying this intention into effect. The death, a few months previously, of James Kennedy, Bishop of St. Andrews, who had held the Commendatory of Sccone, and is supposed to have been a benefactor to the Church of St. Giles, may have contributed to this delay. The charters of erection and confirmation are not preserved; but Patrick Graham, his successor, who, during his visit to Rome, had obtained the erection of the See of St. Andrews into an Archbishopric, must have confirmed the Royal charter and procured the Papal consent to the erection of St. Giles into a Collegiate Church, before he fell under the King's displeasure, and ended his days in captivity. In charters dated the 25th of February 1467-8, 20th of September 1470, and 6th of July 1471, the church still continued to be designated *Ecclesia parochialis Beati Egidii*. But in a charter which was discovered after the printing of

¹ "Obitus Magistri Nicolai de Ottirburne canonici Glasguensis ultimo die Januarii A.D. 1461."—*Registrum Episcopatus Glasguensis*, vol. ii. p. 615.

² *Reg. Epi. c. Glasg.* vol. ii. p. 416.

³ *Infra*, p. 128. No. 90.

⁴ *Infra*, p. 112, No. 82.

the text, and which is subjoined, with some other additions, in the Appendix to these Notices, it is under the date of October 1475, called THE COLLEGE KIRK OF ST. GEILL of Edinburgh, and by this name it is invariably designated in deeds of a subsequent date. The Chapter consisted of a Provost, Curate, sixteen Prebendaries, a minister of the Choir, four Choristers, a Sacristan, and a Beadle. The revenues of the altars and chaplainries in this church were appropriated for the support of the several officers in the new establishment. To the King was reserved the nomination of the Dean or Provost, who was to enjoy the tithes and other revenues of St. Giles's Church, with the adjacent manse ; and the Provost had the right of choosing a Curate, who was to have a yearly allowance of 25 marks, with a house adjoining.

It might be supposed from the distinct and explicit statements given by Maitland,¹ that he must have had the original deed of erection before him. It has not, however, been discovered in the Archives of the City, nor is it recorded in the Register of the Great Seal. He may, indeed, have obtained his information from some later document in which the particular revenues assigned to each of the priests were recapitulated ; but his statement is so minute and apparently accurate, that it may be transferred to these pages.

" ST. GILES'S CHURCH, from its first settlement, till the year 1466, appears to have been only a common Parish Church. But the Edinburghers at this time, by virtue of a grant from King James III., converted the same into a Collegiate Church, and established their new erection on the old foundation of altarages or chaplainries, which shows them to have been pretty numerous, as will appear by their several names, which were as follows² :—St. Andrew's, St. John the Evangelist's, St. Michael the Arch-angel's, St. Salvators, St. Michael de Monte Tomba's, the Holy Trinity, the Holy Cross, the Holy Blood, St. John the Baptist, St. Nicholas, St. Duthac, Sancte Crucis de Lucano, St. Sebastian, the High Altar, Nostre Domine, St. Gabriel the Arch-angel, St. Ninian, St. Katharine, St. Gregory, St. Barbara, St. Blase, St. Dionysius, St. Francis, St. Eloye, St. Martin and St. Thomas, St. Roch and St. Nicholas, the Holy Blood and St. Anthony, Our Lady of Piety, St. James, St. Lawrence, St. Mungo, St. Thomas the Martyr, the Holy Cross of the Body and Blood of Christ, and St. Crispin and St. Crispinianus. Many of the above

¹ *History of Edinburgh*, p. 271. Edinb., 1753, folio.

² A more accurate list of the altars will be given in the Appendix.

altars had a plurality of foundations and chaplains belonging to them ; whereat were performed the numerous anniversary Obits, &c. for the repose of the souls of the founders, their relations and friends.

“ This Collegiate foundation consisted of a provost, curate, sixteen prebendaries, a sacristane, bedall, minister of the choir, and four choiristers.

“ The Provost, for his maintenance and support of his dignity, was to receive the fruits, rents, and profits, together with the adjacent manse, or parsonage-house, and glebe belonging to the church, with the right of chusing a Curate, to whom he was to allow the sum of twenty-five marks yearly, with a house near the church, to dwell in. The Curate, in the provost’s absence, was to officiate in his stead, to preside in the choir in the absence of the two senior prebendaries, and not to be removed but by an act of the Provost and Chapter.

“ The second prebendary had a stipend of forty marks yearly, arising from his prebend of *Ray[l]stoun*.

“ The revenue of the third was twenty-nine marks per annum, out of his prebend of *Craigeruek*.

“ The profits of the fourth, from his prebend of *Marchiston*, amounted to twenty marks yearly.

“ The fifth, from his prebend of *Grotall*, fifteen marks, and an annuity of seven marks in Edinburgh.

“ The sixth, from his prebend of *St. Andrews*, and the profits belonging to the chaplainry of *St. Andrews* in the Church of St. Giles.

“ The seventh received the revenue of his prebend of *St. Michael*, in the said Church of St. Giles.

“ The eighth, the produce of his prebend of *St. Michael de Monte Tomba* in the Church of St. Giles.

“ The ninth received that part of the income of his prebend of the *Holy Cross*, arising from the benefactions of John White and Stephen Robertoun, amounting to thirty marks yearly.

“ The tenth had that part of the profits of his prebend of *St. Salvator*, of thirty marks per annum, founded by John Stury and Stephen Robertoun, at the Altar of the *Holy Cross* in this church.

“ The eleventh, from his prebend of *St. John the Baptist*, the foundation of John Peblis, and Sir William Preston, the sum of twenty-seven marks yearly.

“ The twelfth had the profits of his prebend of *St. Nicholas*, amounting to sixteen marks yearly, together with four marks from the foundation of Thomas Ker, at the Altar of *St. Duthac*, in this church.

“ The thirteenth received the produce of the prebend of *Sancte Crucis de Lucano*, amounting to sixteen marks yearly, and four marks annually out of the chaplainry of *St. Duthac*.

" The fourteenth had the profits of the prebend of *St. Sebastian*, with the surplusage of the income of the chaplainry at *St. Duthac's Altar*.

" The fifteenth received the revenue of his prebend of the Sacristan, which were the profits of the parish clerk's office, anciently due to the sacristan.

" The sixteenth had the produce of his prebend of *Minister Chori*, amounting to six marks per annum, with the small oblations at the lights at *St. Marnoch's*, and to have a beddal under him.

" The four choiristers or singing boys, who were allowed by the Common Council, and admitted by the chapter, had an allowance of five commons each.

" The curate, prebendaries, sacristan, and minister, besides the stipends above mentioned, were allowed the profits of the chaplainries of Our Lord, founded by John Cookson, at the Altar of *Nostre Domine*, and that at the High Altar, by John Cliddisdale, which were divided amongst them.

" The sacristan, minister, and choiristers were presented by the Common Council; the prebendaries of Le Foure's foundation were collated by the Bishop; and the rest in the Town's Gift, and admission to the Chapter, by virtue of a grant from the King as aforesaid."

Mr. William Forbes, Perpetual Vicar, was advanced to the Provostship of the newly erected Collegiate Church. He was educated at St. Andrews, his name occurring among the Determinants in 1448, and of the Lieentates in 1451 in that University. In the year 1464, he was elected Rector.¹ After his appointment as Provost of St. Giles, Forbes obtained a charter under the Great Seal, dated 2d of October 1478,² confirming to him for life an annual pension or stipend of 220 marks, which had been granted by the Provost, Bailies, and Community of Edinburgh; and in an old inventory of the town's charters, &c., there is entered,—“ Item, ane discharge granted be Mr. William Forbess, Provost of the Colledge Kirk of St. Geill, wherby he dischairs Thomas Yair, Thesaurer of Edinburgh, and Johne Quhythed, fermorer of the Kirk of Dunbarnie, the soume of ane hundredth and ten merkis for the Witsunday termes maill of the fermes of Dunbarnie.” This discharge is dated the penult of September i^m iiiij^e four scoir yeiris.³

But we find that two years later he was obliged to institute a suit in Parliament against the Magistrates for recovery of his stipend, amounting to

¹ *Acta Rectorum Univers. S. Andreæ.*

² See Appendix, No. I.

³ Guthrie's MS. Inventory, 1638.

^{xij^{xx}} (eleven score or 220) marks. The Lords Auditors, on seeing the obligation of the Magistrates, with the King's confirmation, ordained them to pay the Provost's stipend on pain of imprisonment in Blackness Castle.¹ The name of Forbes, as Provost of St. Giles, appears so late as the year 1496, in the grant of part of his glebe for the enlargement of the cemetery; and he may have survived till the commencement of the sixteenth century, as there appears no intermediate person as Provost between himself and his successor, who afterwards became Bishop of Dunkeld, and holds a distinguished place in early Scottish literature. The following is a fac-simile of his signature in 1477-8.

GAWIN DOUGLAS, third son of Archibald, fifth Earl of Angus, by Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Lord Boyd, Lord High Chamberlain of Scotland, was the next Provost of St. Giles. He was born about the year 1474, and was educated for the Church. In the registers of the University of St. Andrews, his name occurs in the lists of *Incorporati* in 1489, of the *Determinantes* in 1492, and of the *Licentiati*, or Masters of Arts, in 1494.² With his high family connexions, it was not likely that Douglas would fail in securing preferment. We accordingly find that in 1496, he had a grant of the teinds of Monymusk in Aberdeenshire.³ Two years later he obtained from the King a presentation to the parsonage of Glenquhom when it should become vacant by the resignation of Sir Alexander Symson.⁴ He also became Parson of Lyntoun, and Rector of Hawch now known as Prestonkirk, in East Lothian; but the dates are uncertain. As the latter preferment has frequently been mistaken, a few explanatory words may be added. Sir John Ireland was parson of Halch in June 1493, when a suit was heard in Parliament regarding his right of pasturage on the moor of Preston.⁵ In his

¹ *Acta Auditorum* (9th December 1482), p. 102.

² On the subject of these academical titles, see Knox's Works, vol. i. App. xiv. p. 555.

³ *Registrum Secreti Sigilli*, vol. i. fol. 16, and the

volume of Topographical Collections for Aberdeenshire, published by the Spalding Club, vol. iii. p. 483.

⁴ *Registrum Secreti Sigilli*, vol. i. fol. 23.

⁵ *Acta Auditorum*, p. 173.

dedication of the *Vitæ Episcoporum Dunkeldensium* to Bishop Douglas, Alexander Myln styles him *Rector de Hawche*. By mistaking the name, Bishops Sage and Keith call him Rector of *Heriot*, a parish about sixteen miles to the south of Edinburgh; while later writers supposed it signified *Hawick* in Teviotdale. But the true reading of the original MS. is Hawche; and in the earliest manuscript of his *Virgil*, he is expressly styled “Provost of Sanct Gylys Kyrk in Edinburgh, and Person of Lyntoun in Lothian.”

In his allegorical poem, *The Palice of Honour*, written in the year 1501, Douglas concludes with a poetical address to King James the Fourth, in which, with what may be called false modesty, he refers to his own “vulgair ignorance,” and says,

Ressave this roustie *rurall* rebaldrie,
Laikand cunning, fra thy pure leige unlaird.

It may at least be conjectured that when the Provostship of the church became vacant, this performance had some effect in inducing the King to bring the author from his rural occupations, and to advance him to a place of considerable dignity and emolument. The precise date of his appointment is uncertain, but we find from the Treasurer's Accounts, that the sum of nine shillings was paid on the 11th of March 1502-3, “to Sir John Ireland, Vicar of Perth, for writing off the citations and letters on MAISTER GAWIN DOUGLAS, PROWEST OF SANCT GELIS KIRK.”¹ No deeds signed by him as Provost have been discovered, but several instances might be mentioned in which his name occurs as a witness with this designation.² In the minutes of the Lords of Council, Gawin, Provost of St. Giles's Church, is recorded as present in February and March 1504-5, and again in 1509. That his name does not occur in the minutes of the intermediate years may have been occasioned by his absence from the kingdom. In some proceedings before the

¹ *Treasurer's Accounts*, 1502-1504.

² *Registrum Magni Sigilli*, lib. 15, no. 144; lib. 17, no. 22. I have a mutilated deed, dated at Edinburgh, 24th July 1511, which has the autograph signature, “A. Erl of Augus,” attested, among other witnesses, by his three sons, “Georgio magistro Angusie, Magistro Gawino

Douglas, preposito ecclesie collegiate beati Egidi de Edinburgh, Willelmo Douglas filii nostris.”

“Maister Gavane Douglas, Provost of Saint Gelis Kirk of Edinburgh,” was one of the assize, in a case, the last of September 1512, reported in Pitcairn's *Criminal Trials*, vol. i. p. *79.

Lords of Council, connected with his own advancement when nominated to the vacant See of St. Andrews, there appeared on the 6th of July 1515, “ Maister Gawine Douglas, Postulate of Aberbrothok, and shew, how he was a man of forty years of age, and how he had passit his time in Scotland, England, France, and Rome, without defamation or any reprimand to his honesty, as was known to divers of my Lordis thare present,”¹ &c. His translation of the *Æneid* of Virgil into Scottish verse, the work which has conferred so much lustre on his name, was the labour of eighteen months, and was completed, he informs us, on the 22d of July 1513, or seven weeks before the fatal battle of Flodden. He further states that it was undertaken at the request of his cousin, Henry Lord Sinclair,² whom he characterizes as “ Father of books, protector of sciences and lare (or learning);” and his epistle, directed to this noble patron, begins,

My Lord, to your nobilité in effect,
To quham this wark I have above direct,
GAWANE, your cousing, PROWEST OF SANCT GEILL,
Greting in God, ay lesting in god heill.

Archibald, Earl of Angus, at this time was Provost of Edinburgh. Hume of Godscroft relates his attempt to dissuade the Scottish monarch from that rash undertaking which entailed such calamitous effects upon the country. Among other friends and relations at Flodden, Douglas lost his two eldest brothers. On the last day of September 1513, we find from the Council Records of Edinburgh, that he was admitted a freeman of the city. The following is the brief minute,—“ *Ultimo Septembris j^m v° xiiij° Archibald Dowglass, Erle of Angus, Provest. Ane Priest maid burgess. Magister Gavinus Dowglass, Prepositus Eeelesie Collegiate Beati Egidii hujusmodi burgi effectus est burgensis pro communi bono ville, gratis.*”³ This might have been in compliment to his father, who only survived a few months these public disasters, but few more distinguished names have been en-

¹ *Acta Dominorum Concilii*, vol. xxvii, fol. 26.

² Henry Saintclair of Dysert, on the 26th of January 1488-9, by a special Act of Parliament, was recognised as “ Cheiff of that blude,” when created a Baron, and “ thairfor that he be callit Lord Sinclair in tyme to cum.”—*Acts of Parl.*, vol. ii. p. 213.

³ *Council Register*, vol. i. fol. 5. The original registers, prior to the year 1555, are unfortunately not preserved. The first volume is merely a series of extracts. Another volume of extracts, preserved in the Advocates Library, marked 35:4:9, furnishes various entries not elsewhere recorded.

rolled in the list of our citizens than that of Gawin Douglas. On the 22d of October 1513, "the Provost of Sanct Gelis Kirk" occurs as one of the

Lords of Council, three or four of whom were appointed to remain daily with the Queen Dowager to give her counsel and advice.¹

It would be out of place to enter into any minute details of his subsequent career. It is sufficient to state, that he was consecrated Bishop of Dunkeld in

the year 1516;² and that he died of the plague at London in 1522, aged forty-eight,³ and was

interred in the Church of St. Savoy, in London, where the spot is still marked by a brass tablet.

During the reign of James the Fourth, various burgesses of Edinburgh became liberal benefactors to the Church of St. Giles, chiefly for the endowment of altars. Among these may be mentioned, besides William Forbes first Provost of the Collegiate Church, Walter Bertram, Provost of Edinburgh in 1481, and again in 1494; Walter Chepman of Ewerland, our Scottish Caxton; Richard Hopper; Sir Alexander Lauder, also Provost of the city for several years from 1501 to 1511; Richard Lawson of Hieriggs, and Janet Elphinstone, his spouse; Andrew Mowbray, apparently connected with the Mowbrays of Barnbougle; Archibald Napier of Edinkellie and Merchiston; Alexander Rynde, and Robert Vaus; while the incorporated trades seem to have vied with each other for the support and decoration of the altars of their patron saints. Among the persons we have named, CHEPMAN is particularly worthy of notice. He had been employed at the Court of Holyrood as clerk (*clericus*), and also as a merchant, from the early part of the King's reign. In the year 1507 he obtained letters of exclusive privilege for the establishment of a printing press.⁴ He had

¹ *Acta Dominorum Concilii*, vol. xxvi.

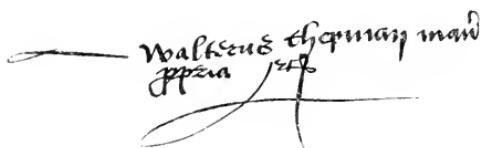
² The above signatures of Douglas as Postnlate of Aberbrothok in 1515, and as Bishop of Dunkeld in 1516, are copied from the same record.

³ We are indebted to Mr. Riddell for the discovery and publication of a very interesting document, the Will of Bishop Douglas, containing a minute inventory of his effects, dated at the mansion-house of Thomas Lord

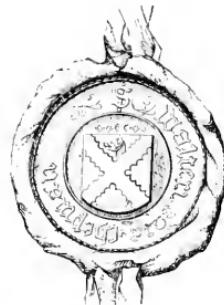
Dacre, in the parish of St. Clements, London, on the 10th of September 1522.—(Appendix of Reply to Dr. Hamilton of Bardowie, Edinburgh, 1828, 4to.)

⁴ See Preface to the volume of Ancient Poems, Printed at Edinburgh by Walter Chepman and Andrew Myllar in the year M.D.XXVIII. Reprinted M.D.CCC.XXVII. 4to.

a charter under the Great Seal, dated the 21st of August 1513;¹ endowing a secular priest to officiate continually at the Altar of St. John the Evangelist, in the chapel which he had recently founded (*in capella ipsius per me noviter fundata*) in the south part of the Church of St. Giles, for the welfare of the souls of the King, the Queen, and their offspring, as well as for himself and his relations. Within four weeks of the date of this charter, James the Fourth met his untimely fate at the field of Floddon. After the lapse of nearly fifteen years, Chepman gave a fresh proof of his attachment to the memory of his royal master, having in 1528, when far advanced in years, endowed another chaplainry at the Altar of Jesus Crucified, within the mortuary chapel of the Holy Cross situated in the lower part of the cemetery of St. Giles.² By this foundation, prayers were appointed specially to be offered for the souls of *the King, the Nobles, and others slain at Floddon*; for the souls of his present as well as former spouse; and for the souls of all the faithful of both sexes, buried or to be buried within the collegiate church or in the adjoining cemetery. The religious services thus prescribed ceased during the second generation, and the mortuary chapel was demolished;³ but the charter itself has been preserved, with Chepman's signature and seal as follows:—



Walterus chepman man
oppia 1528



Walter Chepman died in the year 1532 or 1533. The position of the chapel or aisle within the church, which he had founded in 1513, and where he no doubt was interred, is ascertained by the circumstance that upon the death of John Earl of Athole, Lord High Chancellor, the Provost and Council, on the last of June 1579, "grantis and permittis that upon the

¹ Charter, No. 121, p. 203.

² Charter, No. 132, p. 227.

³ Arnot's *History of Edinburgh*, p. 246. Edinb. 1779 and 1788, 4to.

west part of Walter Chepmanis Iyle, fornent the Erle of Murray's tombe (see letter g on the ground-plan) salbe brokin, and thair ane buriall place be maid for the Erle of Athole.”¹ It may be added that, eighty years later, the mutilated remains of “the great” Marquess of Montrose were brought in solemn funeral procession, and buried in this, the south-east aisle of St. Giles’s Church.²

ROBERT CRICHTON, who appears to have been the immediate successor of Bishop Douglas as Provost of St. Giles, must have been born towards the close of the fifteenth century. He was a younger son of Sir Patrick Crichton of Cranstoun Riddell, and nephew of George Crichton of Nauchton, who was Abbot of Holyrood (1516-1526) and Bishop of Dunkeld (1527-1544), and through whom he evidently obtained, at an early period of life, his preferment in the Church. He was educated at St. Andrews, where he was incorporated in the year 1512. To his name, Robertus Crichton, there is added, “*Prepositus Edinburgi*,” by some later hand. In the list of Determinants or Bachelors of Arts, *in Pædagogio, primus actus*, in the year 1514, Robertus Crichton is marked *dives*, a distinction from the *pauperes* or poor students who paid no fees; and on the 23d May 1516, he was admitted a Licentiate. Before he had taken his Masters’ degree, he was elected Parish Clerk of the Aisle and Altar of Holyrood, vacant by the decease of Patrick Bellenden.³ The date of his actual preferment to St. Giles’s Church is uncertain. In the Provost’s absence, the Curate or first Prebendary acted as President, “for the guid rewle to be had in their College of Sanct Gele.”⁴ On the institution of a Prebend, 12th of June 1521, Magister Robertus Crichton is styled “*Prepositus Ecclesiæ collegiatae Beati Egidi de Edinburgh*,” but it is added, he was at that time absent, “*nunc causa studii in remotis agentis.*”⁵

¹ *Council Register*, vol. iii. fol. 147.—The Chancellor’s funeral took place, with great solemnity, on the 4th of July. Being a Roman Catholic, the Presbyterian ministers interfered to prevent the use, on that occasion, of “all superstitious rites.”—*Booke of the Universall Kirk*, vol. i. p. 431. According to Crawford, a monument was erected to him.—*Officers of State*, p. 136.

² On the 11th of May 1661, and the aisle in consequence obtained the name of the Montrose Aisle. It may be said still to exist, but what is it now called?

³ “Robertus Crichtoun clericus, filius Patricii Creychtoun de Cranstoun Riddale militis,” on the 11th of February 1514-1515, was elected “ad officium clericatus parochialis Insule et Altaris in Monasterio Sancte Crucis, vacantem per decessum quendam Patricii Belbantuli ultimi clerici et possessoris ejusdem.”—Lib. xiii. of the Canongate Protocol books of James Young, N.P.

⁴ *Council Register*, 8th October 1518, vol. i. fol. 182.

⁵ Charter, No. 124, p. 212.

His resort abroad, at a later period at least, was rather to insure his own preferment, than to prosecute his studies. His uncle, George Crichton, Bishop of Dunkeld, died in 1543-4, and is said to have made a resignation of the See in Robert's favour, who proceeded to Rome for the purpose of urging his suit. But the interest of the Governor secured the appointment for his natural brother, John Hamilton, Abbot of Paisley, early in 1545; and proceedings by the Scottish Parliament were instituted in August 1546, against Mr. Robert Crichton, Provost of Sanct Gelis Kirk, for opposing the presentation of John Abbot of Paisley to the vacant See of Dunkeld, "as prejudicial to our Soverane Ladyis interest,"¹ and in a letter from Patrick Liddale, dated at Rome, 17th October 1546, it is stated that "Bonar (Bishop of London) laborit to get eomand fra the Pape to cause the bulles of Dunkeld be sped in favour of the Provost of St. Gelis Kyrk ; because he could nocht cum speed thereof, he stopit [David Panter, Bishop of] Ross, be sinisteris informationis."² A vacancy having occurred at St. Andrews, in May 1546, Hamilton after a protracted interval of three years, was promoted to that See, and Crichton became his successor as Bishop of Dunkeld.³ On the 17th March 1549-50, the Chapter of Dunkeld held a meeting *sede vacante*, but in the course of that year he was consecrated Bishop. He however seems still to have retained the Provostry of St. Giles, as he is so designated in charters dated in 1551, and the two following years.⁴ But on these occasions, Lawrence Tod, as deputy, acted in his place, being styled Vicar, and President of the Church of St. Giles.⁵

JAMES CHISHOLME was the last person who held the office of Provost of St. Giles, but the date of his appointment is uncertain. From some law proceedings in January 1566-7, instituted by James Chisholme,⁶ Provost, Sir James Johnston, Vicar-Portioner, and eleven Prebendaries, to recover

¹ *Acts of Parl.* vol. ii. pp. 469, 479, 480.

² *State Papers*, reign of Henry VIII., vol. v. p. 567.

³ See his signature at various periods of his life, as Bishop of Dunkeld, in the *Proceedings of the Society of Antiquaries of Scotland*, vol. ii. p. 113. He survived till February 1584-5 (*ib.* p. 113), when he could not be much less than ninety years of age. The practice of interments taking place within churches was prohibited by Acts of the General Assembly ; but on the 26th of March 1585,

the Provost and Town Council, in compliance with the King's mandate, granted permission to bury Crichton, Bishop of Dunkeld, within the kirk of this borough.—*Council Register*, vol. vii. fol. 172.

⁴ Charters, Nos. 144, 147, pp. 256, 260, 261.

⁵ Charters, Nos. 145, 147, 148, pp. 257, 260, 261, 265.

⁶ At p. 270, by a typographical mistake, his name is printed "Clephane."

certain teinds of kirklands assigned to their use, it is stated that a lease for nineteen years had been granted by them to Laurence Lord Oliphant in June 1551. Notwithstanding the odium attached to the Reformers, there can be no doubt that great indulgence was shown to the Popish incumbents of Church livings in allowing them a certain proportion of the revenues during their lives, except in cases of such as had incurred the penalties of forfeiture for civil crimes. In the suit referred to, it was adjudged that the right to the annualrents belonged to the said Provost and Prebendaries, as the lawful superiors for the time being. Chisholme also continued in possession of the Provost's house and glebe, and the Prebendaries theirs in like manner ; so that when John Knox became minister of Edinburgh, in 1560, the Magistrates and Council were under the necessity of providing him accommodation, in the dwelling-house at the Netherbow which still retains his name, and which has recently undergone the process of restoration. Chisholme probably belonged to the Cromlix family, but no certain information regarding his history has been discovered. A fac-simile of his signature may be added, as it occurs in the lease of his dwelling-house, which he granted to David Lord Drummond, and Lilius Ruthven, his second wife, at Stobhall, 2d of July 1566, for the annualrent of five marks, reserving to himself or the provost and curate of the church a bed-chamber within the said dwelling-house, when he should happen to be resident.¹

A cursive handwritten signature in black ink. The signature reads "Jacobus Chisholme Prepositus Ecclesie Collegiate Beatitudinis Edinburgensis". The signature is fluid and somewhat stylized, with some parts written over others.

Before alluding to the changes which took place at the period of the Reformation, a few notices of a miscellaneous nature, in connexion with St. Giles's Church, may be selected. In the first volume of the *Council Regis-*

¹ Charter, No. 152, p. 267.

ter, among “Certane auld Statutis collectit furth of the revin (torn) auld bukis of the Toun of Edinburgh,” several entries occur, imposing fines for breaking the Statutes, one-half or two-thirds of such fines being appropriated to “the Kirk wark of St. Giles.” Some of these statutes were applicable to the freighting of vessels to Flanders, others to the grinding of meal at the common mills, and the buying and selling wines at fixed prices. The freemen of the various crafts, upon their admission, were liable to a tax, which was appropriated to the same purpose. It is not less worthy of notice that when King James the Third, in 1482, granted the office of sheriffs of the borough of Edinburgh to the Provost, Bailies, Council, and Community, he bound them to apply a portion of the profits accruing from the office to the celebration of the services in St. Giles.¹ Other penalties applied to “the Kirk wark” are more singular. On the 7th of November 1485, it was enacted that none of the common rents be set to “ony man of Leith;” and that no one shall have “in his service ony persoun dwelland in Leith,” under the penalty of £10 to the Kirk wark, and the loss of his freedom for a year and a day.² In 1520, William Forsyth was fined £5 “for selling of his wyne opinlie in the tavernis of Leith.” In 1522, two persons were to have their effects distrained by the town’s officers for “selling of their wyne for xiid. the pynt,” the half of the sum to be applied to Sanct Gelis wark, the other half to St. Anthon’s altar. In August 1498, as a security for preventing the frequent disturbances in the streets of Edinburgh, which usually ended in bloodshed and murder, both merchants and craftsmen were enjoined to have in their booths “defensabill geir, sik as jak, sellet, burgandynis, gluifis of plait, and ane hand-ax or sword;” and to be in readiness, when the alarm was given, to meet the provost, bailies, and quartermasters, for repressing such tumults, under the penalty of £20 “to the Kirk wark;” and the person who was not of substance to pay this fine, was “to be set on the goif, and thair haldin three dayis, and the caus of his goving descrivit in writt besyde him, and thairafter baneist the town and boundis thairof.” This seems rather a

¹ See Appendix, No. II. For pointing out this and other notices in the Public Records, I am indebted to Joseph Robertson, Esq.

² *Council Register*, vol. i. fol. 78. The name of Hector, *Latinus Ecclesie*, occurs in the list of an Assize, 12th Nov. 1504.

harsh penalty incurred by poverty. On the 4th of January 1511-12, John Rynde, prebendary of Railston, with the consent of the provost, bailies, &c., gave a lease of the quarry of Railston, or Ravelston, for the yearly sum of three pounds and a cow's grass, the tenant binding himself to furnish stones for the Kirk wark, and to the neighbours of the town, at the old pricess. This quarry, about a mile to the north-west of Edinburgh, is supposed to have formed part of the extensive freestone quarries of Ravelston on Corstorphine hill, and to have furnished the stones with which the public buildings in the city continued to be erected, including the Parliament House and Heriot's Hospital.¹ In March 1541-2, Sir Richard Lawsoun, prebendary, set in feu to Alexander Scott, son of Walter Scott, the lands of Grottell, also in the vicinity of Edinburgh, for three marks yearly. In July 1540, James Prestoun conveyed to the town his house and land at the east entry of their College kirk of St. Geill; and at the same time the occupiers of the booths pertaining to the town were made liable for the feu-duties of their booths for the period of five years, "to the effect that with the samyn James Person's [Prestoun's] land at the east end of the kirk may be bought, and make an entres to the kirk for the honour of God and policie of the gude town." In October 1543, John Watsoun, "glassinwricht," for the annual sum of six marks, undertook, during his lifetime, to uphold the whole glass and windows of the kirk, and to furnish glass, lead, and tin; the Dean of Guild engaging to provide iron, scaffolding, and ladders, when such were required.

In January 1552-3, James Lauder, prebendary of their choir, obtained a licence "to pas furth of the realme to the partes of England and France, thair to remane for the space of ane yeir next after the dait heirof, to the effect that he may have and get better erudition in Musik and Playing nor he hes; providing always that the said James caus an chaiplane to keip his foundatioun of Sanct Katharynis alter be ane preist quhill the said yeir be done." In July 1554, Andro Mansioun "wrycht to the bigging of the stallis of the queir, having done his ute devoir and diligence therein," the provost, bailies, and counsale, and deacons of crafts, were so much satisfied with the

¹ *New Statistical Account*, Edinburgh, Parish of Corstorphine, p. 207.

manner of completing his task, that they awarded him an annual pension of ten marks for a period of ten years. On the 12th of April 1559, Mansioun of his own free will resigned this pension which he had “in reward of his labours upon the stallis of the queir.” Three months later, it was found necessary for the safe custody of the stalls to have them removed to the Tolbooth. But without dwelling on such matters, however curious the detail may be, it is of more importance to allude to the changes in which St. Giles’s Church was involved by the great movement known as THE REFORMATION.

The people of Scotland had, for nearly thirty years, been gradually preparing for such a momentous event, and for extirpating from the land all objects of idolatry. The frequent spectacle of persons committed to the flames on the Castle Hill of Edinburgh, and in other places, on the charge of heresy, instead of repressing, only excited the sympathy and prompted the inquiries of the spectators. In regard to Edinburgh, it had long been customary on the 1st of September to celebrate the anniversary of the tutelar saint, by a public procession through the streets; and a figure of St. Giles carved in wood, the size of life, and mounted on priests’ shoulders, had hitherto formed a conspicuous object. In the year 1558, notwithstanding the prevalence of the Reformed opinions among the citizens, it was resolved to celebrate this festival with more than ordinary solemnity, but which, in less troublous times, might have assumed the character of an *auto da fé*; and several heretics, it is said, were reserved for this occasion, to bear faggots and perform public penance, while the Queen-Regent was to countenance the procession with her presence. But before the anniversary arrived, Knox states that “the images were stollen away in all parts of the country; and in Edinburgh was *that great idolle called Sanct Gile*, first drowned in the North Loch, and after burnt, which,” he adds, “raised no small trouble at the time.” This trouble refers to an injunction of the Archbishop of St. Andrews either to recover the old Sanct Geill, or to replace this “great idoll” with another, under the penalty of his great cursing. The magistrates of the city thought such a charge to be unjust,

and desired that prelate to find a warrant in Scripture for setting up images ; and “because they obeyed him not, he caused his curate, Tod,¹ to curse them as black as coal ; from the which they appealed to his unholy father the Pope.”² It would occupy too much space to refer further to this Appellation ; but matters of greater importance intervening, “this affair passed in oblivion.”³ Knox has given a detailed account of the tumult on the day of the procession.

It may here be noticed, that the earliest existing accounts of the Dean of Guild show that some emoluments were derived from the Church of St. Giles. The following table exhibits the sums received during six years prior to the Reformation ; and shows what trifling offerings were then brought to the shrine of the patron saint :—

	1553.	1554.	1555.	1556.	1557.	1558.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Procuration on Sundays,	100 14 8 ¹	106 3 5	76 17 0	69 2 11 ¹	75 5 8	44 12 0
Throchs or layres (grave-stones) in the Kirk,	3 17 4	5 8 0	1 6 0	2 19 1	3 6 0	4 11 8
Four great golden candlesticks, (hired at funerals), ten at 9/6 and twenty-one at 2/;	... ...	7 0 0	... ...	6 12 0	9 15 0	4 10 0
Four silver candlesticks (ditto), . . . . .	... ...	2 8 4	... ...	1 13 6	2 1 8	1 16 4
Brazen pillars in St. Giles (for coats of arms on them), . . . . .	... ...	... ...	... ...	... ...	12 0 0	... .
“ Item, I am to be chargit with Sanct Gells arme on Relik Sunday and Sanct Gells day.” (1st September),	0 3 7	0 0 7	0 0 7 ¹	0 2 0	... ...	... ...

During the following year when the Reformers proceeded to purge the churches of objects of idolatry, we are informed that, “*before the arriving of the Congregation*, neither altars, nor idolls, nor anything pertaining to idolatry in the Friers wes left standing : soe that *the whole churches about Edinburgh, as well as within the towne, being purged, the faithfull rejoiced,*

¹ Dominus, or Sir Laurence Tod, was one of the prebendaries of St. Giles, (1551-1557,) and acted as president in the absence of the provost ; see pages 257, 260, 262, 265.

² *Histories of the Estate of Scotland*, in the Wodrow Miscellany, p. 54.

³ Knox's Works, vol. i. p. 258-261, and Appendix, No. xv., *ib.* p. 558-561.

&c. . . . The minister of God's word, John Knox, *the same day that the Congregation came to Edinburgh*, made a sermon in St. Giles's Church, and the next day in the Abbay, soe that the dumbe idolls, and all darkness being taken away, the clear light-shining of God's word was truely preached."¹ A few days later, "THE CONGREGATION OF EDINBURGH ELECTED AND CHOSE JOHN KNOX, publicly in the Tolbooth of Edinburgh, FOR THEIR MINISTER the 7th of July 1559."² In the previous month, the Council had given directions for the safe custody of the jewells, vestments, ornaments, and silver work of the High Altar. On the 12th of July, the stalls of the queir or choir, were directed to be removed to the Nether Tolbooth for their preservation ; and on the 29th, a meeting took place between the Queen's Commissioners and a deputation from the Lords of the Congregation, at which the latter asserted their rights to "the Hie Kirk of this Town, callit Sanct Geillis Kirk."³

In November 1559, the affairs of the Congregation were so changed, that they departed hastily from Edinburgh, and the French auxiliary troops having taken possession of the city, the Romish worship was restored, and *St. Giles's Church was consecrated anew by the Bishop of Amiens.*⁴ But this state of things was not of long continuance. In the month of March following, Archibald Douglas of Kilspindie, Provost, and the Council ordained the Dean of Guild "to reparrel the Kirk, to lay the throuchis (grave-stones) thairof of new, and sparge (whitewash) the same, and to mend the windows, and to make convenient seats in the church."⁵ In the previous month, the annual rents due to certain prebendaries were ordered to be paid ; but discharged any future payments to others of their number "because they have not awaited upon the divine service."⁶ In the Dean of Guild's disbursements, in May or June 1560, we have this entry : "Item, to ten warkmen quha wrocht be the space of nyne dayis, for takin doun of the haill Altaris of the Kirk, of the Rude loft, (and) for bering of the red

¹ *Historie of the Estate of Scotland*, in the Wodrow Miscellany, p. 61.

² *Ib.*, p. 63.

³ *Council Register*, vol. iii. fol. 20.

⁴ Keith's *History*, vol. i. p. 251.

⁵ *Council Register*, vol. iii., fol. 33.

⁶ *Ib.*, fol. 31. 16th February 1559-60.

(rubbish) and stanes thairof away, £11, 15s. Item, for the lok to the kirk-door at the Stinkand Style, 8s. Item, for raising of the trowchis of the kirk, 18s." On the 8th of May, understanding that the kirk might be served with three bells, the Council ordered the fourth, called the Mary bell, to be taken down; and on the 26th, this bell and the brazen pillars were appointed to be converted into artillery for the town's use, and, if need be, licence given to send them for this purpose to Flanders.¹ This intention had not, however, been carried into effect, as in October following, the bell called the Mary bell, with the whole brazen pillars, and other brass work that pertained to the kirk were sold to Adam Fullarton, in respect he had been the highest bidder after they had several times been put to "roup" through the town.² The sum received for these articles was twelve score pounds.³

The silver work, jewels, and other ornaments belonging to the church had previously been disposed of, in conformity to the following minutes of the Town Council:—

"Decimo tertio Novembris 1559.

"The quhilke day the provest, ballies, and counsaill syndand that the syluer werk of the kirk vestementis, and vtheris ornamentis, delyuerit in keiping to syndrie personis, burghesses of this burgh, for feir of the Lordis of the Congregation, vpone the day of Junii last bipast, as the act maid thairpone, of the dait foirsaid, propoitis, may now be saiflie delyuerit and putt in places quhair thai have vsit to be keipit of befoir, thairfoir ordanis the officiaris to pas and charge all and syndrie the saidis personis, that thai and ilkane of thame, for thair awin partis, present the syluer werk, jowellis, vestementis, and ornamentis, delyuerit in keiping to thame, efter the tenour of the said act, to the provest, ballies, and counsaill, within thre dayis nixt efter thai be chargit thairto, as thai and ilkane of thame will answer to thame thairpone."

Primo Augusti, Anno, etc., 1560.

"The quhilke day Archibald Douglas of Kinispindie, prouest, &c., decernis and concludis that the siluer wark pertenyng to the gude toun, vsit in Sanct Gelis Kirk in tymes past, bayth gilt and vngilt, be with all diligence sauld or cunzet, and the money thairof to be waryt vpoun the commoun warkis; and in speciall, vpoun the reparatioun and decoring of the Kirk, conforme to the ordinance maid the xix day of Julii last. And siclike, ordanis the hale vestimentis, kaipis, and vther kirk grayth, in lik maner to be sauld and bestowit vpoun the said Kirk wark, quhilke beand compleit, the superplns to be delinerit to Alexander Park, or the other thesaurer for the tyme, to be waryt vpoun the

¹ *Council Register*, vol. iii. fol. 35.

² *Ib.*, fol. 54.

³ *Ib.*, 5th March 1560-1, fol. 75.

wallis, commoun warkis of the toun, or for redemyng of the townys landis being in wedsett, as the Counsale sall think maist expedient; and for mair haistye expeditiou, and compleitong of the said Kirk wark, ordanis the personis quhilks hes the said siluer wark and kirk grayth in keiping, to be warnyt vpon nixt to produce the samyn before the counsale, and to be deliuerit to James Barroun, dene of gild, and Alexander Park, thesaurer, to be sauld or cunzet be thair avise, and the money thairof to be intromettit with be the said dene of gild, and applyit as said is, and he to rander compt of the samyn."

"Penultimo Augusti 1560.

"The quhilk day in presens of Archibald Dowglas of Kinspindie, prouest, &c., Alexander Guthrie, commone clerk of this burgh, delyuerit to James Barroun, dene of gild, the chalice, patene, and spyne, weyand xxxii unce and ane half; and the relict callit the Arme of Sanet Geill, in presens foirsaid, wes delyuerit to the said dene of gild be Maister Thomas Makealzeane; and siklyk Thomas Thomsoun, apothecair, delyuerit to the said dene of gild, the chresoun stok, and twa crowattis of syluer; and siklyk the said James Barroun presentit the greit eucharist, with the goldin werk and stanis, and of the wecht contenit in the act maid the sevint day of Januar, the yeire of God I^m v^e and fyfie-aucht yeris, and the foure goldin bellis with twa croces, ane greit, ane vther smal, with ane lytill hart, weyit in presens foirsaid, extendit to foure unce, ane half, and ane vnicorne weicht of gold; and siklyk the pece of gold that held the breid within the eucharist, ane litill blew bell of gold, ane litill hart with twa perles and four siudrie stanis sett with gold, with the litill ring and dyamont thairvpone, that wes upone the said Arme, weyit in the haill to ane unce four vnicorne wecht; and siklyk, Maister James Lyndsay delyuerit to the said dene of gild, the sacrament clayth of clayth of gold, with Sanet Gelis coitt, and the litill pendekle of reid veluett that hang at his feit. Quhilks jowallis and ornamentiwer laid in keping to the personis *respectiue* foirsaidis, the xxviii day of Junij, the yere of God I^m v^e and fyfie nyne yeris."

"Vii. Decembris, 1560.

"The samyn day the prouest, &c., ordanis James Barroun, dene of gild the yeir past, to delyuer to Maister James Watsoun, dene of gild for this present yeir, the money restand in his handis, pertenyng to the toun vpliftit be him the said last yeir of his office, for reparaling of the Kirk instantlie, quhilks sal be allowit to him at the making of his comptis, produceand the copye heirof for his warrand."

An extract from the Dean of Guild's Accounts, showing the proceeds of the sale, may also be subjoined:—

"1560. Oct. 1st week.—Compt of James Barroun, Dene of Gild of the Brugh of Edinburgh, in the yeir of God I^m v^e and thre score yeris.]

"In primis, The comptar charges him with the jowellis of the kirk, viz., the

eucharist conteinand foure litill bellis of gowld, ane blewe bell of gould, twa litill hartis, twa litill croces, all hingand at the said eucharist. The Arme of Sauct Geill, with the ringe one the finger of the samyne, ane sylver croce with the fute, foure chandlaris of sylver, twa censaris, ane schip, the cresum stoke, ane rownd euhareist, ane chalece, ane plate, ane spowne, twa crowatis, quhilkis all veiyt of cleire silwer, twa stane, fyweten pound, and awcht vnce vecht ; and of gowld, fywe vnce and ane halfe, and sawld twa stane, sex pound, thretene vnce of this silwer to Johne Hart, for twenty-one schillingis the vnce: summa in money, sex hundereth pound and fyftie-twa twelfe penneis.

“ Item, Sauld to Michal Gilbert, aucht pound alewyne vnce of the said silwer, for twenty-anе schillingis the vnce: summa, ane hundereth fowrti-fywe pound nynetene schillingis. (£145, 19s.)

“ Item, Sauld to Johne Hart, the fywe vnce and ane halfe gold, for ten pound fywe schillingis the vnce: summa, liiilb.: summa of the hail silwer and gold of the said jowellis is viii^e liiii lb. vii s. vi d. (£854, 7s. 6d.)

Item, The compter chargis him with ane dyamant stene quhilk wes in the ring on the finger of the forsaid Arme of St. Geill, sauld to Michael Gilbert for ixlb. vii s. viii d.” (£9, 6s. 8d.)

It might have been interesting to ascertain the fate of this precious relic, when removed from its silver shrine, and despoiled of its gold ring set with a diamond; but “the Arm-bane of Sanct Geill” had apparently lost all value in the eyes of the Reformed Council, and produced no sum to be entered in the Town’s Accounts. At a later period, on the 24th of June 1562, “the prouest, baillies, and counsale ordanis *the idole Sanct Geyll* to be cuttit furth of the Townys standert and the thrissil put in place thairof; and that the Thesaurer furnis taffate to the samyn, quhilk salbe allowit in his comptis.”

The following extract states the sums realized by the sale of other silver and brass work which belonged to the Collegiate Church:—

Accounts, James Watsonn, Dean of Guild, 6th October 1560 to 1561.

In primis, The comptar charges him with thre bellices of the organis, coft be Johne Mosman for vj li. (£6)

Item, The xiii day of Januar resawit be the comptar of sylwer wark ane croce and ane chelice of the Holy Blud olim, and ane vther of Sanct Anthone veyand altogider, in presens of Alexander Guthre, Dauid Symmer, and Michael Gilbert, quha coft the samyne for xxij schillingis the vnce, iiiij^x xj (91) vnce, summa in mony je li. xijij s. (£100, 14s.)

Item, The comptar chargis him with x^{xx} xvij (218) stane of brassine pyllars vith the mon (?) and the lettrome of bras, and of iij^{xx} xiij (93) stane xli lib. veicht, quhilk I ves causit to sell for xvij s. the stane to Adam Fullarton, bailye, be the counsall, extending in money, ij^e iiij^{xx} lib. xj s. vj d. (£280, 11s. 6d.)

The great religious question having been determined in August 1560, when the Scottish Parliament sanctioned the Presbyterian forms of discipline and church government, “ all claim and title to altars and revenues in the kirk ” were discharged, and regulations prescribed for the accommodation of the inhabitants. St. Giles’s Church having thus been stripped of its sculptured images and decorations, and the numerous altars removed, a portion of it continued to be used for public worship by the community, John Knox being sole minister of Edinburgh, with the assistance of a reader.

In February 1560-1, the Council ordered the Dean of Guild, with all diligence, to complete the stone gable at the west end of Sanct Gelis Kirk, and other necessary work within the said kirk. This may probably account for the disappearance of any traces of the great western door. In March 1568, he was directed “ to beit and mend the great window of the east gable of the kirk, and the window in Sanct Thomas Aisle; ” “ the great wyndois of Sanct Gelis Kirk, having been blawin down, and the maist part of the rufe tyrvit (uncovered) be the last greit wynd, swa that the pepill sall nocht convene thairintill at preaching and prayer.”

But the Church of St. Giles suffered not only from such accidents, as well as from the over-zeal of the early reformers, but also from the effects of civil contention, when Sir William Kirkaldy of Grange and Queen Mary’s adherents retained possession of the Castle. On the 28th of March 1571, Kirkaldy took forcible possession of St. Giles’s Church, and placed some of his men in the steeple to keep the citizens in awe. On the 4th of June, “ the men of weir in the steipill slappit all the pendis of the kirk for keeping thairof aganis my Lord Regent ; ” and on the 20th, “ there was placed in the steiple of Edinburgh thre peices of brasin ordinance, with viettallis and uthers necessaris for defending of the samyne.” Calderwood repeats the same statement, that the rebels of the Castle began, on the 2d of May 1571, to fortify the town, and, on the same day, “ to make holes in the vaute of the Great

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Kirk of Edinburgh, which they made like a riddell, to shoot thorough at such as they pleased within the kirk, or at such as would please to breake doun the pillers.”¹ This state of affairs was partly terminated on the 27th of July 1572, when “the haill artillery in Edinburgh, about the walls, on the steipill-head of Sanct Geill, and Kirk of Field, war tane to the Castle of Edinburgh.”²

Towards the closing period of the Reformer’s life, on returning to Edinburgh on the last day of August 1572, he preached “in the Great Kirk : but because his voice was become weaker, he desired another place to teache in, if it were but to an hundredth persons ; which was granted.”³ For this purpose a portion of the church was enclosed as a separate place of worship. He died on the 24th of the ensuing November, and was interred in the common burying-ground at the south side of St. Giles’s Church, in the presence of the Regent Earl of Morton, the rest of the nobility, and a great concourse of people. Like his great coadjutor Calvin, at Geneva, no stone or memorial appears to have been erected to mark the place of his interment ; but there is reason to believe it was nearly in a line with the entrance to the south transept, a little to the west of the base of Charles the Second’s equestrian statue, in the Parliament Close. In such a site a statue of the great Reformer would have been much more appropriate. Three years previously, the Regent Earl of Murray, amidst general lamentations at his untimely fate, was buried within the church, and a monument was erected to his memory at the public expense. In restoring the church, it might have been thought that such a monument would have escaped any sacrilegious hand ; but to the disgrace of our civic authorities, it was allowed to be demolished, and the brass tablet, containing engraved figures of Justice and Faith, with an inscription written by Buchanan, was removed.⁴ The monument itself cannot now be replaced, but it may be hoped that this monumental brass, one of the few existing specimens in Scotland, will yet, as it unquestionably ought, be replaced in the wall of the south transept.

¹ Calderwood’s *History*, vol. iii. pp. 73, 257.

² *Diurnal of Occurrences in Scotland*, pp. 202, 211, 226, 308.

³ Calderwood’s *History*, vol. iii. p. 24.

⁴ Having succeeded in transferring to stone an impres-

sion of the original brass, I was enabled to obtain a sufficient number of copies to gratify some Antiquarian friends ; and a reduced facsimile of this interesting historical memorial is given in the *Proceedings of the Society of Antiquaries of Scotland*, vol. i. p. 195.

The mortuary chapel connected with the cemetery already alluded to, was demolished in the year 1561.¹ In the following year² Queen Mary had conveyed, by a grant, the grounds of the Greyfriars to the Town of Edinburgh, for the purpose of a burial-place ; the Magistrates, in their supplication, having solicited that “ Youre Hieness will gif to ws the yairdis of the Grayfrieris and situatioun thairof, being sumquhat distant from oure Toune, to mak ane buriale place of, to burie and eird the personis deceis-sand theirin, sua that thairthrow the air within oure said toune may be the mair pure and clene.” On the same day, the Council ordained “ Edward alias Sir Edward Hendersoun to tak cure and charge over the warkis of the toune at St. Geillis kirkyaird, the Blak, and Gray Frieris ; and ordainis to gyve him 2 shillings on the day for his labouris, induring thair willis.” The erection of the Parliament House in 1631 was obviously the means of obliterating the public burying-ground round the church ; but the mass of human bones found in its immediate proximity during the process of renovation bore ample testimony of its previous existence. “ By my own observation,” says John Weever, in his *Ancient Funeral Monuments*, first published in 1631, “ *in the famous maiden city of Ediuburgh*, and in the parish churches of other towns, *the sepulchres of the dead are shamefully abused, or QUITE TAKEN AWAY* ; yea, and the churches themselves, with religious houses and other holy places, violated, demolished, or defaced.”³

Near the north-east corner of the outer wall of the church there has been replaced a stone with the combined shields of Napier of Merchiston and Napier of Wright’s Houses. This stone apparently belongs to the early part of the sixteenth century, and has the following inscription⁴ :—

S . E . P .
FAMILIE NAPERORUM INTERIUS
HIC SITUM EST.

which clearly points to a burying vault. It is therefore not at all impro-

¹ See Extracts in Appendix, No. 5.

² *Council Register*, 27th August 1562.

³ *Ancient Funeral Monuments*, p. 101. London, 1631, folio.—It is to be regretted that Weever’s intention was not fulfilled, in describing the funeral monuments

that were then to be found, which, he says, “ will be but few.”

⁴ See Napier’s *Memoirs of John Napier of Merchiston*, p. 425 ; and *Archæologia Scotica*, vol. iv. p. 214.

⁵ “ S . E . P .” evidently for *Sepulchrum*.

bable, that should the pews and flooring of the High Church ever be removed, there might be discovered some unexplored vaults or a crypt which escaped desecration during the course of the successive changes which were made in transforming if not disfiguring this portion of the church.

It had long been the practice to stipulate the repayment of certain sums for the redemption of lands, upon the high altar of the principal church of the parish, between the rising and setting of the sun. Many instances of this practice might be quoted from old deeds; but it may be sufficient to refer to two, in which the Church of St. Giles is specially mentioned in the years 1452¹ and 1543.² After the altars had been destroyed, the same custom of discharging any mutual contracts within the walls of the church still continued. Even so late as the year 1715, Sir Walter Scott mentions a deed by Lord Sinclair, "setting forth, that although the fee of the estate of Ravenscraig was settled upon his son John, Master of Sinclair, yet that the said fee was redeemable upon the granter making payment of a rose noble, or four pounds Scots money, *within St. Ceill's Church in Edinburgh, at the Earl of Murray's tomb.*"³ This part of the church, being the transept, must have remained open during the day, as appears from the various allusions to the Regent's tomb as a place of resort. A Popish writer, Father Alexander Baillie, of the order of St. Benedict, in 1628, has two chapters, "Of the Fruits of Knox his Evangel, the Douncasting of Churches," and "Of the Lamentable Profanation of St. Giles, &c.," in which he says, that this "our politician apostle and apostate Knox, . . . provoked the furious people by his own sacrilegious example to the spoiling and douncasting of churches, overthrowing of altars and organs, breaking of images, chalices, chandlers, basines, lauers, and whatsomever was made of gold or silver, apperteaning to the use of the Altare and sacrifice of the Masse; which he and his comrads turned al to profane and unhallowed uses; . . . They at the first made stables in Halyrudhous, which was renouned not only for holynes and devotion wont to be

¹ Hay's *Vindication of Elizabeth More.* Edinburgh, 1723. Chalmers's *Caledonia*, vol. ii. p. 774.

² *Bannatyne Miscellany*, vol. iii. pp. 284, 300.

³ *Memoirs of John, Master of Sinclair*, p. xiii., note. Edinburgh, printed for the Abbotsford Club, 1858, 4to.

therin; bot also for that it was the Burial-place of our Kings and their royal children." This author seems not to have been aware of the state in which the Abbey of Holyrood had been left by the English army in 1547. He also asserts that sheep-houses were made of St. Antone and St. Leonard's Chapels; and after expatiating "upon the deplorable state of the defaced and staggering steeples, the battered wals, broken doune pillars, and the floore al overgrowne with grasse and defiled with filth," of the once royal, brave, and gorgeous church of Aberbrothoc, he says, "Bot leaving it thus wasted and deplored, *I wil turn me, and take a view of St. Giles.*" Comparing it to the desolation of the Temple, he remarks, "If our Saviour Christ, when he came into the Temple of Jerusalem, did cast out al these who were buying and selling in it, and so heavily complained against them, that He sayd: 'It is written, my house sal be called a house of prayer, but yee have made it a den of theevies ;' how, I pray you, wold he say, if he were now entring in at S. Giles, and looking to bare wals and pillars al cled with dust, sweepings, and cobwebs, instead of painting and tapestrie; and on every side beholding the restless resorting of people treating of their worldly effaires; some writing and making obligations, contracts, and discharges; others laying countes or telling over soumes of money; and two and two walking and talking to and fro, some about merchandice or the lawes, and too many, alas, about drinking and courting of women, yea, and perhaps about worse nor I can imagine, as is wont to be done al the day long in the common Exchanges of London and Amsterdam, and other great cities; And turning him farther towards the west end of the church, which is devided in a high house for the Colledge of Justice, called *the Session or Senathouse* and a low house, called *the Low Tolbooth*, where the Bailiues of the Toune use to sit, and judge common actions and pleas in the one end thereof, and a number of harlots and scolds for flyting and whoredome inclosed in the other; And there, I meane, if our Saviour were present to behold such abominable desolation, that where alters were erected, and sacrifices with continual praises and praiers were wont to be offered up to the Lord, in remembrance of that bloody sacrifice of Christ on the crosse, there now ar holes for whores, and

eages for scolds, . . . how heavily wold He complaine, that they have made his house not only a denne of theeves, bot a dungeon of devils; and wold weep upon Edinburgh, as he did on Jerusalem, saying," &c.¹

There was much truth in this statement, as might be shown from the Council Registers. It would, however, be in vain to aim at pointing out all the internal changes made in this church during the two following centuries. In 1580, the city had three ministers, and some years later a fourth was added. But the Presbytery, or ministers of Edinburgh, deemed it advisable that the town should be subdivided into Parishes ; and in April 1595, the Synod of Lothian and Tweeddale appointed some of their brethren "to travel with the said Kirk and Council of Edinburgh, that the congregation thereof may be divided in several flocks, that every pastor may know their own flock." This scheme was at last successful, and the town was divided into four quarters or parishes. A subsequent proposal to increase this division to eight parishes² was not sanctioned ; but on the 18th of April 1598, four additional ministers were chosen, two for each quarter, and the following arrangements made, by which the parishioners of the north-east quarter resorted to the (Trinity) College Kirk ; of the south-east, to the Great Kirk of St. Giles ; of the south-west, to the Upper Tolbooth ; and of the north-east quarter, to the East or Little Kirk.³ Some disputes arose regarding the latter Kirk ; but on the 1st of August 1599, the King and Privy Council gave permission to the Provost, Bailies and Counsell of Edinburgh "to demolishe the wall biggit betwixt the East kirk and the Mid kirk of Sanct Geillis, and to take in a piller of the same Mid kirk and adjoyne the same to the East kirk, that it may be the mair able to hald the haill parochynaris of that quarter;"⁴ the former arrangements of the two churches to be restored when it shall please his Majesty, upon ten days' intimation. Calderwood states, that the East Kirk was thus enlarged about the beginning of April 1600.⁵ According to

¹ "A True Information of the Unhallowed Ofspring, Progresse, and Impoisoned Fruits of our Scottish-Calvinian Gospel, and Gospellers," pp. 22, 28. Printed at Wirtzburgh, 1628, 8vo.

² Maitland's *History of Edinburgh*, pp. 273, 274.

³ Calderwood's *History*, vol. v. p. 713.

⁴ *Registrum Secreti Concilii: Acta, 1593-1601.*

⁵ Calderwood's *History*, vol. vi. p. 27.

Row,¹ Edinburgh, in 1630, had four churches, with eight ministers : those churches were the South-West or Grayfriars' kirk, the Great Kirk or St. Geillis kirk, the Little Kirk of St. Geilis or the Easter kirk, and the North-East or College kirk. Charles the First, in his zeal for Episcopacy, erected Edinburgh into a See on the 29th of September 1633, and by a royal letter, dated the 11th of October, directed the Council to have St. Giles converted into a Cathedral Church, "according to the first intention of the erectors and founders thairof," by the removal of various walls and partitions.² In the further prosecution of this design, on the 10th of February 1636, James Hanna, Dean of St. Giles, was ordered to repair to Durham, "to take a draught (or plan) of the Choir of the Cathedral Church in that city, in order to fit up and beautify the inside of St. Giles's Church after the same manner."³ The tumult which took place within its walls upon the first reading of the English service, and subsequent events, restored the church for Presbyterian worship. Dr. William Forbes was the first Bishop of Edinburgh, but, unlike his namesake, the first Provost of this Collegiate Church, he did not long enjoy his Episcopal preferment. His patent is dated on the 2d of January 1634, and he died on the 1st of April following. His successor, David Lindesay, was translated from Brechin in 1634, but was deposed by the General Assembly at Glasgow in 1638. In December 1656, the East Kirk of St. Giles, according to Nicoll, being again divided, the eastmost kirk of the two was first completed, and then occupied. But within four years further changes were made, for the same contemporary authority says,⁴ "This yeir 1660, the twa eistmest kirkes of Edinburgh nerrest the great old kirk of St. Geill, were alterit ; the stane werk and devisioun betwixt thame wer alterit and takin doun, with thair loftis and haill frame, and these two kirkis, being formerlie twa kirkes, wer now erectit in one kirk ; the Kingis saitt placed thairin, dasses, saittes, and loftis inlairged for ease of his Majesteis Commissioner, and of the nobles and utheris of the Parliament now convenit to be haldin the first day of Januar nixt." After

¹ Row's *History*, (Wodrow Society,) p. 352.

² Maitland's *History of Edinburgh*, p. 281.

³ Maitland's *History of Edinburgh*, p. 281.

⁴ Nicoll's *Diary*, (Bannatyne Club,) p. 314.

the Restoration, Episcopacy being again introduced, George Wishart, the historian of Montrose's Wars, was appointed Bishop of Edinburgh in 1662. He died in 1671, and was succeeded by Alexander Young, who was translated to Ross in 1679, to make room for John Paterson, who became Archbishop of Glasgow in 1687. Alexander Rose, the last of this race of Prelates, was ejected at the Revolution in 1688. Father Augustine Hay says, "Whilst I was young, St Giles was divided into three, viz., the New Church, whereof the first minister was named Dean, the Old Church, and the Tolbooth Church. Since the Prince of Orange mastered Scotland, there is a new division ; the fourth part is called the North Church."¹ This fourth church was commonly known as the Little Kirk, or Haddo's Hole, and formed the north-west division of the building.

The remarks which have incidentally been made, might suggest the conclusion that the internal changes had destroyed the original design and proportions of St. Giles's Church. The building of parapet walls, and the removal of others, with the numerous subdivisions, no doubt prevented the form of the building from being easily recognised ; still its mediæval character was not destroyed, and it only remained for an architect skilled in Gothic architecture, and embued with true taste and feeling, to render such a building worthy of the metropolis of Scotland. Mr. Rickman, who was at least free from all local prejudices or feelings, and was familiar with the finest remains of English ecclesiastical architecture, in his notice of St. Giles, says, "The exterior appearance of the church is much deteriorated by its windows being despoiled of tracery, the destruction of battlements, parapets, and pinnacles, and various modern alterations, but it is in contemplation to restore it, and of this it is very capable, as the substantial part of the building is not much injured, and if the interior divisions were cleared, it would make one or even two very fine churches."² On the ground-plan, it would not be

¹ *Scotia Sacra, &c.*, by Father Richard Augustine Hay, p. 374. MS. Advocates Library.

² Rickman's "Attempt to Discriminate the Styles of

Architecture in England," &c. 3d edition, p. 365. Lond. 1825. 8vo.

difficult to point out that in its arrangements the proper rules of geometrical construction had been rigidly followed,¹ thus admitting the successive enlargements of the transept and chancel, and the addition of side aisles and chapels in conformity with such rules.² In connexion with the ground-plan inserted at the close of these Notices, the following description given by Arnot in the year 1779,³ may be quoted, as it shows the several purposes to which the building was appropriated.

" THE CHURCH OF ST. GILES is a beautiful Gothick building, in length from east to west, on the outside of the wall, two hundred and six feet. Its breadth, at the west end, is one hundred and ten feet, in the middle, a hundred and twenty-nine feet, but at the east end, only seventy-six. It is adorned with a lofty square tower, the top of which is encircled with open figured stone work, resembling the ornaments that enrich the circlet of an imperial crown. From each side and each corner of the tower, rises a slip of stone-work, which, meeting in the top with that which springs from the opposite side forms four arches intersecting each other, and compleating the figure of an imperial crown, the top of which terminates in a pointed spire. The church is built on a very elevated situation, and the height of the spire is a hundred and sixty-one feet.

" At the Reformation, this Church was, for the greater commodiousness, divided by partition-walls. The four principal apartments are allotted for divine worship ; the lesser ones to other purposes. The chief of these divisions is called the *New Church*. It is formed out of the choir of St. Giles's. In it are the King's seat, those of the Lord Provost and Magistrates, and of the Judges of the Court of Session, this being the principal church in the city.

THE OLD CHURCH.

" The central part of St. Giles is fitted up as a place of worship, for the accommodation of the citizens, and called the Old Church.

THE TOLBOOTH CHURCH,

" Upon the Reformation, the Presbyterians conceived an immoderate aversion at bestowing the names of any of the saints upon their churches ; but distinguished them by some circumstance respecting the time or manner of erection, of vicinity, &c. This church accordingly, which occupies the south-west quarter of St. Giles's, from its vicinity to the prison-house, was termed the *Tolbooth Church*.

¹ See Hawkins's *Gothic Architecture*, p. 157.

² For pointing out the above fact, I am indebted to Mr. Andrew Kerr of H.M. Board of Works, whose extensive practical knowledge in such matters is well known,

and his readiness to communicate information on matters of antiquarian research.

³ Arnot's *History of Edinburgh*, p. 270. Edinb., 1779, republished 1788, 4to.

HADDOW'S-HOLE CHURCH.

“ This occupies the north-west part of St. Giles's. It was not fitted up as a place of worship till A.D. 1699. It takes the name of *Haddow's-hole*, from its having been made a prison, in which a gentleman of the name of Haddow was long confined.

“ Besides these churches, the smaller apartments in this cathedral are appropriated to several purposes. The chief of them is fitted up for the General Assembly. A throne is erected in it for his Majesty's Commissioner. The Convention of Royal Burghs is also held in this apartment. In other parts of this church, the City Clerks of Edinburgh, and the Kirk-Session Clerks, have their offices; and one of the rooms is used as the city-cartulary [charter room] of Edinburgh.”

Several external changes or repairs had been made on the walls, doors, and windows, prior to the close of the last century. The most important change was probably that which took place in the year 1560, by converting the western portion of the church, with some additions, into a Tolbooth or Court of Justice, and the eastern portion into a School.¹ But want of space prevents any further notice being taken of subsequent repairs and alterations, except to state that in the year 1648, the steeple required also to be in part rebuilt.² In all the changes, however, which the building underwent during a period of more than six centuries, the old Norman doorway on the north remained entire. From the Council Records, 30th July 1760, we find it was represented “that the walls of the church commonly called Haddo's Hole were very hungrie, and ought to be pointed;” and this was authorized to be done without loss of time, in “the most frugal manner.” In the following year some other necessary improvements were in progress, according to a plan exhibited to the Council, and these were directed to be done, still in “the most frugal manner.” But it seems to have been in the year 1798, when some alterations were made upon the vestry of Haddo's Hole or New North Church, that the original Norman doorway fell a sacrifice to that indifference to what was venerable for its antiquity, which then unhappily prevailed.

It might be out of place to describe the various buildings which surrounded St. Giles's Church as they appeared in the earlier part of the present century, before the demon-spirit of improvement had taken possession of

¹ Council Register, 19th June 1560, Appendix, see p. cvii.

² *Ib.* p. cxii.

the inhabitants of Edinburgh.¹ There is not perhaps a city in Europe, that has been so singularly unfortunate in having its most venerable public buildings ruined or destroyed, and its picturesque old houses swept away, in the course of modern improvements. The first false step consisted in changing the external character of the Parliament House, erected in the reign of Charles the First. This building was commenced in 1631, and completed in 1640, at an expense of £11,600 sterling. "No one," says Lord Cockburn, "who remembers the old exterior, can see the new one without sorrow and indignation."² But while the High Street was improved by the gradual removal of the Luckenbooths, or pile of buildings to the north of the church, and of the Old Tolbooth or Jail, immortalized as the "Heart of Mid-Lothian," and by the demolition of the houses in Forrester's Wynd, and other tenements on the west, including the Council Chambers and the Goldsmiths Hall, as well as the numerous booths or shops erected between the buttresses, both on the south and north sides of the church, the building itself, having escaped the great fires of 1824, remained, it is true, a somewhat unsightly object, but capable, in competent hands, of any improvement.

In the year 1817 or 1818, when plans for the restoration of this Church by Mr. Archibald Elliot, architect, were prepared, and exhibited by the Town Council, it was objected, that this was "an original building in the school of Mr. Elliot, not a renovation of the ancient building, and that the regularity of the plan gave it too much the character of an enlarged modern chapel." From the notices given of these plans, it is evident that all the most objectionable parts are slavishly copied in the actual renovation which took place ten or twelve years later.

His plans,³ although they bore no

¹ Having for several years, at an early period of life, sat in the Tolbooth Church during the incumbency of its two worthy ministers, Dr. Davidson and Dr. Campbell, I may well remember not only the interior, but the access to the church by the southern porch, after passing through the covered passage which led into the Parliament Close from the west. The church itself, it will be seen from the ground plan, consisted of the three western chapels erected in the year 1387, enlarged with a portion of the southern aisle of the original nave.

² Lord Cockburn's *Memorials*, p. 106. He there makes some remarks on the total want of taste which prevailed at this period: the building itself, he says, "might have been painted scarlet, without anybody objecting."

³ Some judicious observations on these plans appeared in an article affectingly styled a "Report of the Committee of Dilettanti," in *Blackwood's Magazine* for July 1818, vol. iii. p. 408. See also the *Edinburgh Magazine* for November 1817, and June 1818, p. 538. But no regard was paid to these anonymous recommendations.

resemblance to the ancient edifice, consisted at least of the most simple and appropriate mode of division of the building into an East and West Church, with the transept as a great hall for the meetings of the General Assembly. When the church was remodelled, the Preston Aisle was assigned for this purpose, but it proved so unsuitable, that it had to be abandoned, and converted into a church, for which it was not much better adapted. It cannot therefore cease to be a matter of deep and unavailing regret, that when in 1829 it was resolved to improve St. Giles, the architect had not been expressly restricted to lopping off all modern excrescences, and to such restorations as might be required, in conformity to the original style of the building. But the genius of the architect was not to be trammelled with preserving what remained of the stone traceries of old windows, or carved niches and canopies, or antique turrets ; while aisles or chapels with lofty vaulted ceilings, ornamented bosses, and groined ribs, however imposing, were by no means so convenient as they would be when separated into an upper and under apartment, for holding heating apparatus and for other purposes ; and deep, recessed porches, with rich groinings, although highly pietur-esque, were not to be compared with the three doorways, or principal entrances, all of one pattern, on which large windows might be supported. It might otherwise, at a comparatively moderate expense, have been converted into one principal church, and an Assembly Hall, and have preserved our venerable Collegiate Church to the delight of many generations as one of the finest objects in Edinburgh. Instead however of directing its restoration, as formerly, in “the most frugal manner,” in addition to what the city funds could advance, Government was, unluckily, induced to contribute the sum of £12,600 in order to have the building renovated in the most approved and fashionable style of modern Gothic architecture;¹ and OUR ANCIENT VENERABLE CHURCH WAS RENOVATED WITH A VENGEANCE. Not a single ancient monument now exists within the walls ; all the beautiful details and decorations were disregarded ; and, externally, with the exception of the steeple, it may be said that not one stone, or

¹ The entire sum expended in this unfortunate restoration amounted to £20,843, 17s. 10d.

window, of the old edifice was allowed to remain. When Rickman therefore says, "There are several ancient monuments in this church,"¹ it may be asked, What became of them? In short, although a parish or collegiate church can never be compared with a great cathedral erected during the best times of Gothic architecture, it is no improbable supposition, that had St. Mungo's Cathedral in the west been renovated on the same principle, Glasgow might now have had plaster and whitewash instead of stone, the floor reduced to one level, the Lady Chapel removed as an incumbrance, the glorious Crypt, as, strange to say, it was in our own days, again filled with earth, and the Nave disfigured with pews and galleries. In some other locality, the Church of St. Giles, as it now exists, might have been ornamental; but it is no longer the historical church where Knox preached, where the General Assemblies from the period of the Reformation had usually held their meetings, in which so many stirring events were transacted, and in and around which the mortal remains of our most distinguished citizens, and of many generations, had been deposited. An eloquent modern writer, in allusion to such restorations, says, "By the exertion of great national powers, and under the guidance of enlightened monarchs, we may raise magnificent temples and gorgeous cities; we may furnish labour for the idle, and interest for the ignorant. *But the power neither of emperors, nor queens, nor kingdoms, can ever print again upon the sands of time the effaced footsteps of departed generations, or gather together from the dust the stones which had been stamped with the spirit of our ancestors.*"²

Previously to this remodelling of the church, begun in 1829 and ended in 1833, careful plans and elevations had been executed by direction of the Barons of Exchequer. These plans, drawn by the late Mr. John Chalmers, are deposited in the Office of H.M. Board of Works; and by the kindness of Robert Matheson, Esq., accurate copies on a reduced scale have been made for the present volume, in order to preserve some record of the original

¹ Rickman's "Attempt," &c., 3d edition. p. 365. Lond., 1825, 8vo.

² "The Opening of the Crystal Palace considered in some of its relations to the prospects of Art. By John Ruskin, M.A.," p. 21. Lond., 1854, 8vo.

edifice. The church had latterly been subdivided into four places of public worship, besides the City Clerk's chambers, and the old Police Office. The references on the ground-plan are added to point out these several divisions. We could have wished that some pains had been taken to preserve accurate views of the southern porch, the monuments, and other interesting objects which do not now exist; with the exception of the round arch of this porch, which is now rebuilt between the south pillars of the centre tower, as the entrance to the Old Church. South St. Giles's Church, so inappropriately called *The Old Church*, is formed of the south transept connected with parts of the Preston Aisle and of the chapels of 1387 which were not demolished. The proper *Old Kirk of St. Giles* must have been the nave and side aisles to the west of the centre tower, running parallel with the High or *New Kirk* until it was subdivided, and portions of it appropriated to the three churches marked in the ground-plan with the letters B, C, and D.

I have only further to add, that as an Appendix to these Notices, there are subjoined, 1. Some Charters discovered subsequent to the printing of the text ; 2. Extracts from the Chamberlain Rolls, 1389 to 1437 ; 3. A list of the several Altars erected or endowed within the Church prior to the Reformation ; 4. A list of the Prebendaries and other Officials so far as their names have been recovered ; and 5. Occasional selections from the Council Records of the City of Edinburgh.

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Edinburgh.



SEAL OF THE CHAPTER OF ST GILES, EDINBURGH,

APPENDED TO THE CHARTER NO CXL A.D. 1496.

REFERENCES TO THE ACCOMPANYING GROUND-PLAN OR SURVEY OF
ST. GILES'S CHURCH, IN THE YEAR 1826.¹

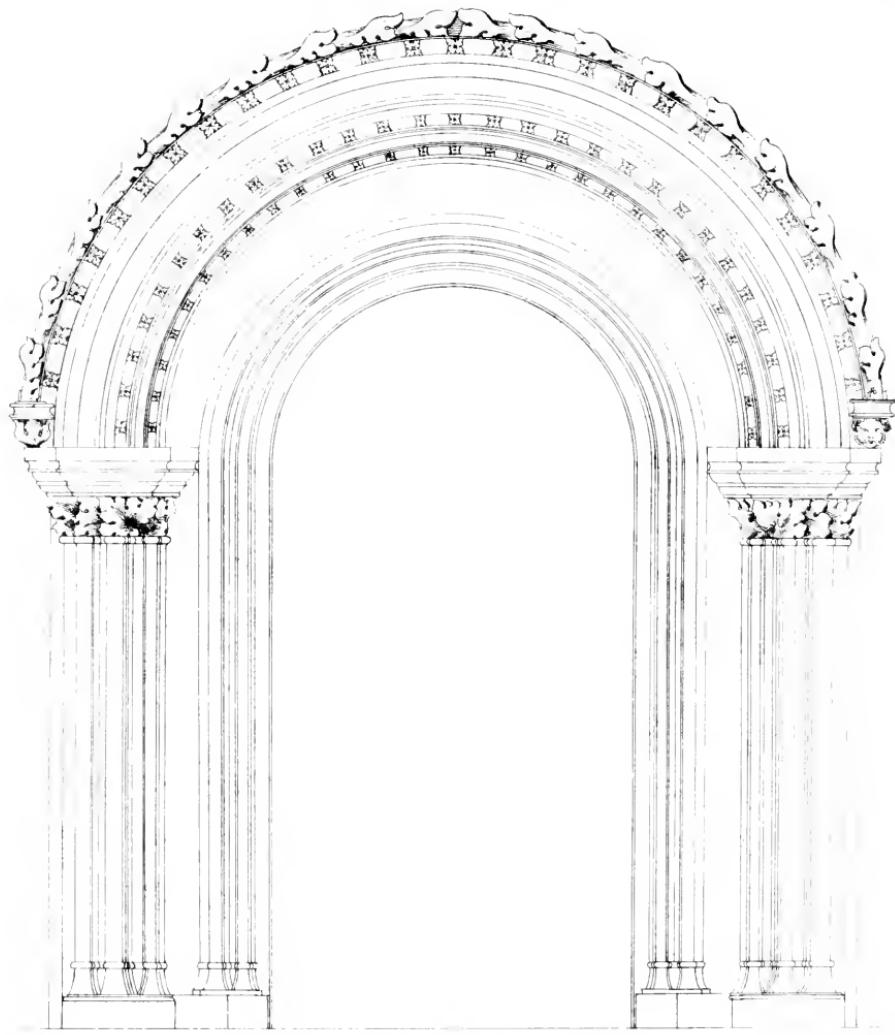
- A The High Kirk, formerly (1579-1787) called the New Kirk.
- B The Old Kirk, so named since the year 1689.
- C The Tolbooth Kirk, so named since the year 1689.
- D The Little Kirk or Haddow's Hole, erected in 1698, and then called the North New Kirk.
- E The Preston or Assembly Aisle.

(The cross lines between the pillars are added to mark the party walls with which the building was partitioned into the above places of worship towards the close of the seventeenth century.)

- a* The South Porch, with the Vestry, built in 1387, and latterly the principal entrance to the Tolbooth Church.
- b* *1*, *b* *2*, *b* *3*, *b* *4*, *b* *5*, The five Chapels built in 1387. At the west of *b* *5*, there was a side entrance to the Tolbooth Church. At the south-west corner of the Church, and the north-west of the Parliament House, there was a covered footpath, which led to the Parliament Close, having on the right hand an entrance to the Council Chambers.
- c* The south door of the "Old Church," formerly the entrance to the South Transept. It was approached by a flight of steps from the Parliament Close, and remained open during the day.
- d* The Caithness Aisle or Chapel, containing an Ancient Tomb, usually so called after William Sinclair, created Earl of Caithness by James the Second in 1455, but which probably was not erected till the beginning of the sixteenth century. The west part of this Aisle, along with the South Porch (*a*), are now demolished.
- e* The Tomb of the Regent, Earl of Murray, 1570.
- f* The Tomb of John, fourth Earl of Atholl, 1579.

¹ In these references I have been aided by the recollections of the Rev. JOHN SIME, who prepared the ground-plan of the Church which is introduced into Wilson's *Memorials of Edinburgh*, vol. ii. p. 222.

- g* Walter Chepman's Aisle, afterwards called the Montrose Aisle.
- h* An opening under the belfry or central Tower.
- i* A modern North entrance to the High Kirk, now built up.
- k* The Napier Monument.
- l* A niche in the wall at Our Lady's Steps.
- m* A modern South entrance to the High Kirk, now built up.
- n* The East door of the General Assembly Aisle.
- o* The ancient North Porch or Norman door—(see the engraved frontispiece). Immediately opposite this was the Old Kirk Style, called the Stinking Style.
- p* A modern doorway into Haddo's Hole Kirk, opened when the old Porch (*o*) was removed.
- q* The Pillar of the Albany Chapel—(see woodcut, p. xii.)
- r* The North entrance to the Old Kirk previous to 1801.
- s* The North Transept and Aisle, but latterly occupied as offices for the City Clerks and others.
- z* The South Transept.



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ELEVATION OF THE DOOR OF THE SOUTHERN PORCH, ERECTED in '88.

EAST ELEVATION

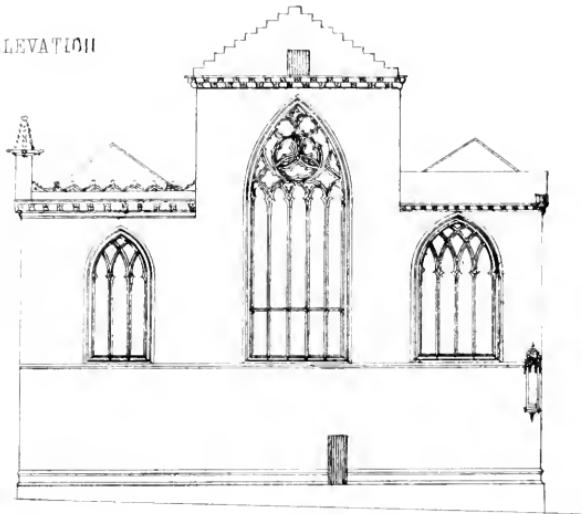
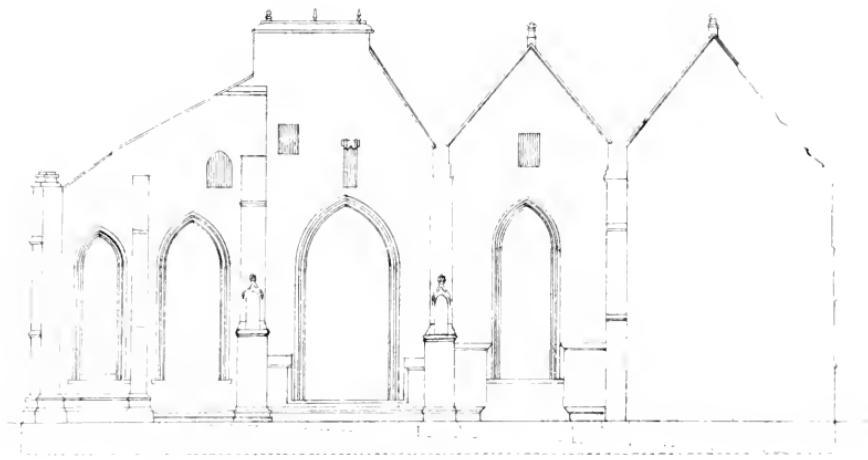


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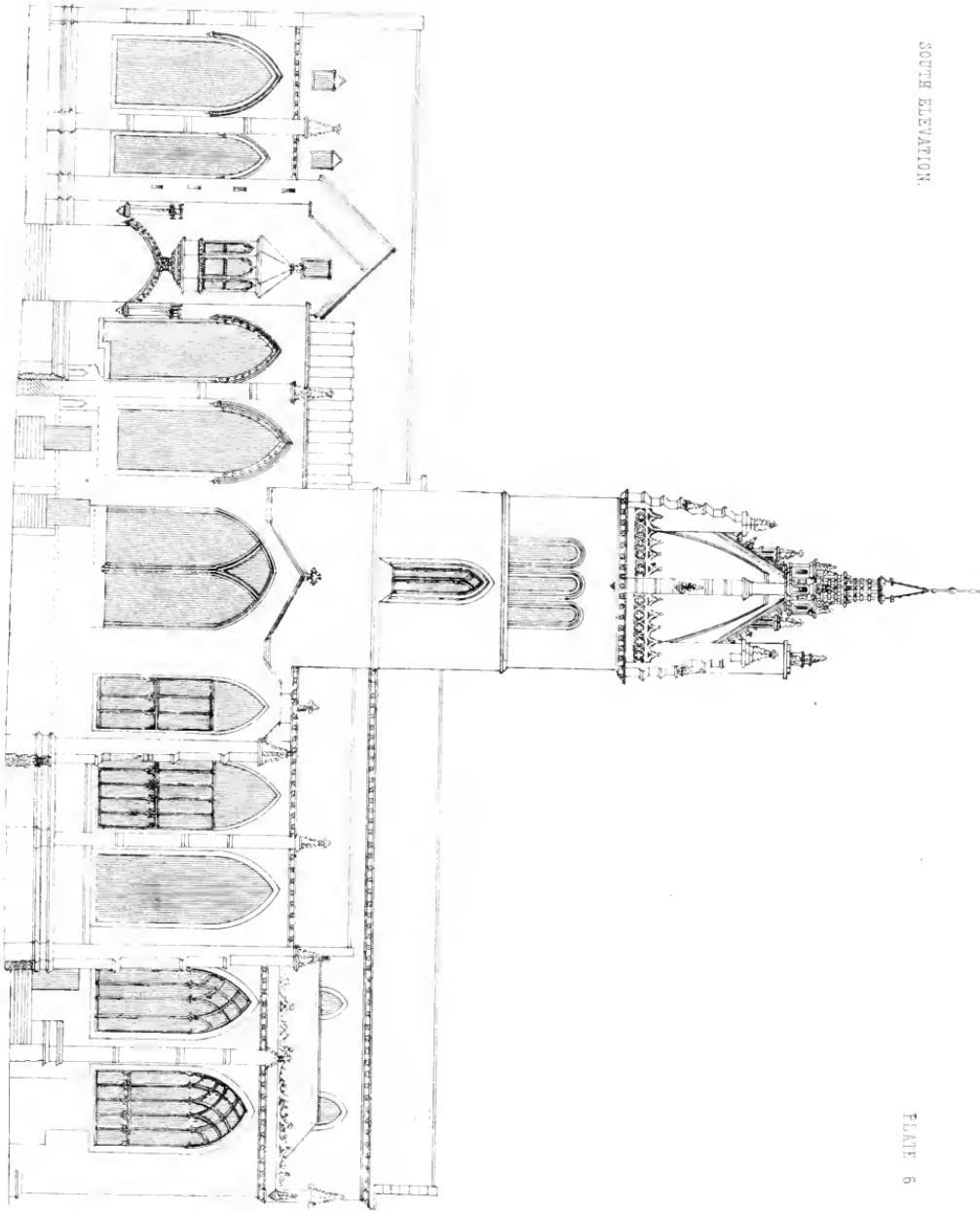
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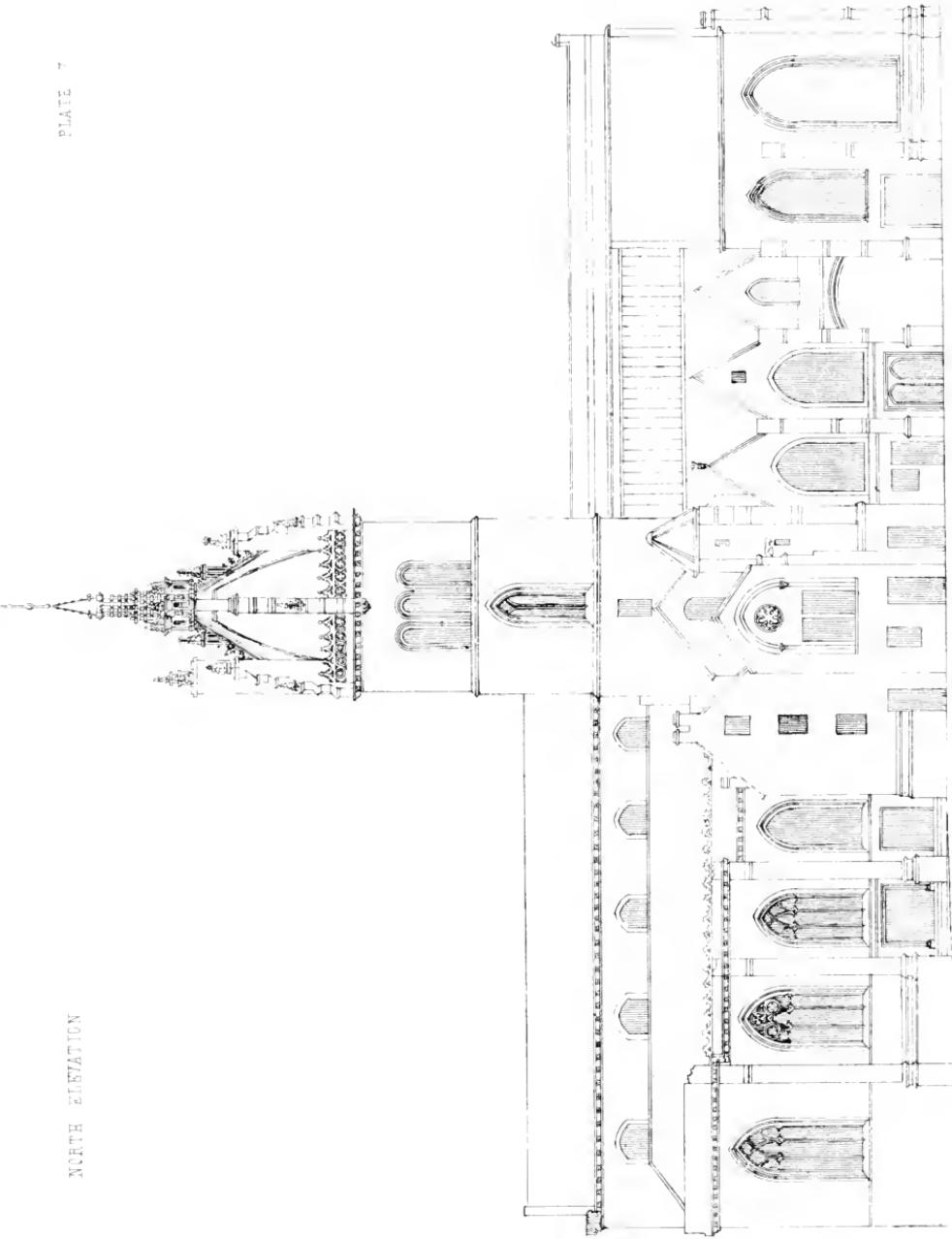
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NORTH ELEVATION

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APPENDIX.

No. I.—ADDITIONAL CHARTERS.

[Confirmacio carte Johannis Forstare.]

1 Jacobus Dei gracia rex Scotorum omnibus probis hominibus tocius terre
fue clericis et laicis salutem . Sciatis nos quandam cartam . . . intellexisse ad
plenum sub hac forma . Vniuersit fanete matris ecclesie filiis ad quos pre-
fentes litere peruererint Johannes Forstare de Corforfyne miles salutem
in Domino sempiternam . Noueritis me . . . ad sustentacionem vnius capellani
diuina celebrantis . . . ad altare Beati Niniani in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidii
de Edinburgh situatum pro salubri statu domini nostri regis Jacobi illustris
Johanne regine moderne antecessorum et successorum suorum pro salute eciam
quondam Ade Forstare patris mei et Margarete matris mee et pro salute
anime mee Margarete quondam uxoris mee antecessorum et successorum
nostrorum et pro salute animarum omnium fidelium defunctorum sex libras
tresdecim solidos et quatuor denarios vsualis monete regni Scocie . . . leuandas
de annuis redditibus meis burgi de Edinburgh videlicet de tenemento Ade de
Knokkis iacente in burgo predicto ex parte boreali eiusdem inter terram quon-
dam Symonis Duwele ex parte orientali ex parte vna et terram quondam Du-
thaci Wigmere ex parte occidentali ex parte altra quatuor libras tresdecim
solidos et quatuor denarios et de quodam tenemento Roberti de Bonkill
iacente in prefato burgo ex parte boreali eiusdem inter terram Alani de

Twedy ex parte orientali ex parte vna et terram Willelmi de Wyntoun ex parte occidentali ex parte altra quadraginta solidos · Tenendas . . . in puram et perpetuam elemosinam a me et heredibus meis . . . referuato michi et heredibus iure presentandi dictum capellanum ad capellaniam predictam episcopo Sanctiandree . . . Volo eciam et ordino quod nullus nisi sacerdos nec curam habens animarum ad dictam capellaniam presentetur alioquin presentacio nulla sit ipso iure et quod capellanus institutus teneatur ad personalem et continuam residenciam in capella predicta . Volo eciam quod si aliquis capellanus sic institutus ad beneficium curatum contingat forsitan promoueri eo ipso capellania predicta sit priuatus . et quod dictus capellanus non sit presbiter parochialis sed quod omni die celebret diuina cum dispositus fuerit et dicat *Placebo* et *Dirige* eum commendacione animarum exceptis priuilegiatis pro animabus omnibus supradictis . Nichil inde faciendo nisi oracionum suffragia deuotarum . In cuius rei testimonium presenti carte mee sigillum meum apponi feci apud Corstorfyne secundo die mensis Marcii anno Domini millesimo quadragecentesimo vicefimo quinto presentibus probis et discretis viris Willelmo de Lebirtoun preposito dicti burgi Johanne de Towris Adam de Bonkill et Johanne Fawside balliuis eiusdem burgi Roberti de Bonkill decano gilde Georgio de Lauadre Johanne de Fentoun Johanne de Dune Roberto de Lorne Roberto de Nudre et Johanne Broun Clerk ac multis aliis burgentibus dicti burgi testibus ad premissa vocatis . Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus . Nichil inde faciendo dictus capellanus nobis preter oracionum suffragia deuotarum . In cuius rei testimonium presenti carte nostre confirmationis magnum sigillum nostrum apponi fecimus testibus venerabili viro magistro Johanne Cameroun custode magni sigilli nostri Roberto de Lauadre iusticiariorum nostro Waltero de Ogilvy thesaurario nostro militibus magistro Edwardo de Lauadre archidiacono Laudonie in ecclesia Sanctiandree et Willelmo de Cadyhou clero cancellarie nostre apud Edinburgh vicefimo quinto die mensis Februarii anno Domini millesimo [quadragecentesimo] vicefimo quinto et regni nostri vicefimo.

Pro altari Sancti Christofiri fundato in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidii de Edinburgh.

- 2 In Dei nomine Amen . . . pateat . . . quod anno . . . millesimo quadringentesimo quinquagesimo . . . die . . . Januarii duodecimo . . . personaliter constituti . . . Willelmus Skynner Gillerift Turnebule Hugo Tod Alanus Skynner Willelmus Stallt Jacobus Harlaw Dauid Littill Thomas Yule Willelmus de Camusnethane Edmundus Skynner Johannes Mathe Dauid Wilky Thomas Salman Willelmus Lathame Johannes de Kympill Willelmus Ramsay et Andreas pelliparii infra willam de Edinburch . . . obligati sunt in forma que sequitur videlicet · Quod [ad] seruicium et sustentacionem vnius capellani ad celebrandum apud altare Sancti Christoferi nouiter fundatum per supradictos infra ecclesiam Beati Egidii de Edinburch et ad reparacionem ornamentorum dicti altaris quilibet dictorum pro toto tempore vite sue ac secundum facultatem bonorum manus adiutrices apponet · Item quilibet accipiens prenticum ad artem pelliparii soluet ad reparacionem dicti altaris quinque solidos monete tunc currentis ac eciā quod nullus prenticius [per] quemcunque ipsorum accipietur ad dictam artem pelliparii nisi consimiliter obligatus fuit post lapsum annorum sui prenticii ad libertatem ut supra manus suas adiutrices secundum facultatem bonorum ad reparacionem dicti altaris ut supradictum est apponi · Item quod quilibet prenticius antequam ad artem pelliparii recipietur iurabit et obligabitur ut quam sito venerit ad libertatem sui prenticii quod non recipiet quemcunque prenticum ad artem pelliparii nisi ad reparacionem dicti altaris ut supradicimus soluat quinque solidos . et sic de similibus imperpetuum · Item ordinatum est quod si contingat aliquam debatam discordiam aut contrauerisam infra dictos pelliparios quoquomodo impofterum [exoriri] ambe partes discordes determinacioni et ordinacioni artis sociorum earundem et decreto concilii et duodenae burgi stabunt et subibunt . . . Aeta fuerunt infra ecclesiam Beate Marie de Campo hora tercia post meridiem . . . presentibus . . . dominis Alexander Hundby Johanne Moffat Johanne Hendirfione capellanis et Thoma Broun mercatore cum . . . aliis . . .

[Grant of the Aisle and Chapel of Saint John the Baptist to the Incorporation of Mafons and Wrights.]

- 3 **T**il all and sindry quham it efferis quhais knawlag ther pñt lñes fal cum the prouost bailyheis consale deñ of gilde t ye dekinis of the hale craft mē wñin the burgh of Edinburgh greting in the sone of the gloriouß Virgine . Wit yhe ws in the honour worship and glore of Almychi God and of the gloriouſe virgin sanet Mary and of our patronē Sanct Gele and for the furthirng helping eiking and suppleing of diuine seruice daily to be done at the alter of Sanct John the ewangeleſt foundit in the Colleg Kirk of Sanct Geil of Edinburgh and for reparaciōn beilding and poleſy to be maid in honour of the ſaid ſanet of Sanct Johñ and of the gloriouſe ſanet Sanct Johñ the baptiſt / to have conſentit and affignit and be thir our pñt lñes conſentis t affignes to oure louit nyctburis the hale craftiſmen of the mafonis and of the wrichtis wihtin the ſaid burgh the yle and chapell of Sanct Johñ fra the ald herſ of yrn inwart als frely as it is ouris wiht all the fredomis proffittis t eſementis thareto pertenand at we haf or maye haf richt to noct doand nor commitand ony preiudice or feaith to fr Johñ Scaithmuſ or his ſuccelouris in his firſt feftment or priuilegis that he has broukit or ioiſit of before . To be haldin t to be had the ſaid yle and chapell of Sanct Johne fra the yrn herſ inwart wiht the pertinance to the ſaidis craftiſmen the mafoniſ and wrichtis of the ſaid burgh and to thair ſuccelouris for euir wiht powere to edify big reparell t put it ony part thareof to poleſy or honour of the ſaid ſanetis outhir in werk or diuine seruice quhatſumevir at the alter or wthir wayis noct hurtand the auld feftment . And the ſaidis craftis men to vſe occupy and aduoury the ſaid yle as thare awin propir yle ſielik as wtheris craftiſmen occupiis within the ſaid colleg kirk noct doand ony preiudice to oure patronage or to the auld feftment or to the auld lavis in the ſaid yle . And at the ſaid craftiſmen fal aduoury t haf the day of Sanct Johñ the baptiſt and to thig to the licht of the ſaid alter as wtheris dois in the kirk yherly . Ande this till all thame quham it efferis we mak it knawin be

thir oure pñt lñes . And in witueffing hereof oure cōmon fele of cause of the faid burgh togidder witht ye felis of Alexander Turing Dauid Quhithed Bertilnew Carnis bailyheis for the tyme and Alexander Richertfons fele deñ of the gild in takin of gevin consent and affignacioñ to the faidis craftis men of the faid yle be the handis of the dekin for thaim all ar tohongin at Edinburgh the xv daye of the moneth of Oþober the yher of God a thonfand foure hundreth sevinty and five yheris.

[De pensione Magistro Willelmo Forbes concessiā.]

4 Data fuit carta sub magno sigillo in maiori forma magistro Willelmo Forbes preposito ecclie collegiate Beati Egidii de Edinburgh de vna annua pensione ducentarum et viginti marcarum vñualis monete regni nostri per prepositum balliuos consules et totam communitatem burgi de Edinburgh sibi magistro Willelmo pro toto tempore vite sue concessa percipienda annuatim et leuanda de molendinis communibus de le Dene cum pertinenciis iacentibus infra vicecomitatum de Edinburgh ad duos anni terminos vñiales Penthecostes videlicet et Sancti Martini in yeme per equales porciones ac de firmis multuris et proficiis dictorum molendinorum . quibus deficientibus de omnibus et singulis terris redditibus proficius custumis et commoditatibus dicti burgi cum omnibus et singulis commoditatibus et libertatibus etc. fine reuocacione quacumque etc. apud Edinburgh secundo die mensis Octobris anno Domini millesimo quadringentesimo septuagesimo octauo et regni nostri decimo nono.

Pro Sancto Niniano in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidii de Edinburgh.

5 Secundo die mensis Septembris anno etc. nonagesimo tercio indicacione vñdecima pontificatus pape Alexandri sexti anno secundo personaliter accessit honorabilis vir Johannes Craufurd vñus balliuorum burgi Vicieanonicorum monasterii Sancte Crucis de Edinburgh ad instanciam et requestum Andreæ Moubray burgensis burgi de Edinburgh ad tenementum terre Johannis

Burne cum pertinentiis iacens in dicto burgo Vicicanicorum ex parte australi Viei Regii eiusdem inter terram quondam Andree Eracole ex parte orientali ex parte vna et terram dicti Johannis Craufurd balliui ex parte occidentali ex parte altera. Et ibidem resignacione cuiusdam annualis redditus quinque solidorum visualis monete regni Scocie exenncium annuatim et lenandorum ad festa Penthecostes et Sancti Martini in hieme per equales porciones de toto et integro dicto tenemento terre ante et retro cum pertinentiis per dictum Andream Moubray per exhibicionem vnius denarii in manibus dicti Joannis Craufurd balliui pure et simpliciter facta. Et incontinenter idem balliuus virtute fui officii faifinam statum et posseffionem hereditariam tocius predicti annualis redditus quinque solidorum cum pertinentiis domino Ilugoni Laufone capellano altaris Sancti Niniani confessoris situati in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidii de Edinburgh nomine et ex parte Sancti Niniani dicti altaris pro sustentacione vnius lampadis ardendi coram dicto altari per tradicionem et deliberacionem huiusmodi denarii ut moris est et in talibus fieri confuetum secundum tenorem carte mortificationis per dictum Andream Moubray defuper confepte dedit tradidit pariter et deliberauit faluo iure cuiuslibet. Super premisso dictus dominus Hugo Laufone capellanus nomine Sancti Niniani altaris predicti pecuit instrumenta. Acta erant hec super fundum dicti tenementi hora nona ante meridiem vel eocirca sub anno etc. presentibus ibidem prouidis viris videlicet Johanne Carwour Johanne Clerke Willelmo Hill Nicholayo Elphinstone Roberto Smyth Nicholayo Turnour Willelmo Kuke et Johanne Henrifone feriendo dicti burgi testibus ad premisso vocatis etc.

Pro Archibaldo Naper de Merchamstoun.

- 6 Octavo die mensis Maii anno Domini millesimo quingentesimo tercio . . .
 accepit . . . Walterus Cant de Orchardfeild balliuns . . . domini Johannis Craufurd prebendarii de Ovirmerchamstoun capellani altaris Sancte Katherine virginis situati in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidii de Edinburgh ac domini superioris terrarum de Ovirmerchamstoune . . . ad instantiam . . .

Archibaldi Naper de Merchamstoune heredis quondam Alexandri Naper de Merchamstoune militis cui fui ad capitale messuagium terrarum de Ovirmerchamstoun . . . iacencium infra vicecomitatum de Edinburgh . et ibidem prefatus Archibaldus . . . deliberauit dicto Waltero . . . quoddam preceptum . . . fasine . . . qui vero . . . Walterus . . . dictum preceptum . . . michi notario . . . tradidit perlegendum . . . cuiusquidem precepti tenor sequitur . . . Johannes Craufurd prebendarius de Ovirmcherhamstoun etc. Post eiusquidem precepti . . . publicacionem prefatus Walterus . . . fasinam . . . hereditariam . . . terrarum de Ovirmcherhamstoun . . . Archibaldo Naper . . . secundum tenorem carte infeodacionis . . . per . . . capellanos dicti altaris dicto quondam Alexandro . . . confete dedit . . . Acta erant hec . . . hora quinta post meridiem vel eocirca . . . presentibus . . . domino Johanne Naper vicario de Cokpen Johanne Lokart Henrico Cant Johanne Fergusson Willelmo Fergusson Fergusio Wallace Willelmo Hume Willelmo Dan Johanne Andirfstone Johanne Gillaspie Georgio Mosman Andrea Smyth Johanne Campbell Johanne Gray et Willelmo Gray cum diuersis aliis . . .

Pro prebendariis et capellanis ecclesie collegiate Beati Egidi de Edinburght.

- 7 xxii^o die mensis Octobris anno etc. quinquagesimo quinto . . . accessit honorabilis vir Ricardus Fassytoun unus balliuorum burgi Vicicanicorum monasterii Sancte Crucis prope Edinburgh ad instanciam . . . Marierie Doby sponse quondam Thome Home allutarii ad terram et tenementum orientalem quondam Thome Layng alias Thomfoun . . . iacentem in dicto burgo . . . ex parte auftrali Vici Regii eiusdem inter terram quondam Patricii Richartstone ex parte orientali . . . et aliud tenementum terre dicti quondam Thome Layng ex parte occidentali . . . et ibidem prefata Marioria Doby in sua . . . viduitate . . . illum suum annum redditum octo solidorum . . . quem habet ex suo conquestu ab Alifona Carnis forore et herede quondam Thome Carnys ex euncium . . . ad duos anni terminos confuetos . . . de . . . dicta terra sive tenemento orientali . . . Thome Layng . . . resignauit in manibus dicti Ricardi Fassytoun . . . Deinde . . . accessit dictus Ricardus . . . ad

instanciam . . . dictæ Mariorie Doby ad terram sive tenementum dictæ Alifone Carnys . . . iacentem in dicto burgo . . . ex . . . australi parte . . . inter terram quondam Johannis Tevidale ex parte orientali . . . et terram quondam Michaelis Henrison ex parte occidentali . . . et ibidem resignacione cuiusdam annualis redditus duodecim solidorum . . . exeuncium . . . ad dictos terminos . . . de . . . predicto tenemento terre . . . et de annuis redditibus nouem solidorum de pecia terre quondam Willelmi Hornar neconon nouem solidorum de pecia terre dicti quondam Johannis Tevidale . . . iacentibus infra dictum tenementum per dictam Marioriam . . . in manibus dicti Ricardi . . . facta pro uno anniuersario . . . fiendo infra ecclesiam collegiatam Beati Egidii de Edinburgh per prebendarios et capellanos . . . pro animabus dicti quondam Thome Home et Mariorie eius sponsæ . . . prefatus Ricardus . . . factam . . . predictorum . . . reddituum . . . domino Johanni Craufurd prebendario dictæ ecclesie . . . nomine prebendariorum et capellanorum . . . et suis successoribus . . . pro predicto anniuersario . . . fiendo . . . secundum tenorem carte per dictam Marioriam . . . desuper conficiende dedit . . . faluo iure cuinslibet . . . Acta erant hec . . . hora decima ante meridiem vel cocirca . . . presentibus . . . domino Waltero Acarsane capellano Lanceloto Barcar Adam Weddale Patricio Frefall Willelmo Thorbrand Valentino Brady Johanne Gray Willelmo Waus et Andrea Montgumry feriandis dicti burgi testibus ad premissa vocatis pariter et rogatis.

Chartour of ane annualrent of xls. in favouris of the Mafones and Wrychtis.

S Omnibus . . . Walterus Marlzone lathamus burgenſis burgi de Edynburgh falutem . . . Noueritis me cum confensu . . . Margarete sponsæ mee . . . vendidisse . . . Jacobo Stury lathamo Thome Duncan carpentario et domino Jacobo Gibſone capellano nomine . . . artificium fratrum et fororum successorumque fuorum sustentancium et sustinendorum diuina seruicia et ornamenta ad altare Sanctorum Johannis baptiste et ewangeliste situatum in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidii predicti burgi ex parte boreali et immediate post altare Sancti Coberti versus boream eiusdem ecclesie vnum

annuum redditum quadraginta solidorum vñalis monete Scocie . . . leuandum ad . . . terminos . . . Penthecostes . . . et Sancti Martini in hieme . . . de . . . terris meis contigue iacentibus infra tenementum quondam Roberti Laudyre inter terram Johannis Lethane ex parte australi et terram quondam Johannis Reide ex parte boreali . . . quodquidem tenementum iacet in predicto burgo ex parte australi Viei Regii eiusdem inter terram quondam Johannis Naper ex orientali et terram Beate Marie Magdalene ex occidentali . . . pro quadam certa summa pecunie mihi per dictos artifices et confratres . . . pre manibus . . . perfoluta . . . in vsum meum . . . pro rata et quantitate duarum mercarum huiusmodi anni redditus et quoad alteram meream eiusdem do et concedo ut supra ad salutem anime mee et pro diuinorum ferniciorum et oracionum suffragiis ad ipsum altare indies factis et fiendis . Tenendum . . . a me heredibus meis et assignatis de supremo domino nostro rege . . . in feodo et hereditate imperpetuum cum omnibus . . . pertinenciis suis . . . In eius rei testimonium sigillum meum huic prefenti carte mee vacum sigillo . . . Willelmi Hoppare vnius balliuorum dicti burgi fasnam . . . dantis in signum . . . sui officii . . . et assensu dicto sponse mee . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh octauo die mensis Maii anno Domini millesimo quingentesimo octauo . reseruato tamen libero tenemento . . . predicte vnius marce mihi . . . coram testibus Andrea Blac Johanne Wright Johanne Mayne Jacobo Glendynwyne Alexandro Coupare Willelmo Couftone Henrico Strathauchin notario Johanne Jardyne et Wilelmo Paterfone dicti burgi seriendo cum diuersis aliis.

[Preceptum carte confirmationis Jonete Elphinstoun.]

9 Preceptum carte confirmationis Jonete Elphinstoun reliete quondam magistri Ricardi Lawfoun de Hieriggis super carta alienacionis sibi facta per Jonetam Bailyhe filiam et vnam heredum quondam Willelmi Bailyhe de Cammo ac sponse Johannis Giffert cum consenuit et assensu ipsius Johannis sub eorum propriis sigillis de terris ipsius Jonete Bailyhe de Crawmond-regis

vnacum quarta parte molendini earundem extendentibus nunc in integro ad valorem decem librarum noui extensus in anno iacentibus in villa et territorio de Crawmond-regis infra vicecomitatum de Edinburgh per dictam Jonetam Elphinstoun emptis a prefatis Joneta et Johanne pro infedacione in eisdem fienda pro salute anime dicti quondam magistri R. etc. saluis regi iuribus et fereniciis debitibus et consuetis etc. apud Edinburgh xxvº Septembbris anno Domini etc. vº viiiº et regni regis xxiº.

[Preceptum carte confirmationis dictae Jonete.]

- 10 Preceptum mortificacionis et confirmationis super carta fundacionis facta per dictam Jonetam Elphinstoun ad sustentacionem vnius capellani diuina celebrantis in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidii de Edinburgh pro salute anime dicti quondam magistri Ricardi eius sponse et aliorum etc. de predictis terris et parte molendini et de quinque marcis annui redditus annuatim leuandis de certis terris iacentibus infra burgum de Edinburgh etc. per eam emptis ad huiusmodi fundacionem ut extendat annuatim in integro ad xx⁹ marcas etc. apud Edinburgh die mensis anno Domini et regis predictis.

Carta mortizacionis. Jonete Elphynston.

- 11 Jacobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem . . . Sciatis nos quondam cartam . . . ad plenum intellexisse sub hac forma . . . Omnibus hanc cartam visuris vel audituris Joneta Elphinstoun sponsa quondam magistri Ricardi Laufoun de Hieriggis salutem in Domino sempiternam . . . Noueritis me . . . pro statu et salute animarum ferenissimi et immitissimi principis et domini nostri Jacobi quarti Scotorum regis illustrissimi et carissimi confortis fue Margarete eiusdem regni regine antecessorum et successorum fuorum ac pro salute animarum dicti quondam magistri Ricardi Laufoun anime mee et animarum patrum matrum prolium fratrum fororum omniumque antecessorum et successorum nostrorum parentum et benefactorum nostrorum ac pro salute illarum animarum quibus dum vixerimus in hac vita aliquatenus astricti et obligati

fuimus maxime quibus digne pro offensis et minus iuste acquisitis nondum satificeimus et pro salute omnium fidelium defunctorum in puram liberam et perpetuam elimosinam dedissemus . . . domino Willelmo Lyntoun capellano et suis successoribus capellanis diuina celebrantibus . . . ad altare in omnium sanctorum neconon Sanctorum Thome apostoli et Appollonis virginis honorem edificandum infra ecclesiam collegiatam Beati Egidii de Edinburgh ex australi parte eiusdem situandum infra ianuam seu introitum eiusdem ad occidentem vergentem et altare seu facillum per honorabilem virum Alexanderum Lauder prepositum nunc pro tempore eiusdem burgi de novo fundatum et edificatum omnes et singulas terras meas de Crawmond-regis vnam mea quarta parte molendini carundem et suis pertinenciis extenderentes annuatim in integro ad decem libras noui extentus monete currentis Scocie iacentes in villa et territorio de Crawmond-regis et infra vicecomitatum de Edinburgh . neconon cum consensu et assensu Roberti Laufoun filii mei et heredis apparentis dedi et concessi dictis altari et capellano totam et integrum terciam partem terre anterioris tenementi quondam Thome Preftoun de Bynnyng iacentis infra dictum burgum de Edinburgh ex parte boreali Vici Regii eiusdem inter terram Georgei Edwardfoun ex parte orientali et terram quondam Malcolmi Boid ex parte occidentali extendenter nunc annuatim ad septem mereas prefatae monete Scocie . Quasquidem terras de Crawmond-regis vnam dicta quarta parte molendini carundem et suis pertinenciis habeo ex meo conquestu a Joneta Bailyhe filia et una heredum quondam Willelmi Bailyhe de Cammo et sponsa Johannis Gifford cum pleno consensu et assensu dicti Johannis sui sponsi prout in sua carta michi desuper confecta plenius continetur . Tenendas . . . in puram et perpetuam elimosinam . . . ac in feodo et hereditate imperpetuum . . . cum omnibus . . . libertatibus . . . ac iustis pertinenciis quibuscumque . . . Faciendo inde annuatim dictus dominus Willelmus Lintoun capellanus et sui successores . . . personalem ac continuam ad dictum altare residenciam pro animabus predictis oracionum deuotarum suffragia cum condicionibus infra scriptis . Et eciam volo quod dicta capellania sit toto tempore vite mee ad meam donationem et disposicionem et post meum deceplum . . . quod huiusmodi

capellania fiet ad plenam donacionem et dispositionem heredum meorum absque alia aliqua collacione institutionie et admissione ordinarii loci aut alienius alterius . quicquidem heredes tenebuntur ad dictam capellaniam infra quindecim dies post vacacionem eiusdem unum sacerdotem idoneum moribus et vita probatam presentare et nominare cum plenaria donacione eiusdem sic quod noticia donacionis dictae capellanie ad eos quomodolibet et veresimiliter infra dictum terminum peruenire poterit . elapsus vero termino quindecim dierum et de dicta capellaniam de sufficienti et idoneo capellano minime prouiderint quo casu sic existente quod absit volo tunc quod donacio dictae capellanie et impositione capellani predicti ad prepositum decanum gilde balliuos et communitatem dicti burgi de Edinburgh illa vice pertineat tantum quicquidem infra octo dies de idoneo et sufficienti capellano prouidebunt sic videlicet quod nec ego nec heredes mei seu dicti prepositus decanus gilde balliui et communitas dicti burgi qui pro tempore fuerint prenominate terras de Crawmond-regis et quartam partem dicti molendini aut predictam tertiam partem prefate terre anterioris dicti tenementi seu aliquam partem earundem aut eiusdem apud nos detineamus seu detineant uel in nostros aut suos vsus seu alios quoscumque conuertere presumamus seu presumant . Et in casu quo contingat dictum capellanum pro tempore decedere aut dictam capellaniam dimittere aut eandem resignare volo tunc quod successor dicti capellani habeat de dictis terris secundum ratam temporis . et si decedit in termino quod succedens habeat illum terminum et non decedens sic videlicet quod successor habeat in suo introitu unde viuat et infra scripta tempore et loco debite persoluat . Item volo quod dictus capellanus personaliter ad dictum altare in diuinis administret et quod non licet sub fe imponere substitutum aut aliud loco fui nisi infirmitatis causa tantum . Et si contingat dictum capellanum pro tempore ad aliam capellaniam seu ad aliud quocumque beneficium promoueri quod extunc dicta capellaniam censetur vacare et alias loco fui imponetur et quod sit incompetibilis ad quocumque aliud beneficium seu seruicum in ecclesia seu extra . Et eciam dictus capellanus qui pro tempore fuerit quotidie quum dispositus fuerit apud dictum altare celebrare obligatur et quum cum Deo poterit indies et quotidie fe disponet .

Quod si incolumis existens per octo dies continuos forsan sua laetitia aut secularibus occupatus negotiis non celebrauerit cestantibus ut predicitur legitimis impedimentis extunc censetur dicta capellania vacare et alias loco sui imponatur et instituatur . Si autem concubina notatus fuerit aut noctivagus ebriosus seu aliarum lusor notorie cognitus suis demeritis dicta similiter vacabit capellania . Et eciam volo quod dictus capellanus predicti altaris qui pro tempore fuerit teneatur omni die Veneris videlicet sexta feria per se uel cum alio suo focio priuatim celebrare *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum nouem lectionibus pro omnibus et singulis animabus predictorum cum laudibus collectis et precibus confuctis . Et cum dispositus fuerit similiter omni secunda feria missam *De requie* pro defunctis celebrare nisi duplex festum fuerit aut aliud legitimum incurrat impedimentum . Item volo et ordino ac imperpetuum obseruandum precipio et in vesceribus Ihesu Christi admoneo et hortor quatenus dictus capellanus et sui successores qui ad dictum altare legitime ministrauerit celebrabit seu celebrare faciet unum anniversarium singulis annis cum *Placebo* et *Dirige* in die ultimo mensis Junii et cum messa *De requie* in crastino priuato modo apud dictum altare pro anima dicti quandam magistri Ricardi et anima mea Jonete sue coniugis et quod in principio cuiuslibet missae fuerit teneatur populum exhortari ut dicant unum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica pro suo fundatore et animabus predictorum et in fine cuiuslibet missae dicat psalmum *De profundis* post evangelium in principio in commemorationem animarum dicti quandam magistri Ricardi Laufoun et anime mee conuersus ad sepulcrum nostrum cum collectis solitis et consuetis ac cum collecta *Absolue quesumus Domine animas famulorum tuorum ab omni vinculo delidorum et in resurrectionis gloria inter sanctos et electos tuos resuscitati respirent per Christum Dominum nostrum amen* cum asperzione aque benedictae dicendo hunc versum *Asperges me Domine* etc . Item volo preterea et iniuiabiliter obseruandum ordino quod dictus capellanus dicti altaris qui pro tempore fuerit obligabitur in sua concientia et prout eoram Deo respondere voluerit in die iudicij quando pro sibi commissis qualiter redditurus est rationem ad celebrari faciendum unum anniversarium per sexdecim capellanos chori dictae ecclesie colligiat

singulis annis in dicto die ultimo mensis Junii et craftino proximo sequente videlicet primo die mensis Julii missam *De requie* cum cantu et nota decenter apud dictum altare omnium sanctorum . quicquidem sexdecim capellani tenebuntur in suis missis die predicto fiendis et celebrandis pro anima dicti quondam magistri Ricardi anima mea et animabus predictis orare . et quod predicti capellani sexdecim tunc de choro et collegio dictae ecclesie propterea habebunt sexdecim solidos videlicet vnicuique eorum ipsorum duodecim denarios . item decem pauperibus capellanis beneficium seu feruicium non habentibus quinque solidos videlicet vnicuique ipsorum sex denarios pro quibus tenebuntur dicti capellani singulis annis in dicto primo die mensis Julii missam *De requie* priuato modo apud dictum altare et alia altaria proxime prope idem situata dicere et celebrare exhortando populum fundere preces pro defunctis in introitu cuiuslibet missae dicendo unum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica et in locione manuum ad offertorium psalmum *De profundis* pro animabus omnium sanctorum . Et eciam ordino pro quatuor cereis ponderis duarum librarum quinque solidos et quatuor denarios quorum duo illuminentur super dictum altare omnium sanctorum et alii duo super sepulcrum dicti quondam magistri Ricardi in exequiis supradictis fiendis . Item clericu parochiali pro pulsacione magnarum campanarum tam ad *Dirige* quam ad missam duos solidos et campanario pulsanti per villam de Edinburgh campanis manualibus sex denarios ac eciam ministro dictae ecclesie qui pro tempore fuerit ad reparandum et ordinandum dictum altare et tabulam sepulture sex denarios . Item pro pane et vino in die celebrationis dicti anniuersarii quatuor denarios . Necnon viginti quinque solidos in elimosina triginta porcionibus pauperibus per capellatum dicti altaris et decanum gilde dicti burgi in dicto die obitus dicti quondam magistri Ricardi sponsi mei singulis annis distribuendis . et quelibet porcio habebit tres denarios in pane tres in caruifa et quatuor denarios similiter in carnibus piscibus caseo vel butiro prout tempus exigetur ad comedendum . Et in die celebrationis missae antedicti anniuersarii ordino dictam elimosinam proporcionabiliter ponendam super tabulam infra dictam ecclesiam que per totam missam ipius anniuersarii statuetur ante distributionem eiusdem et post missam pauperibus

distribuendam vt dictum est . Item volo quod dictus capellanus dicti altaris qui pro tempore fuerit quotidie ministrabit singulis capellaniis ad dictum altare missam celebrare volentibus panem et vinum cum lumine cere sufficientis et honeste et quod singulis diebus sabbatis dominicis aliis diebus festiuis et duplicibus ad populum in primis et secundis vesperis dictum altare honeste preparabit cum candelis super eodem ardentibus decenter vt moris est . Et ulterius do et lego dicto decano gilde dicti burgi de Edinburgh qui pro tempore fuerit duos solidos ad visitandum et videndum quod omnia et singula ista premissa fient completa et finaliter facta vt dictum est . Que expensae predictae in se extendunt annuatim ad septem mercas predictas . Et volo quod huiusmodi summa septem mercarum annuatim recipiatur de dictis terris de Crawmond-regis cum dicta quarta parte molendini carundem . Et si contingat predictum capellananum predicti altaris qui pro tempore fuerit quod absit deficere in solucione premissorum seu ea minime perimplere die prefixo quod extunc licitum erit predicto decano gilde dicti burgi de Edinburgh seu collectori aut procuratori chori dicti collegii de Edinburgh predictum anniuersarium annuatim celebranti prefatas terras de Crawmond-regis cum dicta quarta parte molendini aut aliquam partem earundem terrarum namare et distingere vt moris est usque ad integrum solutionem prefatae summe septem mercarum . Et ulterius ipso facto dicta capellania censeatur vacare et altari de idoneo de eadem prouideri . Et ego vero [etc.] . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum huic presenti carte mee est appensum vnam sigillo dicti Roberti Laufoun filii mei et heredis apparentis . . . apud . . . Edinburghum ultimo die mensis Aprilis anno Domini millesimo quingentesimo nono coram hiis testibus videlicet Andrea Elphinstoun de Selmys fratre meo germano magistro Ricardo Boithule canonico Glafguensi dominis Ricardo Lawfoun Johanne Purdi capellani Johanne Laufoun Patricio Purdy burgenibus dicti burgi . . . Johanne Gray et Jacobo Yhoun notariis publicis cum multis aliis . Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus saluis . . . nobis . . . capellani . . . suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium [etc.] . . . apud Edinburgh quarto die mensis Maii anno Domino millesimo quingentesimo decimo et regni nostri vicefimo primo .

Resignation of the Bedelry of St. Giles's Church etc.

xv die mensis Februarii 1510-11.

12 Magister Dauid Lauder vicarius de Ersiltoun renunciauit pure et simpli-
citer et dimisit suum titulum et donacionem sive admissionem quam perantea
habuit de prebenda dicta administracio sive *le bedelry* ecclesie collegiate
Diui Egidii de Edinburgh ex eo quod venerabilis magister Gawinus Dowglas
prepositus eiusdem ad hoc minime requisitus fuit . Eciā idem Prepositus et
omnes prebendarii excepto officiali (tamen requisitus fuerat ad hoc et excus-
abatur per suum capellanum dominum Jacobum Murray) admiserunt ipsum
magistrum Dauid ad huiusmodi prebendam et idem Prepositus assignauit
sibi stallum in choro et locum in capitulo ut moris est et canonice iuxta
tenorem fundacionis et erectionis dicti collegii.

Item omnes prebendarii ut supra fecerunt dicto domino Preposito manu-
alem obedienciam secundum tenorem dictae fundacionis et erectionis huius-
modi collegii.

xxvii die mensis Februarii 1510-11.

Magister Gawinus Dowglas prepositus ecclesie collegiate Diui Egidii de
Edinburgh officialis et omnes prebendarii eiusdem respectu huius diei defec-
tus in celebracione cum honore solito missae Sanctissimi Cruoris Domini
nostrri Jhesu Christi de cetero firmiter promiserunt eandem omni die quarta
feria honorifice facere et decantare sub penis omni die feriali pro personali
pena iid. et die festiuo iiiid. et si contingat in toto deficere soluent preben-
darios vnam marcam ad commune bonum confraternitatis Sancti Cruoris et
quod in illa die non habeatur synodus privilegiando quemquam a dicto
seruicio . Eciā protestatus est dominus officialis nomine ceterorum pre-
bendariorum quod si contingat computo facto super accumulandis deuoriorum
huiusmodi confraternitatis ad magnam quantitatem in summa quod ipsi
aliquantulum habeant in suo refrigerio pro huiusmodi servicio fiendo . Acta
erant hec in capitulo capitulariter congregato.

[Confirmation by Andrew archbishop of Saint Andrews of two charters granted by the Provost and Town Council of Edinburgh to the Masons and Wrights.]

- 13 **W**nuersis . . . ecclie filiis . . . Andreas . . . Sanctiandree archiepiscopus . . . Seocie Primas . . . neenon commendatarius perpetuus . . . de Dunfermiling salutem . . . Nouerit vniuersitas vestra nos duas literas patentes . . . recipisse huiusmodi sub tenore . Till all and syndry [etc. ut supra, No. 3.] . . . Sequitur tenor alterius literae . Till all and syndry quham it efferis . . .¹ Post quarumquidem literarum . . . recepcionem fuimus pro parte decanorum arcium latamorum et carpentiariorum dicti burgi . . . et eiis adherencium ac magistrorum fabrice dicti altaris . . . humiliter requisiti quatenus ipsas literas et omnia contenta in eisdem . . . confirmare velimus.² Nos igitur . . . dictas . . . literas . . . auctoritate nostra ordinaria confirmamus . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum nostrum rotundum presentibus in capitula ferrea est appensum apud Edinburghe die vicefimo mensis Junii anno Domini millesimo quingentesimo decimo septimo nostre confeacionis sexto decimo ac ad regni metropolitani translatationis anno tertio.

Per dictum reverendissimum dominum archiepiscopum et legatum.

JO. LAUDER.

Carta confirmacionis et admortizacionis quondam Johannis Paterfoun burgenis de Edinburgh et Jonete Paterfoun sue filie.

- 14 **J**acobus Dei gracia rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem . Sciatis nos eum . . . confensu dominorum regni nostri in absencia carissimi confanguinei et tutoris Johannis ducis Albanie etc. . . . subscriptas cartas . . . ad

¹ This Charter or Seal of Cause, granted by "the Provost, Baillies, Comisale and Deacons of the hal Craftis," to the Masons and Wrights, forming them into a Corporation, is also dated the 15th of October 1475. The original is preserved among the Records of the Incorporated Trades of St. Mary's Chapel, and contains a reference to the special grant of St. John's Aisle in St.

Giles's College Kirk. The above confirmation by Andro, Archbishop of St. Andrews, in 1517, is preserved in the same repository, along with a subsequent confirmation, in 1527-s, by King James the Fifth, of these Charters, including one dated in 1489, relating to persons who had refused to pay their penny weekly for support of the said Altar. See *infra*, p. lxxxvii.

plenum intellexisse sub his formis . . . Jacobus Dei gracia rex Scotorum omnibus . . . salutem . Sciatis nos quandam cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . Omnibus hanc cartam visuris vel audituris Johannes Pateroun burgenis burgi de Edinburgh salutem in Domino sempiternam . Noueritis me in laudem Domini nostri Jhesu Christi ac beatissime virginis Marie matris sue et Sancti Sebastiani marthiris ac omnium sanctorum Dei et pro salubri statu serenissimi principis domini nostri domini Jacobi quarti Scotorum regis illustrissimi et pro salute animarum antecessorum et successorum suorum ac pro salute anime mee et Mariote Wintoun sponse mee ac animarum patrum et matrum fratrum fororum omniumque antecessorum et successorum nostrorum pro salute omniumque quibus debitores sumus et penes quos aliquiter in hac vita delinquimus et pro salute omnium fidelium defunctorum in puram et perpetuam elimosinam dedisse . . . domino Andree Quhite capellano . . . et post eius deceplum vni capellano seculari diuina celebranti . . . ad altare Sancti Sebastiani in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidii de Edinburgh . . . istos meos annuos redditus subscriptos . In primis videlicet . . . illum meum annum redditum octo marcarum visualis monete regni Scocie quem habeo de nouo ex meo conquestu ab Andrea Bertrahame filio et herede quondam Georgii Bertrahame burgenis de Edinburgh execuncium . . . ad duos anni terminos confuetos . . . de . . . terra sive tenemento . . . iacente in dicto burgo subitus Archum Inferiorem ex parte australi Vici Regii eiusdem inter terram quondam Alexandri Fothiringahame ex occidentali et terram quondam Gilberti Wauchope de Litill Nudry ex orientali . Item . . . annum redditum sex marcarum . . . quem habeo similiter de nouo ex meo conquestu a Johanne Murhed de Balis . . . de . . . tenemento . . . quondam Jacobi Fingud iacente in dicto burgo ex parte boreali Vici Regii eiusdem inter terram quondam Thome Prestoun ex parte orientali et terram quondam Alexandri Haliburton ex parte occidentali . Item . . . annum redditum quinque mercarum sex solidorum et octo denariorum . . . quem habeo de nouo ex meo conquestu a Waltero Redpeth dicti burgi burgense execuncium . . . de . . . terris et tenemento . . . quas et quod alias idem Walterus Laurencio Cowpar in feedifirma assedauit iacentibus in dicto burgo ex parte australi

Vici Regii vltra Archum Inferiorem inter terram Johannis Ednem ex parte orientali et terram Stephani Borthnic ex parte occidentali et *le sirand* ex parte australi et di^tam communem Viam Regiam ex parte boreali . Item vnum annum redditum sex solidorum et octo denariorum . . . de . . . annuo redditu viginti sex solidorum et octo denariorum quem habeo exeuncium . . . de . . . terra Georgii Knox burgensis di^ti burgi . . . iacente in di^to burgo ex parte australi Vici Regii eiusdem infra tenementum quondam Johannis Butlar inter terram anteriorem di^ti tenimenti ex parte boreali et terram eciam ipsius quondam Johannis ex parte australi et terram Henrici Prestoun ex orientali et terram Henrici Rynd ex occidentali . . . Quicquidem annui redditus supradicti se extendunt in toto ad summan viginti mercarum pre- scripte monete . Tenendos . . . prenominatos annuos redditus . . . vt supra . . . in puram et perpetuam elimosinam . . . Volo tamen et ordino quod donacio prouisio collacio et institucio capellani dicti altaris ad me . . . et . . . heredes meos pertineat . . . et quod . . . heredes infra viginti dies post- quam vacauerit . . . capellania . . . capellanum ad eandem donare cura- uerint sic quod noticiam vacacionis eiusdem infra prescriptum terminum habere poterint . et si elaps^o termino . . . heredes de donacione . . . deficiant volo . . . quod donacio . . . ad prepositum decanum ecclie balliuos et com- munitatem di^ti burgi de Edinburgh illa vice pertineat tantum . ita tamen quod nec ego nec heredes mei neque di^tus prepositus decanus ecclie bal- liui seu communitas . . . prenominatos annuos redditus . . . detineamus seu . . . in nostros . . . vsus conuertere presumamus . . . Et volo quod . . . capel- lanus . . . possit . . . super di^tas terras . . . in defectu non solucionis . . . pro di^tis annuis redditibus distingere . . . et quod . . . ad continuam residen- ciam arceatur . . . et quod nuncquam habeat potestatem . . . loco sui alium subftitnere . . . Tenebitur eciam . . . missam quotidianam cum dispositus fuerit ad di^tum altare celebrare et si incolunis existens per quindecim dies con- tinuos non celebrauerit . . . et si . . . focariam seu concubinam detinuerit . . . vacabit predi^ta capellania . Et ego vero [etc.] . . . In eius rei testimonium sigillum meum huic presenti carte mee est appensum apud . . . Edinburgh secundo die mensis Septembbris anno Domini millesimo quadringentesimo

nonagesimo quarto coram . . . dominis Willelmo Paterfoun curato ecclie
collegiate de Edinburgh Jacobo Achisoun Johanne Drummond et Roberto
Raa capellani . Waltero Chepman et Recardo Mekill notariis . Dauid Irland
Jacobo Haw et Georgio Paterfoun dicti burgi burgensibus . Adam Pater-
foun et Jacobo Ellem cum diuersis aliis . Quamquidem cartam . . . confir-
mamus saluis nobis . . . capellani . . . suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium
[etc.] . . . apud Strueling decimo die mensis Septembris anno Domini mil-
lesimo quadrageentesimo nonagesimo quarto et regni nostri septimo . Om-
nibus hanc cartam visuris uel audituris Joneta Paterfoun relicta quondam
Alexandri Lawdir de Blyth militis salutem . . . Noueritis me in . . . honorem
. . . Sancti Jheronimi . . . ac pro salubri statu . . . Jacobi quinti . . . Seotorum
regis . . . ac pro salute animarum predecessorum et successorum suorum . . .
anime mee et animarum dicti quondam Alexandri sponsi mei et quondam
Johannis Carkettill eciam sponsi mei . . . et . . . patrum et matrum fratrum
et fororum antecessorum et benefactorum nostrorumque successorum et illo-
rum . . . quibus debitores sumus vel fuimus et penes quos . . . delinquimus et
eis . . . emendam non fecimus et pro salute omnium fidelium defunctorum
dedisse . . . ad sustentacionem vnius capellani secularis perpetui ad altare
Sancti Gabrielis archangeli per dictum quondam Alexandrum Lawder et me
tunc sponsam suam infra eccliam collegiatam Beati Egedii de Edinburgh
fundatum . . . pro salute animarum prelatorum diuina . . . celebraturi . . .
annuum redditum viginti marcaram vñialis monete Seocie quem a Jacobo
Prestoun burgenfe . . . ex conquestu meo habeo exeuntem . . . de . . . tene-
mento terre dicti Jacobi . . . iacente in . . . Edinburgh ex parte australi Vici
Regii . . . inter tenementum terre Johannis Vernour ex parte orientali et
tenementum terre quondam Willelmi Cokburn ex parte occidentali et terram
quondam Thome Butlar ex australi et publicam Stratam Regiam ex boreali
. . . Tenendum . . . in puram . . . elemosinam . . . in feodo et hereditate im-
perpetuum . . . Volo tamen . . . quod . . . dispositio dictae capellanie Sancti
Jheronimi michi . . . speuet et post meum decepsum quod Johannes Carket-
till nepos meus et heredes sui masculi de corpore suo legitime procreandi
quibus deficientibus quod Adam Carkettill frater suis eciam nepos meus et

heredes fui masculi de corpore suo legitime procreandi quibus omnibus
deficientibus quod legitimi et propinquiores heredes mei quicumque sint . . .
patroni dicti capellanie . . . et quod patronus . . . infra viginti dies postquam
vacuerit . . . capellano . . . eandem conferat . . . si vacatio illius ad noticiam
. . . peruererit . et si lapsus dicto termino . . . disponere non curauerit . . .
quod donacio . . . ad prepositum decanum gilde balliuos et communiteatem
. . . illa vice pertineat . . . ita tamen quod . . . patroni . . . prenominatum
annuum redditum nec . . . detineant vel in . . . suos usus convertere . . . pre-
sumant . . . Volo eciam quod dictus capellanus . . . supradiictum tenementum
. . . disstringere valeat . . . quociens neccesse fuerit . . . et si illud . . . disstringi-
gibile non fuerit fundum dicti tenementi pro suo annuo redditu . . . lucrari
valeat . et quod . . . ad continua residencia arceatur . . . et . . . tenebitur
. . . personaliter ministrare . . . eciam . . . missam quotidie eum dispositus
fuerit . . . celebrare . et si . . . per quindecim dies continuos non celebra-
uerit . . . et si . . . focariam seu concubinam tenuerit . . . vacabit . . . capel-
lania . . . Et ego vero [etc.] . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum
proprium huic presenti carte mee est appensum apud Edinburgh decimo die
mensis Junii anno Domini millesimo quingentesimo vicesimo tercio coram
. . . Arthuro Pantoun Johanne Anderfoun burgenibus . . . magistro Waltero
Gudlad vicario de Strabrok Georgio Gudlad et Dauid Wright cum diuersis
aliis . . . Omnibus . . . Joneta Paterfoun relicta quondam Alexandri Lawder
de Blithe militis salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . dedisse . . . Deo Omnipotenti
et Sancto Sebastiano martiri . . . annuos redditus subscriptos ad supporta-
cionem pauperum ac pro suffragiis pro salute animarum quondam Johannis
Paterfoun et Mariote Wyntoun parentum meorum ac pro salute anime mee
et animarum dicti quondam Alexandri Lauder et quondam Johannis Car-
kettill coniugum meorum et aliorum propinquiorum et benefactorum meorum
omniumque fidelium defunctorum ut inferius sequitur distribuendos . vnum
videlicet annum redditum quatuor marcarum usualis monete regni Scocie
quem habeo ex conuestitu meo a nobili viro Willielmi Lauder de Haltoun
exeuntem . . . de . . . terra quondam Willielmi Carkettill . . . iacente infra
burgum de Edinburgh ex parte boreali Vici Regii eiusdem inter terram

quondam episcopi Dunkeldensis ex parte orientali . et terram domini Sancti Johannis ex parte occidentalı . neenon quindecim solidos illius anni redditus triginta solidorum . . . quem habeo eciam ex conquestu a Willelmo Atkinfoun . . . de . . . tenemento suo terre . . . iacente in predicto burgo ex parte australi Vice Regii eiusdem in vinella vulgariter nuncupata Nudriis Wynde ex parte orientali transitus eiusdem inter terram Thome Bynyn ex parte orientali et dictam vinellam ex parte occidentalı et terram Roberti Glen ex australi et terram quondam Willelmi Carnys ex boreali . . . ac eciam quindecim solidos annui redditus . . . de tenemento terre quondam Jacobi Findgude nunc vero Gilberti Lawder iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vice Regii inter terram quondam Thome Prestoun ex parte orientali et terram quondam Jacobi Tyndale ex occidentalı et publicam Stratam Regiam ex australi et Laeum Borealem . . . per prius assignatum . . . pro vno trigintali missarum pro dicto quondam Johanne Paterfoun patre meo fundatore vnius capellanie ad altare Sancti Sebاستiani infra ecclesiam collegiatam Beati Egidii de Edinburgh die obitus sui annuatim celebrandarum . . . videlicet unam marcam . . . capellanis chori prefate ecclesie . . . per me . . . et . . . heredes meos dictae capellanie patronos annuatim persoluendam pro anniversario cum oracionibus debitibus . . . pro animabus parentum meorum . . . apud altare Sancti Sebاستiani in eadem ecclesia . . . die obitus patris mei videlicet festo Sancti Michaelis de Monte Tumba in mense Octobris . et ceteros quadraginta solidos . . . eodem die . . . in dicta ecclesia pauperibus erogandos hiis presertim qui honesti viri vel mulieres fuerunt et aduersa fortuna ad paupertatem deuenerunt videlicet unicuique triginta duorum pauperum duodecim denarios in pane quatuor denarios in carnibus quatuor denarios in ceruisia . et ceteros octo solidos in pane carnibus et ceruisia fratribus et iunioribus . . . distribuendos . et dictum annum redditum quindecim solidorum de dicto tenemento Gilberti Lawder . . . pro dicto trigintali . . . annuatim distribuendum . et dictos quindecim solidos . . . de tenemento terre dicti Willelmi Atkinfoun . . . in hunc modum distribuendum videlicet septem solidos pro quatuor cericis illuminandis . . . super dictum altare et tumulum patris mei coram altari ornatum tempore missae et vesperarum huiusmodi anniversarii . et faciente pro pulsu

maiorum campanarum ad missam et vesperas antedictas triginta duos denarios . et pro pulsu minorum campanarum per villam ad missam et vesperas antedictas quatuor denarios . ac pro pane et vino ad huiusmodi missas et ornacione scabelli siue sepulcri coram altari duos solidos . et ceteros tres solidos heredibus meis . . . pro laboribus suis in performacione premisorum annuatim impendendis . Et si heredes mei . . . premissa . . . omiserint . . . volo . . . quod decanus gilde . . . curam . . . premisorum in se accipiat . . . et predictos tres solidos pro laboribus suis annuatim habeat . . . et predictos annuos redditus . . . leuet et pro eiusdem distringat . . . et . . . fundum . . . terrarum defectu solucionis . . . lucrari valeat . Tenendos . . . in puram et perpetuam elemosinam . . . Et ego vero [etc.] . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum huic prefenti carte mee est appensum apud Edinburgh primo die mensis Junii anno Domini millesimo quingentesimo vigesimo tertio coram . . . Arthuro Paterfoun Johanne Andersoun burgenibus . . . magistro Waltero Gudlad vicario de Strabrok Georgio Gudlad et Dauid Wright cum diueris aliis . Quafquidem cartas . . . confirmamus falso nobis . . . suffragiis . . . capellanorum . . . pauperumque tantum . In cuius rei [etc.] . . . apud Edinburgh vigesimo die mensis Junii anno regni nostri decimo.

Carta confirmationis Magistris Artificiorum Carpenteriorum et Lathamorum Burgi de Edinburgh de suis privilegiis.

15 King James V. confirms three charters :

1. Dated 15th Oct. 1475, in which the Town grants to the masons and wrights “the ile and chapell of Sanct Johne fra the ald hers inward.” [Vide p. lxviii.]
2. Dated 15th Oct. 1475, in which the Provost, baillies, council, and deacons of crafts confirm the statutes made by the masons and wrights.
3. Dated 26th Aug. 1489, in which, on the complaint by the masters of the couper craft, “that divers personis of the faid craft qubilkis ar and has bene of lang tyme obftinat and inobedient in obseruing and keping of gud reull ordinance and statutis maid and ordanit of before . . . for the wphald

of diuine seruice . . . at Sancti Johnis altar situat in our college kirk of Sancti Gele . . . and specialie in the withholding and disobeying in the deliuering and paying of thar ouldly penny to God and to Sancti Johne . . . and als . . . in the payment making of thar prentis filuer at thar entre, quhilk is five schilling to the reparatioun and polefy of thef aid altar, nor zit will nocht pay thar dewties at the wpsetting of thar bathis . . . and as anentis the outlandis folkis that the said masteris . . . complenit apon lauborand . . . in this towne . . . mendand and spilland nyghtbouris wirk and stuf hafand nother stob nor stake within this towne . . . ;” the council ordains all the said dues to be regularly paid, the disobedient to be poyned, and “the outlandis men” to be put out of town, unles they become resident and pay all dues.

The King, in confirming the above, ordains that every prentice shall at entry pay 20s. Scots, and on being made a master 30s. Scots, to the upholding of said altar. The confirmation is dated 12th January 1527-28.

Confirmation of twa giftis maid to the Proveft Baillies Deaconis of Craftis of Edinburgh.

- 16 Oure Souerane Lord with auise and consent etc. ordanis ane letter of confirmation to be maid in dew form vnder the previe feill ratifiand apprevand and for his Hienes and his successouris perpetualie confirmand twa giftis maid in forme of aiftis be the proveft baillies confale deaconis of craftis of Edinburgh to Edward Hendirson of the prebendarie callit Sancti Fabiane and Sebastiane foundit and situat in the paroche kirk of the said burgh of Edinburgh now vacand in thair handis be deceis of Schir William Johnnetoun prebendar thairof for all the dayis of the said Edwardis lifyme with all proffeittis oblationes emolumentis and annuellis quhatfumeuir and ordane him to haif infstitution thairof as efferis as the fairfaid gift and act thairof maid thairupon of the dait the xxv day of August the yheir of God i^m v^e threscoir yheris at mair length propertis that uther gift in forme of aift be the saidis proveft baillies and confale gevand and disponand to the said Edward Hendirson

the office of the maistership of the Sang Scole during all the dayis of his lityme with all feis and proffeittis belangand thairto and that eftir renunciations and geving ower of the faid office be Schir Johnne Fety ane of the prebendaris of the queir of Sanct Gelis kirk in the faid proveft baillies and confales handis . And thai ordanit ane gift to be maid to the faid Edward Hendirfoun vnder thair common feill thairof as the faid uther a&t of the dait the laſt day of Junii the yheir of God i^m v^e ly yheris at mair lenth proportionis and that the faid confirmation be extendit in the best and mair forme with all clauſſis neidfull with command in the famyn to the Lordis of Seflioun to grant lettres in the four formes to the faid Edward chargeing all perſones quhome it efferis to anſuer and mak payment to him of all males rentis emolumētis and dewiteis belangand the faid prebendarie and office of ſcolemaiftership of all yheris bigane ſen the dait of his faid giftis maid in forme of a&tis as faid is and ſielyke yheirlie and termelie in tyme cuming during his lityme conforme to the faidis giftis . Subſcriuit to the faid Lord Regent at Edinburgh the xiii day of September the yheir of God i^m v^e lxviii yheris.

No. II.—EXTRACTS RELATING TO THE CHURCH OF ST. GILES
FROM THE PUBLIC RECORDS IN THE
GENERAL REGISTER HOUSE.

(COMMUNICATED BY JOSEPH ROBERTSON, ESQUIRE¹)

(*Rot. Scaccarii Regum Scotorum*, 105.)

Comptum Domini Roberti Comitis de Fif et de Meneteth camerarii Scotie.
Februari. 1389.—Februar. 1390.

¹ The following extracts from the Chamberlain Rolls occur in the volumes edited by Thomas Thomson, Esq., Deputy Clerk-Register, and presented to the Bannatyne Club. But the Rolls of a subsequent date, as well as

those recovered since that important work was printed, have been examined, but with little success, for any additional notices connected with St. Giles.

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“ Et non se onerat de viginti sex libris finit' pro exitibus vnius Itineris Camerarie tenti infra burgum de Edynburgh . quia Rex conceffit ipfam summam ad fabricam eclefie dieti burgi.”

(*Rot. Scaccarii Regum Scotorum*, 108.)

Comptotum Domini Roberti Comitis de Fyf et de Meneteth camerarii Scotie. 25. Februar. 1390.—22. Mar. 1391.

“ Item idem onerat fe de xxxix libris per exitus Curie Camerarie per tempus compoti preter exitus Curie Camerarie tente infra villam de Edynburgh que conceduntur per Regem ad fabricam eclefie eiusdem.”

(*Rot. Scaccarii Regum Scotorum*, 112.)

Comptotum Domini Comitis de Fyff et Menethe camerarii Scotie. 4. Jan. 1392.—26. Mart. 1394.

“ Et non onerat fe computans de aliquibus exitibus Curie Camerarie de tempore huius compoti quia non fuerunt itinera tenta preterquam de Edynburgh cuius exitus conceduntur per Regem ad fabricam eclefie Beati Egidij de Edinburgh.

[In a duplicate of the preceding roll, and account, the paſſage above quoted stands thus:—

“ Et non onerat fe computans de aliquibus exitibus Curie Camerarie de tempore huius compoti . quia non fuerunt Itinera tenta preter quam de Edynburgh cuius exitus [conceduntur per Regem] ad fabricam Beati Egidij eiusdem.”

(*Rot. Scaccarii Regum Scotorum*, 113.)

(*Rot. Scaccarii Regum Scotorum*, 115.)

Comptotum Domini Roberti Senefalli comitis de Fyf et Meneth camerarii Scotie. 26. Mar. 1394.—7. Apr. 1395.

“ Et folnte ad fabricam ecclesie Sancti Egidii de elemotina Regis
xxvj libre xijj solidi · iiiij denarii.

(*Rot. Scaccarii Regum Scotorum, 117, 117½.*)

Compotum Domini Roberti Senefcalli comitis de Fyf et Meneth camerarii
Scotie. 7. April 1395.—27. Apr. 1396.

“ Et non se onerat computans de aliquibus exitibus curie Itineris
Camerarie de Edynburghe quia Rex concessit ad fabricam eccle-
sie eiusdem de anno hujus compoti.”

(*Rot. Scaccarii Regum Scotorum, 118.*)

Compotum Domini Roberti comitis de Fyf et de Menteth camerarii Scotie.
26. Apr. 1396.—3. Jun. 1397.

“ Et non onerat se de viginti sex libris tresdecim solidis et quatuor
denariis per exitus Curie Camerarie · infra villam de Edynburgh
quia conceduntur per Regem · ad fabricam ecclesie parochialis.”

(*Rot. Scaccarii Regum Scotorum, 123.*)

Compotum Domini Roberti Ducis Albanie Comitis de Fif et de Menteth
Camerarii Scocie. 3. Jun. 1397.—2. Maij 1398.

“ Et liberate / ad fabricam ecclesie de Edynburghe de elemotina
Regis de exitibus Curie Camerarie de anno huius compoti xxvj
libre xijj solidi iiiij denarij.”

(*Rot. Scaccarii Regum Scotorum, 151.*)

Compotum Domini Johannis Forster de Corftorfn deputati Camerarii
Scocie ex vtraque parte aque de Forth. 20. Maij 1409.—22. Julii 1410.

“ Et non onerat se de exitibus Itineris Camerarie tenti infra bur-
gum de Edynburghe · in anno nono · Quia totum ecommodum
inde proueniens preter expensas Camerarii tempore Itineris ·
datum fuit per Dominum Gubernatorem regni fabriecc ecclesie
parochialis burgi de Edynburghe.”

(*Rot. Scaccarii Regum Scotorum*, 154 $\frac{1}{2}$.)

Compotum Domini Johannis Forster militis deputati Johannis Senefcalli Comitis Buchanie Camerarii Scotie. Compotum Johannis Senefcalli Comitis Buchanie Camerarii Scotie. 21. Julii 1410.—12. Junii 1412.

[Expenses] “In primis computat per solucionem factam fabrice ecclesie Sancti Egidi de Edinburgh ex donacione Domini Gubernatoris de exitibus vnius Itineris Camerarie tenti apud Edinburgh infra hoc compotum xxvj libre xij solidi iiiij denarii.

(*Rot. Scaccarii Regum Scotorum*, 155.)

Compotum Domini Johannis Forstare militis deputati Johannis Senefcalli Comitis Buchanie Camerarii Scocie. Compotum Johannis Senefcalli Comitis Buchanie Camerarii Scocie. 12. Jun. 1412.—5. Jul. 1413.

“Et non onerat se de aliquibus exitibus [Itineris] Camerarie burgorum de Edinburgh de Linlithgow seu aliorum burgorum regni quia Dominus Gubernator concessit exitus [Itineris] Camerarie de Edinburgh ad fabricam ecclesie parochialis burgi predicti.”

(*Rot. Scaccarii Regum Scotorum*, 184.)

Computum Custumariorum burgi de Edinburgh. 5. Junii 1434.—16. Julii 1435.

“Et pro reparacione domus [Regis] iuxta le Kyrkstile de Edinburgh . xxj solidi.”

Computum Roberti Gray magistri fabricarum castri de Edinburgh de Leith etc. 4. Junii 1434.—12. Julii 1435.

“Et pro reparacione domorum tenementi Regis prope ecclesiam parochialem de Edinburgh videlicet nouis fenestris et alijs necessariis . v libre xvij denarii obolus.”

The sentence of divorce between Alexander Duke of Albany, and Katharine Sinclair, daughter of William Earl of Caithness, was pronounced by John

Otterburn, official of St. Andrews, within the archdeaconry of Lothian, in the Confistory Place of St. Giles—"in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidii de Edinburgh loco confistoriali eiusdem folito et confuento die nono mensis Marcii anno Domini millesimo quadragegesimo septuagesimo septimo."

Registrum Magni Sigilli, lib. xix. no. 149.

It appears that as early as the beginning of the fourteenth century, the Church of St. Giles of Edinburgh was the place where the Bishop of St. Andrews held the annual Confistory of his Clergy within the Archdeaconry of Lothian.

Statuta Ecclesiae Scoticanae, no. 159, p. 70.

When King James III. granted the office of sheriff of the burgh of Edinburgh to the Provost, baillies, council, and community, he took them bound to apply a portion of the profits of the office to the celebration of services in St. Giles—"Tenebuntur tamen dicti prepositus balliui consules et communitas dicti burgi de Edinburgh et eorum successores predicti pro dictis eschaetis amerchiamentis et prouentibus dicti officii vicecomitis per nos eis concessis celebrari facere annuatim pro perpetuo unum obitum Missa de Requiem Placebo Dirige cum nota in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidii dicti burgi tercio et quarto diebus mensis Augusti pro salute anime quondam progenitoris nostri et animarum antecessorum et successorum nostrorum cum oracionum suffragiis pro nostro prospero statu." The charter is dated at Edinburgh on the 16. November 1482.

Registrum Magni Sigilli, lib. xvi. no. 57.

[The third of August was the anniversary of the death of King James II. at Roxburgh, so that the mass was to be celebrated yearly on the day and the morrow of his death.]

The feast of the dedication of St. Giles's Kirk, celebrated on the third of November yearly.

Registrum Secreti Sigilli, lib. iii. fol. 134.

No. III.—A LIST OF THE ALTARS IN THE CHURCH OF
ST. GILES, EDINBURGH.

	A.D.
1. The Altar of the Virgin Mary in the Chapel of St. Mary, No. 2,	1345
2. Altar of Saint John the Baptist in the choir of Saint Mary the Virgin, No. 3,	1350
3. Altar of Saint Katerine the Virgin, No. 4—on south of the Church, No. 107 —S. Catharine, 1373, see p. xxvi. note 2, App. No. 6,	1357 or 8
4. Altar of the Virgin Mary in the Parish Church, Nos. 8, 11, 12, 13, 14, 31,	1363
5. Altar of the Holy Cross or of the Holy Saviour, Sanct Salvatoris Altar, <i>ex parte boreali ecclesie</i> (on the north of the High Altar in the Rood Aisle in the east end of the Church), Nos. 16, 19, 36, 109, 118,	1387
6. Altar of St. John the Evangelist in his Chapel <i>ex parte boreali ecclesie</i> (on the north side of the Church), Nos. 22, 39, App. No. 3,	1395 or 6
7. Altar of St. Ninian on the south side of the Church, Nos. 28, 47—near the Altar of St. Lawrence, No. 106, App. Nos. 1 and 5,	1405
8. Altar of Saint Giles, the High Altar, Sanct Gelis Altar, Nos. 36, 41, 57, 58, . 62, 66, 90, 92, 101, 111, 115, 120,	1428
9. Altar of St. Nicholas the Confessor, Nos. 38, 83,	1429
10. Altar of Saint Duthac, bishop, No. 44,	1438
11. Altar of Saints Martin and Thomas in the aisle of the Holy Cross at the western pillar, Nos. 67, 87, 94,	1444
12. Altar of St. Andrew the Apostle on south side of the Church, Nos. 56, 89,	1447
13. Altar of St. James the Apostle, Nos. 62, 105,	1448
14. Altar of the Holy Blood <i>prope ostium boreale ecclesie</i> , No. 68,	1450
15. Altar of Saint Kentigern or Saint Muugo, No. 73,	1451
16. Altar of St. Christopher, App. No. 2,	1451
17. Altar of St. Peter, No. 161,	14 ..
18. Altar of St. Michael the Archangel, Nos. 76, 144,	1454
19. Altar of St. Ubert (see p. ciii.), (St. Cobert, Hubert ? 1508, App. No. 8),	1456
20. Altar of St. Columba abbot, No. 87,	1477
21. Altar of St. Eligius or Eloye the Confessor, No. 86,	1477
22. Altar of St. Francis behind the High Altar, No. 82,	1477
23. Altar of Our Lady of Piety (Pity), Nos. 96, 98, <i>ex parte boreali ostei chorii</i> (on the north side of the entre of the choir), 138,	1483
24. Altar of St. Blase, bishop and martyr, <i>ex parte australi chorii ecclesie</i> (on south side of the choir), Nos. 100, 122, &c., 150,	1486
25. Altar of the Holy Trinity (<i>Young's Protocol Book</i>),	1487
26. Altar of St. Dionisius behind the High Altar, No. 101,	1488

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27. Altar of St. Laurence, martyr, near the middle of the Church, Nos. 104, 106,	1491
28. Altar of St. Sebastian, martyr, App. No. 14,	1494
29. Altar of St. Laurence and St. Francis, No. 110,	1495
30. Altar of the Visitation of the Virgin and of St. Roch in the new aisle of St. Thomas the Martyr, No. 104,	1503
31. Altar of the Virgin Mary and of Saint Gabriel the Archangel in the new Chapel founded by A. Rynd at the east end of the Church on south, No. 120,	1503
32. Altar of St. Cuthbert (see p. xcix.),	1504
33. Altar of the Haly Blude, the Black Rood Altar, <i>altare Sacri Cruoris Domini, Sacrosancti Cruoris Domini, Sancti Cruoris, Sancti Cruoris et Sancte Crucis de Lucano, Sanctissimi Cruoris, ex parte australi ecclesie</i> , Nos. 116, 126, 131, 137, 141, 143,	1506
34. Altar of St. Severianus (<i>Foular's Protocol Book</i>),	1508
35. Altar of Saints John Baptist and Evangelist, App. No. 8,	1508
36. Altar of St. Thomas the Apostle and St. Appollonia the Virgin, App. No. 11,	1509
37. Altar of St. Anthony (see p. c.),	1510
38. Altar of St. Gabriel the Archangel, App. No. 14,	1510
39. Altar of St. John the Apostle and Evangelist in his Chapel <i>ex parte australi ecclesie</i> , Nos. 121 and 139 (on the south side of the Church, in chapel founded by Walter Chepman),	1513
40. Altar of St. Anne, or the Tailors' Altar (<i>Foular's Protocol Book</i>),	1519
41. Altar of St. Roche the Confessor, No. 148,	1527
42. Altar of St. Erasmois (see p. ci.),	1552
43. Altar of Saints Fabian and Sebastian, App. No. 16,	1560
44. Altar of St. Gregory (see p. cxiii.),	1579

Of these altars Maitland enumerates 25 (see extract, p. xxx.), omitting Nos. 1, 16, 17, 19, 20, 24, 29 to 32, 34 to 37, and 39 to 43 inclusive. Of others he makes two or more as follows:—No. 5 he makes St. Salvator's and the Holy Cross. No. 33 he makes the Holy Blood, the Holy Cross of Lucano, and the Holy Cross of the Body and Blood of Christ.

Maitland has added the following:—

1. St. Michael de Monte Tomba.
2. St. Roche and St. Nicholas.
3. St. Thomas the Martyr.
4. St. Barbara.
4. The Holy Blood and St. Anthony (probably not distinct from some of the above).
5. St. Crispin and Crispinianus.

No. IV.—DIGNITARIES AND OFFICIALS OF ST. GILES'S CHURCH.

§ 1. *Names mentioned in the following Charters:—*

A.D.

1362. Sir Brice, PERPETUAL VICAR of Edinburgh, No. 8.
 1393. Mr. James Lyoun, VICAR of Saint Giles, No. 20.
 1404. Sir Thomas Halyday, *chaplain* at the altar of St. John the Evangelist, Nos. 27, 39.
 1405. Sir John Scherar, *chaplain* at the altar of St. Ninian, No. 28.
 1426. Sir John Hyll, *chaplain* at the altar of Virgin Mary, Nos. 31, 37, 38.
 Sir John Bridin, *chaplain* of the altar of St. Nicholas, No. 38.
 1437. Sir Adam Henrisoun, *chaplain* of the altar of St. Duthace, No. 44.
 1447. Sir John Erale, *chaplain* of the altar of St. Andrew the Apostle, No. 56.
 Sir Alexander Hundby, *chaplain* of the High Altar, Nos. 57, 58.
 1456. Sir Robert Lintonn, *chaplain* of the altar of St. Katherine, No. 78.
 Mr. Nicholas de Otterburne, VICAR of Edinburgh, No. 90.
 1462. Sir John Moffate, one of the *chaplainis* of the altar of St. Michael, No. 78.
 Sir Symon Fyulaw, *chaplain* (of the same altar), No. 78.
 1464. Mr. William Forbace, PERPETUAL VICAR, No. 81.
 1467. Sir James Skynnar, *chaplain* at the altar of St. Nicholas, No. 84.
 1470. Mr. Robert Cottis, *chaplain* at the altar of St. Katherine, No. 85.
 1477. Sir John Osburne, *chaplain* at the altar of St. Eligius, No. 86.
 1478. Mr. William Forbes (formerly VICAR), PROVOST.
 Richard Robertson, *prebendary* of Crageruk.
 John Craufurd, *prebendary*.
 John Fyndgud, *curate*.
 William Thomsone, *prebendary*.
 John Skathmur, *prebendary*.
 John Cliddisdale, *prebendary*.
 Thomas Halyday, *prebendary*.
 Thomas Rechartson, *prebendary*.
 —— Mathisoun, *prebendary*.
 Sir James Bawbyrny, *prebendary*.
 } No. 88.
 1484. Alexander Coksonn, *chaplain* at the altar of Our Lady of Piety, No. 98.
 1487. Sir Matthew Dowell, *chaplain* of St. Katherine's altar, No. 112.
 1490. Mr. William Forbes, PROVOST, No. 102.
 Sir Harry Laurenceson, *chaplain* of the altar of St. Katherine, No. 107.

1493. Sir John Naper, *chaplain* of the Rood altar, No. 109.
 Sir Hugh Lausone, *chaplain* of the altar of St. Ninian, App. No. 5.
1494. Sir Andrew Qhite, *chaplain* of the altar of St. Sebastian, App. No. 14.
1496. Mr. William Forbes, PROVOST, No. 111.
 Mr. Richard Robesoun, Mr. James Patersoune, Mr. William Balbirny, Sir William Blaklok, Sir George Cotis, and Sir Michael Geddas, *chaplains* (apparently of St. Giles), No. 111.
1503. Sir John Craufurd, *prebendary*, App. No. 6.
1505. Sir Edward Bog, *chaplain* of St. Giles's altar, No. 115.
1506. Sir Alexander Tod, *chaplain* of the Haly Bluid, No. 116.
1509. Sir William Lyntoun, *chaplain*, App. No. 11.
1511. Mr. Gawin Douglas, PROVOST, App. No. 12.
 Mr. David Lauder, *prebendary*, App. No. 12.
1521. Sir Alexander Kynneir, *chaplain* and *prebendary*, No. 123.
 Sir William Franche, *curate* or *first prebendary* after the provost of St. Giles—deceased, No. 124.
 Mr. Robert Creichtoun, PROVOST.
 Sir David Yong, elected *curate* or *first prebendary*, Nos. 124, 125.
 Sir John Geddes, *prebendary*, Nos. 124, 125.
 Sir John Craufurd, *prebendary*, No. 125.
1522. Sir Matthew Symson, *chaplain* at the altar of Haly Blude, No. 126.
1523. Sir Thomas Ewin, *chaplain* at the altar of Saint James, No. 127.
1524. Sir James Thomson, *chaplain* at the altar of Saint Ninian—deceased, and Sir John Faw, instituted *chaplain*, No. 128.
 Sir Alexander Sandelandis, Sir John Stirke, Sir Mungo Thorbrand, and Sir Thomas Gothrason, *chaplains*, present at institution of Sir John Faw, and apparently *chaplains* of the Church.
1525. Sir Gilbert Fischar, *chaplain* of St. Blase, deceased, and Sir Thomas Richertsoun, instituted, No. 129.
 Mr. Andro Bonar, Sir William Broun major, Sir John Harknes, Sir John Smyth, Sir John Clerk, Sir Thomas Gothrason, Sir William Cok, *chaplains* (apparently of the Church), present at institution.
1527. Sir Robert Hoppare, *prebendary* and *sacrist*, No. 130.
 Sir David Cristesoun, *chaplain* of the Haly Blude altar, No. 131.
 Mr. Robert Crechtoun, PROVOST, No. 132.
1529. Sir Thomas Ewing, *chaplain* in St. Giles, No. 141.
 Mr. Andro Bonar, *chaplain* at the altar of Haly Blude, No. 141.
 Sir Matthew Simsoun, *chaplain* at the altar of Haly Blude, Nos. 141, 143.

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1532. Sir Gilbert Lauder, *chaplain* of the altar of St. Nicholas, No. 134.
1535. Sir Richard Lausoun, *canon* and *prebendary* of Grotell, No. 136.
1541. Sir William Braidfute, *chaplain* of the altar of the Saviour in the Chapel of the same in the Cemetery of St. Giles—deceased, and
Sir Thomas Scone, instituted in *the same*, No. 140.
1542. Mr. Robert Creychtoun, PROVOST, No. 142.
1542. Sir Henry Mow, *chaplain* and *prebendary* of Grotale.
Andrew Harper, *prebendary*.
James Craufurd, *prebendary*.
William Gray, *prebendary*.
Sir Gilbert Robesoun, *prebendary*.
Sir James Bairnisfather, *prebendary*.
Sir John Mowbray, *prebendary*.
Sir David Lyle, *prebendary*.
David Young, *President*.
Master Ninian Hamilton, *prebendary*.
Edward Marioyribanks, *prebendary*.
Sir William Tade [Tod ?], *prebendary*.
Sir Edward Henrysoun, *prebendary*.
1548. Sir Symon Blyth, *chaplain* of St. Salvator's altar, No. 117.
1549. Sir William Johamestone, *chaplain* of the Haly Blude altar, No. 143.
1551. Mr. Robert Creichtoun, PROVOST, No. 144.
Sir Eduard Henrisoun, *prebendary* of Saint Michael—demits, and
Sir John Symsoun, *priest*, presented and instituted in *the same*, Nos. 144, 145.
Sir Laurence Tod, *Vicar* and *President*, No. 145.
Sir John Fety, *prebendary*, having resigned the mastership of the music school.
Edward Hendersoun (or Henrysoun) is appointed, App. No. 16.
1552. Sir George Littiljhone, *chaplain* of St. Blase, No. 146.
1553. Mr. Ninian Hammiltoun, *prebendary*.
Sir Laurence Tod, *President*.
Mr. Robert Creichtoun, PROVOST.
William Gray, *prebendary*.
Henry Mow, *prebendary*.
Sir John Simpsoun, *prebendary*.
Sir James Bairnisfather, *prebendary*.
. Sir James Crawfurd, *prebendary*.
Sir Walter Halyburton, *prebendary*.
Sir John Lermouth, *prebendary*.
Sir William Johnnestoun, *prebendary*.

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No. 147.

1557. Sir Robert Liddell, *chaplain* of St. Triduan, at the altar of Saint Roche, in St. Geillis Kirk, No. 148.
 Sir Laurence Tod, *President*.
 William Hammiltonn, *prebendary*.
 Sir Thomas Douglas, *prebendary*.
 Sir John Ormestoun, *prebendary*.
 Sir John Symesoun, *prebendary*.
 Sir Thomas Gray, *prebendary*.
 Sir John Bryce, *prebendary*.
 Sir Patrick Douglas, *prebendary*.
 Sir George Manderstoun, *prebendary*. } No. 148.
1560. Edward Hendersoun, *prebendary* in the room of Sir William Johnnestoun, deceased, App. No. 16.
1561. Sir John Wilsoun, *chaplain* of the altar of St. Katherine, No. 149.
1562. Sir Andrew Bartherem, *chaplain* of the altar of St. Blase, Nos. 150, 157.
 Sir George Liteljohne, having demitted the same *chaplainry*, No. 150.
1566. Mr. James Cheisholme, Provost, Nos. 152, 153.
 Sir James Johnstoun, *Vicar-portionar.*)
 Niniane Hammiltonn, *prebendary*. }
 Sir James Abicerumby, *prebendary*. }
 Patrick Douglas, *prebendary*. }
 John Beir, *prebendary*. }
 Thomas Gray, *prebendary*. } No. 153.
 William Halyburton, *prebendary*. }
 Harie Loiche, *prebendary*. }
 Edward Hendersoun, *prebendary*. }
 Niniane Borthuik, *prebendary*. }
 James Craufurde, *prebendary*. }
 George Manderstoun, *prebendary*. }
1589. Mr. Thomas Westoune resigns *chaplainry* of Saint Duthace, and Andrew Dalrymple instituted in the same, No. 155.

§ 2. *Names mentioned in the Council Registers, Protocol Books, &c.*

1501. Nov. 20. Mr. —— Currour, chaplain of the chaplainry of Petravy, of the altar of Saint Nicholas, having resigned his chaplainry, it was given to Sir George Newton.
- Nov. 26. Sir Andrew Quhite, chaplain of the altar of Saint Sebastian.
- 1503-4. Jan. 21. Mr. Thomas Andersoun, chaplain of the altar of St. Cuthbert's.

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1506. April 4. Sir Alexander Panter having resigned his prebend of Saint Nicholas, the same given to Mr. Patrick Clerk, and his prebend at the altar of Saint Michael, to Sir John Thomson, chaplain.
- Aug. 15. Sir Alexander Tod, chaplain of the altar Sancti Cruoris et Crucis de Lucano.
1508. Sept. 16. Sir William Franche, Vicar and President of the Collegiate Church ; Sir John Craufurd, Mr. Archibald Tod, David Lothian, Mr. John Quhite, canons and prebendaries of the said College.
- Nov. 4. Sir George Cotes, prebendary of the prebend of St. John the Evangelist, and the altar of the same.
1509. April 23. Mr. Thomas Frank, chaplain, having resigned his chaplainry, founded in honour of Sanct Vincentius the Martyr, the same was given to Sir Thomas Gould, chaplain.
- Dec. 2. The chaplainry at the altar of Saint Duthac, vacant by the decease of Sir John Lamb, and chaplainry given to — Scowgale, chaplain.
1510. Dec. 12. Sir John Jacksou, chaplain at the altar of St. Anthony.
- 1510-11. March 10. Sir John Crawford, chaplain of the prebend of Merchiston.
1517. April 28. Sir William Loch, chaplain.
- 1517-18. Feb. 1. Sir Quintin Cudyon, chaplain at the altar of St. Sebastian.
- March 11. Sir William Franche, chaplain at the altar of St. Kentigern.
1513. May 14. } Sir Thomas Ewyn, chaplain of the altar of St. Christopher.
- 1527-8. Feb. 1. }
1519. Sept. 7. Sir Alexander Kyngw, chaplain Collector to the Collegiate Church of St. Giles.
- 1519-20. March 23. Sir William Grey, chaplain.
1520. April 16. Mr. Archibald Tod, prebendary.
- April 16. Sir George Cottis, chaplain, son and heir of the deceased William Cottis.
1521. June 5. The gift to Sir Michael Dysart of Saint Duthous altar, renounced and discharged.
1522. Aug. 7. Sir David Young, vicar of the Collegiate Church.
1523. June 3. Mr. Archibald Tod resigned the benefice of sacristanrye and parish clerkship in favour of Sir Robert Hopper, by way of permutation.
1525. Dec. 1. Mr. Thomas Forbes having resigned his altarge at St. Eloyes alter. Sir David Frissell was admitted to the said chaplanrye and service.
1532. Sept. 25. The Lands of Petravy, in Fife, granted in few to Sir Gilbert Lauder, chaplain of St. Nicholas' altar.
- 1532-3. March 8. Prebend of St. John's altar, vacant by the resignation of Sir Robert Steill, granted to Sir Walter Turnbull, chaplain.

- 153[3?] Sept. 12. Sir Gilbert Lauder resigned the altarage and service of St. Nycholace altar, which same was granted to Sir David Purdome, "be the deliver- yng of ane bonet as use is after the fundatioun."
- 1533-4. March 21. Chaplainry of St. Eloyis altar, vacant by the decease of Sir David Frissell.
1535. July 28. Sir James Barroun, chaplain of St. Dyoneis altar, having resigned his said chaplainry, the same was given to Sir Jhone Ker.
- May 26. Prebend of St. Androis altar to Sir William Cady, the same being vacant because Mr. Andro Johnestoun, last prebendary, had left the land for heresy.
1537. May 30. Sir David Young, chaplain and curate.
1541. March 1. Sir Richard Lawson, prebendary of Grottell.
1543. April 6. Sir John Wilsoun, chaplain of St. James's altar.
1552. Jan. 26. James Lauder, prebendary of St. Catherine's altar.
- Aug. 17. Lease of a house and booth in the Ovirbow, granted by Sir William Merschell, chaplain of Sanct Erasmis altar. Witnesses, Sir Laurence Tod, vicar-pensioner, Sir Henry Mow, Sir Henry Locht, and Patrik Gowane.
1554. July 20. Sir Henry Loch, sacristan of St. Giles's Queir.
1555. Nov. 8. Sir Edward Henrysoun, *minister chorii* and master of the Sang school.
- 1555-6. March 2. William Bisshop of Dunkeld [Dunblane?] seisit in the Indging of the Provest of St. Geillis Kirk.
1559. April 12. The service and chaplainry at the High altar to Sir John Scott, chap- lain, vacant by decease of Sir Alexander Cuningham.
- Aug. 4. Thankful payment to be made of annualls, &c., to
 Sir Walter Haliburton,
 Sir James Craufurd,
 Sir George Manderstoun,
 Sir John Beir,
 Sir William Johnestoun,
 Sir James Abircrumby,
- And the others, prebendaries of St. Giles's Queir.
1561. May 23. John, alias Sir John Wilson, sometime chaplain of St. Katherine's altar.
1563. Oct. 13. Benefices vacant by the decease of—
 Sir Henry Mow.
 Sir Symoun Blyth.
- Oct. 15. Prebend of Craigerock to John alias Sir John Lythgow, vacant by the decease of Sir William Gray.

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1563. Oct. 15. James *alias* Sir James Crawfurd, ordained to bring with him the rental of the prebendaries rents and dewties quhilke pertenit to the Queir.
1564. July 9. Sir John Beyr, chaplain, renounced his annual sum of five pounds.
1566. May 8. The Chaplainry of St. Mungo to Edward Henrysoun, vacant by decease of Sir James Terbet.
1567. July 30. Sir George Lytiljohne, chaplain of the Haly Blude altar.
Feb. 18. Sir James Craik, chaplain of St. Duthokis altar.
Feb. 18. The altarage of St. Anthon to Mr. Michael Chisholm, Collector of the Hospital, vacant by decease of Sir James Young, last chaplain thereof.
March 3. Sir John Wilson, chaplain of St. James's altar.
1576. Jan. 4. Edward Henrysoun, an old prebendary.—Edward Henrysoun, master of the Sang School, and prebendary of St. Geillis Queir, died on the 15th August 1579.—(*Edinburgh Commissariot Register.*)
- Nov. 9. Sir Walter Haliburton and Sir James [George] Manderstoun, auld preists of the choir.—Mr. George Manderstoun, prebendar of St. Geillis Kirk, died 18 March 1590-1, (*ib.*)
- 1577-8. Jan. 22. A gift of the prebendarie called Merchamston, granted to Florens Douglas, brother to Mr. Patrik Douglas, sometime prebendary, who had departed out of the realme nineteen years since or thereby.

No. V.—EXTRACTS FROM THE COUNCIL REGISTERS OF THE
CITY OF EDINBURGH.

[The earliest volume now preserved in the Council Chambers, consists of a series of Extracts from older Registers not now extant. It is entitled: “*Brevis et Compendiosa Collectio veterum et maxime utilium statutorum. Ex antiquis libris Curiae Edinburgi. Made by Alexander Guthrie, 1570.*” A volume of similar extracts, made about the same time, is preserved in the Advocates Library, marked 31:4:9.]

1437-8, January 22.—Frauchting of Ships that na Guidis be Spaikit.

In the Tolbuith of Edinburgh the xxii day of the moneth of Januare the zer of God i^m iii^e xxxvii before the Aldirman baillies counsale and mony of the commounys be thame wes statute and ordanit for commoun proffite of the towne that quhat men frauchtis ony schippis of Edinburgh to cum hamewart or furthwart the frauchtismen sall specifie in the frauchting of the schip and in the chartour partie that thair be na gude woll nor skynnys spakit no schorne no hyddis kippit to be schorne vp no (blank) And quhat maister dois or tholis the contrer to be done sall tyne the fraucht of tha guidis

and amend the skaith to the merchant at the sieht of merchants and that na schip be frauchtit bot that thar conditionis be contenit in the chartour partie baith on this syde the sey and beyound. And gif ony frauchtis other on this syde the see or beyhould ony schip and specifeis nocht thir conditionis in the chairtour partie soll pay to the Kirk-wark v nobles but forgeving. Item it is statute that quabat persouns frauchtis a schip ontewart soll gif a sek fraucht to Sanct Rynanes ile in Brugis—and quhat persouns frauchtis ane schip hamewart thai soll gif a twn fraucht to Sanct Geillis wark.

1443, April 9.—Baxteris, Mayne Breid.

It is statute and ordainit that na baxter baik na mayne breid to sell fra hine furthwart saiffing anerly at Witsounday Sanct Geillis day messe Yhule and Pasche &c. . .

1456, Septembbris 13.—Annuell, Kirk.

The said day before the provest baillies and counsale of the toun Patrik Donald grantit and promittit that he suld gif ii markis of annuell yeirlie to be raisit of his tene-ment lyand in Toddrikkis Wynd to the reparatioun of the altar of Sanct Vbertis foundit be the craft [apparently the Baxtaris] and till infect it yeirlie and gif sesing thairof to the said altare for his stane and lair place that he hes befoir the said altare or ellis to remove the said stane and tak it away.

1462.—Enterig of Schippis.

It is statute and ordanit be the Provest baillies counsall and communitie of the toun that the wictuallis that cumis in and the tymmer at the port of Leith be strangeris salbe bocht in the tolbyuth as maner is of befoir for a certain price and gif that it beis nocht bocht that na neichtbour tak in hand to by the saidis victualis or tymmer to regrait and deir agane vpoun the nychtbouris; and gif ony dois the said victuall and tymmer salbe tane be the officiaris and distribuite amangis the nychtbouris of the price that is bidden thairfair in the tolbyuth; that gif ony man of vther burrowis wald by the saidis victuallis to haif furth of the toun the nychtbouris to by it of that price that thai gif thairfair to be distribute amangis the nychtbouris; and this statute to endure quhill Michaelmes mixt. Item it is ordanit that na nychtbour nor vther tak vpoun hand to warne ony strangaris of the price of victuall in the countrey nor that na nychtbour schaip thame to by ony victuallis or to bid ony price thairfair befoir the entrie and quha sa dois in the contrair heirof or brekis this statute soll pay to the Kirk wark of Sanct Gele ilk persoun singularie be himself ane chalder of quheit but remissioune.

1468-9, February 15.—Schippis.

In an entry of this date relating to “the custome and anchorage of Schippis pertaining to the toun,” certain sums allotted “Sanct Geillis wark.”

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1485, November 7.—Rentall of the Toune [nocht] to be set to ony man in Leith.

Item it is statute that name of the commun rentis be set to ony man of Leith nor yet that ony nyghtbour and dettour thairfair nor yet that ony of the toune that takis ony customes set thame to ony man of Leith or have ony of Leith partinar thairof with him nor yet to haif in seruice thairof vnder him ony persoun duelland in Leith vnder the payne of ten li. to the Kirk wark and tinsall of his fredome for yeir and day.

1497-9, February 21.—Frauchting.

The frauchting of schips Androw Bertain for frauchte xxi and xxii [s.] he fulfil land the acts of parliament and the statute of the towne and lies fundin souerty Th. Chisholme for the fulfilling of the said statute and specially for the twn fraucht to Sanct Geles.

1500-1, January 21.—Frauchting of Schippis to Flanderis.

The quhilk day the Prouest baillies and counsall hes statute and ordanit that for this yeir to cum na schippis be frauchtit in Flanderis bot in presens of the prouest baillies and counsall within the tolbuith and gif ony nyghtbour presumis or dois the contrare heirof the breker to pay xviii s. to Sanct Gelis werk but fauouris gif thai fraucht in taverein or ony vther place bot in the tolbuith alanelie as said is and that thai be frauchtit commounlie efter the forme of the act of Parliament.

1540, July 13.—The Passage to Sanct Gelys Kirk callit Our Lady Steppis.

The quhilk day the Prouest baillies counsale and dekynis for the communitie thinkis expedient that the commoun bathis before malyt to the effect that with the malez thairof in sa fer as may be gotten the land pertenyng to James Prestoun at the kirk end and eist entres thairto mycht be bocht for the weill and policie of the kirk and gude tonn and consentis to gyff xvii^{xx} [340] merkis to the said James for his said land in consideratioun of the yeirlie males thairof comptanl x li. for the merk and x merkis mair in the hale extendis to sa mekill.

1552, May 11.—Anent the Kirk-yard.

The quhilk day the Prouest baillies and counsale ordanis the eistar stane dik of the kirkyard to be tane downe and the proppis tane away vpoun the expens of the choppis malis at the kirkyard fute.

1552-3, March 4.—The Commoun Bell.

The prouest baillies and counsale thinkis expedient and ordanis that the commoun bell haif ane string cumand thairfra to the nether end of ane piller in the Kirk and to

be lokkitt in almery and that to haif sex keyis ane thairof to the prouest four to the four baillies and the sext to the belman that the same bell may be rowng at all tymes quhen tyme occurris.

1554, April 27.—Anent the Sang Scule.

The quhilke day the baillies and counsale sittand in judgement ordanis the Dene of Gild to repair and vpbig the Sang Scule in the kirkyard as it wes of befoir sua that the bernis may enter thairto and inhabit the sainyn.

1554, October 19.—Anent Standis on the Gait and Stapill Gudis.

The quhilke day it is statute and ordanit be the Prouest baillies and counsale that na maner of standis nor crames be set on the Hie Gait or in the kirk duris or commoun passageis in ony day of the ould except on the Monunday alanelrie and on the Monunday that thair be na standis on the Hie Gait with palyonis or coueringis aboun thame bot thai crames that sall be sett to be ane burd on twa laych trestis without ony conering aboun except gif it be weyt thai to couer thair gudis with ane plat couering vpoun the samyn and that thair be na sic gudis as followis sauld on the said cramis videlicet Franche elayth Inglis elayth Flandris elayth nor na hewit Scottis braid elayth except lynnyngeis na silkis worsattis bimbaseyis fustianis canves burkrom Franche bonnetis Franche hattis all kynd of spycery confettis chanleettis Holland elayth serge sowin silk sowin gold and siluer sayis mador irne lint hempt walx ais pik and ter battory saip steil! allum spanzeskynnis and burdeolis nor vther skynnis nor na siclik stapill gudis under the pane of viii s. for the first falt and frathinfurth eschete of sic saise.

1554, November 6.—Turnour, Heleis.

The quhilke day the Prouest baillies and counsale licenceis Andro Heleis and George Turnour to vse thair standis and sell thair cramerie in the North Kirk as thai haif vsit in tymes bygane for ane yere heirefter alanelrie thai payand to the dene of gild thairfor xl s. ilkane of thaim for that yeir.

1555, September 16.—Precept Dromond.

The quhilke day the baillies and counsale ordanis the thesaurer Maister Johne Prestoun to content and pay to James Dromond and his marrowis quha playit befoir Sanet Geill on Sanet Geillis day on the schammes the sowme of xl s. quhilke beand payit, &c.

1556-7, January 22.—Anent our Lady Alter.

The quhilke day the Prouest baillies and counsale as of befoir thinkis expedient that the Dene of Gild reperrell Our Lady alter and mak ane ile thairof and gif it pleis ony maner of personis to gif pillaris or ony vther ornamentis thairto that he permitt and thoill thair armes to be put tbairon.

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1558, May 27.—The Townys Evidentis.

The quhilke day the presidentis baillies and counsale and dekynnus convenit in the tolbuith of this burch is content grantis consentis and als commandis James Carmychaell dene of gyld James Adamsoun thesaurer of this burch and James Barroun burges that gif it sal happen our auld enemyis of Ingland to cum fordwart for persute of this toun to convey and transport the haill evidentis and wryttingis now beand in the thesanair-hous of this burch to the castell and to put the samyn in the thesanar-hous of the said castell thair to remane in sure keping. And siclike ordanis the said dene of gild to haif the reliquis syluer chandlaris with the rest of the syluer wark capis and ornamentis of the Kirk of Sanct Geill to the said thesanar-hous of the said castell thair to be kept in lik maner quhairpoun the said James Carmychaell askit instrumentis.

1558-9, January 7.—Jowallis.

The quhilke day the prowest baillies and counsall ordanis Jhone Charteris eldar dene of gild to resaine the jowallis vnderwrittin fra Schir Henrye Louche sacristane of the Kirk of Sanct Geill now hafar of the same and to keip thame be himself and his deputis that he will answer for that the sainyn salbe furtheumand to the toun quhen thai think expedient and to serue the nychtbouriis thairof as vse is—and that the said dene of gild tak souerte of his said depute of honest responsibill nychtbouriis of this burch for his lawte and sure keping of the saidis jowallis and that thai wey and keip the pais vnder specifyit becaus vpon the sextene day of December last bypast thay war weyit in presens of the counsall in the tolbuith of this burch be James Mosman goldsmith of the wecht particularlie as efter followis. And at the fathe of his office the said counsall ordanis the said dene of gild to deliuere the same of the wecht efter following to the counsall that thai may be delinerit and weyit in lyk maner to his successouris denes of gild for the tym to the effect foirsaid videlicet: The relict and arme of Sanct Geill with the bane and paper with ane ring set with ane dyamant on the litill fingar of the said arme and fourtene perle and sevintene stanis all weyand fyve pund thre unce and ane half: The syluer croce by the fute weyand sex pund four unce and ane half. Item the fute of this croce fillit with pik and vther mettall within the same to caus it stand weyand ten pund nyne unce. Tua crowattis weyand twentye tua unce. Ane challece with the patene of syluer weyand threttie tua unce and ane half quhairof the spyne weyis half ane unce: Twa chandlaris of syluer weyand sevin pund four unce: Tua grettar chandlaris of syluer baith weyand anecht pund threttene unce: Tua sensaris weyand togidder thre pund fyvetene unce: Ane ship for insence sex unce.

Item vpon the 8 day of Marche 1558 yeris in the Ravestre of the Kirk in presens of the counsall afair specifyit the eucharist was weyit contenand of wecht all syluer ourgilt with four bellis of gold bingand thairat half ane stane and tua unce wecht haif

hingand aboune ane hart set with perle ane litill blew bell of gold ane litill jasinet ane saphir ane agat tua perlis tua stanis and vther tua fyne stanis and hingand laych ane lytill hart of gold ane mekill croce with thre perle image of Our Ladye ane litill croce with thre perle quhilkis all is contenit within the said eucharist: Ane round eucharist of siluer weyand twentyn thre unce: Item the cresim stok weyand xxxix unce and ane quarter.

1559, April 28.—Thesaurer Villa.

. . . The provest &c. . . [on the suggestion of Master James Lyudsay treasurer]—that thair was ane waist place be-eist the butterege on the eist syde of the northe kirk dure quhilk mycht be ane sufficient and meitt rowme to iii choppis quhilkis wald gif yeirlie to the gude toun the sowme of xx markis yeirlie proffeit in cays the samyn wer biggit to the kirk gavill with tymer nocth passand farther nor the breid of the saidis butterraigis quhilk wald mak the said passage equall and of ane breid and mair honest speciallie becaus the said wast place servit for na thing bot collecting of filthe . . . [granted that it should be built accordingly.]

1559, June 27.—Delinerance of the Jowallis and Vestimentis afoir the cuming of the Congregation.

The quhilk day the baillies and counsall vnderwrittin consentit and grantit all in ane voce that the personis vnder specifyit ressauit in custode the jowallis and vestimentis vnderwrittin to be furthecumand and delinerit be thame quhen thai suld be requerit thairto be the counsall—quhilkis personis ressauit the same and promist to do thair vter diligence for keping thairof. The names of the counsall and baillies Alexander Barroun &c. . . The names of the honest men quha ressauit this geir in keping:—

In primis to James Barroun merchand the ewcharist. Item to Maister Thomas M'Calzeane the arme of Sanctt Geill. James Young the tua maist chandlaris. Mychaell Gilbert tua litill chandler of sylwer. Jhone Charterhous dene of gild the mekill croce with the fute. Alexander Guthre ane challice with the patene and spyne. James Thom-soun tua crowattis with the cresim stoke. James Carmychaell tua censaris and the schipp. Alexander Barroun baillie the round ewcharist. Quhilk haill jowallis ar of the wecht specifyit in the act maid the sevint day of Januar the yeir of God 1558 yeris and insert in the same buke.

The names of thame that ressauit the Vestimentis of the Kirk:—

In primis to Maister James Lyndesay the sacrament clayth with Sanct Gelis cloke of welwote droppit with gold with the pendicle of reid cramosye welwote alias callit the wail. Item to Maister Jhone Spens baillie ane paill of reid seten with ane kaip of clayth of gold. Item to James Curr vestiment dekyn subdekyn preistheid and kaip with the ornamentis compleittand the haill stand all of clayth of gold. Item ressauit be Willianne Lawsoun merchand ane westiment dekyn and subdekyn of greine dalmes with the per-

tinentis begareit with strypis of gold. Item to Alexander Sawche dekyn of the tailyeouris tua frontellis ane of blak welwote ane other of reid welwote. Item ressauit be James Cranstoun preist dekyn and subdekyn of quhite dalmes. Item be Thomas Jaksoun dekyn of the masounis ane chesobell of reid welwote miyxt with clayth of gold with the pertinentis. Item deliuerit to Rychart Hendersoun dekyn of the fleschouris the mort stand contenand thre capis dekyn and subdekyn and preistheid with the orpleis of blak welwote and graith pertenand thairto. Item ressanuit be Robert Hamtroddis dekyn of the cordineris a haill stand of blew welwote contenand thre capis dekyn subdekyn and preist with the pertinentis. Item to Hew Tane dekyn of the furrouris tua twneelis of quhite dalmes ane blew chesobell of welwote with the pertinentis ane chesobell of tany welwote. Item to Andro Sclater vestiment dekyn and subdekyn of clayth of gold alias callit Dame Lauderis stande. Item ressanuit be Peter Turnet dekyn of the skynneris vestiment dekyn and subdekyn of clayth of syluer and blew welwote with the frontell. To Jhone Charterhous eldar dene of gild the candelstykis of tyn of the hie altar with the arres warke of the same altar. To Patrik Govane belman the vale afoir the hie altar of lyning clayth with the pulpet clayth. *Telos.*

1559, July 29.—Anent the Quenis Grace and Brether of the Congregatioun.

At a meeting of Council, at which appeared the Queen's Commissioners on the one hand and a deputation from the Lords of the Congregation on the other, the latter, referring to a former arrangement, claimed possession of Saint Giles's church, as follows:—

" Bot swa it is that we the Congregatioun of this toun the tyme of the making of the said appointment lang of befoir and continewallie sensyn wer in possessioun lyk as we ar yit of the hie Kirk of this toun callit Sanct Geillis kirk haveand our commoun prayeris preaching of the word and the ministratioun of the sacramentis and haill vther ministerie thairintill but interruptioun, and thairfoir aucht and sould to possess the samyn unto the said day [10th of January] but ony voting controuersie and trubill; and swa can na way consent to submitt that to voting quhilk the saidis Lordis left vs possesst in, and swa in effect your Lordschippis of your honouris can nocht suffer vs to be trublit in oure maner of religioun nor yit in the place of ministratioun thairof quhilk we peciabillie posses; meikle les trubbill vs yourselfis &c."

1560, May 8.—Anent the doun taking of the Marie Bell.

The quhilk day the provest baillies and counsall understanding that the Kirk mycht be servit be thre bellis ane rung to the prayeris ane vther for serving of the knok and the third to be the commoun bell ordanis James Barroun dene of gild to tak doun the ferd bell callit the Marie bell and to kepe the samyn quhill he ressave farther directioun fra the counsall.

[On the 26 of May, “the Marie bell and the brasyn pillaris of the Kirk of Sanct Geill,” were ordered to be made into artillery ; but as only the value of the latter appears in the toun’s accounts, it is not improbable that the Marie bell so called either in honour of the Queen Mary of Gueldres, or of the figures of the Virgin engraved on it, may have been preserved till the year 1774. See *supra*, p. xix. For pointing out the curious notice there quoted from an obscure Edinburgh Magazine, I am indebted to James Maidment, Esq., Advocate.]

1560, May 8.—Thesaurer.

The quhilke day the Provest baillies and counsell inhibit and discharge Alexander Park thesaurer personallie present of payment of ony pentiounis or dewiteis awand furthe of the commoun gude to ony kirkis kirkmen or utheris that servit in sic service of befoir certefeing the said Thesaurer gif he do the samyn he sall gett na allowance thairof.

1560, June 19.—Anent the Tolbuith Schule and Clerkis Chalmer.

The quhilke day the prowest baillies &c. . . . haifand consideratioun of the gret inquietatioun that thai haif had in tymes past within the Tolbuith of this burch for laik of rowme to minister justice and to do thair other effaris at all sic tymes quhen the sessioune did sit or quhen ony courtis and convocationis war in the samyn and alssua considering the skant of presoun housis and incommoditie of thair clerkis chalmer and for inhalding of the yeirlie maill of the samyn and for other gret sowmes of money debursit be thame for their scole haiffing mair commodious place and sie rowmes within thair Kirk as may be ane fair Tolbuith for serving of the toun in thair effaris and of all other necessar rowmes vpon the west part of thair said Kirk and siclyke vpon the est part of the samyn ane other convenient rowme for ane Scole to thair barnes besyde sufficient rowme for the preiching and ministratioun of the sacramentis. Thairfor and for diners otheris reasonable caassis moving thame all in ane voce concludis decernis and ordinis James Barroun dene of gild with all diligence to repair and big wp ane stane wall videlicet ane parwall of fute thyk beginnand at the southe kirk dur callit the Kirkyarde dur and streicht north to the northe kirk dur at the Stynkand Styll for the said Tolbuith—and vpon the eist end of the said kirk ane vther parpell wall of the sam thiknes beginnand at the eist cheik of the kirk dur at Our Lady Steppis and swa in langis the bried of the said kirk be just lyne to the southe syde wall of the samyn for thair schule—and that the said James furneshe big and sett vp all thingis necessar for the said schule tollbuith presonhouis clerkis chalmer and all vtheris necessariis within the samyn &c. &c. . . .

The same day James Barroun ordered, ‘to mak saittis fwrmes and stullis of the radeast of the tymmer convenient thairfor liand within the volt vnder the tolbuith for the peple to syt vpoun the tyme of the sermoun and prayairis within the kirk. . . .’

APPENDIX.

1560, August 1.—Villa, Nornell.

The samyn day as concerning the complaynt gevin in and producit before the prouest baillies counsall and dekynnis foresaid be James Noruell dekyn of the tailyeoris bering in effect that the traves close rowme or sait biggit and maid be command of James Barroun dene of gild at Sanct Annys alter sumtyme callit the Tailyeoir alter, aucht and sould be removit and the dekyn and brether of the tailyeoir craft permyttit to big thair satis thair to be usit be thame and thair said craft at all sermonis and other tymes convenient and name utheris conforme to thair auld possessioun : To the quhilikis it was answerit and for plane ordinance be the prouest baillies counsall and dekynniss before written declarit that in respect of the godly ordour now taken in Religionn all titill and clame to altaris and sic uther superstitious pretensis ar and sonld be abolischt tand na farther word nor clame thairof to be in tymes cuming bot as it is commandit be Goddis most haly word that brotherlie amytie be amangis us joynit in his congregatioun the nobilitie prouest baillies counsall eldaris and dekynnis being first placit the honest merchantis and honest craftsmen to place and set themselffis togidder as loving brether and freinds in that and all uther places of the Kirk vacand at all tymes neidful. Providing always that nowther the prentissis or servandis of merchantis or craftsmen or uther commoun peple tak upon thame the places or rowmes of the saidis merchantis and fre craftesmen. And this present act and ordinance to tak effect without alteratioun in tymes cuming.

1560-1, February 7.—Kirk Wark.

The samyn day the prouest &c. . . . ordanis Maister James Watson dene of gild with all diligence to begyn and compleit the stane gavill ordanit of besor at the west end of Sanct Gelis Kirk within the west gavill of the samyn conforme to the said ordinance—and siclike to proceid in the vther necessar warkis within the said kirk—and the expensis debursit thairupou be him salbe allowit in his comptis.

1562, August 27.—Hendersoun.

The samyn day the prouest baillies and counsale ordanis Edward *alias* Schir Edward Hendersoun to tak cure and charge over the warkis of the Tou at Sanct Gelys kirkyard the Blak and Gray Freiris and ordanis to gyve him ii s. in the day for his laubouris induring thair willis.

1562, December 5.—Dene Gild, Presones.

The prouest baillies assessor and counsale foresaid ordanis the dene of gild to prepair the hons quhair the wobsteris wrocht in the Steple with all necessaris to be ane pressounhous for adulteraris and furnicatouris and to mak the samyn sure and lokfast &c. . . .

1562-3, January 5.—Allane, Goldsmyth.

The quhilk day the prouest baillies and counsale granttis to Adam Allane goldsmyth licence to big ane chope for his occupationoun betuix the tua buttres at the bak of the ile callit Sanct Jhonis Ile vpoun the north pairet of Sanct Gelys Kirk prouiding he narrow nocht the passage be the said chope and pay thairfor yeirlie to the dene of gild present and to cum siclike males and dewiteis as is payit for the vther goldsmythis choppis vpoun the kirk wallis—and farther gyf it sal happen the prouest baillies and counsale present or to cum as said is to fynde gude that the said chope be removit at onye tyme heireftir the said Adam or onye vtheris inhabitaris thairof to remove the samyn vpoun thair awin expensis without ony titill or clame to the said rowme bot at the plesour of the gude Toun.

1562-3, March 5.—Chepman, &c.

The quibilk day the prouest baillies &c. . . . ordanis Maister Jhone Preston thesaurer to deliuier to Agnes Simsoun relict of vñquhile Williame Chepman and Robert Norvell now hir spous the soume of threttie poundis for the stanis and beging of the Chapell in the nethir kirk yarde foundit be umquhile Walter Chepman—prouideing that the said money be bestowit vpoun the bairnis of the said vñquhile Williame Chepman [to] put thame to craftis and that the said Robert and Agnes be boundin and obleist to keip the gude toun skaithless of the saidis stanis at the handis of the saidis barnis and all vtheris quhome it efferis &c. . . .

The samyn day Robert Norvell and Agnes Simsoun his spous band and obleist thame to warrand and keip skaithles the gude Toun thair thesaurer and maister of work at the handis of the bairnis of vñquhile Williame Chepman and all vtheris of the dountaking of the chapell of the nethir kirkyarde and intrometting with the stanis thairof &c. . . .

The samyn day the prouest &c. . . . ordanis Dauid Somer maister of wark to intromet with the stanis of the chapell in the nethir kirkyaird and bestow the samyn vpoun the new Tolbuth and oblissis thame to keip thame skaythles thairof at all handis quhome efferis.

1563, April 30.—Clerkis Chalmer.

The quhilk day the prouest &c. . . . vnderstanding that thir monye yeris past thay haue bene subiectit to pay furth of thair commoun gude yeirlie the sowme of xx merkis or thairby for the maill of thair clerkis chalmer quhilk may be haldin in in all tymes cumming gyf the auld renestrye of Sanct Gelys Kirk war put in ordour and maid able thairfor quhilk at this present is desolat waist and seruis for litill or nathing—heirfor vpoun respect to thair commoun weill and for halding in of sic sowmes in all tymes cuming as alsua

that thay may haue ane certane hous of thair awin for sure keiping of thair evidentis bukis and vther commoun euidentis continuallie in the handis of thair clerkis fra the quhilke hous thay nor thair clerk sall noct be removable at the plesour of particular personis as thay haue bene in tymes past all in ane voce . . . ordinis that Alexander Guthrie dene of gild . . . caus prepair the said reuestrye bayth laych and heich in maist honest and sure maner with all thingis necessar and that the dur be maid in the eist gavill of the said reuestrye . . . and ordinis Thomas Reidpeth and James Young of the counsale to be visitouris of the wark of the said chalmer and to tak cure and charge in the ordering thairof.

1563, November 10.—Saittis in the Kirk.

The quhilke day the prouest &c. . . . ordinis Alexander Guthre dene of gild with all diligence possibell to tak doun the saittis within the traveis befoir the pulpat and in the place thairof he caus big and set vp ane sait and dask in honest maner for the prouest baillies and counsale and the expensis debursit be him &c. . . .

1567, November 10.—Haly Blude Altar.

Jhonn Dowgall delyuerit to Mr. Jhon Prestoun xv peice of evidentis in parchment and viij writtingis in paper perteneng to the Haly Blude altar.

1567, November 4.—1567-8, February 18.—Haly Blude Altar.

Ane chopin of ilk twyn of wyne ordanet &c. . . . quhilke pertenet of before to the Haly Blude altar.

1567-8, March 19.—Kirk.

The baillies and counsell ordinis Alexander Park dene of gild with all diligence possible to cause beit and mend the greit wyndo of the eist gavill of the Kirk the wyndow in Sanct Thomas Yle efter the avyce and counsell of Adam Foulerton bailye &c. . . .

1568, March 27.—Kirk Wark.

The samyn day the baillies and counsell forsaide ordinis Adame Fowlertoun to accept the charge vpoun him of the bigging of the Kirk windokis and all vther workis necessar within the kirk and assignis to him the dewite of the burgeschipis and gildschippis of all sic as he may find that occupeis the fredome of this burgh to the payment of the charge of the said work and quhat he beis forther superexpendit ordinis Alexander Guthre to mak him payment thairof of the readiest of the dewite of the mylnis quilk thay ordane to be allowit him in his comptis.

1570, August 24.—Ministry.

The awld dewty quhilke wes payet be the inhabitants of the burch to the Prouest Vicare and Parroche Kirk to be collectet of new and appoynet to the Ministry.

1574-5, January 12.—Kirk.

The baillies and counsale ordanis James Adamsou dene of gyld to mend the south east wyndo in the east gavyll of Sanct Gelys kirk quhilke is in danger of falling &c.

1579, March 27.—Seasing Ministers Manse.

The said day Archibauld Stewart Provest &c. . . . commandis and chairgis Alexander Guthrie thair commoun Clerk to gif seasing to Maister James Lowsoun and Johne Durie for thameselfis in name of the Ministerie of the mans dwelling houssis and yairdis within Sanct Gelis kirkyaird conforme to the designation past of befoir and thai sall warrand him thairof.

1579, November 24.—Prebendary of St. Gregoris Altar.

The samyn day disponis the prebendary of Sanct Gregoris altar vacand be deceis of (blank) in their handis, induring all the dayes of Mr. Walter Buquanquillis lyfetyme to the said Mr. Walter and that of all termes bygane and to cum.

1580-1, January 25.—Tymmer Wark of the New Kirk.

The same day [&c.] ordanis Jhoun Harwod dene of gild to enter to the tymmer wark of the New Kirk in the eist end of the Kirk of this burch and provyde the seetes of tymmer requisit thairinto with the tymmer quhilke restit oure and wes bocht to the Kingis Graces entry and thairefter to begin to the said wark and caus the same be perfytet and maid in dasks saittes and vther silyke as he can best devyse with the avyse and counsal of Henry Nesbet &c. . . .

1586, April 20.—Poynting the Kirk.

The sam day [&c.] gevis commissioun to Androw Sclater &c. . . . to visie the Kirk rufif and walls and consult and agrie for poynting thairof and the dene of gild to pay for the sam &c. . . .

1598, May 26.—Parpell of the Kirk.

The sam day after resoning it is fund expedient and agreyet that the parpell wall in the eist end of the hie Kirk betuix the sam and the Vtter Tolbuith be tayne doun and sett eister mair to the nixt gang of pillers that the said Tolbuith may serue for ane interim mair commodiouslie to the south west quarter.

1598, July 19.—Parpell Wall of the hie Kirk.

The sam day it is fund expedient and ordanet that the parpell wall wes standand betuix the greitt Kirk of this burch and the Tolbuith be tayne down and reedifeyet vpoun the eist syde of the pillers nixt adiacent thairto and concluds that the present lofting sall stand ane jeisting and lofting preparyet for swa mekill as sall be augmentet—and this to be done with all expeditiou— and appoynts William Littill &c. . . . to be owerseyars of the wark &c. . . .

1598, October 4.—Wall of the hie Kirk.

The sam day after resoning thai fynd guid resonis and concluds anent the wall of the Tolbuith in the west end of the hie Kirk that the awld parpell wall betuix the Tolbuith and the new wall abone and vnder be cleyne tayne away and the floring inlairget vpoun dorments to the new wall and the said new wall compleitt.

1599, August 10.—Rufe of the Kirk.

The quihilk day Alexander Lord Fyvie president provest of this burgh Jhoun More-soun William Hammiltoun James Forman baillies the deyne of gild and maist part of the counsell being convenient vnderstanding that the sclaitis and rwiff of thair Kirk hes bene greatlie damufeyed be the fornicatouris and criminall persons wayrdit in the Steipill thairfore they discharge the plaeicing and resaving of any fornicatouris or criminall persons in the said Steipell in tyme cuming.

1633, October 11.—Letter of King Charles the First.

Right trusty & welbeloued Cousin & Counsello^r right trustie & welbeloued Cousins & Counsello^s & right trustie and welbeloued Counsello^s We greete yow well. Whereas Wee haue ureittin to o^r Toun of Edenbrugh for causing raze w^t diligence the east wall wthin the Church of S^t Geeles & the west wall therein between this and Lambas ensuing, to the end that those walles being remoued the decencie of the order & largenesse of the fabrick may appeare & be made usefull as the Cathedrall church of the Bishoprick of Edenbrugh, to which purpose Wee haue designed the same ; And whereas Wee haue signified our pleasure vnto them for finishing the new Tolbuith betweene this & Lambas, in both which thay wilbe at charges, speciallie in building that house for our service.

Thairfor & for the better encouragement & enabling to the like good & publick works .
Wee haue hereby thought fitt speciaile to recommend vnto yow to further them therein
in what yow can lawfullie & convenientlie do, & to see the sd center wall razed with all
diligence and the other betwixt this and the tyme designed ; And our further pleasure is
that now and at all tymes hereafter yow cause the seruices of o Counsell Exchqf & Com-
missioun for Surrenders to be kept within that Toun, which Wee for thair good &
aduancement of our seruice haue resolued to haue done. ffor your soe doeing these pñts
shalbe your sufficient warrant. ffrom our Court att Whythall the 11 day of October
1633.

To our righte trustie &c. &c.

The Earl of Kinnoule or Chanceler.

1648, February 25.—The Crown and Steiple of St. Giles.

The quhillk day the provest baillies and counsell . . . taking to thair consideratioun
the dangerous and ruinous estait of the stane wark of the Crowne of the great Steiple and
the necessitie of repairing thairof have thairfor thought fitt that the same be repaired with
all diligence and to that effect gives warrand and ordour to George Suittie dean of gild
with all convenient speed to goo about the said work and to call wnto him Johne Mylne
maister massoun and Johne Scott wright and to condischend with thame of the fittest
and most convenient way for doeing thairof as weill for the scaffolding thairof as for the
repairing the said staine work and to enter thair servants accordiglie to work quhair-
anent thir presentes sall be to the Dean of gild ane sufficient warrand and for allowance
of his debursmentsis in his accompts and ordanis Edward Edgar James Rucheid and
James Monteith to concurr with the Deane of gild in the foirsaid busines and heirby gives
warrand that for the better doeing heirof thair be ane sufficient scaffold maid on the heid
of the kirk in sick faschione as the ruf of the Kirk be no way burthened thairwith bot
lye on the walls allenarlie and that the stones may be hewed on the said scaffold.

REGISTRUM ECCLESIE SANCTI EGIDI DE EDYNBURGH.

ASSIT PRINCIPIO SANCTA MARIA MEO.

- 1 **Q**uum propter guerrarum discrimina ac mortalitatem hominum continua et iuuenium ignoranciam plures redditus ecclesie Sancti Egidi de Edynburgh et altaribus in dicta ecclesia constructis ex donacione burgen- sium eiusdem legati sunt a dicta ecclesia et altaribus eiusdem abstracti et in usus laycorum in minoracionem diuini cultus perpetue conuersi et diuersti a iure suo ceciderint . ob quod discretus vir Willelmus Guppild tunc aldirmannus burgi supradiecti . cum consensu discretorum virorum Johannis Wygmor Ade de Bronhill Johannis de Qwylnys Andree Augustini Walteri Augustini Symonis de Edynburgh Andree Pictoris Johannis Wygmor Willelmi de Lawedir Andree Bet Patricii Leper Andree Eustacii Alexandri Wygmor Rogeri de Bozvyll Alexandri de Nelbit Willelmi Guillot Johannis Gray clerici rotulorum domini nostri regis Dauid Johannis de Peblis ac vnamini consensu et assensu omnium aliorum burgenium dicti burgi . volens et desiderans maturo consilio dictorum comburgenium et solempni tractatu prius habito pro huiusmodi dampnis vtile clarum et salubre remedium decreuit fieri ne veritas rei ignorancie obfuscata velamine ius innocentis deprimere quo continua

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exheredacio possit prouenire et veritatem de die in diem suffocare vide-
licet per Johannem Rollo communem suum clericum istum librum ad
modum regeftri pro annuis redditibus ecclesie supradiete et altaribus in
eadem situatis legatis inferibendis ac cartarum copiis terrarum vendi-
cionibus ac eeteris ad dictum burgum pertinentibus prout in sequenti
tabula continentur scribere . et claufum sub sigillis aldirmanni et balli-
uorum obseruandum ne aliquid in alicuius preiudicium infrascriberetur
fine eorum consensu ordinavit fet prius ab aldirmanno et communitate
petita licenceia et obtenta copiam sui instrumenti per clericum communem
feribi faciat et in presencia communitatis legi ac satissimat clerico pro
feriuptura . A&ta et ordinata fuerunt in pretorio burgi supradieti die Martis
proximo post festum Beati Michaelis archangeli anno gracie millesimo
tricentefimo sexagesimo octauo anno regni regis Dauid tricesimo nono.

I. Copia carte domini Willelmi Mure militis domini de Cartrank de
terra de Raylistoun facta altari Beate Marie virginis de terra antedicta in
ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidii de Edynburgh. [No. 11.]

II. Copia confirmacionis domini nostri regis super eandem facta.
[No. 12.]

III. Copia carte dominorum Patricii li Grame domini de Kynpunt et
Dauid li Grame domini de Dundaff de terra de Crageruke facte Johanni
de Allyncrum burgenfi de Edynburgh. — [No. 5.]

III. Copia confirmacionis domini nostri regis facte super cartam dictae
terre. [No. 7.]

V. Copia carte alterius per predictos milites de supradicta terra de
Crageruke facte predicto Johanni sub certa obligacione. [No. 6.]

VI. Copia carte Johannis de Allynerum burgenfis de Edynburgh facte
de terra de Crageruke cum pertinenciis altari Beate Marie virginis in
ecclesia parochiali de Edynburgh. [No. 8.]

VII. Copia confirmacionis eiusdem cum speciali clausula addita per
dominum regem. [No. 9.]

VIII. Copia confirmacionis Henrici de Brade cum speciali clausula super cartam Henrici Multerer de terra de Grothill. [No. 3.]

IX. Copia carte Roberti Multerer confirmantis donationem Henrici patris sui de terra de Grothill. [No. 10.]

X. Copia carte Mathie filii Juliane de quodam annuo redditu duorum solidorum altari Beate Marie concefse. [No. 2.]

[Carta Mathie filii Juliane.]

2 Sciant prefentes et futuri quod ego Mathias filius Juliane burgenfis de Edynburgh dedi concefse et hac prefenti carta mea confirmavi Deo et altari Beate Marie virginis in capella eiusdem Sancte Marie burgi de Edynburgh predi*t*i pro ornamenti*s* di*t* altaris fuftentandis duos solidos annui redditus exeunte*s* de illo burgagio meo in di*t* burgo iacente ex parte boreali di*t* burgi inter terram Johannis Eruginatoris dudum burgenfis di*t* burgi ex orientali parte ex parte vna et terram Laurencii de Striuylyne ex occidentali parte ex altera . Tenendos et habendos di*t* altari in perpetuam puram elemosinam libere quiete pure plenarie et integre fine aliquo retinemendo . Et si contingat quod ab*f*it di*t* burgagium per guerram seu per quemcunque alium casum destrui seu denaftari ita quod di*t* duo solidi de eodem leuari non valeant volo et concedo pro me et heredibus meis et meis assignatis quibuscunque quod quam cito fuerit reedificatum et repromotum in toto uel in parte di*t* duo solidi annui redditus integre soluantur di*t* altari et ad duos anni terminos per tutores seruicii Sancte Marie predi*t*e videlicet ad festum Pentecostes et Sancti Martini in yeme proporcionaliter recipiantur . Et ego di*t*us Mathias et heredes mei et mei assignati quicunque di*t*os duos solidos annui redditus di*t* altari in puram et perpetuam elemosinam warantizabimus acquietabimus et contra omnes mortales defendemus

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in perpetuum . In cuius rei testimonium presenti carte sigillum meum apposui et ad huius rei maiorem testificacionem sigilla Johannis Aurifabri Rogeri Hog et Alexandri Guillot comburgensium meorum tempore presentis donacionis mee balliuorum dicti burgi existencium presenti carte apponi procuraui testibus Johanne Wigmer tunc aldirmanno . Willelmo de Fayrley et Adam Multerer Henrico Multerer Waltero de Corry Andrea Bet Willelmo Bertilmew Dauid Bet Adam de Bronhill burgenibus dicti burgi . et aliis pluribus . Datum in burgo predicto die Dominico proximo ante festum Beati Petri in cathedra anno gracie millesimo tricentefimo quadragesimo quarto . Et ista terra iacet ex parte boreali burgi inter terram Roberti Carnificis ex parte orientali ex parte vna et terram Willelmi Schenard ex parte occidentali ex parte altera.

[Confirmacio Henrici de Brade super carta Henrici Multerer.]

- 3 **Omnibus** hanc cartam visuris vel audituris Henrieus de Brade dominus eiusdem loci salutem in Domino sempiternam . Cum Henricus Multerer burgenis de Edynburgh pro salute anime sue et pro salute animarum predecessorum suorum et successorum suorum dedit et concessit Deo et altari Beati Johannis baptiste in choro Beate Marie virginis de Edynburgh ac vni capellano ibidem diuina celebranti totam terram suam de Grothill cum pertinentiis infra constabulariam de Edynburgh prout iacet in longitudine et latitudine per suas rectas metas et antiquas diuinas in liberam puram et perpetuam elemosinam in perpetuum . quam quidem terram cum pertinentiis prefatus Henricus Multerer tenet de me pro uno pare cerothecarum albarum nomine albe firme saluis tantum et exceptis sex acris terre arabilis affignatis pro solucione triginta denariorum domino nostro regi debitorum pro warda castri prout patet per quoddam scriptum inde confectum . noueritis me totam dictam donationem et concessionem

di^ti Henrici Multerer in omnibus et per omnia confirmasse approbaſſe et tenore prefencium in perpetuum ratificasse . Item noueritis me tenore prefencium Deo et di^to altari Beati Johannis refignaſſe et in perpetuum quietum clamafſe totum ius meum et clameum quod habeo habui ſeu habere uel vendicare potero infuturum de di^to pare cerothearum ita quod nec ego di^tus Henricus de Brade nec heredes mei nec mei affignati nec aliquis alius nomine noſtro ius aliquod uel clameum in di^to pare cerothearum exigere uel vendicare poterimus quoquomodo in futurum . Item volo et pro ſalute anime mee concedo tenore prefencium et pro ſalute animarum predeceſſorum meorum et ſucceſſorum meorum quod di^ti triginta denarii de terris de Grothil domino noſtro regi pro warda caſtri affignati lenentur de cetero et percipientur de terris meis de Brad ad terminos conſtitutos ita quod di^ta terra de Grothill de di^tis triginta denariis nullo modo in futurum oneratur nec calumpniatur . In cuius rei teſtimonium prefenti ſcripto ſigillum meum appofui et ad huius rei maiorem teſtifieacionem ſigillum commune burgi de Edynburgh pretentibus ſpecialiter apponi procuraui . Datum apud Edynburgh die Jouis proximo ante festum Sancti Luce ewangelife anno Domini millesimo tricentefimo quinquageſimo.

Carta de Merchamftoun.

- 4** Dauid Dei gracia rex Scotorum omnibus probis hominibus tocius terre fue clericis et laicis ſalutem . Sciatis nos dediffe conceſſiffe et hac preſenti carta noſtra conſirmaffe Deo et Beate Marie et Sancte Katerine virgini et martyri ac vni capellano qui pro tempore fuerit diuina celebranti et in perpetuum celebraturo in ecclieſia parochiali de Edynburgh ad altare Sancte Katerine ſupradiſte pro anima Rogeri Hog burgenſis de Edynburgh et pro anima Margarete ſponſe fue et pro animabus omnium antecceſſorum et

fuccefforum eorundem ac pro animabus communitatum dicti burgi de Edynburgh totam terram de Ouirmerchamestoun cum pertinenciis infra vicecomitatum de Edynburgh que fuit Willelmi More militis et quam idem Willelmus coram magnatibus regni nostri nobis per fustum et baculum fursum reddidit et resignauit ac totum ius et clameum quod in dicta terra habuit vel habere potuit non vi ductus nec errore lapsus sed mera et spontanea voluntate sua pro se et heredibus suis quietum clamauit in perpetuum . Tenendam et habendam totam terram predictam prefato capellano qui pro tempore fuerit ad predictum altare Sancte Katerine in ecclesia predicta ut premittitur celebranti et in perpetuum celebraturo in liberam puram et perpetuam elemosinam fine aliquo retinemento cum omnibus libertatibus commoditatibus aysfiamentis et iustis pertinenciis quibuscumque ad dictam terram spectantibus seu quoquo modo iuste spectare valentibus in futurum adeo libere et quiete plenarie integre et honorifice bene et in pace in omnibus et per omnia sicut aliqua terra alicui pio loco vbiuscumque infra regnum nostrum Scocie per nos vel predeceiores nostros reges Scocie liberius quiecius plenius et honorificius conceditur siue datur . Et volumus quod presentacio dicti capellani qui pro tempore fuerit ad predictum Rogerum Hog pro toto tempore vite sue et post ipsius decepsum ad aldirmannum et communitatem dicti burgi de Edynburgh pertineat in perpetuum . Et firmiter inhibemus iusticiariis vicecomitibus prepositis burgorum et eorum balliuis coronatoribus et aliis ministris nostris omnibus et singulis cuiuscumque flatus fuerint seu condicionis ne quis infra dictam terram de cetero se aliqualiter intromittat . In cuius rei testimoniunum presenti carte nostre sigillum nostrum precepimus apponi testibus venerabilibus in Christo patribus Willelmo episcopo Sanctiandree et Patricio episcopo Brechinensi cancellario nostro Scocie . Roberto feneffallo Scocie comite de Stratherne nepote nostro . Willelmo comite de Douglas . Roberto de Erskyn Johanne de Prestoun et Dauid de Anandia militibus . apud Edynburgh quinto decimo die Decembbris anno regni nostri vicefimo nono,

Carta Craigeruke.

- 5 **O**mibus hanc cartam vifuris vel audituris Patricius de Grahame dominus de Kynpunt et Dauid de Grame dominus de Dundafe heres quondam domini Dauid de Grame militis domini de Dundafe milites falutem in Domino sempiternam . Sciatis nos ex vnanimi consenſu et assenſu dediſſe conceſſiſſe et hac prefenti carta noſtra conſirmatſe Johanni de Allynerum burgenſi de Edynburgh omnes terras de Crageruke cum pertinenciis infra vicecomitatum de Edynburgh . Tenendas et habendas eidem Johanni heredibus fuis et fuis affignatis tam ecclieſiaſtieſ quam fecularibus de domino noſtro rege et heredibus fuis in feodo et hereditate per omnes rectas metas et diruſas fuas libere quiete plenarie integre et honorifice cum multuris molendinis aucupacionibus venacionibus pifeacionibus cum curiis et eſcaetis in moris mareſis aquis stagnis pratis paſturis et paſcuis et cum omnimodis aliis libertatibus commoditatibus aſſiamentiſ et iuftis pertinenciis fuis quibuscunque tam non nominatiſ quam nominatiſ tam prope quam procul tam ſub terra quam ſuper terram in omnibus et per omnia fine aliquo retenemento ad omnes terras de Crageruke prediſtas cum pertinenciis ſpeſtantibus ſeu quoquomodo iuste ſpectare valentibus in futurum . Faciendo inde annuatim domino noſtro regi prefatus Johannes heredes ſui et affignati ſui prediſti ſeruicium inde debituſ et confuetum . Et nos prefati Patricius et Dauid de Grahame et heredes noſtri omnes terras de Crageruke prediſtas cum pertinenciis fuis prediſto Johanni de Allynerum heredibus ſuis et fuis affignatiſ prediſtiſ contra omnes homines et feminas warantizabimus acquietabimus et imperpetnum defendemus . In cuius rei teſtimoniū prefenti carte figilla noſtra appofuimus et ad maiorem huius rei euideſciām ſigillum venerabilis in Christo patris et domini Willelmi Dei gracia epifcopi Sanctiandree prefenti carte eciam apponi procurauimus hiis teſtibus nobilibus viris ac

dominis Willelmo comite de Douglas Willelmo More domino de Abyr-corne domino Archebaldo de Douglas tunc vicecomite de Edynburgh Willelmo de Gledstanys militibus . Willelmo de Sancto Claro Johanne de Cragy Symone de Prestoun Johanne de Leftalrike Johanne Wigmer Alexando Gilliot et Johanne de Qwiltnes burgenibus de Edynburgh . ac multis aliis.

Craigruke.

- 6 Uniuersis Christi fidelibus presentes literas visuris uel audituris Patricius de Grame dominus de Kynpunt et Dauid de Grahame dominus de Dundaff salutem in Domino sempiternam . Vesta nouerit vniuersitas nos et quoilibet nostrum ex vnanimi consensu et assensu non vi aut metu duces non dolo seu fraude deceptos nec errore lapsos fet mera et spontanea voluntate nostra resignasse quietum clamasse ac penitus et omnino sursum reddidisse pro nobis heredibus nostris et nostris assignatis Johanni de Allyncrem burgeni de Edynburgh totum ius et clameum quod habuimus habemus vel habere poterimus quomodolibet in futurum in terris de Cragkruc cum pertinenciis infra vicecomitatum de Edynburgh . Tenendis et habendis eidem Johanni heredibus suis et suis assignatis tam ecclesiasticis quam secularibus ita quod nec nos prefati Patricius et Dauid vel aliquis nostrum heredes nostri aut assignati vel ipsorum aliquis seu aliquis alias nomine nostro aut ipsorum alicuius aliquod ius vel titulum iuris accionem calumpniam vel clameum quocunque in dictis terris de Cragcruk cum pertinenciis seu aliqua parte earundem de cetero exigere poterimus habere seu quousimodo vendicare fet ab omni accione iuris et clamii fumus abinde exclusi imperpetuum per presentes . obligantes nos et quemlibet nostrum coniunctim et diuisim heredes nostros et assignatos et ipsorum quemlibet terras nostras et tenementa nostra ac eorum cuiuslibet redditus

noſtros et fuos ac poſfeſſiones ac omnia bona noſtra et cuiuſlibet noſtrum ac ipforum mobilia et immobilia habita et habenda vbi cunque inuenta ſeu inuenienda fore diſtringenda ad warandizacionem diſtarum terrarum cum pertinencieſ et ipſarum cuiuſlibet partis eidem Johanni heredibus fuis et fuis affignatiſ predictis firmius et fidelius conſeruandarum . Et fi contin-
gat quod abſit nos Patricium et Dauid predictos vel noſtrum aliquem he-
redes noſtros ſeu affignatoſ aut eorum quemcunque huic noſtre reſignaci-
oni ſeu ipſius Johannis heredum ſeu affignatorum fuorum predictorum infeodacioni obuiare ſeu in aliquo contrauenire obligamus nos et quemlibet
noſtrum heredes noſtros et affignatoſ et noſtrum ac ipforum quemlibet
quos vel quem preſenti noſtre reſignacioni ſeu ipſius Johannis heredum
ſeu affignatorum fuorum prediectorum infeodacioni vt predicitur obuiare
contigerit ſeu contrauenire in centum libris bonorum ſterlingorum fabrice
ecclieſie Sanctiandree cathedralis nomine pene applicandiſ et plenarie
perſoluendis et eidem Johanni heredibus fuis et fuis affignatiſ predi-
ctis in quorum ſeu cuius tempore de premiſſis lis quod abſit oriri contigerit in
tricentis libris bonorum ſterlingorum nomine dampnorum plenarie abſque
dolo ſeu fraude perſoluendis ante omnem litis ingreſſum et antequam ſuper
premiſſis aut aliquo premiſſorum audiamur in iudicio ſeu quiuſ noſtrum
aliqualiter audiatur . ſubiicenteſ nos heredes noſtros et affignatoſ predi-
ctos ac noſtrum ac ipforum quemlibet in hiis ſcriptis iuridicioneſ et co-
hercione domini epifcopi Sanctiandree ſeu eius officialis qui pro tempore
fuerit vt ipſe nos heredes noſtros et affignatoſ predictos ac noſtrum et
ipforum quemlibet quos vel quem predictis reſignacioni noſtre et ipſius
Johannis heredum et affignatorum fuorum prediectorum infeodacioni
obuiare contigerit quod abſit per omnem censuram ecclieſiaſticam ad ſolu-
cionem predictorum ſummarum ſterlingorum ſupradictis ecclieſie et Johanni
heredibusque fuis et affignatiſ predictis applicandarum et vt predicitur
perſoluendarum licite valeat cohercere . renunciantes et quilibet noſtrum
renuncians in hiis ſcriptis pro nobis et heredibus noſtris et affignatiſ pre-

dictis omnimodis literis regiis vel apostolicis impetratis seu impetrandis et omni iuris remedio canonici et ciuilis ac omnimodis excepcionibus dilacionibus cauellacionibus et defencionibus quibuscumque que nobis aut nostrum alicui heredibus nostris aut assignatis predictis aut eorum alicui prodeesse poterunt et dicto Johanni heredibus suis seu suis assignatis predictis seu ipforum alicui in aliquo obesse in posterum poterunt in premissis vel aliquo premisso rum . Insuper et ad hec omnia et singula in hiis scriptis contenta bene firmiter fideliter et inuiolabiliter absque dolo fraude vel contradicione qualicunque integraliter conseruanda nos Patricius et Dauid supradiicti tactis facrofanctis ewangeliis iuramentum prestitimus corporale . In cuius rei testimonium sigilla nostra presentibus sunt appensa et ad maiorem evidenciam supradictorum sigillum venerabilis in Christo patris ac domini domini Willelmi Dei gracia episcopi Sanctiandree presentibus eciam cum diligenti instancia apponi procurauimus in testimonium omnium premisso rum testibus venerabili in Christo patre Patricio Dei gracia episcopo Brechenensi cancellario Scocie et Johanne Dei gracia episcopo Dunkeldensi . Roberto senescallo Scocie comite de Strathern Willelmo comite de Douglas nobilibus viris ac dominis . ac eciam domino Roberto de Erfkyne domino eiusdem domino Willelmo Mure domino de Abyrcorne domino Archibaldo de Douglas et Willelmo de Gledstanys militibus . Willelmo de Sancto Claro domino de Pentland . Johanne de Cragy domino eiusdem . Willelmo Guppild tunc temporis aldirmanno de Edynburgh . Johanne Wigmor domino de Vuylibirtoun . Alexandro Guillot Rogero de Bozyll et Johanne de Quyltnys burgensibus de Edynburgh . ac multis aliis . apud Edynburgh coram excellen-
tissimo principe et domino nostro domino Dauid Dei gracia rege Scottorum illustri die nono mensis Aprilis anno Domini millesimo tricentesimo sexagesimo secundo et regni eiusdem domini nostri regis tricesimo secundo.

[Confirmacio regis Dauid.]

7 Dauid Dei gracia rex Scottorum omnibus probis hominibus tocius terre
sue salutem . Sciatis nos concessisse et hac presenti carta nostra pro nobis
et heredibus nostris confirmasse donacionem et concessionem illam quam
Patricius de Grahame et Dauid de Grahame milites fecerunt et con-
cesserunt Johanni de Allynerum burgenſi de Edynburgh de terris
de Craeruke cum pertinenciis infra vicecomitatum de Edynburgh .
Tenendis et habendis eidem Johanni heredibus suis et suis affignatis tam
ecclæſiaſticis quam ſecularibus de nobis et heredibus nostris in feodo et
hereditate per omnes rectas [metas] et diuinas suas adeo libere et quiete
plenarie integre et honorifice cum omnibus libertatibus commoditatibus
ayſiamentis et iuftis pertinenciis suis quibuscunque ſicut carta et litere
dictorum Patricii et Dauid eidem Johanni inde confeſte plenius pro-
portant et teſtantur . Et omne ius et clameum quod nobis in diſtis terris
cum pertinenciis competit ſeu competere poterit in futurum eidem Johanni
heredibus suis et suis affignatis prediſtis damus et concedimus faluo
feruicio noſtro de prediſtis ex antiquo debito et confueto . In cuius rei
teſtimonium preſenti carte noſtre ſigillum noſtrum fecimus apponi
teſtibus venerabilibus in Chriſto patribus Willemo et Patricio cancellario
noſtro Sanctiandree et Breychinensis ecclæſiarum Dei gracia episcopis .
Roberto ſenescallo Scocie comite de Strathearn nepote noſtro . Willemo
comite de Douglas . Roberto de Erſkyne Waltero de Haliburton et
Archebaldo de Douglas militibus . apud Edynburgh nono die Aprilis
anno regni noſtri triceſimo ſecundo.

[Carta Johannis de Allynerum.]

8 Uniuersis Christi fidelibus presentem cartam visuris vel audituris Johannes de Allynerum burgenis de Edinburgh salutem in Domino sempiternam . Sciatis me ad honorem Dei Beate Marie virginis matris sue et omnium sanctorum et pro salute animarum recolende memorie domini Roberti Dei gracia dudum regis Scottorum illustris et domine Elizabeth regine sponsae sue et pro salubri statu et prospero excellentissimi principis et domini mei domini Dauid Dei gracia regis Scottorum ac domini Wilhelmi comitis de Douglas et domine Margarete sponsae sue necnon domini Archebaldi de Douglas militis quamdiu egerint in humanis et pro salute animarum suarum cum ab hac luce migrauerint ac animarum omnium antecessorum et successorum suorum ac eciam pro salute animarum burgenium et communitatis burgi de Edinburgh omnium antecessorum et successorum suorum animarumque patris mei et matris mee fratrum sororum parentum et amicorum meorum ac eorum quibus deliqui aliqualiter in hoc mundo filiorumque et filiarum meorum necnon pro salute anime mee et anime Johanne sponsae mee et animabus omnium fidelium defunctorum dedisse concessisse et hac presenti carta mea confirmasse vni capellano diuina celebranti et in perpetuum celebraturo ad altare Beate Marie virginis in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidii de Edinburgh omnes terras meas de Crageroke cum pertinenciis infra vicecomitatum de Edynburgh sine aliquo retinimento . Tenendas et habendas eidem capellano ut premittitur celebranti et in perpetuum celebraturo in liberam puram et perpetuam elemosinam libere quiete plenarie integre et honorifice cum curiis et escaectis molendinis et multuris eorum sequelis aucupacionibus venacionibus et pascacionibus in moris marrefisi pratis pastuis et pasturis ac omnimodis aliis libertatibus commoditatibus ayfamentiis et iustis pertinenciis quibusunque tam non nominatis quam nominatis tam sub terra quam super terram

in omnibus et per omnia ad dictas terras de Crageroke spectantibus seu quo-
quomodo iuste spectare valentibus in futurum ita quod nec ego predictus
Johannes heredes mei nec aliquis nomine nostro aliquid ius vel clameum
in predictis terris cum pertinenciis de cetero habere poterimus seu quo-
uismodo vendicare . Volo eciam ordino et dispono quod aldirmannus et
communitas burgi de Edinburgh qui pro tempore fuerint post deceffum
meum facydote per me ad dictam cantoriam deputato seu deputando viam
vniuersitate carnis ingresso de facydote ydoneo infra duos menses immediate
sequentes ad dictam cantoriam ordinent et disponant quociens dicta can-
toria facydote carere contigerit . Et si dicti aldirmannus et communitas
inde negligentes fuerint vel remissi ex tunc liebit archidiacono Laudonie
qui pro tempore fuerit infra mensem post lapsum dictorum duorum men-
sium de facydote sufficienti pro dicta cantoria ordinare et falubriter
prouidere ita tamen quod nec predicti aldirmannus et communitas nec
predictus archidiaconus nec eorum successores dictam cantoriam nec pre-
dictas terras de Crageroke cum pertinenciis fructus nec redditus earundem
penes se vel eorum aliquem retinere vel in usus proprios conuertere
seu a sustentacione dictae cantorie et facydotis predicti alienare quoquismodo
valeant in futurum sed dictae terre firme et redditus earundem ad susten-
tacionem dictae cantorie et facydotis predicti integre conseruentur prout
ipsi aldirmannus et communitas burgi predicti ac archidiaconus predictus
et eorum successores coram Deo inde voluerint respondere . In cuius rei
testimonium sigillum meum est appensum et ad maiorem huius rei eviden-
tiam sigillum venerabilis viri magistri Walteri de Wardlaw archidiaconi
Laudonie sacre theologie doctoris et sigillum commune burgi de Edin-
burgh presenti carte appoui eciam procuraui hiis testibus venerabili in
Christo patre domino Patricio Dei gratia episcopo Brechynensi cancellario
Scocie · domino Waltero de Byger rectore ecclesie de Erole came-
rario Scocie · domino Bricio perpetuo vicario de Edinburgh · Symone
de Prestoun domino de Gouertoun · Willelmo de Douglas domino de

Blacnes · Johanne Wygmer domino de Vuirlibirtoun · Willelmo de Guppild tunc aldirmanno de Edinburgh · Adam de Brounhill Alexander Gilyot Rogero de Bosvill Johanne de Quyltnes burgenfibus de Edinburgh · et multis aliis.

[Confirmacio eiusdem per Dauid regem.]

- 9) Dauid Dei gracia rex Scottorum omnibus probis hominibus tocius terre
 fue clericis et laicis salutem · Sciatis nos infpexisse ac veraciter intel-
 lexisse quandam cartam dilecti nostri et familiaris Johannis de Allynerum
 burgensis de Edynburgh non rasam non abolitam non cancellatam nec in
 aliqua fui parte viciatam aut suspe&tam de verbo in verbum tenorem qui
 sequitur continentem · Uniuersis [etc. ut in carta precedente] · Quam-
 quidem cartam donacionem et concessionem ac ordinacionem in eadem
 contentas in omnibus punctis articulis condicionibus modis ac circumstan-
 ciis suis quibusunque forma pariter et effectu in omnibus et per omnia
 approbamus ratificamus et pro nobis et heredibus nostris supradiete can-
 torie et capellano predicto in perpetuum confirmamus · remittentes insu-
 per pro nobis et heredibus nostris illos decem solidos nobis debitos de pre-
 dicta terra de Crageruke pro warda castrorum omnesque factas curie ac
 omnia alia onera regia quecunque de eadem terra debita et consueta ·
 et firmiter inhibemus iusticiariis vicecomitibus coronatoribus et corum
 balliuis ceterisque ministris nostris quibusunque ne se de predicta terra
 de Crageruke aut aliqua parte eiusdem cum pertinencie de cetero aliquali-
 ter intromittant · In cuius rei testimonium presenti carte confirmationis
 nostre sigillum nostrum precepimus apponi testibus venerabilibus in
 Christo patribus Willelmo episcopo Sanctiandree et Patricio episcopo
 Brechenensi cancellario nostro · Roberto senescallo Scocie comite de
 Stratheryn nepote nostro karissimo · Patricio comite Marchie et Moraue ·

Willelmo comite de Douglas . Willelmo de Keth mariscallo nostro Scocie . Roberto et Erſkyne Archibaldo de Douglas et Waltero de Halyburton militibus . apud Edynburgh primo die mensis Maii anno regni nostri tricessimo secundo.

[Confirmacio de Grothill.]

- 10 **Omnibus** hanc cartam visuris uel audituris Robertus Multerer filius et heres Henrici Multerer quondam burgensis de Edynburgh salutem in Domino sempiternam . Noueritis me pro salute anime mee vxoris mee et pro salute animarum predecessorum meorum et successorum meorum et pro salute animarum omnium fidelium defunctorum ratificasse approbasse et per presentes in perpetuum confirmasse totam illam donacionem et concessionem quam dictus Henricus pater meus dedit et concepsit in liberam puram et perpetuam clemosinam Deo et altari Sancti Johannis baptiste dedicando in choro Beate Marie virginis de Edynburgh ac vni capellano ibidem diuina celebranti et in perpetuum celebraturo de omnibus terris suis de Grothill cum pertinenciis iacentibus in constabularia de Edynburgh in longitudine et latitudine per suas rectas metas et antiquas diuinas ita quod nec ego dictus Robertus nec heredes mei nec mei assignati nec aliquis alius nec aliqua alia nomine nostro ius aliquod uel clamorem in dictis terris de Grothill nec in aliqua parte ipsarum exigere uel vendicare poterimus quo modo in futurum . Tactis super hoc sacrosanctis ewangeliis iurauit ac pro me et heredibus meis fidem meam preftiti corporalem . Et si contingat quod absit me dictum Robertum heredes meos aut meos assignatos seu quemcunque alium nomine nostro contra tenorem presentis carte seu dictam donacionem et concessionem dicti patris mei ut predictum est factam aliquo tempore in futurum contrauenire seu aliqualiter contradicere obligamus nos statim contravenientes seu contravenientem in centum

libris bonorum et legalium sterlingorum fabricis ecclesiarum Sanctiandree cathedralis et Beati Egidii de Edynburgh nomine pene primo die litis mote per equales porciones applicandis et persoluendis presente tamen carta in suo vigore in perpetuum duratura . sufficientes nos in hac parte iurisdictioni et coercioni domini officialis curie Sanctiandree uel eius vices gerentis qui pro tempore fuerint ut nos tam per maiorem quam minorem excommunicacionis sentenciam ad omnia et singula premissa fideliter et sine fraude obseruanda et persoluenda de die in diem licite valeant compellere . renunciando in hac parte omnimodis iuris remedii subfidiis auxiliis priuilegiis cauillacionibus excepcionibus dilacionibus a quoconque iudice ecclesiastico uel ciuili impetratis seu impetrandidis quibus tenor presentis carte in aliquo modo poterit debilitari ad nichil uel contradicere . In cuius rei testimonium presenti [carte] sigillum apposui et ad maiorem huius rei testificacionem sigillum commune dicti burgi de Edynburgh specialiter apponi procuraui . Datum apud Edynburgh vicefimo die mensis Januarii anno Domini millesimo tricentefimo sexagefimo secundo.

Carta Railstoun.

- 11 **Omnibus** hanc cartam visuris vel audituris Willelmus More dominus de Abycorne salutem in Domino sempiternam . Nouerit vnueritas vestra nos de licencia et voluntate domini nostri regis optenta ad hoc de sui gracia speciali ad honorem Dei beate et gloriose Marie virginis matris sue et omnium sanctorum et pro salute animarum recolende memorie domini Roberti regis Scocie et patris nostri ac matris nostre omniumque antecefforum et successorum nostrorum ac pro salute anime nostre et animarum omnium burgenium et communitatis burgi de Edynburgh necnon eorum omnium quibus debitores sumus seu penes quos aliqualiter

delinquimus in hac vita et omnium fidelium defunctorum dedisse concessisse
et hac prefenti carta nostra confirmasse Deo Beate Marie semper virginis
et omnibus sanctis et vni capellano diuina celebranti et in perpetuum
celebraturo ad altare Beate Marie virginis in ecclesia parochali Beati
Egidii de Edynburgh totam terram nostram de Raylistoun cum perti-
nenciis infra vicecomitatum de Edynburgh quam alias dictae communitati
in pignorauimus ad seruicium eiusdem altaris . Tenendam et habendam
eidem capellano ut premittitur ad dictum altare celebranti et in per-
petuum celebraturo in liberam et puram et perpetuam elemosinam adeo
libere integre plenarie honorifice et quiete cum curiis et escaetis molen-
dinis multuris et eorum sequelis aucupacionibus venacionibus in moris
marefisi pratis pascuis et pasturis ac omnimodis aliis libertatibus commo-
ditatibus aſſimentis et iustis pertinenciis quibuscumque tam sub terra
quam supra terram tam non nominatis quam nominatis in hac carta ad
dictam terram de Raylstoun spectantibus seu quoquo modo iuste spectare
valentibus in futurum in omnibus et per omnia sicut aliqua particula
terre ab aliquo comite vel barone infra regnum Scocie in liberam puram
et perpetuam elemosinam dari potest seu concedi ita quod nec nos
Willelmus predictus nec heredes nostri nec aliquis nostro nomine aut
ipforum aliquod ius vel clamenum in predicta terra cum pertinenciis de-
cetero quouis modo habere possumus vel possint seu aliqualiter vendicare .
Quinymmo licebit aldirmannum et communitatem burgi de Edynburgh
qui pro tempore fuerint de predicta terra et ipsius firmis et prouentibus
pro utilitate seruicii sive stipendiis prenominati capellani ordinare et
disponere ad libitum prout viderint expedire et ut inde in stricto Dei
iudicio voluerint respondere mediante confilio domini archidiaconi Lau-
donie qui pro tempore fuerit quando et quociens fraudebit utilitas aut
necessitas perurgebit . Et nos Willelmus More predictus et heredes nostri
dictam terram de Raylstoun cum pertinenciis seruicio dicti altaris et
stipendio sive salario capellani celebrantis et in perpetuum celebraturo

ibidem neenon aldirmanno et communitati di&ti burgi de Edynburgh et eorum succeſſoribus in omnibus et per omnia vt fupraſcriptum eſt contra omnes homines et feminas warantizabimus acquietabimus et inperpetuum defendemus . In cuius rei teſtimoniuſum huic carte noſtre ſigillum noſtrum vna cum ſigillo Reginaldi More filii et heredi noſtri eſt appenſum teſtibus venerabili in Chriſto patre domino Willelmo Dei gracia epifcopo Sanctiandree . diſcreto viro magiſtro Waltero de Wardlaw archediacono Laudonie . domino Alexandro More milite confanguineo noſtro . Ghilcrift More fratre noſtro . Johanne Kenedy confanguineo noſtro . Johanne McCelly . et multis aliis . Datum apud Abyrcorne viceſimo die Septembris anno Domini milleſimo ccc^{mo} ſexageſimo tercio.

Confirmacio Railſtoun.

- 12 Dauid Dei gracia rex Scottorum omnibus probis hominibus tocius terre fue falutem . Sciatis nos approbasse ratificasse et hac preſenti carta noſtra conſirmasse donacionem illam et conſeſſionem quam Willelmus More miles fecit et conſeſſit in puram et perpetuam elemofinam altari Sancte Marie virginis in ecclie parochali de Edynburgh et vni capellano ibidem diuina celebranti et inperpetuum celebraturo de terra de Raylſtoun cum pertinencis infra vicecomitatū de Edynburgh . Tenendam et habendam dicto altari Beate Marie et vni capellano ibidem diuina celebranti et inperpetuum celebraturo qui pro tempore fuerit in liberam puram et perpetuam elemofinam vt predictum eſt fine aliquo retenemento inperpetuum cum omnibus et singulis libertatibus commoditatibus ayſiamentis et iuftis pertinenciis suis quibuscumque ad dictam terram ſpectantiibus ſeu quoquo modo iuste ſpectare valentibus infuturum adeo libere et quiete plenarie integre et honorifice in omnibus et per omnia ſicut carta di&ti Willelmi More predicto altari Sancte Marie et capellano predicto

exinde confecta in se plenius iuste continet et proportat . Volumus eciam quod cum dicta terra in pios usus ut premissum est caritatue sit collata libera sit ab omni seruicio seculari . seruiciumque si quid nobis de dicta terra debeatur plene remittimus per hanc cartam . In cuius rei testimonium presenti carte sigillum nostrum precepimus apponi testibus venerabilibus in Christo patribus Willelmo episcopo Sanctiandree et Patricio episcopo Brechenensi cancellario nostro . Roberto senescallo Scocie comite de Stratherne nepote nostro . Patricio comite Marchie et Murravie . Roberto de Erskyn et Archebaldo de Douglas militibus . apud Edynburgh octauodecimo die Septembris anno regni nostri tricesimo quarto.

[Confirmacio regis Dauid super carta Willelmi Hare.]

- 13 Dauid Dei gracia rex Scottorum omnibus etc. Sciatis nos approbasse ratificasse et hac presenti carta nostra confirmasse donationem illam quam Willelmus Hare burgensis de Edynburgh fecit et conceffit Deo et altari Beate Marie virginis in ecclesia Sancti Egidi de Edynburgh de illa terra iacente inter terras Simonis de Kyrcaldy ex parte orientali ex parte vna et terras Ede Douw ex parte occidentali ex altera in Vico Boreali dicti burgi . Tenenda et habenda Deo et Beate Marie in ecclesia predicta cum omnibus et singulis libertatibus etc. in omnibus et per omnia sicut carta predicti Willelmi predicto altari exinde confecta in se plenius iuste continet et proportat . In cuius rei etc. testibus etc. apud Edynburgh xxvi^o die Octobris anno regni nostri tricesimo septimo.

[Carta assedacionis terrarum de Cragcruke.]

14 **O**mibus hanc cartam visuris vel audituris aldirmannus balliui et communitas burgi de Edynburgh salutem in Domino sempiternam . Noueritis nos assedasse et ad feodifirmam dimississe Patricio Leper et Johanni Leper heredi eiusdem Patricii comburgensibus nostris omnes illas terras de Cragcruke cum pertinenciis suis iacentes iuxta villam de Denne infra vicecomitatum de Edynburgh que sunt altaris Beate Marie in ecclesia Beati Egidii de Edynburgh . Tenendas et habendas totas terras predictas de Cragercruke cum pertinenciis dictis Patricio et Johanni et heredibus suis de nobis et heredibus nostris in feodifirmam libere quiete plenarie integre et honorifice bene et in pace fine aliquo retencimento in boscis planis moris marassiis aquis stagnis viis semitis pratis pascuis et pasturis ac cum omnibus libertatibus commoditatibus asfamentiis et iustis pertinenciis suis quibuscumque tam nominatis quam non nominatis tam sub terra quam supra terram ad dictas terras spectantibus seu iuste spectare valentibus in futurum quoquo modo . Reddendo inde annuatim nobis et heredibus nostris dicti Patricius et Johannes et heredes sui ad sustentacionem altaris predicti et capellanorum ibidem diuina celebrancium sex libras sex solidos et octo denarios sterlingorum proporcionaliter ad festa Pentecostes et Sancti Martini in yeme tantum pro omnimodis aliis serviciis oneribus exaccionibus confuetudinibus et demandis que per nos vel heredes nostros de dictis terris exigi poterunt quomodolibet aut requiri . ita tamen quod si contigerit dictum Patricium et Johannem vel heredes suos in solucione dictarum sex librarum sex solidorum et octo denariorum duobus terminis una concurrentibus deficere quod absit ad tunc dictas terras in manus nostras a dictis Patricio et Johanne et heredibus suis in usus dicti altaris conuertendas et assedandas volumus penitus referuari ita quod dicti Patricius et Johannes vel heredes

fui dictis terris abinde de cetero nullatenus gaudebunt . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum nostrum commune prefenti carte est appensum apud Edynburgh quinto die Marcii anno Domini millesimo ccc^{mo} lxx^{mo} sexto.

[Actum curie burgi de Edynburgh de carta Simonis de Kyrcaldy.]

- 15 **C**uria burgi de Edynburgh tenta ibidem in pretorio die Martis vicefimo nono die mensis Octobris anno Domini millesimo ccc^{mo} octuagesimo primo . Quo die Simon de Kyrcaldy burgenſis dicti burgi perlegi fecit quandam cartam suam de quodam suo tenemento iacente in eodem burgo ex parte boreali eiusdem inter tenementum Johannis dicti Leper ex parte occidentalı ex parte vna et tenementum quondam Johannis de Leyis ex parte orientali ex parte altera . qua perlecta et intellecta continebat in se dicta carta quod prescriptum tenementum prenominati Simonis contra quofcunque mortales debeat warantizari inquestionatum fibi heredibus suis ac assignatis per quoddam tenementum Roberti Multrer iacens in dicto burgo ex parte boreali eiusdem inter tenementum quod quondam fuit Johannis de Leyis ex parte occidentalı ex parte vna et tenementum Alexandri Wigmer ex parte orientali ex parte altera . Dictus autem Robertus illo die volens et intendens dictum suum tenementum Andree Yotfoun burgenſi dicti burgi alienare cum instancia requisuit balluos dicti burgi ut eidem Andree de dicto suo tenemento cum pertinenciis statum hereditarium et fasnam conferrent cum effectu . quod proibebat et defendebat dictus Simon cum prescriptum tenementum cum pertinen- ciis ipſi Simoni heredibus suis ac assignatis in warantizacionem et securitatem fui tenimenti cum pertinenciis firmiter fideliter fuerit obligatum . Post uero multas altercaciones hinc inde uentilatas concessit se idem Andreas sub eodem onere warantizacione et securitate prout in carta dicti Simonis plenius continetur illud tenementum predicti Roberti

acceptare nullo remedio iuris canonici uel ciuilis omnibus fraude et dolo postpositis obstante in contrarium quod eidem Andree heredibus suis uel assignatis prodeesse poterit uel eidem Simoni heredibus suis uel assignatis obesse ualeat in futurum . Quibus confaciens dictus Simon pecuit istum tractatum et concordatum in regestro burgi prescripti scribi et imponi suis sumptibus et expensis et a me Roberto de Glenesk prebistero dyocesis Sanctiandree autoritate imperiali notario publico ac supra dicti burgi clero communi vniuersis et singulis premisis tractatis et concordatis cum instance pecuit signum meum confuetum apponi in fidem et testimonium omnium premisorum testibus Johanne de Camera Johanne Derlyng Alano Derlyng et Johanne filio Johannis preposito et balliuis dicti burgi . Johanne de Peblis Andrea Beth Willermo Gupilt Johanne de Qwyltnes Jacobo de Fulford Johanne Rollow Alexandro Tayt Waltero Lang Andrea Qwityng Johanne filio Henrici burgenibus dicti burgi . cum multis aliis vocatis et rogatis in testimonium omnium premisorum.

[Confirmacio super donacione Jonete Stury.]

- 16 Robertus Dei gracia rex Scottorum omnibus probis hominibus tocius terre fue clericis et laycis salutem . Sciatis nos approbassem ratificasse et hac presenti carta nostra confirmasse donacionem illam et concessionem quas fecit et concessit Joneta Stury relicta quondam Johannis Stury burgenis de Edynburgh Deo Beate Marie virginis et altari Sancte Crucis in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidii de Edynburgh et vni capellano diuina imperpetuum ibidem celebraturo de toto iure et clameo ac superiori dominio omnium terrarum cum pertinenciis que habet vel de ipsa tenentur infra burgum predictum vel que aliquis heres vel assignatus suis vendicare poterit in eisdem terris neonon et de annuis redditibus sub-

scriptis videlicet · de terra quam Johannes Stury inhabitabat et quam Walterus Martyn cepit in feodo quatuor librarum · item de terra quam Robertus de Jedworth tenet in feodo viginti quinque solidorum · item de annuo redditu quatuor solidorum de terra quam tenet Thomas de Caernis · item de annuo redditu viginti quinque solidorum de terra quam tenet Henricus Logane · item de annuo redditu tresdecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum de terra quam tenet Andreas Yhutson · item de viginti solidis et octo denariis sterlingorum de terra quam tenet Willelmus Schynnard · Tenendos et habendos Deo Beate Marie altari predicto et vni capellano diuina imperpetuum celebraturo ibidem in liberam [puram] et perpetuam elemosinam adeo libere quiete plenarie integre et honorifice in omnibus et per omnia sicut carta dictae Jonete inde confecta in fe [pleni]us continet et proportat saluo seruicio nostro · In cuius rei testimonium presenti carte nostre confirmacionis nostrum precepimus apponi sigillum testibus reuerendissimo in Christo patre Waltero Dei gratia sedis apostolice cardinali · venerabili in Christo patre Johanne episcopo Dunkeldensi cancellario nostro · Johanne primogenito nostro de Carric senescal Scocie Roberto de Fyf et de Menteth Jacobo de Douglas consanguineis nostris dilectis comitibus · Archebaldo de Douglas et Thoma de Erskyne consanguineis nostris militibus · apud Edynburgh octauo die Januarii anno nostri sexto decimo.

[Carta vendicionis Thome Abel.]

- 17 **O**mni bus hoc scriptum visuris vel audituris Thomas Abel burgenis burgi de Edinburgh salutem in Domino sempiternam · Sciatis me vendidisse et titulo vendicionis alienasse neenon vendere et alienare et per presens scriptum confirmare Johanni filio Henrici dicti burgi burgeni quindecim solidos et quatuor denarios sterlingorum bonorum et legalium annui

redditus exeentes et michi annuatim debitos de tenemento dicti Johannis iacente in dicto burgo in Vico Australi eiusdem inter tenementum quoniam Thome Fullonis ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum meum proprium ex parte occidentali ex parte altera . Tenendos et habendos predictos quindecim solidos et quatuor denarios annui redditus predicto Johanni heredibus suis et assignatis a me heredibus meis et assignatis in feodo et hereditate pro perpetuo sine aliquo retinemento libere quiete plenarie integre et honorifice bene et in pace adeo liberius quiecius plenarius et honorificencius sicut aliquis annuus redditus in regno Scocie cuicunque per quemcunque venditur conceditur dimittitur siue datur . Reddendo inde annuatim predicti Johannes heredes fui et assignati michi heredibus meis et assignatis a predicto tenemento sex solidos et octo denarios monete Scocie ad duos anni terminos per eequales porciones . Et ego vero predictus Thomas heredes mei et assignati predictos quindecim solidos et quatuor denarios annui redditus predictis Johanni heredibus suis et assignatis contra omnes mortales warantizabimus acquietabimus et pro perpetuo defendemus . In cuius rei testimonium presenti scripto meo sigillum meum est appensum et ad maiorem huius rei evidenciam sigillum commune dicti burgi huic similiter apponi cum instance procuraui apud Edinburgh xv die mensis Nouembris anno Domini m° ccc^m octogesimo septimo.

[Contract between provost etc. and masons for addition to Saint Giles' church.]

- 18 This indentur made at Edynburgh the xxix day of the moneth of November betwene worthy men and nobyl Adam Forstar lorde of Nethir Lebertoun Androw Yutsoun prowest of the burgh of Edynburgh and the communite of that ylke on the ta half and Jonne Prymros Jonne of Scone

and Jonne Skuyer masounys on the tothir half berys wytnes in fourme the qwylk eftir folows · that is for to say · At the forsaidys Jonne Jonne and Jonne al as ane and ane as all sal mak and voute v chapellis on the fouth syde of the paryce kyrc of Edynburgh fra the west gavyl lyand in rayndoun est on to the grete pyler of the stepyl voutyt on the maner and the masounry as the voute abovyn Sant Stevins auter standand on the north syde of the parys auter of the abbay of the Halyrudehous the qwhylk patronne thay haf sene · Alſua tha ylk men fal mak in ylk chapel of the four a wyndow with thre lychtys in fourme masonnelyke the qwhilk patronne thai haf sene and the fyfte chapel woutyt with a durre als gude maner as the durre standand in the west gavyl of the forsaid kyrk · Alſua the chapel and the ylys qwhere the auterys fal stand fal be voutyt all vndir a maner as it is befor fpokyn · Alſua the forsayde v chapellys fal be thekyt abovyn with stane and water thyeht the buteras fynyt wp als hech as the laue of that werk askys · Alſwa betwene the chapellis guteryt with hewyn stane to cast the watir owte and to save the were for the watir · Alſwa the communyte as it is befor fpokyn fyndand al coste and al grayth tyl that werk and the forsayde masounys doand thair craft tyl that werk trewly withoutyn fraude as trew men aw to do · Alſua it is accordyt at the forsayde communyte fal gyfe to the forsayde masounys for the forfaide werk as it is before fpokyne vi^e mark of sterlyngis of the payment of Scotlande · Alſua it is accordyt at the forsayde communite fal gyf to the forsayd masounys ay xl lib. befor hand for to mak thayr awne werk with ay tyl the forsayde werk be brocht tyl ende · Alſua the forsayde masounys fal lay in place on thair cost xii^e hewyn stanys aftayr and coynye fwylk as fallys to that werk the qwilke werke the forfaide masounys fal warande watir thicht · And till thire thingis lelely to be fulfil lit ilke ane of the forfaide masounys is othiris bourecht · Wretyn vndir the feillis of the forfaides Adam prouest and the communite felle anentis the forfaides masounys to be remaynande · And Join Primros has procurit

the felle of James of Fulforde and Join of Scone has procurit the felle of Join of Irwyne in fai[lyhe] thai hade nane of their awyne and Join Sqwyer has putte to his awyne felle anentis the forsaides Adam proueft and communyteis to be remaynande the yher of Our Lorde a thousande ccc lxxx and vii.

[In dorfo.]

Memorandum quod nos latami infrascripti fatemur nos compotam recepisse a communitate infracripta in festo Sancti Barnabe apostoli anno Domini m° ccc^{mō} nonagesimo xii^{xx} librarum sterlingorum de quibus dictam communitatem quietam clamamus per presentes de summa infracripta.

Item fatemur nos latamos infracriptos fore persolutos per communitatem infracriptam de octoginta et duodecim libris de summa infracripta die Veneris decimo octauo die mensis Augusti anno Domini millesimo ccc^{mō} nonagesimo primo . Et sic summa totalis nostre receptionis de summa infracripta se extendit die supradiicto ad iiiⁱⁱⁱxxii libras de quibus dictam communitatem quietam clamamus per presentes de summa infracripta.

Item nobis latamis infracriptis remanet debens de claro iiⁱⁱxx et viii lib. omnibus compotatis.

[Carta Johannis de Qwylnes.]

- 19 **O**mnibus hoc scriptum visuris uel audituris Johannes de Qwylnes burgensis burgi de Edynburgh salutem in Domino sempiternam . Sciatis me approbasse ratificasse et per prefens scriptum meum confirmasse Deo Beate Marie et omnibus sanctis ac ad sustencionem vnius capellani diuina in perpetuum celebraturi ad altare Sancte Crucis in folio paro-

chialis ecclesie Beati Egidii de Edynburgh situandum et communitati
di^cti burgi donacionem illam et concessionem quas recolende memorie
quondam Johannes de Qwylnes patruus meus di^ctis altari capellano et
communitati fecit et dedit de quatuor libris tresdecim solidis et quatuor
denariis sterlingorum annuatim recipiendis de quodam tenemento suo
iacente in dicto burgo ex parte australi eiusdem inter tenementum
Walteri Martyn ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum domini
Simonis de Preston militis ex parte occidentali ex parte altera . et de
viginti solidis sterlingorum annuatim leuandis de tenemento Willelmi
Scifloris iacente in dicto burgo ex parte occidentali eiusdem inter tene-
mentum Thome Lanyn ex parte boreali ex parte vna et Communem
Venellam extendente ad ecclesiam parochialem Beati Egidii de Edyn-
burgh antedictam ex parte australi ex parte altera . item de quadraginta
solidis sterlingorum annuatim eapiendis de medietate tenimenti quo
vocatur eum pertinenciis iacentis in dicto burgo ex
parte australi eiusdem inter tenementum Margarete Gillyot filie et
heredis quondam Willelmi Gillyot ex parte orientali ex parte vna et
tenementum Alani Gynowr ex parte occidentali ex parte altera . item
viginti tribus denariis de vno tenemento hospitalitatis Beati Johannis
baptiste iacente in le Newbyggyn dicti burgi ex parte orientali
eiusdem inter tenementum Ricardi Ma^soun ex parte boreali ex parte vna
et tenementum Petri ex parte australi ex parte altera . item
de quatuor solidis sterlingorum de tenemento Petri Harpar iacente inter
tenementum Duncani Lam ex parte boreali ex parte vna et tenementum
ery ex parte australi ex parte altera . item de quinque
solidis sterlingorum de tenemento Thome de Byris iacente in le New-
byggyn dicti burgi ex parte eiusdem inter tenementum
Fergufsi de la Spens ex parte orientali ex parte vna et terram suam ex
parte occidentali ex parte altera . item de quatuor solidis et vno denario
sterlingorum de terra sua iacente ibidem inter tenementum Thome de

Byris ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Willelmi Graunt ex parte occidentali ex parte altera . item de viginti sex solidis et octo denariis sterlingorum annuatim recipiendis de vna domo cum uno crofto cum pertinenciis iacente in le Newgat dicti burgi ex parte australi eiusdem inter croftum domini Rogeri Wygmor militis ex parte occidentali ex parte vna et croftum Beati Leonardi ex parte orientali ex parte altera . et de quinque solidis sterlingorum annuatim leuandis et recipiendis de tenemento domini Johannis de Pentland capellani iacente in dicto burgo ex parte australi eiusdem iacente inter tenementum Andree Piutoris ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Johannis Watson ex parte occidentali ex parte altera . Tenendos et habendos dictos annuos redditus omnes ut predictitur sustentacioni dicti altaris capellani ac dictae communitati adeo libere quiete plenarie integre honorifice bene et in pace prout carta dicti quondam Johannis exinde confecta in fe plenius proportionat continet et testatur ita quod ego Johannes supradictus Katerina sponsa mea et liberi nostri ante dictum altare prout in plena curia per dictam communitatem mihi concessum est locum sepulture habeamus . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum presenti scripto meo est appensum et ad maiorem huius rei evidenciam sigillum commune dicti burgi huic similiter apponi cum instacia procuraui presentibus prouidis viris et dominis Johanne de Dalrympil dicti burgi preposito . Dauid de Dalrympil Osualdo Mackelly et Andrea Valance eiusdem burgi balliuis . Thoma Ker Jacobo de Fulford Willelmo de Favfid Andrea Youtfon Waltero Lang Johanne filio Henrici et Simone de Kyrealdy dicti burgi burgenibus . ac multis aliis ad premissa in testimonium vocatis et rogatis in plena curia tenta in theloneo dicti burgi vicefimo tercio die mensis Aprilis anno Domini millesimo ccc^{mō} nonagesimo secundo.

Carta regis Roberti de iure patronatus ecclesie Sancti Egidii.

- 20 Robertus Dei gracia rex Scottorum omnibus probis hominibus tocius terre fue clericis et laicis salutem . Sciatis quod inter cetera monasteria regni nostri ad monasterium de Scona ordinis Sancti Augustini Sancti andree dyocefis in principali fede regni nostri fundatum nostrum diligenter intuitum dirigentes considerauimus quod idem monasterium temporibus unacionis et coronacionis nostre et similiter temporibus progenitorum nostrorum neconon per multas et frequentes congregaciones grandes et populosas quas pro regni negociis ibidem fieri oportet prout est fieri consuetum in suis edificiis multa sustinet incommoda et onera grauia expensarum . Volentes igitur eidem monasterio de aliquo releuamine prouidere ad honorem Dei Omnipotentis et augmentum cultus diuini in eodem monasterio futuris temporibus ampliandi et pro anima pie et excellentis memorie domini progenitoris nostri quiescentis ibidem ius patronatus ecclesie Sancti Egidii de Edinburgh ac omne et totum ius quod nos vel predeceffores nostri in ipsa ecclesia habuimus vel aliquando habuerunt vnam terris et possessionibus ac aliis pertinenciis quibuscumque ad eandem ecclesiam spectantibus vel spectare valentibus in futurum canonicis in dicto monasterio Deo feruentibus et imperpetuum feruituris conficiente ad hoc reuerendo in Christo patre Waltero Dei gratia epifeco Sanctiandree concedimus et perfecta donacione largimur saluo semper iure cuiuslibet alterius ecclesie vel perfone . Et ad finem quod abbas monasterii predicti nomine sui monasterii predicti in possessione plenaria iuris huiusmodi constitueretur volumus et constituimus tenore prefencium ac concedimus quod magister Jacobus Lyoune nunc vicarius ecclesie antediuste de cetero abbati de Scona tanquam suo patrono in omnibus pareat et intendat . et super hoc requisiuimus prefatum reuerendum patrem episcopum Sanctiandree quatenus prenominatum

Jacobum tanquam presentatum ipsius abbatis admitteret et in posterum reputaret quibus omnibus idem episcopus auctoritatem prebuit et consensum . In eius rei testimonium presenti carte nostre nostrum precepimus apponi sigillum testibus venerabilibus in Christo patribus Waltero et Matheo Sanctiandree et Glasguensis ecclesiarum episcopis . Roberto comite de Fyf et de Menteth fratre nostro carissimo . Archibaldo comite de Douglas domino de Galuidia . Jacobo de Douglas domino de Dalkeith Thoma de Erskyn consanguineis nostris dilectis militibus . et Alexandro de Cokburne de Langtoune custode magni sigilli nostri . apud Edinburgh decimo quinto die mensis Decembris anno gracie millesimo trecentesimo nonagesimo tercio et regni nostri quarto.

Carta consensus Walteri episcopi Sanctiandree.

- 21 **V**nueris fanete matris ecclesie filii ad quorum noticiam presentes litere peruerent Walterus permissione diuina episcopus Sanctiandree salutem in omnium Salvatorem . Vnueritati vestre facimus esse notum quod cum ferenissimus princeps et dominus noster dominus Robertus Dei gratia rex Scottorum tertius illustrissimus motus pro caritatis intuitu ius patronatus ecclesie parochialis Sancti Egidii de Edynburgh nostre dioecesis non solum voto proprio verum etiam ex fana sui deliberacione consilii ad quod interfuius licet exiles nostrum ad id assensum prebentes similiter et consensum monasterio de Scona dictae nostre dioecesis et canonicis ibidem Deo seruientibus et in perpetuum seruituris Sancti ordinis Augustini mera quoque deuocione duxerit concedendum secundum quod per cartam dicti domini nostri regis patere liquidius vidimus et testari nos ruinam dicti monasterii et indigenciam in quam pluribus cognoscentes nolentes id quod ad Dei et sacrae ecclesie cultum cedit minuere vel quomodolibet impedire ymmo pocius concessiones huiusmodi quatenus ad nos spectat eate-

nus adminiculo fouere possibili cupientes prelibatam ecclesiam Sancti Egidii cum omnibus et singulis redditibus terris possessionibus prouentibus fructibus obuencionibus decimis maioribus et minoribus iuribus et pertinentiis vniuersis eiusdem prefato monasterio de Scona et canonicis ibidem Deo seruientibus et in perpetuum seruituris contemplacione Dei et sancte ecclesie de consensu et assensu capituli nostri Sanctiandree propter hoc specialiter congregati coniunximus anneximus et vniuimus ac tenore presentis carte nostre coniungimus annectimus et vnimus ita quod si et cum contigerit dominum Jacobum Lyoun nunc vicarium dictae ecclesie Sancti Egidii eidem cedere vel ab ea decidere tunc cedat ipsa ecclesia in usus proprios sepedicti monasterii et canonicorum ad fabricam eiusdem ecclesie perficiendam restaurandam et in perpetuum sustentandam adeo libere et quiete durabiliter integre et pacifice in omnibus et per omnia sicut aliqua ecclesia infra episcopatum nostrum liberius quiecius durabilius integrius et pacificencius possidetur seu possideri fuerit consueta et quod eodem casu liceat eiusdem canonici per se vel per aliam possessionem ecclesie memorare intrare et eam tenere sua propria autoritate cum omnibus iuribus et pertinentiis sicut superius est expressum salua pensione perpetua quadraginta quinque marcarum monete Scocie usualis vicario dictae ecclesie qui pro tempore fuerit postcessum vel deceessum dicti domini Jacobi de redditibus eiusdem ecclesie pro sua sustentacione reddenda et per eundem vicarium annis singulis acceptanda et iuribus episcopalibus et archidiaconalibus per dictum vicarium de ipsa pensione annuatim soluendis . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum nostrum authenticum et sigillum commune dicti capituli nostri presenti carte nostre sunt appensa apud Sanctumandream tercio die mensis Maii anno Domini millesimo trescentesimo quinto.

[Confirmacio fuper donacione Johannis de Peblis.]

- 22 Robertus Dei gracia rex Scottorum omnibus probis hominibus tocius terre sue clericis et laicis salutem . Sciatis nos ob honorem Dei Omnipotentis et gloriose Beate Marie semper virginis sue matris piissime et omnium Sanctorum approbasse ratificasse et pro nobis et heredibus nostris imperpetuum confirmasse donationem et concessionem illas quas dilectus et fidelis noster Johannes de Peblis burgenfis noster de Edynburgh fecit et concessit capelle Sancti Johannis ewangeliste situate ex parte boreali ecclesie Sancti Egidii de Edynburgh ac altari eiusdem capelle et vni cappellano ibidem diuina celebranti et pro perpetuo diuina celebraturo pro salute anime nostre et pro salute animarum omnium antecessorum et successorum nostrorum regum Scocie et specialiter pro salute anime dicti Johannis et anime Margarete Hog quondam sponsae sue et pro salute animarum omnium fidelium defunctorum de decem libris annui redditus leuandis et percipiendis infra burgum de Edynburgh . Tenendis et habendis dictis altari et cappellano dictis decem libris annui redditus ad mortuam manum imperpetuum adeo libere et quiete plenarie integre et honorifice bene et in pace in omnibus et per omnia sicut in carta dicti Johannis inde confecta plenius continetur . In cuius rei testimonium presenti carte nostre confirmationis nostrum precepimus apponi sigillum testibus venerabilibus in Christo patribus Waltero et Matheo Sanctiandree et Glasguensis ecclesiarum episcopis . Roberto comite de Fyf et de Meneteth fratre nostro carissimo . Archibaldo comite de Douglas domino Galwidie . magistro Duncano Petyt archidiacono Glasguensi cancellario nostro . Jacobo de Douglas domino de Dalketh et Thoma de Erskyne consanguineis nostris dilectis militibus . apud Edynburgh septimo die mensis Septembris anno regni nostri sexto .

Bulla Benedic*t*i pape de iure patronatus ecclsie San*t*i Egidi*ii*.

- 23 **B**enedic*t*us episcopus seruus seruorum Dei ad perpetuam rei memoriam
hiis que pro vtilitate monasteriorum et aliorum locorum ecclesiasticorum
et personarum inibi sub regulari habitu Domino famulancium proinde
fa*c*ta sunt ut illibata constanter libenter adicimus apostolici muniminis
firmitatem . Exhibita siquidem nobis pro parte dilectorum filiorum abbatis
et conuentus monasterii de Scona ordinis San*t*i Augustini San*t*ianandree
dioecesis peticio continebat quod nuper carissimus in Christo filius noster
Robertus rex Scottorum illustris attendens quod monasterium ipsum quod
quasi in medio regni Scocie consistit et in quo reges Scottorum qui
fuerunt pro tempore coronari confuerunt ac corpus clare memoriae
Roberti ipsius regis progenitoris inhumatum existit propter magnas et
diuersas magnatum et nobilium d*icit* regni congregaciones que frequenter
in ipso monasterio pro magnis et arduis d*icit* regni negotiis tractandis
ha*c*tenus fa*c*te fuerunt et solent fieri multa sustinuit et cotidie sustinere
oportet incommoda et grauia onera expensarum ac volens propterea
eidem monasterio de aliquo subuencionis auxilio prouidere ius patronatus
parochialis ecclsie San*t*i Egidi*ii* de Edinburgh predi*c*e dioecesis quod ad
ipsum regem tunc pertinebat cum omnibus terris possessionibus ac iuribus
et pertinentiis eiusdem dicto monasterio ac canonicis ibidem seruientibus
et perpetuo seruitur concessit . quodque postmodum venerabilis frater
noster Walterus episcopus San*t*ianandree qui etiam concessioni huiusmodi
interfuerat et ad eam suum prebuerat alienum perpendens incommoda et
onera supradicta ecclsiam ipsum eidem monasterio de consensu dilectorum
filiorum capituli ecclsie San*t*ianandree annexuit et vniuit prout in inde
confectis prefatorum regis et episcopi et capituli sigillis signatis litteris
quarum tenores de verbo ad verbum presentibus inferi fecimus plenius
continetur . Quare pro parte dictorum abbatis et conuentus nobis fuit

humiliter supplicatuum ut concessioni annexioni et vnoni huiusmodi robur confirmationis adicere et defectus si qui forsan interuenerint in premissis supplere de benignitate apostolica dignaremur . Nos igitur concessionem annexionem et vnonem huiusmodi ratas habentes et gratas illas apostolica auctoritate ex certa sciencia confirmamus et presentis scripti patrocinio communimus supplentes omnes defectus si qui forsan interuenerint in eisdem ac volentes quod si aliqui super prouisionibus fibi faciendis de parochialibus ecclesiis aut aliis beneficiis ecclesiasticis in illis partibus speciales vel generales apostolico sedis vel legatorum eius litteras impetrarint eciam si per eos ad inhibicionem referuacionem et decretum vel alias quomodolibet fit processum prefate littere et processus habiti per easdem et quecunque inde secuta ad ecclesiam prefatam nullatenus se extendant . Tenores vero litterarum regis et episcopi ac capituli predicatorum tales sunt [ut supra Nn. 20, 21] . Nulli ergo omnino hominum licet hanc paginam nostre confirmationis communicacionis supplicationis et voluntatis infringere vel ei ausu temerario contraire . Si quis autem hoc attemptare presumpferit indignacionem Omnipotentis Dei et Beatorum Petri et Pauli apostolorum eius se nouerit incursum . Datum Auinione ii idus Septembbris pontificatus nostri anno primo.

Bulla de patronatu ecclesie Sancti Egidi.

- 24 Benedictus episcopus seruus seruorum Dei ad perpetuam rei memoriam . Deuocionis sinceritas quam dilecti filii abbas et conuentus monasterii de Scena ordinis Sancti Augustini Sanctiandree dioecesis ad nos et Romanam gerunt ecclesiam ac sacre religionis honestas sub qua abdicatis mundi illecebris Domino continuum reddunt famulatum promerentur ut ad ea libenter intendamus que eorum monasterii utilitatis sapient incrementum . Hodie siquidem pro parte dictorum abbatis et conuentus nobis exposito

quod nuper carissimus in Christo filius noster Robertus rex Scottorum illustris attendens quod monasterium ipsum quod quasi in medio regni Scocie confisit et in quo reges Scottorum coronari confueuerunt et corpus clare memorie Roberti ipsius regis progenitoris inhumatum existit propter diueras magnatum et nobilium*di&ti* regni congregaciones que ha&tenus frequenter in ipso monasterio pro maguis et arduis eiusdem regni per tractandis negotiis facte fuerunt et nunc solent fieri multa sustinuerat et sustinere oportebat onera expensarum ius patronatus ecclesie parochialis San&ti Egidii de Edinburgh dictae diocesis tunc ad ipsum regem pertinens cum omnibus iuribus et pertinentiis suis prefato monasterio ac canonicis ibidem Deo seruientibus et seruitur concesserat . et quod postmodum venerabilis frater noster Walterus episcopus Sanctiandree qui concessioni huiusmodi interfuerat et ad eam suum prebuerat assensum predictam ecclesiam predicto monasterio coniunxerat annexuerat et vniuerat . nos concessionem coniunctionem annexionem et vniionem huiusmodi duximus confirmandas prout in nostris inde confectis litteris plenius continetur . Cum autem sicut exhibita nobis pro parte dictorum abbatis et conuentus peticio continebat porcio xlv marearum monete regni Seocie visualis super fructibus redditibus et prouentibus ipsius ecclesie que per presbiteros seculares regi confueuit pro perpetuo vicario in eo cum uno huiusmodi suum fortita foret effectum instituendo referuata fuerit ipsaque porcio iuxta facultates fructuum reddituum et prouentuum predictorum adeo nimia et excessiva existat quod annexio et uno predicto eidem monasterio modice utilitatis existunt . quare pro parte dictorum abbatis et conuentus nobis fuit humiliter supplicatum ut eis concedere ac statuere et ordinare quod ipse abbas et sui successores dicti monasterii abbates post effectum annexionis et vniionis predictorum ad vicariam in dicta ecclesia ex predicta porcione instituendam cum fie instituta fuerit quod quociens eam vacare contigerit unum ex canonicis dicti monasterii ydoneum prefato episcopo et eius successoribus Sanctiandree episcopis perpetuo infra

tempus legitimum presentare possint ipsique episcopus et successores canonicos ipos sic presentandos ad huiusmodi presentaciones in perpetuos vicarios ipsius ecclesie instituere teneantur et quod vicaria ipsa per ipos canonicos regi et cura animarum parochianorum ipsius exerceri valeant de benignitate apostolica dignaremur . Nos igitur prefati monasterii vtilitates et commoda quantum cum Deo possimus procurare cupientes huiusmodi supplicationibus inclinati eisdem abbatи et conuentui apostolica auторitate concedimus ac statuimus et eciam ordinamus quod predicti abbas et successores sui ad dictam vicariam cum instituta fuerit et quoziens eam vacare contigerit ut prefertur vnum canonicum ydoneum predicti monasterii prefatis episcopo et successoribus suis memoratis presentare ac ipsi episcopus et eius successores canonicos qui sic presentabuntur in vicarios ipsius ecclesie instituere et idem canonici sic presentandi vicariam regere et curam predictas exercere possint ut prefertur non obstantibus quibuscumque constitutionibus apostolicis ac statutis et consuetudinibus monasterii et ordinis predicatorum contrariis iuramento confirmatione apostolica vel quacunque firmitate alia roboratis ac priuilegiis indulgenciis et litteris apostolicis generalibus vel specialibus quorumcumque tenorum existant neonon obseruanciis et prescripcionibus per que presentibus non expressa vel totaliter non inferta effectus earum impediri valeat quomodolibet vel differri et de quibus quorumque totis tenoribus habenda sit in nostris litteris mencio specialis . Nos enim ex nunc irritum decreuimus et inane si fecus super hiis a quoquam quavis auторitate scienter vel ignoranter contigerit attemptari . Nulli ergo omnino hominum liceat hanc paginam nostre concessionis statuti ordinacionis et constitutionis infringere vel ei ausu temerario contraire . Si quis autem hoc attemptare presumperferit indignacionem Omnipotentis Dei et Beatorum Petri et Pauli apostolorum eius se nouerit incurfurum . Datum Auiniione xvii kalendas Octobris pontificatus nostri anno primo.

Carta Roberti regis facta Andree Leper et Ade Forster de Corftorphyn.

25 **R**obertus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem .
Sciatis nos dedisse . . . Andree Leper burgenſi de Edynburgh tene-
mentum quod fuit quondam Andree Bett iacens inter terram Roberti
Quhiting ex parte occidentali . . . et tenementum Andree Dicſoun
ex parte orientali . . . et decem solidos argenti annui redditus debi-
tos de predicta terra Andree Dicſoun iacente inter dictam terram An-
dree Bet ex parte occidentali et terram Willelmi de Heruingſtoun ex
parte orientali . et decem solidos argenti de predicta terra annui red-
ditus dicti Willelmi de Heruingſtoun iacenti inter terram Andree Dic-
ſoun ex parte occidentali et tenementum Johannis Clerc ex parte
orientali . et decem solidos annui redditus de tenemento Johannis Clerc
iacente inter terram Willelmi de Heruingſtoun ex parte occidentali
et tenementum Ade Forſter ex parte orientali . et viginti solidos annui
redditus debitos de terra quondam Ade Thor iacente inter terram Johani-
nis Heris ex parte orientali et terram Willelmi de Faufide ex parte occi-
dentali . et decem solidos annui redditus debitos de terra Johannis Porter
iacente inter terram Willelmi Bonkle ex parte orientali et tenementum
heredum quondam Johannis Barcar ex parte occidentali . et tresdecem
solidos et quatuor denarios annui redditus debitos de terra Thome de
Pentland iacente inter terram Henrici de Spens ex parte occidentali et
Venellam Sancte Marie ex parte orientali . et tresdecim solidos et quatuor
denarios annui redditus debitos de predicta terra Henrici de Spens iacente
inter terram predicti Thome de Pentland ex parte orientali et terram
Johannis de Paxtoun ex parte occidentali . et septem marcas annui red-
ditus debitas de terra Michaelis de Incheſtur iacente inter terram quon-
dam Alexandri Wigmor ex parte occidentali et terram Petri de Selkirk
ex parte orientali . et duas marcas cum dimidia annui redditus debitas de

terra quondam Donaldi Gibsoun iacente inter terram Roberti de Laweder ex parte occidentali et terram Willelmi de Faufide ex parte orientali . Que quidem tenementa et annui redditus . . . fuerunt dicti Andree hereditarie . . . et que idem Andreas . . . in camera nostra apud Sconam in presencia magistri Walteri Forster canonici Aberdonensis Reginaldi de Craufurd secretarii nostri et Murdaci de Leky die confec- cionis presencium . . . resignauit . . . Tenendos . . . dicto Andree et Marie Forster filie Ade Forster sponsae sue . . . ac heredibus inter ipsos legitime procreatis . . . quibus forte deficientibus dicto Ade Forster de Corftorfin . . . et heredibus suis quibusunque de nobis . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . adeo libere . . . fuit dictus Andreas dicta tenementa et annuos redditus . . . de nobis ante dictam resignationem . . . tenuit . . . per seruicium . . . consuetum . In eius rei testimonium presenti carte nostrae nostrum precepimus apponi sigillum testibus . . . Waltero episcopo Sanctiandree . Gilberto episcopo Aberdonensi cancellario nostro . primogenito nostro Dauid duce Rosiae comite de Carric et Adolie senescallo Scocie . Roberto duce Albanie comite de Fyff et de Menteth fratre nostro germano . Archibaldo comite de Douglas domino Galwidie . Jacobo de Douglas domino de Dalketh et Thoma de Erfkyn consanguineis nostris . . . militibus . apud Sconam v^{to} die mensis marci anno Domini m^occcc^{mo} et regni nostri xi^o.

Adam Forster Retour as air to Leper.

26 **H**ec inquisitio facta fuit apud Edynburgh coram balliuis eiusdem secundo die mensis Maii anno Domini m^occcc^o 2^o per . . . Johannem Rede de Dalrymple Alanum de Ballone Willelmum de Caueris Willelmum Curour Johannem Clerc de Lanark Martinum de Benyng Willelmum de Ferfith Thomam Cant Duncanum Rollok Thiomam de Lanyng Robertum de

Barre Andream de Pumfrete Johannem Cuke Robertum de Hawie Simonem Hog burgenfes dicti burgi qui super facramento . . . iurati dicunt quod quondam Andreas Leper burgenfis dicti burgi obiit . . . fatus . . . ad pacem . . . regis de quodam tenemento . . . quod fuit quondam Andree Bet iacente in dicto burgo inter terram Roberti Quhiting ex parte occidental . . . et tenementum quondam domini Andree Dicfoun ex parte orientali . . . et x solidis argenti annui redditus . . . de . . . terra . . . domini Andree Dicfoun iacente inter dictam terram Andree Bet ex parte occidental et terram Willelmi de Heruingstoun ex parte orientali . et deceni solidis argenti annui redditus de . . . terra dicti Willelmi de Heruingstoun iacente inter terram Andree Dicfoun ex parte occidental et tenementum Johannis Clerc ex parte orientali . et x solidis annui redditus de tenemento dicti Johannis Clerc iacente inter dictam terram Willelmi de Heruyngfoun ex parte occidental et tenementum Ade Forster ex parte orientali . et viginti solidis annui redditus debit is de terra quondam Ade Thor iacente inter terram Johannis Heris ex parte orientali et tenementum Willelmi de Faufide ex parte occidental . et x solidis annui redditus debit is de terra Johannis Porter iacente inter terram Willelmi Bonkle ex parte orientali et tenementum heredum quondam Johannis Barcar ex parte occidental . et xiiij^{cim} solidis et iiiij^{or} denariis annui redditus debit is de terra Thome de Pentland iacente inter terram Henrici de Spens ex parte occidental et Venellam Sancte Marie ex parte orientali . et xiiij^{cim} solidis et iiiij^{or} denariis annui redditus debit is de pre dicta terra Henrici de Spens iacente inter terram predicti Thome de Pentland ex parte oriental et terram Johannis de Paxtoun ex parte occidental . et de septem marcis annui redditus debit is de terra Michaelis de Incheftur iacente inter terram quondam Alexandri Wigmor ex parte occidental et terram Petri de Selkirk ex parte oriental . et de duabus marcis cum dimidia annui redditus debit is de terra quondam Donaldi Gibson iacente inter terram Roberti de Laweder ex parte occidental et

terram Willelmi de Fauside ex parte orientali . et quod Adam Forster lator presencium est . . . heres dicti quondam Andree Leper de dictis terris et annuis redditibus . . . ratione cuiusdam tallie inde sibi facte prout in carta . . . regis . . . continetur . et quod dictus Adam Forster est legittime etatis . et quod dictum tenementum . . . valet per annum quinque marcas tempore pacis et tantum nunc valet . et anni redditus supra patent et tenentur in capite de . . . rege per feraucium firme burgalis . et tenementum predictum . . . existit nunc in manibus Christiane Bett reliete quondam Andree Bett . . . pro tempore vite sue causa fue dotis . et dimidia pars tocis anni redditus terre dicti Michaelis de Inchestur existit in manibus dictae Christiane . . . residuum vero omnium reddituum supradiectorum existit in manibus Mariote filie dictae Ade Forster reliete quondam Andree Leper predicti vacuum tenemento predicto et anno redditu predicto existentibus in manibus dictae Christiane . qui anni redditus et tenementum . . . existent in manibus dictae Mariote pro toto tempore vite sue causa coningii infedacionis inter predictum quondam Andream et dictam Mariotam suam relietam in tempore vite dicti Andree habitu post obitum dictae Christiane Bet . . . et feodium totum illius tenementi et omnium annuorum reddituum predictorum est nunc in manibus . . . regis ob causam mortis dicti quondam Andree a tempore Assumptionis Beate Marie virginis ultimo preterite . Scriptum sub sigillis balliuorum et quorundam eorum in dicta inquisitione existentium . . .

The chartor of xx s. of annual rent of the tenement of Adam of the Spott.

27 **O**mibus . . . Adam de Spot burgenis burgi de Edynburgh salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . cum confensu . . . Petronille vxoris mee . . . vendidisse . . . Johanni Rede executori testamenti . . . quondam Johannis de

Peblis ad sustentacionem vnius capellani diuina celebrantis videlicet domini Thome de Halyday . . . et aliorum capellanorum imperpetuum celebraturorum ad altare Beati Johannis ewangeliste fundatum in capella sua situata ex parte boreali ecclesie Beati Egidii de Edynburgh per dictum quondam Johannem de Peblis viginti solidos annui redditus . . . percipiendos ad festa Pentecostes et Sancti Martini in yeme . . . de . . . terra mea . . . conquestu meo procurata iacente in dicto burgo de Edynburgh ex parte boreali vici eiusdem inter terram Andree de Prestoun ex parte orientali . . . et terram Andree de Pontfreyt ex parte occidentali . . . pro quadam summa pecunie mihi per predictum Johannem Red pre manibus . . . persolute . . . Tenendos . . . predictos viginti solidos . . . monete Scocie predicto altari et capellano . . . a me heredibus meis et assignatis libere . . . Et pro maiore huius rei securitate ego predicta Petronilla . . . ad omnia premissa pro parte mea fideliter obseruanda tactis sacrofanctis ewangeliis Dei iuramentum feci corporale . In cuius rei testimonium ego . . . Adam de Spot figillum meum presenti scripto meo apposui . et ad maiores huius rei securitatem nos . . . Adam et Petronilla figillum commune predicti burgi . . . huic . . . apponi . . . procurauiimus in plena curia capitali tenta in theloneo . . . burgi vicefimo die mensis Januarii anno Domini millesimocccc^{mo} quarto.

Schir Jhone Forsteris retour as air to Adam Forster his fader.

28 **H**ec inquisicio facta fuit apud Edynburgh coram balliuis eiusdem vi^{to} die mensis Nouembri anno Domini millesimocccc^{mo} quinto per . . . Johannem de Leth Patricium Broun Johannem Killoyr Willelmum filium Roberti Adam Rede Johannem Fresale Johannem Gupilde Johannem Rede Willelmum Symfoun Stephanum Wake Andream de Pamfret Johannem Clerc Robertum de Hawic burgenes de Edynburgh . qui . . .

iurati dicunt quod quondam dominus Adam Forster miles pater domini Johannis Forster militis . . . obiit . . . fasitus . . . ad pacem . . . regis de quodam tenemento . . . iacente in dicto burgo . . . ex parte australi vici eiusdem inter terram Johannis Clerici ex parte occidentali . . . et Communem Venellam Regiam ex parte orientali . . . et de quatuor marcis anni redditus de tenemento quondam Johannis Gardener iacente ex parte boreali dicti burgi . et de xx^{vi} solidis et octo denariis anni redditus de terra Willelmi de Benyng iacente ex eadem parte boreali dicti burgi . et de quadraginta solidis anni redditus de terra Ade de Faufide iacente ex eadem parte boreali dicti burgi . item de viginti libris amni redditus de firmis . . . regis dicti burgi . . . leuandis . . . per manus balliuorum . . . in festo Pentecostes et Sancti Martini in hyeme . et de feodo x solidorum anni redditus . . . de terra Johannis de Libertoun iacente ex parte australi dicti burgi . et de feodo x solidorum anni redditus de terra Johannis de Guling . et de feodo x solidorum anni redditus de terra Johannis Clerc . et de feodo viginti solidorum de terra quondam Ade de Thor iacente ex eadem parte dicti burgi . et de feodo x solidorum anni redditus . . . de terra Johannis Porter ex eadem parte australi . et de feodo xiiii solidorum et iiiir^{er} denariorum anni redditus de terra quondam Thome de Pentland . et de feodo xiiii solidorum et iiiir^{er} denariorum anni redditus de terra quondam Henrici de Spens . et de septem marcarum feodo anni redditus de terra alias Michaelis de Inchefur iacente ex parte boreali dicti burgi . et de feodo duarum marcarum cum dimidio anni redditus de terra quondam Donaldi Gibson iacente ex eadem parte boreali dicti burgi . et quod dictus dominus Johannes est . . . heres . . . Ade patris fui de eisdem tenemento et redditibus annuis cum feodo prescriptorum aliorum annuorum reddituum . . . et est legitime etatis . et quod dictum tenementum . . . valet per annum x libras et tantum valebat tempore pacis . et dicti anni redditus valent per annum summam prescriptam . et dictum tenementum et anni redditus

tenentur in capite de . . . rege videlicet . dictum tenementum tenetur per seruicium vnius denarii nomine firme burgalis foluendi . . . regi in festo Pentecostes si petatur . et dicta xx libre de firmis dicti burgi eciam tenentur de . . . rege foluendo annuatim . . . in festo Pentecostes vnum denarium argenti nomine albefirme si petatur . et dicta x marce . . . firmarum dicti burgi tenentur in capite de . . . rege per seruicium vnius denarii in dicto festo . . . Pentecostes nomine albe firme si petatur . liberum vero tenementum omnium annuorum reddituum quorum feodum restat cum dicto Adam [Johanne] Forster existit in manibus Marie Forster filie . . . quondam domini Ade . . . racione tallie regie . . . dicta vero quatuor marce annui redditus existunt in manibus . . . regis quia heres se non cognouit in forma burgi ad predictas . relique vero due marce debite de terra Willelmi Benyng de quadraginta solidis debitibus de terra Ade de Faufide cum quinque marcis de firmis dicti burgi de Edynburgh existunt in manibus capellani . . . domini Johannis Scherar diuina celebrantis ad altare Beati Niniani in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidii de Edynburgh assignate per dictum . . . Adam Forster . et dictum tenementum . . . existit in manibus domine Mariote Forster reliete . . . domini Ade Forster per coniunctam infeodacionem pro toto tempore vite sue . et dicta quatuor marce sunt in manibus . . . regis a tempore mortis . . . domini Ade . Item dicunt quod dictus . . . Adam . . . obiit in feodo tallie cuiusdam tenementi alias quondam Andree Leper iacentis inter terram Johannis de Libertoun ex parte orientali . . . et terram Willelmi Wrycht ex parte occidentali . . . dati per dictum . . . Adam . . . Alano de Farinle et Marie sponse sue et . . . heredibus de corpore suo legitime procreatis . . . quibus defientibus renertendo ad . . . dominum Adam et heredes suos . Scriptum sub sigillo Roberti filii Thome balliui . . . et quorundam aliorum in dicta inquisitione existencium . . .

[Carta Johannis de Barre.]

- 29 **O**mnis . . . Johannes de Barre burgenfis de Edinburgh salutem . . . Nouerit vniuersitas vestra me . . . vendidisse . . . confiderato meo Johanni Broun Clere burgenfi dicti burgi totam terram meam et tenementum . . . iacentem in villa de Leth infra baroniam de Leftalrik inter terram . . . abbatis de Melros ex parte orientali . . . et ortum Simonis de Hiltoun ex parte occidentali . . . pro summa peccunie michi in mea magna necessitate . . . perfoluta . Tenendam . . . Johanni heredibus suis et assignatis a me . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . Reddendo . . . Simoni de Hiltoun predicto heredibus et assignatis suis tresdecim solidos et quatuor denarios . . . monete . . . Scocie ad . . . festa . . . Pentecostes et Sancti Martini in yeme . . . tantum pro omni . . . onere . . . In cuius rei testimonium presenti earte mee sigillum meum manibus propriis apposui apud Edinburgh decimo sexto die mensis Februarii anno domini millesimo cccc^{mo} vndeclimo . Et ego Simon de Hiltoun . . . predictam . . . vendicionem . . . pro me et heredibus meis . . . confirmo . Et in signum huius . . . confirmationis mee prefentem cartam sigilli mei munimine roborau . . . testibus . . . domino Johanne Forstar domino de Corstorphin . Patricio Baroun Thoma de Berwick Laurencio Bigli et Waltero de Spott burgenfibus de Edynburgh . . . cum multis aliis.

Jhone Eldar of Corstorphin chartar.

- 30 **O**mnis . . . Johannes Eldar de Corstorphyn Johannes Barre burgenfis burgi de Edinburgh et Mariota filia dicti Johannis Eldare et sponsa eiusdem Johannis de Barre salutem . . . Noueritis nos . . . vnanimi

confensu . . . vendidisse . . . Johanni Broun Clerk burgenſi dicti
burgi . . . illud tenementum nostrum iacens in dicto burgo ex parte
australi Vici Regii inter tenementum Alani ex parte orientali
. . . et tenementum Johannis de Gallirvod ex parte occidentali . . . pro
. . . summa pecunie nobis in nostra cognita necessitate . . . perfoluta
. . . Tenendum . . . predicto Johanni . . . de . . . rege in feodo
et hereditate . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . regi firmam burgi . . .
confuetam et monasterio Sancte Crucis de Edynburgh sex solidos an-
nualis redditus . . . monete . . . Scocie tantum pro omni alio feriorio
. . . Et si contingat [nos] vel heredes nostros . . . presentem . . .
cartam nostram . . . contravenire . . . obligamus nos et . . . heredes
nostros . . . ac omnia bona nostra . . . predicto Johanni Broun Clerk
heredibus suis et assignatis in quadraginta libris sterlingorum . . .
absque alicuius iudicis licencia . . . ante alicuius litis ingressum le-
uandis et . . . in quadraginta libris fabricis ecclesiarum Sanctiandree
et Beati Egidii de Edynburgh fine remissione nomine pene aplicandis
primo die litis mouende presenti tamen carta in suo robore permanente
. . . Cuius eciam tenementi . . . safinam . . . Johanni . . . per
officiarios burgi ut moris est tradi . . . fecimus . . . In cuius rei testi-
monium nos Johannes Eldar et Johannes Bar . . . carte nostre sigilla
nostra apsuimus . et quia ego dicta Mariota sigillum proprium non
habui sigillum . . . Roberti Lorne balliui . . . in signum . . . con-
fensus mei . . . ac iuramenti per me prestiti quod nunquam reuocabo
contenta in presenti carta eidem apponi . . . procuraui . apud Edinburgh
vicefimo die mensis Nouembbris anno Domini m° eccc° xxiii° presentibus
. . . Thoma de Cranftoun preposito burgi . Johanne de Dunne decano
gilde . Willelmo Fysch Roberto Lorne balliuis eiusdem burgi . Alano de Farinle
Willelmo de Libertoun Johanne Libertoun Adam de Bonkle
Willelmo Ferfith Johanne Bane Willelmo Kemp Willelmo Stele Roberto
Fergushil Johanne Spitale Richardo Goddiskirk Andrea Tovnis Henrico

Qubitehede Johanne Leis feriandis dicti burgi burgenibus . et pluribus aliis testibus.

Ane chartor of confirmationoun of vi s. viii d. annuell gevin be Johnne Alnerum of the landis of Jamis [Andro] Lermonth.

- 31 **V**niuerfis . . . Johannes de Alncrom burgenis de Edinburgh salutem . . . Sciatis me ad honorem Dei Beate Marie uirginis matris sue et omnium sanctorum et pro salute animarum recolende memorie domini Jacobi Dei gracia iam regis Scotorum illufris et domine Johanne sponse sue quamdiu egerint in humanis et pro salute animarum fuarum cum ab hac luce migrauerint et animarum omnium antecessorum et successorum fuorum ac eciam pro salute animarum burgenium et communitatum burgi de Edinburgh omnium antecessorum et successorum fuorum animarumque patris mei et matris mee fratrum fororum parentum et amicorum meorum ac eorum quibus deliqui in hoc mundo filiorumque et filiarum meorum necnon pro salute anime mee et anime Isabellae sponse mee et pro salute anime domini Johannis de Lanyn et pro salute anime domini Johannis de Hyll capellanorum et animarum omnium fidelium defunctorum dedicte . . . domino Johanni de Hyll antedicto et suis successoribus capellaniis diuina celebrantibus fundatis de terris de Cragcruke ad altare Sancte Marie uirginis in ecclesia parochali Beati Egidii de Edinburgh fex solidos et octo denarios annualis redditus exentes de quodam annuali redditu meo illarum fex marcarum mili et heredibus meis debitarum de quodam tenemento Andree de Lermontt iacente ex parte australi Vici Regii eiusdem inter duo tenementa heredum quondam Willelmi de Benyng . Tenendos . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . et foluendos . . . ad . . . festum Pentecostes pro perpetuo anniuersario videlicet *Placebo* et *Dirige* et missa *De requie* celebrandis ad altare antedictum decimo sexto die

mensis Junii . . . ad que obsequia nouem capellani cum clero erunt et campane pulsate tam per vicum quam per ecclesiam ut moris est . Et si dictus Johannes de Hyll aut aliquis successorum eius sit . . . remissus in . . . faciendo dicta obsequia . . . uel . . . ministracionem per duos annos continuos reliquerit . . . non factam liceat heredibus meis annualis redditus sex marcarum reuocare . . . annualem redditum sex solidorum et octo denariorum . . . Et si contingat me uel heredes meos residuum dicti annualis redditus sex marcarum . . . alienare . . . volo . . . quod liceat preposito balliuis et communitati burgi de Edinburgh . . . ex parte nostra reuocare . . . annualem redditum sex solidorum et octo denariorum suis firmis et communibus redditibus seruicio non facto . . . pro reparacione ecclesie expendere . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . carte mee sigillum meum est appensum vna cum figillo . . . Willelmi de Lybertoun . . . prepositi apud Edinburgh decimo die mensis Junii anno Domini millesimo quadringentesimo vicefimo sexto . . . testibus Roberto de Bonkyll decano gilde . Johanne de Turribus Adam de Bonkyll balliuis . Johanne de Fentoun Roberto de Hawyk Johanne Dun Johanne Brown clero et notario cum multis aliis.

[Carta Johannis de Bening et Thome Gndewyne.]

- 32 **O**mnibus . . . Johannes de Bening et Thomas Gudewyne fratres ordinis Beati Johannis Hierosolomitani ac procuratores terrarum et reddituum eiusdem infra regnum Scocie . . . salutem . . . Vstra nouerit vniuersitas nos . . . assensu . . . capituli nostri regni Scocie . . . ad feodifirmam dimisisse . . . Johanni Broun Clerc burgenſi de Edinburgh . . . terram nostram templariam vastam continentem vnam perticatam cum dimidia et spacio vnius vline in longitudine et latitudine ad hoc pertinente iacentem in burgo de Edinburgh sub muro caſtri . . . ex

parte orientali Vici Regii inter terram quondam Thome Qubit ex parte boreali . . . et terram nostram Templi ex parte australi . . . Tenendam . . . dicto Johanni . . . heredibus et assignatis suis de . . . fratribus dicti ordinis in feodo et hereditate . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . triginta denarios . . . monete Scocie ad . . . terminos Penthecostes et Sancti Martini . . . et feruicium in curiis nostris Templi ad tria placita capitalia tantum . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum officii nostri . . . carte nostre fecimus appendi apud Baltrodoch penultimo die mensis Septembris anno Domini millesimo quadrageentesimo vicefimo sexto testibus . . . Thoma de Grenelawe balliuo nostro Templi · Johanne Locwode · Nicholaio Baxter · Cudberto Theker · Johanne Willelmi et Johanne Vmfrasoun feriendo Templi · et multis aliis.

[Carta Johannis Broun Clerc.]

33 **O**mnis . . . Johannes Broun Clerc burgenſis de Edinburgh falutem . . . Noueritis me dedisse . . . filio meo Thome Broun Clerc . . . terram meam tectura lapidea constructam cum clausura brasina et orto . . . iacentem in burgo de Edinburgh ex parte australi Vici Regii ex parte occidentali venelle vulgariter dicta Forstaris Wynde inter terram meam et terram Patricii Lamb ex parte boreali . . . et terram quondam Nevin Watirleder ex parte australi . . . et terram Willelmi Broun ex parte occidentali . . . et communem venellam predictam ex parte orientali . . . necnon et terram meam iacentem in dicto burgo ex parte australi Vici Regii inter terram quondam Johannis Gallirwode ex parte occidentali . . . et terram Willelmi Lorimer ex parte orientali . . . et terram meam que dudum fuit Johannis Dolas iacentem in dicto burgo ex parte boreali Vici Regii inter terram quondam Andree Smyth ex parte orientali . . . et terram Johannis Bischape ex parte occidentali

. . . Tenendas . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . Reddendo annuatim . . . regi de dictis tenementis firmam burgi debitam . . . et de . . . tenemento iacenti in . . . venella dicta Forstaris Wynde domino Johanni Forstar heredibus suis et assignatis quadraginta solidos . . . et [de] . . . terra iacenti ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . sex solidos . . . abbati . . . Sancte Crucis . . . et de . . . terra iacenti ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . quinque solidos . . . et unum par calcarium vel duodecim denarios . . . Scocie heredibus et assignatis quondam Georgii Logane ad . . . terminos vnuales . . . tantum . . . falso tamen mihi pro toto tempore vite mee franco . . . tenemento dictarum terrarum . . . Quarum quidem terrarum . . . Willelmus Gray ballius . . . sasina hereditariam per exhibicionem terre et lapidis ut moris est in burgo dicto Thome seenndum tenorem et effectum presentis carte inde concessa dedit . . . In eius rei testimonium . . . carte mee sigillum meum est appensum et in euidencie testimonium sasine tradite dictus ballius presenti carte suum apposuit sigillum testibus . . . Thoma de Berwic . . . preposito . Laurencio de Elfynstoun Lanceloto de Habernethi [ballius . . .] . Johanne de Darymple . . . tesaurario . Adam Cant decano gilde . Willelmo de Libertoun Johanne de Levintoun . Johanne de Bigholme . Thoma Smyth . Roberto Fergushill . Willelmo Rinde . domino Johanne Logan capellano . Willelmo Lorimer . Jacobo Vnthonk . Thoma Williamfoun . et multis aliis . Infuper dedi . . . dicto filio meo feodum annui redditus octodecim solidorum . . . Scocie . . . leuandorum . . . de dicta domo quondam Nevini Watirleder ipsumque annum redditum . et terras antedictas dicto Thome . . . concessi sub his modo et forma . . . quod liberum tenementum ac firmus redditus . . . terrarum . . . et annui redditus antedicti mecum pro toto tempore vite me remanebunt . Et si contingat dictum filium meum ante me viam vniuerse carnis ingredi volo quod dictae terre et feodum ipsarum et dicti annui redditus ad me heredes meos et assignatos . . . reuertantur . Anno die loco et testibus supradictis.

Jhone Forster of Corstorphin.

34 **O**mibus . . . Johannes Forster miles dominus de Corstorfⁱn salutem . . . Veftra nouerit vniuerfitas me . . . aſſedafſe et ad feodifirmam dimiſſiſſe . . . Johanni Broun Clerc burgenſi burgi de Edinburgh . . . ſuperiorem dimidiatatem nunc orti ſiue gardini tenementi mei excepta vna perticata terre Thome de Berwic refuruata incipiendo a muro regio inclusiue ex parte boreali . . . et extendendo vſque terram dicti Thome . . . ex parte auſtrali . . . et inter terram Willelmi de Libertoun ex parte occidentalı . . . et communem venellam dictam vlgariter Forſter Wynde ex parte orientali . . . quod . . . tenementum . . . iacet . . . ex parte auſtrali Vici Regii . . . inter tenementum magistri Johannis Foraſtarii ex parte occidentalı . . . et dictam communem venellam ex parte orientali . . . Tenendam . . . in feodofirma et hereditate . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . regi . . . feruicium debitum . . . ac michi . . . et heredibus . . . quadraginta ſolidos . . . monete Scoeie nomine annualis redditus ad . . . terminos Penthecoſtes et Sancti Martini . . . tantum . . . In cuius rei teſtimoniuſum ſigillum meum huic . . . carte mee eſt appenſum et ad maiorem huius rei euidentiam . . . ſigillum . . . matris mee in teſtimoniuſum conſentiuſ fui . . . vnam ſigillo communi . . . burgi . . . apponi . . . procuraui apud Edinburgh ſexto die menſis Junii anno Domini millefimo quadringentesimo viceſimo septimo teſtibus . . . Georgeo de Laweder prepoſito . . . Alexandro Naper Johanne Currou et Willelmo Cameroun . . . balliuſ . Johanne Currou decano gilde . Johanne Dune Roberto Lorne Roberto Hawic Thoma Farle Willelmo de Libertoun Adam de Bonkil Roberto de Bonkil Patricio Ranaldi Willelmo Hafwele Thoma Hafwele Roberto Mafoun . . . feriandis burgenfib⁹ . . . cum diuerſis aliis . . .

[Carta Johannis de Narne.]

35 **O**mibus . . . Johannes de Narne burgenis de Edinburgh . . . salutem . Noueritis me cum consensu . . . dominorum meorum superiorum subscriptorum . . . assedasse et ad feodifirmam dimisisse . . . Johanni Broun Clerc . . . burgenfi vnam perticatam cum dimidia terre . . . iacentem in crofto meo ex parte australi Vici Regii qui dicitur wlgariter Kowgate inter terram Neuin Makrere ex parte orientali . . . et terram meam prefatam ex parte occidentali . . . incipiendo a dicta . . . Kowgate ex parte boreali . . . et ascendendo usque ad terram Jacobi Laing ex parte australi . . . Tenendam . . . in feodofirma et hereditate . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . regi . . . feruicium burgi . . . consuetum . . . et michi . . . heredibus meis et assignatis sex solidos . . . monete . . . Seocie nomine annui reditus ad . . . terminos Penthecostes et Sancti Martini . . . tantum . . . Cuius quidem terre . . . safinam . . . per manum . . . Stephani Lyoune tunc . . . de Edinburgh balliui per exhibicionem terre et lapidis ut moris est . . . deliberari feci . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum . . . carte mee apposui et ad maiorem . . . rei . . . firmitatem sigillum commune burgi . . . similiter . . . appendi . . . procuraui . Quam quidem cartam . . . nos Georgeus de Logane Margareta sponsa eiusdem et Willelmus Logane filius et heres eorundem et Alexander de Dalmahoy domini superiores dictae terre . . . dicto Johanni . . . pro nobis [et] heredibus nostris confirmamus faluo feruicio antedicto . In cuius nostre confirmationis testimonium eidem nostra fecimus appendi sigilla apud Edinburgh nono die mensis Augusti anno Domini millesimo quadrigentesimo vicefimo octauo . testibus . . . Johanne de Levingtonn . . . preposito . Thoma de Prestoun Adam de Knox et Willelmo Purro balliuis . . . Willelmo de Libertoun Johanne de Liber-

toun Johanne Dune Roberto Lorne Johanne Tindel Roberto Hawie
 Thoma de Ferle burgenibus . . . Willelmo Hafwele Thoma Hafwele
 feriandis . . . cum multis aliis.

[Confirmacio super carta Thome de Fayrle per Jacobum I. regem.]

36 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre sue . . . salutem . Sciatis
 nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse . . . sub hac forma . Omnibus . . . Tho-
 mas de Fayrle burgenfis de Edinburgh . . . salutem . Noueritis me de
 licencia . . . regis . . . ad honorem Dei beate et gloriose Marie virginis
 matris sue et omnium sanctorum et pro salute animarum . . . Jacobi
 Scotorum regis . . . et Johanne confortis sue regine prolinquunt fuarum
 ac patris mei et matris mee omniumque antecessorum et successorum meo-
 rum ac pro salute anime mee et Agnetis confortis mee et animarum om-
 nium burgensium et communitatis burgi de Edinburgh . . . et . . .
 omnium quibus debitor sum seu penes quos . . . deliqui in hac vita et
 omnium fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . . Deo Beate Marie semper vir-
 gini et omnibus sanctis Dei et vni capellano diuina celebranti . . . annua-
 tium et pro dimidio anno ad altare Sancte Crucis . . . iuxta et ex parte
 boreali magni altaris in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidii de Edinburgh
 sex marcas annualis redditus . . . de tenemento meo iacente in dicto burgo
 ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter tenementum Willelmi Tothrik
 ex parte orientali . . . et tenementum quondam Willelmi Roberti ex parte
 occidentali . . . tres marcas . . . de tenemento Jacobi Atkenfon iacente
 in dicto burgo ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter tenementum Thome
 Cant ex parte orientali . . . et tenementum quondam Thome Malevile
 ex parte occidentali . . . duas marcas annui redditus et ynam marciam de
 tenemento quondam Jacobi Foulfurde iacente in dicto burgo ex parte
 boreali Vici Regii . . . inter tenementum quondam Willelmi Thome ex

parte orientali . . . et tenementum quondam Andree Rede ex parte occidentalii . . . leuandas . . . ad . . . terminos Pentecostes . . . et Sancti Martini . . . Tenendas . . . in liberam . . . elemosinam . . . Quinymo licebit aldirmannum et communitatem burgi de Edinburgh . . . de predicto annuo redditu . . . pro vtilitate . . . prenominati capellani . . . disponere ad libitum . . . et vt inde in stricto Dei iudicio voluerint respondere . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum . . . carte mee apposui et ad maiorem . . . rei . . . firmitatem sigillum commune dicti burgi . . . appendi . . . procuraui in pretorio . . . vicefimo die mensis Junii anno Domini millesimo quadringentesimo vicefimo octauo testibus . . . Johanne de Levingtoun . . . preposito · Thoma de Prestoun Adam de Knokkis et Willelmo Purro balliuis . . . Johanne de Bigholme decano gilde · Alano de Farinle Willelmo de Libbertoun Johanne de Libbertoun Johanne de Dvne burgenibus . . . cum multis aliis · Quam . . . cartam . . . confirmamus faluo seruicio nostro . . . consueto · In cuius rei testimonium . . . carte nostre magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus · testibus . . . Johanne episcopo Glasguensi cancellario nostro · magistro Willelmo de Foulis custode priuati figilli nostri preposito ecclesie collegiate de Bothuil · Johanne Forestarii camerario · et Waltero de Ogilby thesaurario regni nostri · apud Edinburgh vicefimo die mensis Septembbris anno regni nostri vicefimo tercio.

[Resignacio Johannis Lepar.]

37 **V**niuersis pateat . . . me Johannem Lepar burgensem de Edinburgh . . . resignasse domino Johanni de Hill capellano et successoribus suis . . . diuina celebrantibus ad altare Beato Marie virginis in ecclesia Beati Egidii de Edynburgh . . . terras ecclesiasticas de Cragcruke . . . iacentes infra vicecomitatum de Edynburgh . . . In cuius . . . rei testimoniis

nium figillum meum vnacum sigillo Johannis de Bigholne . . . decani
gilde per me . . . procurato presentibus sunt appensa apud Edinburgh
vicefimo quarto die mensis Nouembris anno Domini millesimo cccc^o vice-
fimo oētauo coram . . . Roberto de Faufide armigero · Johanne Bridy
capellano · Thoma de Benyng Willelmo de Bronhil et Adam de Bronhyll
burgenibus dicti burgi · cum multis aliis.

[Conuencio inter dominum Johannem Bridin capellanum et Johannem
Lepar burgensem.]

- 38 Vicefimo die mensis Februarii anno Domini millesimo cccc vicefimo
oētauo de consenu . . . prepositi balliuorum confolum et communitatis
burgi de Edinburgh concordatum est inter dominum Johannem Bridin
capellanum altaris Beati Nicholai in ecclesia parrochiali Beati Egidii de
Edinburgh et Johannem Lepar burgensem . . . de . . . crofto Beati
Nicholai . . . supraſcripto [vide Rentale Sancti Nicholai] . . . quod . . .
dimidietas orientalis . . . crofti remanebit imperpetuum eum . . . capellanis
dicti altaris . . . et . . . dimidietas occidentalis . . . remanebit eum dicto
Johanne Lepar heredibus suis et affignatis imperpetuum inde foluendo
dicto altari duos solidos annuatim · Licebit infuper . . . capellano affedare
et ad feedifirmam dimittere . . . partem suam . . . crofti pro fe et fuc-
cessoribus suis . . . ad vtilitatem dicti altaris . . . cum consenu . . .
communitatis . . . Item de illa crofta dictus capellanus affedauit Johanni
de Bonkyl quandam partem inde foluendo dicto altari annuatim xviii s.
Item affedauit . . . domino Johanni de Hyl quandam partem . . . pro
vi s. viii d. foluendis dicto altari.

Carta [Willelmi] Libertoun prepositi et balliuorum ad altare Johannis euangelilite.

39 **Omnibus . . .** Willelmus de Libbertoun prepositus . . . Johannes de Toring Georgeus de Faulo et Johannis Butlar balliu . . . Johannes de Bigholme decanus gilde . . . burgenſes et communitas burgi de Edinburgh . . . falutem . . . Noueritis nos cum consensu . . . domini Thome Haliday capellani perpetui altaris Beati Johannis euangelilite in ecclieſia parrochiali Beati Egidii de Edinburgh . . . aſſedafſe et ad feedifirmam dimiſiſſe . . . Thome de Soltre burgenſi . . . terram fine domum noſtram . . . iacentem . . . iuxta Arcum Inferiorem . . . inter terram fine domum eiufdem Thome ex parte auſtrali . . . et dictum Arcum ex parte boreali . . . Tenendam . . . in feodofirma et hereditate . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . regi firmam burgi . . . ac heredibus et affignatis quondam Jacobi de Edynburgh duos ſolidos argenti annualis redditus . . . monete Scocie . . . et domino Thome Halyday et suis fuceſſoribus . . . quinque marcas vndecim ſolidos et quatuor denarios annualis redditus monete prediē ad . . . terminos Pentecoftes et Sancti Martini . . . tantum . . . Infuper ſi contingat dictum annum redditum quinque marcarum vndecim ſolidorum et quatuor denariorum lapsis tribus terminis minime fore perſolutum . . . volumus . . . quod dicta terra fine domus . . . ad dictum altare . . . reuertatur pro perpetuo remansura . In eius rei testimonium ſigillum commune . . . vna cum figillo . . . domini Thome Haliday . . . carte noſtre fecimus appendi in pretorio . . . burgi vicefimo die menſis Julii anno Domini m cccc^{mo} vicefimo nono hiis teſtibus . . . Thoma de Cranſton . Alano de Fayrinle . Johanne de Levingtoun . Roberto de Hawic . Johanne Dune . Johanne de Liberton . et Johanne Broun Clerc notario publico . et multis aliis comburgenſibus . . .

[Carta Johannis et Willelmi Heres canonicorum Sancte Crucis.]

40 **O**mibus . . . Jobannes Heres burgenfis burgi de Edinburgh et dominus Willelmus Heres canonici regulares . . . Sancte Crucis . . . salutem . . . Noueritis nos vnanimi confensu . . . affedasse et ad feodifirmam dimisisse . . . Andree Bel burgenfi dicti burgi . . . terram nostram . . . iacentem in tenemento nostro inter terras Willelmi Trewnot ex australi et boreali . . . quod . . . tenementum . . . iacet in dicto burgo ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter communem venellam que ducit ad Fratres Predicatores . . . ex parte orientali . . . et terram abbatis de Melros ex parte occidentali . . . Tenendam . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . regi feruicum burgi . . . et nobis heredibus nostris et assignatis viginti solidos . . . Scocie ad . . . terminos vfaues . . . tantum . . . In cuius rei testimonium figilla nostra . . . carte nostre sunt appensa et ad maiorem . . . rei . . . firmitatem sigillum commune burgi . . . vacum sigillo Thome Smyth balliui . . . carte nostre appendi . . . procurauiimus hiis testibus Johanne de Leuingtoun preposito . . . Johanne Swift et Patricio de Foulis balliuis . . . Johanne Bigholme decano gilde . . . Alexandro Naper Willelmo Corour

Forstar Thoma de Berwic Johanne de Farinle Willelmo Purrok Willelmo Fyfch Thoma de Farinle Johanne Wodman Willelmo Redeschaw Alejandro Robisoun Jacobo Vnthonk Roberto Gray et Johanne Broun Clerc notario publico burgenfibus . . . Thoma Hafwel Willelmo Kennyfoun et Willelmo Scherfmyth feriandis . . . apud Edinburgh x die mensis Marcii anno Domini m°cccc° xxxii°.

[Carta Alani de Twedi.]

41 **V**niuersis . . . Alanus de Twedi burgensis de Edynburgh salutem . . . Noueritis quod quamuis Jacobus Atkynfoun burgenfis . . . vendiderit . . . michi vnum annuum redditum duarum marcarum . . . leuandarum ad . . . terminos . . . Penthecostes et Sancti Martini . . . de tenemento suo iacente in dicto burgo ex parte boreali eiusdem vici inter terram Johannis Barcar ex parte orientali . . . et terram quondam Thome Cant ex parte occidentali . . . pro certa summa pecunie . . . volo tamen . . . et . . . me obligo . . . ad fursum reddendum . . . dicto Jacobo heredibus suis et assignatis dictum annum redditum . . . quandocunque contigerit dictum Jacobum heredes suos uel assignatos persoluere michi heredibus meis uel assignatis in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidi de Edynburgh super magno altari eiusdem uno die inter folis ortum et occasum . . . viginti vnam libras sex solidos et octo denarios . . . monete . . . Scocie . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum vnam figillo . . . Alani de Lavvedre ballui . . . in euidentius testimonium veritatis presentibus est appensum apud Edynburgh vicefimo . . . Februarii . . . millesimo cccc^o tricesimo tercio.

[Carta Dauid Broune cancellarii Glasguensis.]

42 **O**mibus . . . Dauid Broune cancellarius ecclie Glasguensis . . . salutem . Noueritis me . . . assedasse et ad feodifirmam dimisisse . . . domino Andree Yhong rectori ecclie de Menteth . . . terram meam . . . iacentem in tenemento Johannis Hieris inter gabellum lapidum domus mee ex parte australi et terram fiue domum Andree Bel ex parte boreali quod . . . tenementum . . . iacet in burgo de Edinburgh ex parte australi

Vici Regii . . . inter terram . . . abbatis de Melros ex parte occiden-
tali . . . et communem venellam que dicit ad Fratres Predicatores ex
parte orientali . . . Tenendam . . . predictam terram . . . vnam
dimidia parte gabelli . . . et camino meo in eadem constructo . . .
in feodo et hereditate . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . altari nostre
Domine in ecclesia parochali ciuitatis Sanctiandree alias per me fundato
in insula australi eiusdem . . . decem solidos annualis redditus monete
. . . Scocie ad . . . terminos Penthecostes et Sancti Martini in yeme . . .
tantum . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . carte mee sigillum meum
apposui et ad . . . rei . . . firmitatem pleniorum sigillum . . . Ade
Cant balliu . . . appendi . . . procuraui apud Edinburgh vicesimo
octauo . . . Nouembri . . . m°cccc^{mo} tricesimo quinto.

[Carta Margarete sponse Gregorii Logane et Willelmi Logane eorum
filii et heredis.]

- 43 **O**mibus . . . Margareta sponsa quondam Gregorii Logane et Willelmus Logane filius et heres eorundem salutem . . . Noueritis nos . . . assedasse . . . Johanni Broun Clerc burgensi de Edinburgh . . . terram nostram iacentem . . . in superiori parte dicti burgi et ex parte boreali Vici Regii inter terram Johannis Bisshop ex parte orientali et terram Willelmi Colin ex parte occidentali · quequidem terra fuit assedata quondam Johanni Dolas ad feodofirmam et quam lucrati sumus legittime per processum burgi legalem in defectu solucionis reddituum annualium nobis et dicto Johanni Broun Clerc debitorum . . . Tenendam . . . in feodofirma et hereditate . . . cum libero introitu et exitu per portas anteriorem et posteriorem usque ad Lacum . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . regi firmam burgi . . . et nobis heredibus nostris et assignatis . . . quinque solidos annualis redditus pro toto tempore vite dicti Johannis [et]

post ipsius deceſſum . . . quinque ſolidos cum vno pare calcearium albo-
rum . . . ad . . . terminos Penthecoſtes et Sancti Martini . . . tantum
. . . Et nos vero dicti Margareta et Willelmus . . . ſafinam . . . dicta
terre . . . prefato Johanni . . . per manum balliui Johannis Yhul . . .
et per terram et lapidem fecimus deliberari ut moris eſt in burgo . . . In
cuius rei teſtimonium ego predictus Willelmus preſenti carte noſtre ſigil-
lum meum eſt appenſum [appofui] et quia ego dicta Margareta ſigillum
proprium non habeo ſigillum commune burgi . . . eidem carte apponi
procurauimus preſentibus Johanne Levingtoun prepoſito . . . Alano de
Laweder Watero Hog et Johanne Yhule balliuis · Roberto de Bonkle de-
cano gilde · Alano de Farinle Thoma de Berwic Thoma de Preſtoun
Willelmo de Libertoun Johanne Bigholme Thoma de Smyth Roberto de
Fergushill Willelmo Purro Patricio de Fowlis Adam de Halkerſtoun
Richardo Lamb Patricio Lamb Roberto Michaelis Lanceloto de Haber-
nethi Henrico Harears Thoma Hafwele Roberto Hope et Johanne
Schether feriandis · eam . . . aliis . . . apud Edinburgh quarto . . .
Junii . . . millesimo quadrageſimofimo tricesimo septimo.

[Instrumentum ſafine de capellania ad altare Sancti Duthaci.]

- 44 **I**n Dei nomine amen . . . pateat . . . quod anno . . . i^{mo} iii^o xxxvii^o
. . . mensis vero Februarii die xiii^a . . . in mei . . . et teſtium ſubſcrip-
torum prefencia et coram prepoſito balliuis et maiori conſilio burgi de
Edinburgh comparentes in iudicio . . . Thomas de Crannetoun et Wil-
lelmus de Crannetoun filius eius et heres dicti burgi burgenſes . . .
dixerunt quod quondam Thomas Kere vnuſ de anteceſſoribus dicti Wil-
lelmi quondam capellaniam in ecclieſia Beati Egidi de Edinburgh ad
altare Sancti Duthaci pro perpetuo fundauit et . . . cuidam domino Ade
Henrici . . . contulit . . . de quaquidem capellania quidam annui red-

ditus dummodo non fuerant mortificati sed dicto Willelmo post deceßum
dicti domini Ade iure patrimonio succedere deberent idcirco . . . ob fa-
ludem anime dicti quondam Thome et animarum omnium fidelium de-
functorum et vt dicta capellania imperpetuum haberet effectum . . .
propofuerunt dictos annuos redditus per prius non mortificatos et alios
in augmentacionem in futurum ad sufficientem capellaniam duodecim
marcarum mortificare . . . ob que premissa et alia . . . angmentanda . . .
pecierunt a dictis preposito balliuis et consilio . . . vt . . . commendacio
sufficientis et ydonei capellani per dictos Thomam et Willelmum aut here-
des fuos tociens quociens dicta capellania vacauerit post deceßum dicti
domini Ade hereditarie ad presentacionem dictae capellanie . . . admitte-
retrum omni alia requifitione tam domino [domini ordinarii?] quam
aliorum burgenſium . . . postposita . . . dicto capellano existente
ſufficiente et ydoneo dicto burgo amicabili et non odioſo ac per ſigillum
commune dicti burgi eorum prefentaciones . . . minime denegari fed
concedi valeant . . . Quibus remotis . . . dicti prepositus balliui et con-
ſules . . . concordati . . . requifitionem et peticionem dictorum . . . fore
. . . racionabiles . . . vnanimi conſenſu . . . promiferunt huiusmodi
capellanum per dictos . . . [prefentatum] . . . burgo . . . fauorabilem
omni alia requifitione pretermiſſa ad dictam capellaniam . . . quociens
vacauerit . . . admitti et ſuo ſigillo communi ad dominum ordinarium
per eorum prefentacionem . . . prefentari . . . et collacione facta de
fructibus . . . dictae capellanie huiusmodi capellano integre respondere
facere . Super quibus . . . ſub ſigillo communi dicti burgi et signo et ſub-
ſcripcione mei . . . dicti Thomas et Willelmus . . . instrumentum . . .
fieri pecierunt . Aeta fuerunt in pretorio dicti burgi hora quaſi vndeſima
ante meridiem . . . prefentibus . . . Alexandro Naper preposito .
Thoma de Prestoun Adam Cant balliuis . Roberto de Bonkil decano gilde .
Georgio de Laweder Alano Farnyle Willelmo Cameroun Thoma de Ber-
wick Roberto Gray Clemente Farnely Alano Naper Johanne Leberton

Patricio Foulis Willelmo Purrok Ricardo Lame Johanne Bighome Johanne Dalrumpil Roberto Nudry Waltero Purrok Waltero Yhoun Henrico Quhiteheid Georgio Fifche Johanne Lame Dauid Lauerok Johanne Swift Roberto de Fargufhil Alexandro Stanelie Johanne Yhuil Adam de Carrkettil et Johanne Broun Clerk cum multis aliis.

Et ego Robertus Michaelis de Hirdmanstoun etc.

Carta Thome de Cranftoun.

45 **Omnibus . . .** Thomas de Cranftoun Mariota de Cranftoun sponia mei . . . et Willelmus de Cranftoun filius et heres nostrum . . . burgenfes de Edynburgh salutem . . . Noueritis nos vnanimi confenit . . . in honore corporis et fanguinis Domini nostri Jhesu Christi Beate Marie virginis matris fue et omnium sanctorum et pro salute animarum . . . quondam . . . Jacobi Seotorum regis . . . et regis nostri Jacobi filii fui et heredis et domine Johanne regine . . . antecessorum et successorum suorum . . . patrum et matrum nostrorum fratrum sororum et . . . amicorum nostrorum ac eorum quibus deliquimus . . . in hoc mundo neconon . . . animarum nostrarum et . . . prolium nostrorum et omnium fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . . Deo et Beate Marie virginis ad sustentacionem vnius capellani imperpetuum celebraturi in honore corporis et fanguinis Domini nostri Jhesu Christi ad altare Beati Duthaci episcopi in ecclesia Beati Egidi de Edynburgh vnum annum redditum quinque marearum fex solidorum et octo denariorum . . . Scocie ex euncium . . . ad festa Penthecostes et Sancti Martini . . . de . . . terra quondam Patricii Cant iacente . . . ex parte boriali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Willelmi Wyntoun ex parte orientali . . . et terram Dauid Rede ex parte occidentali . . . et vnum annum redditum

triginta solidorum . . . de tenemento quondam Jonete Dunne iacente . . . ex parte australi Viei Regii . . . inter terram quondam Johannis Broun Clere ex parte oecidental et terram Jacobi Scifforis ex parte orientali . et vnum annum redditum triginta sex solidorum et sex denariorum prediēte monete . . . de tota terra quondam Roberti Hawie iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Johannis Seliman ex parte orientali . . . et terram Alani de Tuedy ex parte oecidental . . . et vnum annum redditum viginti solidorum de terra quondam Thome Tauerner iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram Roberti de Nudre ex parte orientali et terram Georgii de Laweder ex parte occidental . . . et vnum annum redditum decem et sex solidorum . . . de terra de Ester Lople iacente in Vico Canonicornm Sanēte Crueis de Edynburgh ex parte australi vici ciusdem inter terram Thome de Welftoun ex parte orientali et terram de Wester Lople ex parte occidental . Tenendos . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . ad presentacionem heredum et successorum nostrorum semper . . . si infra vnum mensem . . . postquam vacauerit . . . capellatum . . . prefentare curauerint et quod . . . capellanu ad continuam residenciam arceatur et quod nunquam habeat potestatem loco fui . . . alium substi- tuere . . . Et si heredes et successores nostri negligentes fuerint . . . in presentacione . . . capellani infra vnum mensem . . . licebit preposito balliuis et communitati dicti burgi . . . capellatum . . . sub forma pre- dicta presentare . . . Volumus insuper quod dicti prepositus ballui et communitas . . . videant . . . quod . . . successores fructus . . . dictorum annuorum reddituum . . . ad suos proprios vius nullatenus appro- priare valeant . . . fet ad sustentacionem . . . capellani omnino volumus remanere . Et eciam volumus quod si contingat . . . capellatum ad dic- tam capellaniam . . . institutum ad aliquod aliud beneficium vberius promoueri immediate post institutionem . . . vberioris beneficii dicta capellania vacabit et alium . . . presentare licebit sic quod . . . presen-

tatus de nouo ad continuam residenciam areceatur . . . In cuius rei testi-
monium sigilla nostra vnam sigillo communi di&ti burgi . . . carte nostre
funt appensa apud Edynburgh viii^o die mensis Marcii anno Domini m^o
cccc^o xxxvii^o hiis testibus Alexandro Naper . . . preposito · Thoma
de Prestoun Adam Cant Willelmo Gray ballius · Roberto de Bonkle de-
cano gilde · Thoma de Berwic Willelmo de Libertoun Alano de Farinle
Johanne de Bigholme Ricardo Lamb Willelmo de Rynde et Johanne
Suyft.

[Carta Criſtiane Marschel ſponſe Andree Marschel.]

- 46 Omnis . . . Criſtiana Marschel ſponſa quondam Andree Marschel et
Johannes Marschel capellanus tutor Margarete filie et heredis . . . Criſ-
tiane et Andree falutem . . . Noueritis nos . . . vendediffe . . . Jo-
hanni Broun Clerc burgenſi de Edinburgh quondam terram templariam
. . . iacentem in burgo de Edinburgh in vico qui dicitur Newbegin ex
parte orientali Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Thome de Libe-
rtoun ex parte auſtrali . . . et terram Willelmi de Libertoun ex parte
boreali . . . pro certa ſumma peccunie nobis in neceſſitate mei Criſtiane
et Mariote filie . . . perfoluta . . . quequidem terra tenebatur de di&to
Johanne mediate et de Beato Johanne Iherofolomitano tanquam domino
ſuperiore et quam terram . . . nos in manibus Laurencii de Spott balliu
terrarum Templi infra burgum predictum . . . resignauimus . Tenendam
. . . predicto Johanni . . . heredibus suis et affignatis etc. cum clauſula
varandicie et de data apud Edinburgh decima die mensis Augufti anno
Domini m^o cccc^o xxxviii^o.

Carta [Alani de Farinle] altari Sancti Niniani facta.

47 **O**mibus . . . Alanus de Farinle burgenfis de Edynburgh salutem . . . Noneritis me cum consensu . . . Clementis de Farinle filii mei et heredis ad honorem Dei et Beate Marie . . . virginis . . . Beati Niniani et omnium sanctorum Dei pro salute animarum . . . Jacobi Scotorum regis . . . et Johanne regine Scocie proliumque fuarum ac patris mei et matris mee . . . antecefforum meorum et succefforum et pro salute anime mee et confortis mee Mariote . . . animarum burgensium et communitatis burgi de Edynburgh eorumque . . . quibus debitor . . . fui et penes quos . . . deliqui . . . et omnium fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . . Deo et Beate Marie . . . virginis Beato Niniano et omnibus sanctis Dei et vni capellano diuina celebranti . . . annuatim ad altare Sancti Niniani . . . in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidii de Edynburgh et ex parte australi eiusdem . . . in . . . elimofinam annuales redditus meos ad summam quatuordecim marcarum septem solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . percipiendorum de terris subscriptis ad festa Pentecostes et Sancti Martini . . . de tenemento Henrici de Aytoun iacente in burgo de Edynburgh extra Portum Inferiorem ex parte australi Vici Regii inter terram Johannis Michaelis ex parte orientali . . . et terram quondam Stephani Lioun ex parte occidentali . . . xl^{ta} solidos . et de terra dudum Thome Soltre iuxta Portum Inferiorem ex parte australi eiusdem inter terram quondam Thome Pacok ex parte occidentali et communem venellam ex parte orientali xl^{ta} solidos . et de dicta terra quondam Thome Pacok inter terras dicti Thome Soltre ex parte orientali et quondam Wilhelmi de Ledale ex parte occidentali xl^{ta} solidos . et de terris quondam Johannis Heris ex parte australi Vici Regii inter communem venellam que ducit ad Fratres Predicatores ex parte orientali et terram abbatis de Melros ex parte occidentali xv^{cim} solidos . et de terra quondam Godfridi

de Farinle iacente ex parte australi Vici Regii inter terram Johannis Yhule ex parte orientali et terram quondam Alexandri Guilleot ex parte occidentali xiiii^{eim} solidos . . . et de terra quondam Thome Ker iacente ex parte boreali Vici Regii inter terram quondam Johannis Tyndale ex parte orientali et terram Willelmi Yhong ex parte occidentali x solidos et de terra quondam Gilberti Suyft iacente ex parte boreali Vici Regii inter terram quondam Jacobi de Foulefurde ex parte orientali et terram quondam Johannis Bane ex parte occidentali quinque solidos . neconon de terra Johannis Cornetoun iacente in villa de Lethe et infra baroniam de Lestalrig ex parte occidentali pontis inter terram quondam Gregorii Logane ex parte orientali et terram quondam Johannis de Lethe ex parte occidentali xxx^{ta} solidos . . . Tencendos . . . in puram . . . elimofinam . . . Volo eciam . . . quod ipsius capellani presentacio ad heredes meos pertineat infra octo dies presentandi . . . in quo si . . . defecerit . . . heres meus . . . volo . . . quod . . . presentacio ad aldirmannum burgenis et communitatem burgi predicti pertineat . . . ita quod procuratores et tutores dicti altaris . . . pro dictis annuis redditibus . . . distingere valent deficientibus firmis et annuis redditibus antedictis et recuperare possint tanquam heredes mei proprii et per processum iuris debite compellere et lucrari ac imperpetuum terras debentes annuos redditus possidere . Tenebitur eciam . . . capellanus . . . cum dispositus fuerit missam cotidianam celebrare prout ceteri presbiteri faciunt in ecclesia antedicta . die uero Lune celebrare tenebitur . . . missam pro defunctis *Requiem eternam* . et quod introitu cuiuslibet missae teneatur . . . populum exhortari pro animabus predicatorum ut dicant vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica . Tenebitur eciam . . . cum me et sponsam meam . . . ab hac luce migrare contingat anniuersaria . . . pro animabus nostris . . . celebrare . . . ad altare antedictum . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum presenti carte mee est appensum et ad . . . rei . . . securitatem pleniorum sigillum commune dicti burgi . . . apponi . . . procuraui presenti-

bus . . . Thoma de Cranftoun preposito . . . Thoma de Prestoun Roberto de Nudre et Willelmo Gray ballius . . . Willelmo de Libertoun Johanne de Levingtoun Johanne de Bigholme Johanne Barcar Willelmo Purrok Ricardo Lamb Johanne Yhule Johanne Broun Clerc notario publico Thoma Hafwel Johanne Schether Willelmo Schersmyth et Johanne de Cambufnathan feriandis cum multis aliis . . . burgenſibus . . . apud Edynburgh xxvi^{to} die mensis Septembris anno Domini m° eccc° xxxix^o.

Pensio Torpheichen.

De subsequente litera captum fuit instrumentum et petitum fuit transsumptum a Patricio de Cokburne preposito ballius Jacobo Balbirny et sociis in anno Domini m° eccc° xlviii^{to}.

48 Frater Johannes de Lastiro . . . facre domus hospitialis Sancti Johannis Iherosolomitani magister humilis pauperumque Jhesu Christi custos . . . Dignero Ic Scot salutem . . . Propter . . . virtutum tuarum merita et . . . diuturna obsequia per te nobis ac religioni noſtre citra et vltra mare . . . preftita racionabiliter moti fumus vt tibi reddamur ad gracias liberales quo in futurum commode viuere possis et alii simili exemplo ad feruendum nobis et dictae religioni feruencius animentur . Cum itaque alias dudum super domo fiae familia noſtra de Torrepheqwyn in Scocia ſituata feuta iuri decem annis ſingulis donec vixeris . . . percipienda tibi conceſſimus et de dictis decem feutis commode viuere non possis premissorum obsequiorum per te preſtitorum et que impendere cotidie non defiſtis intuitu et contemplacione moti feuta alia decem de ſpecialis donis gracie ſuper dicta preceptoria noſtra videlicet ſuper penſione annua nobis ex ea- dem debita . . . donec vitam duxeris . . . de bono auro . . . tenore

prefencium tibi assignamus ita quod a primo festo Sancti Johannis futuro . . . recipere possis scuta viginti . . . mandantes . . . preceptoribus tam moderno quam futuris . . . quatinus de summa annue pensionis nobis debite ex domo nostra predicta scuta viginti tibi vel tuis procuratoribus sub virtute sancte obedientie annuatim tibi solnere carent promittentes nos . . . eandem summam in eorum computis dicte pensionis . . . defalcare . . . Vniuersis . . . domus nostre predice fratribus . . . presentibus et futuris sub eadem sancte obedientie virtute districte iniungimus . . . ne contra nostram presentem assignacionem . . . venire presumant quinymmo eandem . . . studeant . . . obseruare . In eius rei testimonium bulla nostra magistralis plumbea presentibus est appensa . Datum Rhodis in nostro conuento die duodecima mensis Junii ab incarnato Domino millesimo quadringentesimo quadragesto secundo.

Carta [Thome de] Cranstoun pro altari Sancti Duthaci.

49 **O**mibus . . . Thomas de Cranstoun burgensis de Edynburgh . . . falcitem . Licet alias quandam capellaniam ego et quondam Mariota sponsa mea cum consensu . . . filii mei et heredis Willelmi de Cranstoun ad altare Beati Duthaci episcopi in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidii de Edynburgh infeodauerimus cum annuis redditibus tresdecimi marcarum duorum solidorum et sex denariorum . . . de certis terris iacentibus in dicto burgo et de quadam terra de Eftir Lople iacente in Vico Canonicorum Sancte Crucis de Edynburgh . . . noueritis me nunc de novo cum consensu . . . dicti . . . filii mei . . . in honore corporis et sanguinis Domini nostri Ihesu Christi Beate Marie virginis . . . et omnium sanctorum et pro salute animarum . . . quondam . . . Jacobi regis Scotorum . . . et regis nostri Jacobi filii cui et heredis et domine Johanne regine ac . . . omnium antecessorum et successorum suorum ac . . . patris et matris

. . . fratrum fororum et omnium amicorum meorum et eorum quibus deliqui in hoc mundo et anime mee et dudum Mariote sponse mee et animarum prolium nostrarum et omnium fidelium defunctorum aliam capellaniam ad predictum altare fundasse necnon dedisse . . . Deo et Beate Marie virginis ad sustentacionem . . . capellani . . . vnum annum redditum decem marcarum . . . Scocie exencium . . . ad fefta Penthecostes et Sancti Martini . . . de . . . terra mea . . . iacente in dicto burgo in vico dicto Buthraw ex parte australi eiusdem vici inter terram Walteri Purro ex parte orientali et terram Ricardi Lamb ex parte occidentali . et vnum annum redditum vndeclim solidorum . . . Scocie . . . leuandorum ad terminos predictos de quadam terra iacente in burgo de Jedwourt in vico dicto Calfagat ex parte boreali eiusdem vici inter terram Johannis Hert ex parte orientali et terram Andree Fysch ex parte occidentali . necnon et quendam annum redditum quadraginta solidorum . . . ad predictos terminos leuandorum . . . prout in quadam alia carta mea . . . plenius continetur . Tenendos . . . predictos annuos redditus . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . ad presentacionem meam et heredum ac successorum meorum . . . si infra vnum mensem . . . postquam vacauerit . . . capellanum . . . prefentare curauerint . et quod . . . capellanus ad continuam residenciam arceatur et quod nunquam habeat potestatem loco sui . . . alium substituere . . . Et si heredes et successores mei negligentes fuerint . . . in presentacione . . . infra vnum mensem . . . licebit preposito et balliuis et communitati dicti burgi . . . capellanum sub forma predicta presentare . . . Volo insuper quod dicti prepositus balliui et communitas . . . et fui successores videant . . . quod heredes et successores mei etc. vt in precedente carta [No. 45.] In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum et sigillum dicti . . . filii mei . . . in testimonium fui consensus . . . vacuum sigillo communis dicti burgi . . . carte mee sunt appensa testibus . . . Willelmo Yhung et Willelmo Gray . . . balliuis . Willelmo de Libertoun Thoma de

Berwic Johanne de Leuingtoun Johanne de Bigholme Johanne de Dalrymple Adam Cant Ricardo Lamb Roberto de Ferguthil Georgeo Faulau Johanne Barcar Johanne de Dumfres et Johanne Broun Clerc notario publico Thoma Hafwel et Patricio Ranaldi feriandis dicti burgi apud Edynburgh xxv^{to} die mensis Marcii anno Domini m° cccc° xlivi°.

[Notandum de alia carta eiusdem Thome.]

- 50 Item dictus Thomas de Cranstoun dedit dictis altari et capellano xl solidos annui redditus . . . de tenemento suo iacente in burgo de Edynburgh ex parte boreali Vici Regii inter terram Willelmi Yhung ex parte occidentali et terram quondam Johannis Tyndale ex parte orientali donec ipse vel heredes fui . . . infeodauerint ipfos de antedicto annuo redditu xl s. leuandos annuatim et percipiendos ut patet in alia carta sua inde confecta data xxviii Marcii anni etc. xlivi.

[Carta Andree Cranby.]

- 51 Omnibus . . . Andreas Cranby burgenfis de Edynburghi salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . vendidisse . . . domino Patricio Lefuris rectori de Neutoun . . . annum redditum triginta solidorum . . . Scocie . . . leuandorum ad . . . terminos vsuales . . . de . . . tenemento meo . . . iacente in dicto burgo de Edinburgh ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Johannis Quhiting ex parte occidentali . . . et cimiterium ecclesie parochialis Beati Egidii de Edinburgh ex parte occidentali . . . pro certa summa peccunie mihi in mea . . . vrgenti necelitate . . . perfoluta . . . Tenendum . . . de . . . rege . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . In cuius rei testimonum . . . carte mee

sigillum meum est appensum et ad . . . rei . . . firmitatem sigillum . . .
 Willelmi Gray balliui . . . fasnam dantis . . . appendi . . . pro-
 ceuraui testibus . . . Thoma de Berwic . . . preposito . Laurencio de
 Elfinstoun et Lanceloto de Abernethi balliuis . . . Adam Cant decano
 gilde . Johanne de Dalrymple . . . thesaurario . Johanne de Bigum
 Willelmo de Libertoun Johanne de Leuingtoun Johanne Broun Clerc
 Thoma de Kynnel Patricio Lamb . . . burgenibus . domino Roberto
 Lane capellano . Thoma Broun Clerico notario publico . Thoma Hafwel
 Patricio Ranaldi et Willelmo Scherfmyth . . . feriandis . apud Edinburgh
 xx^o die mensis Decembris anno Domini m^o eccc^o xliii^o.

Ane obligacioun of Quhitheidis to Cranftoun anent the lande out of the
 quhilk the annuall mortifit to Sanct Duthois altar is to be tane up.

- 52 **T**ill all and findri . . . Sandris Quhitehede and Johne of Dee burges of
 Edynburgh greting . . . Noghtwithstanding that . . . Thomas of Cran-
 ftoun of the castel of Edynburgh constable and burges of that ilk has
 fet til ws . . . heretably his land . . . liand in the burgh of Edynburgh
 in the Butheraw . . . betuix the land of Wat Purrois on the eft fide and
 the land of Jamis Lamb on the west fide . we . . . payand yherly . . .
 to the lorde of Fentoun and his ayeris and affigneis foure pundis and to
 Sanct Duthois altare in the paris kirk of Edynburgh sex pundis of vsuale
 monay of Scotland . . . and to the said Thomas of Cranftoun his ayeris
 and affigneis twenty penjis . . . we will neuirtheles and . . . oblis ws
 and our ayeris that it falbe leful to the said Thomas of Cranftoun his
 ayeris or affigneis to . . . recouer the said land . . . for the said annuel
 of xx d. incontinent aftir that the said annuellis or ony of thaim be vnpait
 at the termez that thai ar lymit to be pait at . . . Attour we oblige ws
 our ayeris and affigneis that we na thai fal noght wedset giff fel na analy

. . . the faid land na yhit ony annuellis chargis or dewetcis to be geuyn
out or pait of the faid land mar na now is awand tharof . . . Alfa we
oblise ws and our ayeris forfaid to fpend apon the bigging . . . and repa-
racioun of the faid land xx li. of Scottis monay that is to say this yher x li.
tharof and vthir x li. the next yher to cum estir the auise fght and charge
of the faide Thomas of Cranftoun his ayeris and assigneis · and to . . .
fulfill the faid thingis . . . we oblise ws our ayeris our landis rentis and
posseffionis and gudis . . . In witnesſing hereof to thir lettres we haue
gert fet our feelis at Edynburgh the xxiiii day of the moneth of Januare
the yher of God m cccc xliii^v.

[Carta Jacobi Corour.]

- 53 **O**mnibus . . . Jacobus Corour burgenſis de Edinburgh falutem . . .
Noueritis me . . . cum confenſu . . . ſponſe mee Criftiane . . . ven-
didiffe . . . tenementum meum . . . iacens in burgo de Edinburgh prope
Arcum Superiorem . . . inter terram dudum Jacobi Johannis ex parte
auſtrali et terram Johannis Bothuile ex parte boreali Andree Bel burgenti
diſti burgi pro certa ſumma peccunie . . . Tenendum . . . a me . . .
de . . . rege in feodo et hereditate . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . .
regi firmam burgi . . . tantum . . . In cuius rei teſtimonium . . . carte
mee figillum meum vna cum figillo . . . Simonis de Schele balliu . . .
ſafinam dantis . . . eſt appenſum · Et ego predicta Criftiana . . . de non
contradicendo preſenti carte . . . taſti Dei euangeliis in pretorio . . .
de Edinburgh coram duodena burgi in diſti mei mariti abſencia iura-
mentum preſtit corporale et ad maiorem ſecuritatem figillum commune
burgi . . . in mei confenſus . . . teſtimonium . . . appendi inſtanter
procuraui teſtibus . . . Thoma de Cranftoun . . . prepoſito · Thoma de
Prestoun et Lanceloto de Abernethi balliu . . . Adam Cant decano

gilde . Johanne de Leuingtoun Thoma de Berwic Willelmo de Libertoun
 Johanne de Bigholm Johanne de Touris de Innerleth Willelmo de Cran-
 stoun de Swynhop Thoma Gibsoun Thoma Quhitlok Richardo de Farinle
 Johanne de Cotis Alexandro de Dee Roberto de Maxtoun Dauid Lauerok
 Waltero Donaldfoun Alexandro Wod Willelmo Gray et Jacobo Vnthonk
 . . . burgenfibus . et Thoma Hafwel feriendo eiufdem burgi . cum multis
 aliis . apud Edinburgh xv die mensis Septembris anno Domini m° cccc°
 xlvi.

[Carta Simonis Dowele.]

54 **O**mnibus . . . Simon Dowele filius et heres quondam Johannis Dowele
 burgentis de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . vendidisse . . .
 Andree Bel . . . burgenfi vnum annum redditum vigenti solidoru-
 rum . . . Scocie . . . leuandorum ad festa Penthecoftes et Sancti Mar-
 tini in hyeme . . . de . . . tenemento meo iacente in dicto burgo ex
 parte boreali . . . inter tenementum Ade Cant ex parte orientali . . . et
 tenementum quondam Ade de Knox ex parte occidentali . . . pro . . .
 summa pecunie michi . . . persoluta . . . Tenendum . . . a me . . .
 in feodo et hereditate . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum . . .
 est appensum vnam sigillo Lancelothy de Abernethi . . . ballui fasinam
 dantis . . . apud Edinburgh decimo octavo die mensis Septembris anno
 Domini millesimo quadragesimo quinto hiis testibus
 . . . Adam Cant Thoma Smyth Johanne Swyft Johanne Leuingtoun
 Jacobo Vnthonk Johanne Elak Johanne Halkerstoun . . . burgenfibus .
 Thoma Hafwel et Willelmo Scherfmyth feriandis . cum multis aliis.

[Litera Humberti abbatis.]

- 55 **H**umbertus . . . abbas conuentus et definitores capituli generalis monasterii Sancti Anthonii ad Romanam ecclesiam nullo medio pertinentis ordinis Sancti Augustini Viennenensis dioecesis neconon preceptores priores fratres et religiosi dictum capitulum tenentes . . . vniuersis . . . canoniciis nostrorum monasterii et ordinis salutem . . . Nobis nuper nostro in generali capitulo . . . frater Michael Gray preceptor generalis domus Sancti Anthonii Scocie exposuit quod nonnulli . . . canonici predicti monasterii et ordinis in regno Scocie existentes statutorum nostrorum ac sociorum canonum ignari . . . scandala . . . et lites inter religiosos [fratres] confonent et interponunt obedienciam suis superioribus substrahunt fructus . . . indebito sibi appropriare fatagunt . . . super quibus declaracionem nostri generalis capituli ad noticiam quorumcunque facere postulauit · Hinc . . . nos . . . cupientes ut omnis discordie . . . fomes inter religiosos nostri ordinis penitus extinguatur secundumque statutorum nostrorum formam viuant habita . . . conferencia in nostro . . . capitulo consideratis statutis nostri ordinis et . . . confuetudinibus prefencium . . . tenore . . . declaramus preceptorias nostri ordinis beneficia perpetua et non officia fore et possessores corundem illas imperpetuum tenere . . . a quibus minime eici . . . possunt nisi suis exigentibus criminibus . . . in hac quoque sacra nostra religione vnum . . . fore monasterium institutum tanquam caput religionis a quo cetere ecclesie domus et preceptorie velut riuulus a fonte deppendere noscuntur . vnicumque conuentum et non plures in quo . . . est sigillum comune ad sigillandum ea que in capitulis generalibus fiunt et ordinantur · nec alibi visum est quod aliquis preceptor cum religiosis claustralibus sigillum comune habeat · sic singulaque in aliqua domo acquiruntur . . . sub nomine preceptoris . . . et declaramus prout . . . per vniversam religionem inuiolabiliter obser-

uatum preceptores generales in sua balliuia religiosorum fratrum canoniconum claustralium infirmorum donatorum et conuerorum curam habere debere ipsosque . . . corrigere eciam a quoconque . . . ad religionem sint suscepiti licere . quibus preceptoribus vnuſquisque religiosus parere . . . tenetur prout suo superiori alias effet confusio et nullus ordo reperiatur . nullique licere . . . emolumenta . . . fibi appropriare nisi solum preceptor qui ceterorum curam . . . habet . Hortamur igitur . . . vt vnuſquisque ambulet vocacione qua vocatus est et contentus suis fit terminis in obedienciaque . . . et honesta conuersacione in Domino omnibus extirpatis diffidiis digne perseueret . . . Datum apud Sanctum Anthonium in aula maiori dictae domus . . . die primaria mensis Junii anno Domini millesimo quadringentesimo quadragesimo sexto sub nostrorum abbatis et conuentus sigillorum appensionibus presentibus . . . Ludouico Cornillion domino de Bruzeto . magistro Michaele Franses in utroque iure baccalario . et Jacobo Pignoli beneficiato in Perpignano . . .

[Carta Patricii de Cokburne prepositi balliuorum et communitatis de Edinburgh.]

- 56 **Omnibus . . .** Patricius de Cokburne prepositus burgi de Edinburgh Lancelotus de Abirnethy et Willelmus Gray ballui . . . et communitas . . . salutem . . . Noueritis nos vnanimi . . . consensu . . . assedasse et ad feodifirmam dimisisse . . . Willelmo Nutt burgenſi . . . terram . . . iacentem . . . ex parte occidentali fori et crucis dicti burgi inter terram domini Willelmi Marſchale ex parte australi . . . et terram Willelmi Fischi ex parte boreali . . . pro sustentacione edificacione et reparacione dictae terre nunc ruinose et pro bono . . . altaris Beati Andrei apostoli . . . in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidii de Edinburgh que terra . . . fuit . . . per dominum Johannem Erale capellananum . . .

resignata . Tenendam . . . in . . . hereditate . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . regi firmam burgi . . . ac Henrifoun fuis heredibus et affignatis octo denarios annui redditus . . . Scocie . et altari Beate Marie virginis . . . in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidii . . . sex solidos et octo denarios annui redditus . . . Scocie . . . ad . . . terminos vñuales . . . et capellano altaris antefati . . . tres libras duodecim solidos et octo denarios annui redditus . . . Scocie . . . ac Johanni de Fentoun de eodem fuis heredibus et affignatis viginti solidos annui redditus . . . Scocie . . . tantum . . . Attamen quia antefatus Willelmus Nutt nobis obligatus est . . . terram cum lapidibus et calce ac quercu et ferro et teatura lapidea infra terminum vnius anni . . . sufficienter construere . . . volumus quod si contingat eundem . . . de . . . sua obligacione deficere . . . post lapsum xl dierum immediate sequencium dictum annum dicta terra absque . . . iuris processu nobis . . . communitati de Edinburgh . . . reuertatur . In cuius rei testimonium . . . sigillum commune . . . burgi vñacum sigillo Lanceloti de Abirnethy . . . balliuui scotianam . . . dantis est appensum testibus Thoma de Berwik Johanne de Bigholme Adam Cant Johanne Swift Jacobo de Balbirny Roberto de Bonkle Thoma Wilyhamson Jacobo Lamb Henrico Dicfoun Johanne Broun Clerk Willelmo Fisch Johanne Tod domino Johanne Logtoun capellano Johanne Frog Thoma de Camera Johanne Scot Dauit Knox burgenibus . . . Willelmo Scherfmyth et Johanne de Camera feriandis . . . in . . . pretorio xv^{to} die mensis Junii anno Domini m cccc xlvi^{mo}.

Carta summi altaris facta per prepositum balliuos etc.

57 **O**mnibus . . . prepositus decanus balliuui consules et communitas burgi de Edynburgh . . . salutem . Noueritis nos vñanimi . . . consensu . . . dedisse . . . domino Alexandro Hundby capellano seruicium capellanie

fummi altaris eclefie paroebialis Beati Egidii de Edynburgh fundatum de profieuis et annuis redditibus . . . monete Seocie infrascriptis leuandis . . . ad terminos burgi confuetos . In primis . . . de vno annuo redditu triginta octo solidorum et octo denariorum . . . de . . . tenemento quondam Georgii de Laweder iacente in burgo . . . ex parte australy Vici Regii inter terram quondam Thome Tauernar ex parte orientali et terram Willelmi de Laweder de Haltoun ex parte occidentali . et de annuo redditu xxⁱⁱ solidorum . . . de tenemento quondam Cristiane Gun iacente ex parte australy Vici Regii . . . inter terram Johannis Broun Clere ex parte orientali et terram Nieolay de Borthwik ex parte occidentali . et de annuo redditu trium solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . de tenemento Johannis de Sancto Michaeli iacente sub muro castrri . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii inter terram Jonete Wigmor ex parte orientali et terram Johannis Tailyhour ex parte occidentali . et de annuo redditu decem solidorum . . . de terra Willelmi Gray iacente sub muro castrri . . . ex parte boriali Vici Regii inter terram quondam Johannis Boumaker ex parte occidentali et terram Heflihede ex parte orientali . et de vno annuo redditu duorum solidorum . . . de terra Johannis Bisshape iacente ex parte boriali Vici Regii . . . prope montem castrri . . . inter terram Lanceloti de Abirnethy ex parte orientali et terram Johannis Broun Clere ex parte occidentali . et de vno annuo redditu duorum solidorum . . . de tenemento dicti Lanceloti de Abirnethy iacente ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Johannis de Hyane ex parte orientali et terram Johannis Bisshape ex parte occidentali . et annuo redditu duorum solidorum . . . de terra Johannis Bigholme iacente ex parte boriali Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Willelmi Yhong ex parte orientali et terram quondam Johannis Quhitecape ex parte occidentali . et de annuo redditu sexdecim denariorum . . . de terra quondam Thome Bening iacente ex parte boriali Vici Regii inter terram quondam Tassy Schethar ex parte orientali et terram Roberti de Prestoun ex parte occi-

dentali . et de . . . annuo redditu trium librarum et trium solidorum . . .
de tenemento quondam Duthaci Wigmor iacente ex parte boreali Vici
Regii . . . inter terram Daud Knox ex parte orientali et terram Patri-
eii de Lewis ex parte occidentali . et de annuo redditu quinque solidorum
. . . de terra dudum Daud Tailyhour nunc Ade de Cant iacente ex parte
boriali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Thome Smyth ex parte orientali et
terram di&ti Ade Cant ex parte occidentali . et de vno annuo redditu
xxvi solidorum et octo denariorum . . . de terra Donaldi Kyle ex parte
boreali di&ti burgi iacente inter terram quondam Roberti de Fergushil ex
parte orientali et terram Johannis Kuke ex parte occidentali . et de an-
nuo redditu xiii solidorum . . . de terra Alexandri de Dee iacente ex
parte boreali Vici Regii inter terram domini Willelmi Marfhale ex parte
occidentali et terram Johannis de Drumfres ex parte orientali . et de tri-
bus solidis de terra Fransifei Prest iacente ex parte boreali Vici [Regii]
inter terram Roberti Norry ex parte orientali et terram Ricardi Lamb ex
parte occidentali . et de annuo redditu xx solidorum . . . de terra Johanni-
nis de Dee iacente in le Buthraw ex parte australi vici inter terram Jacobi
Lamb ex parte orientali et terram Thome Tailyhefer ex parte occidentali .
et de duobus solidis de terra Roberti de Prestoun sub muro castrorum nunc
in manibus Johannis Blak iacente in le Cunyhe ex parte boreali Vici Regii
inter Vicum Regium ex parte orientali et terram domini Johannis Barcar
ex parte occidentali . et de annuo redditu trium solidorum de terra
Johannis Smyth iacente sub muro castrorum ex parte boreali vici inter Viam
Regiam ex parte orientali et terram domini Johannis Barcar ex parte
occidentali . et de terra domini Willelmi de Creichtoun iacente in le
Buthraw ex parte boreali vici inter terram quondam Roberti de Fergushil
ex parte orientali et pretorium burgi ex parte occidentali duos solidos . . .
et de volta australy tenimenti Nicolay de Berwie quod . . . iacet ex
parte australy Vici Regii inter terram quondam Cristiane Gun ex parte
orientali et terram Johannis ex parte occidentali decem solidos . . .

Tenendum . . . dictum feruicium dicto domino Alexandro . . . pro . . . tempore vite fue . . . Tenebitur vero . . . cum dispositus fuerit . . . missam cotidianam celebrare pro animabus feofatorum et communictatis burgi et subibit . . . omne onus collegii antefate ecclesie et ministrabit in choro . . . diebus ferialibus cum superpellicio suo ad altam missam et vesperas et diebus festialibus ad matutinas altam missam et vesperas et ad processiones et obseruabit ordinaciones et statuta collegii et subiacet penis eiusdem et non ressignabit dictum feruicium in fauorem alienius · In quorum omnium testimonium sigillum commune . . . burgi . . . est appensum in . . . pretorio xvii die mensis Octobris anno Domini mcccc xlviim^o.

Obligacio capellani summi altaris.

- 58 Be it kend til al men . . . me Alexander Hundby chapellan to be . . . oblist to . . . the prouost dene confail and communite of Edynburgh that foralfmykle as thai hafe grantit thre pund xv s. and aucht penniis to the augmentacioun of the chapelany of Sanct Gilis altar geuyt be thaim to me that I fal tharfor beand disposit dayly fay mes at the said altar for the prosperite of oure fourain lorde the king the faulis of his prediceffouris and succeffouris and for the prosperite of the said prouost dene bailyheis confail and communite . . . and for thar prediceffouris and succeffouris and the faulis of thaim that has geuyt ony annuel rentis to the vphalding of the said fernis · Item I oblis me to vndirgang dayly the obseruance of the college of the said kyrk and to kepe the statutis . . . als wele made as for to be made and to vndirly the punycioun of the statutis and at I falbe with surplice on feriable dais at hee mes and euyn fang and on festiale dais at matyns hee mes and euyn fang · And for the fulfilling of the said thingis I fal ask na rewarde at the communite na

at name vtheris . Item I fal nocht promitte the faid chapellanery na resing it in faouris of ony perfoun na purchas na lordefchip to mak requeste tharfor na fal substitue nane to ferue in it bot quhan the prouost counsfal and communite for the vphalding of the college and quere makis request tharfor . And herattour I oblis me to renew thir my lettres vndir my feele and to mak thaim in . . . stratar fourme eftir the auife . . . of the counsfal . . . quhat tyme that I be chargeit tharto . And herattour I oblis me be the faith of my body and *in verbo sacerdotii* and for the mar fikernes herto I haf fet my feele at Edynburgh the xvii day of October the yher of God mcccc xlvi.

I Alifonder Hundby schapillan grantis me to be oblist to fulfyl this wryt befor wretyn and al articlis contenyt tharin withowte reuocacioun . In witnes herof I haf subscrywt this wryt with my awn hand.

Broune
Carta Thome Clerc facta Gilcristo Skynnari.

- 59 **O**mnibus . . . Thomas Browne Clerc burgenis de Edynburgh . . . salutem . Noueritis me cum confensu . . . patris mei Johannis Browne Clerc . . . assedasse et ad feodifirmam dimisisse . . . Gilcristo Skynnare burgeni dicti burgi . . . terram meam quam habuit Patricius Lamb iacentem in burgo . . . in fine tenementi domini Johannis Forstar contigue ad cameram suam ex parte australi eiusdem camere inter terram dicti domini Johannis Forstar ex parte boriali . . . et terram dicti Johannis Browne Clerc patris mei et mei ex parte australi . . . ac . . . inter terram Willelmi Broun ex parte occidentali . . . et terram meam ex parte orientali . . . Tenendam . . . infra portam anteriorem ipsius terre quam habuit Patricius Lamb . . . in . . . hereditate . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . collegio de Corstorfian quatuor marcas annui

redditus . . . Seocie ad . . . terminos vñuales . . . tantum . . . referuato . . . post deceſſum . . . Gilerifti michi et heredibus meis . . . toto illo ſpaceio terre domus bracine diſte terre in qua inhabitabat . . . Patrieius Lamb extendeſte . . . ex parte auſtrali gabelle lapidee domus diſti domini Johannis Forſtar . de qua . . . terra . . . faſinam . . . per exhibicionem terre et laſidis ut moris eſt per manum Lanceſcoli de Abernethy balliuui . . . diſto Gileriſto . . . dedi . . . In cuius rei teſtimonium . . . ſigillum meum vnaeum figillo . . . balliuui antediſti . . . et figillo . . . patris mei . . . et figillo communi burgi . . . eſt appenſum teſti- bus Patricio de Cokburne prepoſito . . . Jacobo de Balbirny et Willelmo Gray balliuis . . . Adam Cant decano gildie . Johanne de Dalrymple theſaurario . . . Thoma de Berwic Johanne de Bigholme Willelmo de Libertoun Henrico Skynnare. Willelmo de Canbuſnethen Willelmo Hatwy Andrea Cranby Willelmo Henrifoun Maſoun . Johanne de Camera et Johanne Schethar feriandis . . . cum multis aliis . apud Edynburgh viceſimo quinto die mensis Januarii anno Domini millesimo quadringentesimo quadrageſimo ſeptimo.

[Memorandum de faſina Andree Bell.]

- 60 Memorandum quod Willelmus Gray balliuus . . . ad iſtanciam Andree Bell burgenſis . . . acceſſit . . . ad . . . tenementum iacens in . . . Edinburgh ex parte auſtrali Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Normanni Gupild ex parte orientali et terram quondam Willelmi Wernour ex parte occidentalı et . . . reſignacione facta in diſti balliuui manibus idem . . . faſinam . . . diſto Andree et coniunctam infeodacionem eiusdem tene- menti . . . Criſtiane Bell ſponſe fue per exhibicionem terre et laſidis vt moris eſt dedit . . . Poſte aquamque diſtus . . . balliuus . . . ad iſtanciam diſti Andree . . . acceſſit . . . ad . . . tenementum . . . in diſte

burgo quondam Jacobi Corour iacens ex parte australi Vici Regii inter terram Jacobi Johnesoun ex parte orientali et [terram] Johannis Bothuile ex parte occidental i . idem . . . ad instanciam dicti Andree . . . coniunctam iusefacionem eiusdem tenementi . . . Criftiane Bell sponse fuit ut moris est dedit . . . apud Edinburgh ix die mensis Februarii anno Domini m° cccc° xlvi° coram . . . Richardo Perel Thoma Quhiting et Richardo de Maxtoun cum multis aliis.

[Indentura super terris in villa de Leth.]

- 61 Hec indentura facta apud Edynburgh xv^{to} die mensis Maii anno Domini m° cccc° quadragesimo octauo . . . testatur quod concordatum est . . . inter . . . Willelmum dominum Creichtoun cancellarium Scocie ab una et fratrem Michaelm Gray preceptorem generalem et magistrum hospitialis Sancti Antonii prope Leth in regno Scocie . . . ab altera . . . quod prefatus dominus Creichtoun dedit . . . Deo et hospitali Sancti Antonii . . . imperpetuum . . . terras suas . . . iacentes in . . . Leth ex parte orientali aque . . . in baronia de Leſtalryk infra vicecomitatum de Edynburgh inter terram quondam Johannis de Pettindreich ex parte orientali . . . et Communem Viam Regiam ex parte occidental . . . neenon inter terram domini Johannis Wyntoun rectoris de Pennicuke ex parte australi et *commone ſchore* wlgariter nuncupatum ex parte boreali pro vndeicim marcis . . . Scocie annuatim foluendis . . . ad festa Penthecoſtes et Sancti Martini . . . vnam sufficiente camera infra territorium et manerium Sancti Antonii predicti ad fūtentacionem vnius capellani omni die . . . celebraturi ad altare nostre Domine ex parte boreali in ecclesia Sancti Antonii . . . pro animabus . . . Jacobi regis Scotorum neenon prefati domini Crechtoune et Agnetis sponse fuit eorumque antecessorum et successorum . cuiusquidem capellani . . . prefenta-

tacio . . . ad . . . dominum Crichtoun suosque heredes . . . pertinebit . . . diutusque preceptor et sui successores ministrabunt eidem capellano panem vinum et ceram et cetera omnia necessaria ad missę celebracionem et taliter prouidebunt quod dictum seruicium non deficiat sed . . . capellanus . . . cotidie celebrabit et si in hoc deprehendatur negligens per . . . dominum episcopum Sanctiandree aut suum officialem infra archiepiscopatum Laudonie . . . puniatur et ad dicti seruicij implecionem per censuram ecclesiasticam coherciatur . . . diutusque capellanus diebus Dominicis et festiis pro honore dictae ecclesie Sancti Antonii transibit in processione in habitu decenti cum preceptore et conuentu . . . Item . . . concordatum est . . . quod si contingat . . . dominum Crichtoun vel . . . heredes . . . acquirere . . . unam acram terrarum de Peilrig iacencium ex parte australi Sancti Antonii extendencium ad Viam Regiam . . . preceptor et sui successores super illam acram construant . . . unum hospitale cum sex lectis . . . pro pauperibus Christi inibi hospitalandis . . . pro salute animarum prefati domini regis dictique domini Crichtoun et Agnetis sponsae fuerint ac . . . animabus antecessorum et successorum eorumdem . . . Item si contingat . . . preceptorem . . . in obseruacione . . . premissorum . . . deficere licebit . . . domino Crichtoun et heredibus suis transferre . . . capellauiam et donationem . . . dictarum terrarum de dicta ecclesia Sancti Antonii ad ecclesiam parochialem de Crichtoun seu collegium inibi Deo due fundandum . . . ubi dictum officium continuabitur secundum tenorem fundacionis eiusdem in dicto hospitali Sancti Antonii . . . idemque preceptor in hoc casu . . . renunciabit carte . . . et possessioni dictarum terrarum hospitali Sancti Antonii factis easdemque . . . prefato domino Crichtoun vel successoribus suis reddet . . . idem dominus Crichtoun [et] heredes sui durante fundacione dictae capellanie dicto hospitali . . . manutenebunt . . . dictum preceptorem . . . in omnibus suis iustis . . . querelis priuilegia hospitalis antediicti . . . concernentibus . . . In cuius rei testimonium vtrique

parti huius indenture sigilla prefati . . . domini Creichtoun ac . . . Jacobi filii sui primogeniti et apparentis heredis domini de Frendracht nec non commune sigillum dicti preceptoris . . . et conuentus . . . vnamcum sigillo officii officialatus Laudonie fuit appensa cum iuramento utriusque partis tactis facrofancis Dei ewangiliis ad seruandum . . . artieulos . . . supradictos . . . apud Edynburgh . . . et ad maiorem rei evidenciam sigillum commune burgi . . . utriusque parti . . . est appensum . . .

Swift chartar maid to his foun vpon a land wedset be the king.

- 62 **O**mniibus . . . Johannes Suyft burgenis de Edinburgh . . . salutem . Noueritis me . . . dedisse . . . filio meo Roberto Suyft . . . tementum meum . . . quod alias fuerit quondam Jacobi Rede iacens . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii inter cimiterium ecclesie parochialis Beati Egidii . . . ex parte occidentali . . . et terram Patricii Cant ex parte orientali . . . Tenendum . . . quo usque ipsum contingat ad beneficium ecclesiasticum valoris viginti librarum annuatim promoueri . et si . . . huiusmodi beneficium minime fuerit consecutus et dictum Robertum contigerit maritare post ipsius decepsum suis heredibus de corpore suo legitime procreandis . quibus deficientibus Henrico Suyft filio meo fratri dicti Roberti et heredibus suis de corpore suo legitime procreandis . quibus forsan deficientibus Johanni Suyft filio meo et heredibus suis de corpore suo legitime procreandis . quibus forte deficientibus Waltero Suyft et heredibus de suo corpore legitime procreandis . quibus deficientibus Georgeo et Elizabeth filiabus meis et heredibus de ipsorum corporibus legitime . . . procreandis . quibus deficientibus . . . heredibus meis quibusunque . de . . . rege . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . ut in pignore . . . quo usque contingat . . . regem . . . perfoluere summam quatuor centum et triginta septem librarum . . . Scocie

pro redempcione tenementi . . . Quo tenemento relaxato volo quod si tempore relaxacionis . . . dictus Robertus ad beneficium minime fuerit promotus . . . summa predicta . . . per quatuor porciones equales inter dictos quatuor filios meos diuidatur . Et si medio tempore dictum . . . ad beneficium contingat promoueri volo tunc quod dicta summa inter dictos Henricum Johannem et Walterum equaliter diuidatur . Et si quemquam iporum ante diem solucionis dictae summe diem claudere extreum contingat volo quod ipsa summa inter . . . superstites diuidatur . Insuper dedi . . . dicto Roberto . . . annum redditum meum triginta sex solidorum et octo denariorum . . . Scocie leuandorum . . . ad terminos burgi consuetos de . . . tenemento supradicto . . . qui . . . annuus redditus fuerat michi impignoratus per quondam Robertum de Nudre et Agnetem sponsam suam pro summa . . . pecunie . . . Tenendum . . . vt premittitur . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . vt in pignore . . . quoisque contingat dictam Agnetem de Nudre heredes fuos vel assignatos persoluere dictis filiis meis seu eorum heredibus . . . vno die inter folis ortum et . . . occasum in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidii . . . super summo altari . . . summam triginta sex librarum . . . Scocie . Reddendo . . . annuatim . . . regi firmam burgi . . . ac Elizabeth filie mee decem marcas anni redditus . . . Scocie pro . . . tempore vite fue ad terminos burgi consuetos . . . quoisque contingat dictum Robertum . . . vel heredes . . . quibus deficientibus vnum filiorum meorum predicatorum vel eorum heredes . . . persoluere dicta Elizabeth pro ipius adiuuamine ad maritagium suum contrahendum vno die inter folis ortum et . . . occasum in ecclesia supradicta super altare Beati Jacobi . . . summam centum librarum . . . Scocie tantum . . . cuius . . . tenementi et anni redditus . . . fasnam . . . per manum Johannis de Haliburton balliui . . . dedi . . . Roberto filio meo tanquam fibi et personis supra scriptis in dicta tallia insertis . referuato . . . michi pro . . . tempore vite mee franco . . . tenemento . . . dicti

tenementi et annui redditus . . . Insuper . . . nolo quod licitum sit
 dicto Roberto . . . aut cuicunque alteri filio meo ant eorum heredibus
 . . . tenementum . . . seu . . . annum redditum . . . alienare . . .
 aut quouismodo . . . ad firmam dimittere . . . nisi tantum pro vnius
 anni termino . et in casu quo . . . pretenfa . . . alienacio seu assedacio
 pro gressu vel alias facta fuerit volo quod nullius existat vigoris . . .
 et quod incontinenter post . . . ad proximum fratrem alienantis fibi de
 iure succedentem . . . tenementum seu annuus redditus alienatus re
 uertatur . . . In eius rei testimonium sigillum meum vnamcum sigillo
 communi dicti burgi et sigillo dicti balliui fasnam dantis . . . est
 appensum apud Edinburgh vltimo die mensis Nouembris anno Domini
 m° cccc° quadragesimo octauo testibus Patricio de Cokburne preposito . . .
 Johanne Lamb et Johanne de Farnyle balliuis . . . Adam Cant decano
 gilde . Thoma Smyth thesaurario . . . Willelmo de Craneſtoun Willelmo
 de Libertoun Thoma de Berwic Johanne de Bigholme Jacobo de Prestoun
 Jacobo de Balbirny Willelmo Cammeroun Andrea Bell . Johanne Broune
 Clerc et Thoma Broune Clere notariis publicis . cum multis aliis.

Swyft chartar maid to his soun Henry.

- 63 **I**dem Johannes concessit eciam cartam sub sigillo suo et sigillo Johannis
 de Haliburtonne balliui . . . ac sigillo communi . . . burgi Henrico
 Suyft filio de tenemento suo alias Henrici Aytoun iacente prope
 Archum Inferiorem . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii inter terram
 quondam Stephani Lioune ex parte occidentali et terram Roberti Lamb
 ex parte orientali . Tenendo . . . dicto Henrico et heredibus suis
 quibus defientibus Johanni Suyft filio . . . et heredibus suis quibus
 defientibus Waltero Suyft et heredibus suis quibus defientibus Roberto
 Suyft si ipsum maritare contingat et heredibus suis quibus defientibus

Georgeo et Elizabeth filiabus suis et heredibus suis quibus omnibus defi-
cientibus . . . heredibus dicti Johannis . . . patris quibuscumque de
. . . rege . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . regi firmam burgi . . .
ac Clementi de Farnyle heredibus suis et assignatis quadraginta solidos
. . . Scocie annui redditus ad . . . terminos vsuales . cum ceteris
clafulis et testibus in superiori carta notatis.

Swift chartar to his foun Jhone.

- 64 **I**dem Johannes Suyft conceffit eciam cartam sub suo figillo et figillo
Johannis de Haliburtonne balliui . . . ac figillo communi . . . burgi
Johanni Suyft filio suo de tenemento alias quondam Jacobi Gray iacente
. . . ex parte australi Vici Regii inter terram quondam Johannis de
Levingtoune ex parte orientali et terram alias Henrici Goldefmyth ex
parte occidentali . Tenendo . . . dicto Johanni et heredibus suis quibus
deficientibus Waltero Suyft et heredibus suis quibus deficientibus Roberto
Suyft et heredibus suis si ipsum maritare contingat quibus deficientibus
Henrico Suyft et heredibus suis quibus deficientibus Georgeo et Eliza-
beth filiabus meis et heredibus suis quibus omnibus deficientibus . . .
heredibus dicti Johannis quibuscumque de . . . rege . . . Reddendo
inde annuatim . . . regi firmam burgi . . . et heredibus . . . quondam
Georgii [Gregorii] Logane septem marcas annui redditus . . . Scocie
ad terminos Penthecostes et Sancti Martini . . . et Waltero Suyft . . .
sex marcas annui redditus . . . ad terminos supradictos . cum ceteris
clafulis et testibus eisdem in . . . carta . . . concessa Roberto Suyft
. . . notatis.

[Swift chartar] to his foun Walter.

- 65 Idem Johannes Suyft concessit eciam cartam sub suo sigillo et figillo Johannis de Haliburton balliui . . . ac figillo communi . . . burgi Waltero Suyft filio suo de . . . annuo redditu sex marcarum . . . Scocie . . . leuandarum ad terminos Pentheecoftes et Sancti Martini . . . de tenemento quod alias fuerat quondam Jacobi Gray iacente ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Johannis de Levingtoun ex parte orientali et terram alias Henrici Goldefmyth ex parte occidentali . et de . . . annuo redditu fex marcarum . . . Seocie . . . leuandarum ad terminos supradictos de tenemento quondam Thome Rynde iacente ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram alias Simonis de Ferfith ex parte orientali et terram quondam Johannis Bane ex parte occidentali . Tenendos . . . dictos annuos redditus . . . dicto Waltero et heredibus suis quibus defientibus Johanni Suyft et heredibus suis quibus defientibus Henrico Suyft et heredibus suis quibus defientibus Roberto Suyft si ipsum maritare contingat et heredibus suis quibus defientibus Elizabeth et Georgeo filiabus dicti Johannis et heredibus suis quibus omnibus defientibus . . . heredibus dicti Johannis quibuscumque de . . . rege . . . que vero carta in se continet clausulas et testes in prima carta specificatas.

[Swift chartar] to his doucher Elizabeth Swift.

- 66 Idem Johannes Suyft concessit eciam cartam sub suo sigillo et figillo Johannis de Haliburton ballini . . . ac figillo communi . . . burgi Elizabeth Suyft filie sue de . . . annuo redditu decem marcarum . . . Scocie . . . leuandarum ad terminos Pentheecoftes et Sancti Martini

. . . de tenemento alias Jacobi Rede iacente . . . ex parte australi
 Vici Regii inter terram Patricii Cant ex parte orientali et cimiterium
 ecclesie parochialis Beati Egidii . . . ex parte occidental . Tenendum
 . . . supradictum . . . supradiete . . . pro . . . tempore vite sue et
 post deceßum suum Roberto Suyft . . . si ipsum maritare contingat
 et heredibus suis quibus deficentibus Henrico Suyft et heredibus suis
 quibus deficentibus Johanni Suyft et heredibus suis quibus deficentibus
 Waltero Suyft et heredibus suis quibus deficentibus Georgeo
 Suyft filie sue et heredibus suis quibus omnibus deficentibus . . .
 heredibus dicti Johannis quibuscumque de . . . rege . . . vt de pignore
 . . . quousque . . . aliqui filiorum dicti Johannis seu eorum heredes
 persoluerint . . . supradicta Elizabeth vno die inter solis ortum et . . .
 occasum in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidii . . . super summo altari . . .
 summam centum librarum . . . Scocie . Et conceffit supradicta Elizabeth
 omnes fructus . . . eiusdem annui redditus quamdiu in manibus ipius
 Elizabeth iacuerit sic quod pro fructibus eiusdem . . . ante folucionem
 dicta summe . . . dicti filii mei compotum nullatenus exigent . que vero
 carta in se continet clausulas et testes in prima carta specificatas.

Carta confirmacionis magistri Thome de Lawdre.

- 67 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre sue . . . falutem .
 Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . Thomas de
 Lawdre canonicus Aberdonensis et magister hospitialis de Soltre Sancti
 andree diocefis omnibus . . . falutem . . . Nouerit vniuersitas vestra me
 . . . pro salute anime Jacobi regis primi et anime mee neconon pro salute
 animarum patrum matrum fratrum fororum parentum parochianorum et
 omnium beneficiorum meorum et pro animabus omnium fidelium defun
 torum fundasse . . . vnam capellaniam in ecclesia Beati Egidii de Edin

burgh Sanctiandree dioecesis in insula Sancte Crucis ad columpnam occidentalem ad altare . . . Beatorum Martini et Thome . . . condicionibus infra scriptis . In primis videlicet quod presentacio . . . capellanie pro . . . tempore vite mee mihi . . . et post me magistro Willelmo de Lawdre fratri meo quibus deficientibus preposito balliuis et communitati de Edinburgh . . . debeat pertinere eo tamen pacto quod dictum altare Sanctorum Martini et Thome ab eo loco in quo iam situm est non remoueat per dictos prepositum et balliuos de Edinburgh quod si contingat volo quod Willelmus de Lawdre dominus de Haltoun et fui successores alibi in dicta tamen ecclesia ad dictam capellaniam habeat vel habeant presentare . Volo insuper quod . . . capellanus habeat in dicta villa personaliter residere et quod omni die quo fuerit dispositus . . . habeat celibrare et quod nullum beneficium aliud habeat cum dicta capellania . quod si personalem residenciam in dicta villa non fecerit aut aliud beneficium cum dicta capellania optimuerit . . . ipsa extune vacet . . . Et pro sustentacione . . . capellani et ornamentorum . . . altaris do . . . capellano . . . et altari . . . fex marcas annui redditus tenementi . . . Donaldi de Kile . . . iacentis . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Roberti de Fergushil ex parte orientali . . . et terram quondam Johannis Cuke ex parte occidentali . . . ad . . . terminos Sancti Martini et Penthecofles . . . item quadraginta solidos annui redditus de terra mea de Edinburgh iacente in Via Australi . . . wlgariter Welgate seu antiquitus Cowgate nuncupata iacente ex parte australi eiusdem . . . inter terram abbatis . . . de Melros ex parte orientali . . . et terram Georgii de Cochrane ex parte occidentali . . . quam terram a Johanne de Fauside conquestus sum quicquidem Johannes et fui antecessores a magistro de Soltre dictam terram in feodis firmam hereditarie optimuerunt reddendo magistro de Soltre . . . annuatim quinque solidos · item xx s. . . Scocie de . . . [terra] Stephani Hunter iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii infra tenementum quondam Johannis Gupild inter ter-

ram Johannis de Faufide ex parte australi . . . et terram Ricardi Perell ex parte boreali . . . quod . . . tenementum iacet inter tenementum quondam Roberti de Hawyk ex parte orientali et terram Roberti de Bonkle ex parte occidentali . item viginti sex solidos octo denarios . . . annui redditus . . . Scocie de . . . terra domini Willelmi Pacok capellani iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Thome de Soltre ex parte orientali . . . et terram Willelmi de Liddale ex parte occidentali . . . in . . . elimosinam . Tenendos . . . predictos annuos redditus . . . libere . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh vicefimo die mensis Maii anno Domini m° cccc° xliii^{to} . Quam . . . cartam . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . iuribus et seruiciis . . . confuetis . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus reuerendo in Christo patre Willelmo episcopo Glasguensi . Willelmo domino Creichtoun nostro cancellario et consanguineo predilecto . carissimo consanguineo nostro Willelmo comite de Douglas . venerabili in Christo patre Andrea abbe de Melros nostro confessore et thefaurario . dilectis consanguineis nostris Willelmo domino Somerville Andrea domino le Gray . magistris Nicholao de Ottirburn nostro secretario et Johanne Arous archidiacono Glasguensi et Georgeo Schorifwod rectore de Cultre . apud Edinburgh tercio die mensis Januarii anno Domini m° cccc° xlix et regni nostri xiii^o.

[Carta Gileristi Turnbule.]

68 **O**mnibus . . . Gilcriftus Turnbule burgenſis de Edinburgh . . . salutem . Noueritis me . . . assedasse et ad feodifirmam dimisisse . . . Roberto Coxfon dicti burgi burgenſi . . . botham meam orientalem domus iacentis . . . in vico dicto Bothrau ex parte australi eiusdem inter terram Thome Tallifer ex parte orientali . . . et terram Willelmi domini Creich-

toune ex parte occidentali . . . Tenendam . . . in feodofirma et hereditate . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . capellano altaris Sacri Sanguinis . . . in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidi . . . prope ostium boriale eiusdem . . . viginti et fex solidos et octo denarios . . . Seocie ad . . . terminos vnuales . . . tantum . . . In eius rei testimonium . . . sigillum meum vnaeum sigillo Recardi de Farnele balliu . . . fasnam dantis est appensum apud Edinburgh nono die mensis Nouembris anno Domini millesimo quadringentesimo quinquagesimo hiis testibus dicto Recardo . . . balliu . Johanne Broun Clark . Jacobo Currur . Connello Yhong . Roberto de Maxtoun . Johanne de Maxtoun . Johanne Harlobankis . et Willelmo Rolland . cum multis aliis.

Gilereist Turnbillis chartar.

- 69 **O**mnis . . . Gilcriftus Turnebule burgenis de Edinburgh . . . salutem . Noueritis me . . . assedasse et ad feodifirmam dimisisse . . . Roberto Coxoun burgeni . . . domum anteriorem tenementi subscripti et . . . domum prope et contigae dictae domui anteriori adiacentem ex parte boreali eiusdem videlicet a gabella australi dominus tenementi mei per me nouiter edificate . . . et cum ipsa australi gabella lapidea usque ad Vienum Regiam . quod . . . tenementum iacet . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Henrici de Foulis ex parte orientali . . . et terram domini Johannis de Foularde canonici . . . Sancte Crucis . . . ex parte occidentali . . . Tenendam . . . de . . . rege . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . cum . . . introitu et exitu per portas . . . tenementi ac eum . . . potestate . . . deponendi pulueres et cinera sua in canda et posteriore parte tenementi . . . ac . . . aliis . . . iustis pertinenciis . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . regi firmam burgi . . . ac Willelmo de Libertoun suis heredibus et affignatis vigenti solidos

et octo denarios . . . Seocie ad . . . terminos vfuales . . . et Andree Halywel suis heredibus et assignatis quadragenta solidos . . . Scocie ad terminos prefatos . et capellano altaris Beati Jacobi in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidii . . . tresdecim solidos et quatuor denarios ad terminos antefatos . et ad sustentacionem luminarii videlicet *le lamp* . . . in choro eiusdem ecclesie sex solidos . . . ad . . . terminos vfuales . . . tantum . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . sigillum meum apposui et ad maiorem . . . rei . . . firmatatem sigillum Richardi de Farinle balliui . . . safinam . . . dantis . . . appendi . . . procuraui testibus Johanne Strang Jacobo Courour Jacobo Main Dauid Laufon Jacobo Smyth Johanne Dobe Alano Skynnar et Johanne Schether feriendo dicti burgi eum multis aliis apud Edinburgh tertio die mensis Aprilis anno Domini millesimo quadringentesimo quinquagesimo primo.

Carta Thome Hogesoun facta domino Patricio Lefuris.

70 **Omnibus** . . . Thomas Hogesoun burgenis de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noueritis me cum consensu . . . sponse mee Isabelli . . . vendidisse . . . domino Patricio Lefuris rectori ecclesie de Neutoun . . . annum redditum triginta solidorum . . . Seocie . . . leuandorum ad . . . terminos vfuales . . . de . . . duabus terris meis . . . iacentibus in . . . Lethe ex parte australi aque inter terram Jacobi de Craufurde ex parte orientali . . . et terram Roberti Logane ex parte occidentali . . . infra baroniad de Lestalrig pro . . . summa peccunie mihi . . . persoluta . . . Tenendum . . . a me . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . sigillum meum apposui . Et ego dicta Isabella de non contradicendo . . . vendicioni . . . taetis sacrosanctis Dei ewangeliis iuramentum prestiti corporale et in evidencius testimonium consensus mei . . . sigillum . . . Dauid Stewart balliui de Lethe safinam dicti anni redditus dantis et

Alani Naper de Wrichtifhous . . . appendi . . . procuraui eoram dominis Ricardo Scotland Johanne Moffate capellanis · Thoma Broun Clerc notario publico · Johanne Martin et Thoma Yhong · apud Lethe primo die mensis Junii anno Domini m^o cccc^o li^o.

Cameroun chartar.

71 **Omnibus . . .** Willelmus Cameroun burgensis de Edynburgh . . . salutem · Noueritis me . . . pro . . . amore quem habeo erga . . . sponsam mean Elisabet dedisse . . . diete Elisabet . . . tenementum . . . iaceens . . . ex parte boriali Vici Regii inter terram quondam Ade Goldfmyth ex parte occidentali . . . et terram quondam Ade de Haukerstoun ex parte orientali . . . exceptis domo braccine et orto ex parte boreali eiusdem domus iacentibus inter aulas tenementi mei supradicti · Tenendum . . . diete Elisabet . . . pro . . . tempore vite sue et post ipsius . . . deceffum Jacobo Cameroun filio meo et heredibus masculis de corpore suo legitime procreandis quibus forte deficientibus Alexandro Cameroun filio meo et heredibus masculis de corpore suo legitime procreandis quibus forte deficientibus Patricio Cameroun filio meo et heredibus masculis de corpore suo legitime procreandis [quibus forte deficientibus Nicolao Cameroun filio meo et heredibus masculis de corpore suo legitime procreandis] quibus forte deficientibus ceteris filiis meis inter me et dictam Elisabet sponsam meam procreatibus . . . et eorum heredibus masculis succeſſiue de suis corporibus legitime procreandis quibus forte deficientibus Jonete Cameroun filie mee et heredibus de corpore suo legitime procreatibus . . . quibus forte deficientibus Katerine Cameroun filie mee et heredibus suis de corpore suo legitime procreandis quibus vtique omnibus deficientibus meis . . . heredibus quibusunque de . . . rege . . . in feodo et hereditate . . .

cum libero introitu et exitu per portas . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . regi firmam burgi . . . ac Johanni Hil de Nudre suis heredibus et affignatis triginta denarios annui redditus . . . Scocie . . . necnon capellano altaris Beate Katerine virginis . . . in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidii . . . quinque marcas annui redditus . . . Scocie ad . . . terminos vsuales . . . tantum . . . referuato mihi . . . pro . . . tempore vite . . . libero tenemento . . . tenementi supradi*cti* . . . Infuper . . . nolo quod sit licitum di*ctis* . . . racione di*cte* tallie . . . tenementum . . . vel aliquem annum redditum de eodem . . . vendere . . . ad feodifirmam pro gressuma vel infra verum valorem . . . dimittere aut alias . . . alienare . . . et in casu quo . . . pretensa donacio . . . aut alienacio . . . facta fuerit volo . . . quod eo facto . . . ab ipso alienante et heredibus . . . ad proximum heredem . . . tenementum . . . transeat . . . Cuius . . . tenementi . . . fasnam . . . per manum Ricardi de Farinle vnius balliuorum burgi . . . di*cte* Elisabeth tanquam fibi et ceteris personis in di*cta* tallia specificatis dedi . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . sigillum meum vnam vacum figillo di*cti* . . . balliui . . . est appensum . . . testibus Thoma de Cranstoun preposito . . . Adam Cant decano gilde . . . Johanne Lamb thesaurario . . . Johanne de Haukerstoun et Matheo de Camera balliuis . . . Willelmo de Cranstoun de Swynhope Thoma de Prestoun Thoma Gibseun Jacobo Vnthank Johanne Broun Clerc et Thoma Broun Clerc notariis publicis apud Edynburgh penultimo die mensis Julii anno Domini m^occcc^o li^o.

[Litera prepositi et balliuorum de Edinburgh super transfumpcionem
quarundam cartarum.] . . .

72 Vniuersis . . . Georgeus de Faulow prepositus . . . de Edinburgh Thomas de Bigholme et Johannes Lamb balliui . . . salutem . . .

Noueritis quod coram nobis in pretorio . . . sedentibus in iudicio comparuit . . . dominus Willelmus Park vicarius de Edrame [et] quasdam cartas atque literas . . . quarum tenores inferius inferuntur . . . produxit . . . nobis supplicando quatenus . . . velimus huiusmodi literas per notarium . . . infra scriptum transfumi . . . mandare . . . Nos vero . . . easdem literas . . . examinauimus ac . . . per notarium infra scriptum transferibi . . . mandauiimus . . . quarum . . . tenor vnius sequitur . . . Omnibus . . . Johannes Yhule burgenfis de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noueritis me cum confensu . . . sponse mee Agnetis . . . vendidisse . . . magistro Johanni Gray canonico Glasguensi ac rectori ecclesie de Listoun vnum annum redditum quadraginta solidorum . . . leuandorum ad . . . terminos vñiales . . . de tenemento meo iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram Willelmi Scott [ex parte] orientali . . . et terram quandam Godfridi de Farinle ex parte occidentali . . . pro certa summa peccunie . . . Tenendum . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . Et ego dicta Agnes . . . de non contradicendo tenori presentis carte . . . in absencia dicti coniugis mei iuramentum prestiti corporale . In eius rei testimonium sigillum mei Johannis Yhule . . . est appensum . Et quia ego dicta Agnes sigillum proprium non habeo . . . sigillum . . . Willelmi Gray balliui . . . apponi . . . procuraui . . . presentibus . . . Thoma de Cranftoun preposito . . . Thoma de Prestoun Roberto Nudre et Willelmo Gray balliuis . . . Willelmo Purrok decano gilde . Johanne Dalrymple Johanne Broun Clerk notario publico Archibaldo de Loudoun Thoma Wilkysoun et Alexandro de Dalrymple Thoma Haſwel et Johanne Schether feriandis . cum multis aliis . . . apud Edinburgh vltimo die mensis Decembris anno Domini millesimo quadrigentesimo tricesimo octauo . Alterius vero carte tenor . . . est talis . Omnibus . . . Jacobus Robertfoun burgenfis de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . cum confensu . . . sponse mee Elisabet . . . vendidisse . . . magistro Johanni Gray rectori de Kirklistoun . . . annum redditum . . . vigenti

solidorum et octo denariorum . . . Scocie leuandorum . . . ad . . . terminos vñiales . . . de . . . tenemento meo . . . iacente in . . . Edinburgh in fine tenementi Jacobi Lamb inter terram eiusdem . . . ex parte boriali . . . et terram Johannis Robertfoun fratris mei ex parte australi . . . et de domo mea dicta *barkhous* ac de . . . terra mea iacente ad finem tenementi dicti Jacobi Lamb inter terram eiusdem . . . ex parte boriali . . . et vicum dictum Kougate ex parte australi . . . pro certa summa peccunie . . . Tenendum . . . a me . . . de . . . rege in feodo et hereditate . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . sigillum meum est appensum . Et ego dicta Elisabet . . . de non contradicendo presenti carte . . . in mei mariti absencia . . . iuramentum . . . prefitti corporale et ad maiorem . . . rei . . . firmitatem sigillum . . . Willelmi Gray vnius balliuorum burgi . . . sashinam . . . dantis . . . appendi . . . procuraui testibus Patricio de Cokburn preposito . . . Lanceloto de Abernethi et Matheo de Camera balliuis . . . Johanne Dalrymple decano gilde . Simone Schele thesaurario . . . Dauid de Galbraith Johanne Bigholme Johanne Broun Clerc . magistro Willelmo Hangandise et domino Johanne de Dalmahoy capellani . Thoma Broun Clerc clero communi burgi . . . notario publico . Dauid Grant et Johanne Schether feriendo dicti burgi . apud Edynburgh xv^o die mensis Marcii anno Domini m^o eccc^o xlvi^o . Tercie . . . earte tenor sequitur . . . Omnibus . . . Stephanus Huntar burgenfis de Edinburgh Margareta Smyth vidua foror dicti Stephani et Johannes Smyth filius et heres dictae Margarete . . . salutem . . . Noueritis nos vñanimi consenu . . . vendidisse . . . magistro Johanni Gray rectori ecclesie parochialis de Kirklistoun vnum annum redditum tresdecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . Scocie . . . percipiendorum de tenemento nostro . . . iacente . . . in Venella Fratrum Predicatorum ex parte orientali eiusdem . . . inter terram Thome Martin ex parte australi . . . et terram Johannis de Muncur ex parte boreali . . . ad . . . terminos vñiales . . . pro certa

summa peccunie . . . Tenendum . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . In
 cuius rei testimonium nos . . . Stephanus et Margareta figilla nostra
 . . . apposuimus . et . . . ego . . . Johannes . . . sigillum . . . Johannis
 Halkerfloun balliu . . . apponi . . . procuraui . testibus . . . Thoma
 de Cranftoun preposito . . . Waltero Yhong Johanne de Haukerstoun et
 Matheo de Camera balliis . . . Adam Cant decano gilde . Johanne
 Lamb theſaurario . Johanne Bigum Thoma Berwic Willelmo de Libertoun
 Thoma Prestoun domino Willelmo Park vicario de Edrame Johanne
 Broun Clerc notario publico et multis aliis burgenſibus apud Edinburgh
 xxvi^{to} die mensis Nouembris anno Domini millesimo quadringentefimo
 quadragefimo nono . Quarte . . . carte [tenor] . . . est talis . Omnibus
 . . . dominus Johannes de Wyntoun rector ecclie parochialis de Penni-
 enk falutem . . . Noueritis me cum confenſu . . . domini Johannis
 Logane domini de Leſtalreg domini mei superioris . . . vendedisse . . .
 magistro Johanni Gray canonico Glasguensi ac rectori de Kirklistoun
 vnum annum redditum quadraginta ſolidorum . . . Scocie . . .
 leuandorum ad . . . terminos vſuales . . . de tenemento meo iacente
 in . . . Lethe ex parte australi aque . . . in baronia de Leſtalrig infra
 vicecomitatum de Edynburgh inter terram Sancti Antonii ex parte
 boreali . . . et Communem Viam Regiam ex parte australi . . . ac
 eciā inter Communem Viam Regiam ex parte occidentali et tene-
 mentum Johannis Bigholme ex parte orientali pro certa summa peccunie
 . . . Tenendum . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . In cuius rei testimo-
 nium figillum meum . . . est appenſum apud Edinburgh terecio die mensis
 Januarii anno Domini millesimo quadringentefimo quadragefimo octauo
 testibus . . . domino Michaele Gray preceptore monasterii Sancti An-
 thonii de Lethe . Roberto Gray balliu de Lethe . dominis Willelmo Parke
 vicario de Edrame Johanne Petit vicario de Leſtalrig Thoma de Camera
 presbiteris . Thoma Gray Thoma Hogefoun et Andrea Willame . et multis
 aliis de Lethe . . . Tenor . . . ſubſcriptionis eiusdem carte . . . est

talis . Et ego Johannes Logane miles dominus de Lestalrig supradietam
cartam . . . confirmo . . . et in signum . . . confirmacionis . . .
sigillum meum apponi feci apud Lethe anno die mensis supradictis testibus
superius annotatis . Tenor . . . quinto carte sequitur . . . Omnibus
. . . Willelmus de Libertoun de eodem burgenfis de Edinburgh . . .
salutem . Noueritis me dedisse . . . venerabili viro magistro Johanni Gray
canonico Glasguensi rectori de Kirklistoun . . . tenementum . . . cum
orto . . . iacens in . . . Lethe in baronia de Lestalrig infra vicecomitatum
de Edynburgh inter terram Johannis de Spens ex parte australi . . . et
terram Alexandri de Prestoun ex parte boreali . . . quod . . . tene-
mentum cum orto . . . fuit domini Michaelis Gray magistri donus Sancti
Anthonii hereditarie . . . et quod . . . idem . . . pro commodo . . .
domus et ecclesie Beati Anthonii . . . in manus meas apud Lethe coram
subscriptis . . . resignauit . . . Tenendum . . . a me . . . in feodo et
hereditate . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . domino Johanni Logane
de Lestalrig militi et heredibus suis . . . octo denarios . . . Scocie super
folum dicti tenementi ad festum Penthecoftes nomine albe firme si petatur
ac michi meis heredibus et assignatis viginti solidos annui redditus . . .
Scocie ad . . . terminos vsuales . . . nomine feodifirme tantum . . . In
cuius rei testimonium . . . sigillum meum est appensum apud Edinburgh
decimo octavo die mensis Augusti anno Domini millesimo quadringentesimo
quinquagesimo primo testibus Dauid Stewart balliuo de Lethe . domino
Willelmo de Parke vicario de Edrame . Alano Naper de Wrichtishous .
Johanne Broun Clerc Thoma Broun Clerc notariis publicis . Andrea
Craufurde et Johanne Scott . cum multis aliis . Quibus cartis originalibus
. . . transcriptis nos . . . transumpto cum . . . literis . . . fieri feci-
mus . . . collacionem . Et quia . . . transumptum cum . . . cartis
. . . concordare repperimus . . . decreuimus . . . quod . . . trans-
fumpto . . . fides adhibetur . . . qualis . . . literis originalibus
adhiberetur . . . In quorum . . . fidem . . . presentes literas siue

prefens transsumptum per nostrum notarium publicum . . . subseribi
 . . . nostrorumque sigillorum [et] sigilli communis dicti burgi ad canfas
 . . . fecimus appensione communiri.

[Carta magistri Johannis Gray.]

- 73 **O**mibus . . . Johannes Gray in artibus et medicina magister rector ecclie de Kirklistoun . . . salutem . Noueritis me . . . pro salute anime . . . quondam . . . Jacobi regis Scotorum . . . ac regis . . . Jacobi filii sui . . . ac . . . antecefforum et succefforum fuorum et pro salute animarum patris mei et matris mee et omnium amicorum meorum et eorum quibus debitor fui seu deliqui . . . neenon pro salute anime mee et animarum comburgenfium . . . de Edinburgh et omnium fidelium defunctorum dediffe . . . Deo Beate Marie virginis et Sancto Kentigerno ac ad sustencionem vnius capellani secularis . . . ad altare Sancti Kentigerni per me nune nouiter in ecclie parochiali Beati Egidii . . . fundatum . . . annuos redditus meos et tenementum infra scriptum . In primis videlicet vnum annum redditum trium marcarum . . . Scocie . . . leuandarum ad . . . terminos vnuales . . . de tenemento Johannis Yhule iacenti . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram Willelmi Scott ex parte orientali et terram quondam Godfridi de Farinle ex parte occidentali . et vnum annum redditum duarum marcarum . . . leuandarum ad prefatos terminos de terra Jacobi Robertfoun iacente in dicto burgo in fine tenimenti Jacobi Lamb inter terram ipsius Jacobi ex parte boreali et terram Johannis Robertfoun ex parte australi ac de domo dicta *barkhous* et de . . . terra Jacobi Robertfoun iacente in fine tenimenti . . . Jacobi Lamb inter terram dicti Jacobi ex parte boreali et vicum dictum Kougate ex parte australi . et . . . annum redditum tresdecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . Scocie leuandorum . . . ad dictos terminos

de terra quondam Roberti Ledale iacente ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Johannis de Turyng ex parte occidentali et terram quondam Johannis Heriot ex parte orientali . ac . . . annum redditum trefdecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . percipiendorum ad prefatos terminos de . . . tenemento iacente . . . in Venella Fratrum Predicatorum ex parte orientali eiusdem . . . inter terram Thome Martin ex parte australi et terram Johannis de Muncur ex parte boreali . et . . . annum redditum quadraginta solidorum . . . Scocie . . . de . . . tenemento iacente in . . . Lethe ex parte australi aque . . . in baronia de Leftalrig infra vicecomitatum de Edynburgh inter terram Sancti Anthonii ex parte boreali et Communem Viam Regiam ex parte australi et inter Communem Viam Regiam ex parte occidentali et terram alias Johannis de Bigholme ex parte orientali . et . . . tenementum . . . iacens in . . . Lethe in baronia de Leftalrig infra vicecomitatum de Edynburgh inter terram Johannis de Spens ex parte australi et tenementum Alexandri de Prestoun ex parte boreali . Tenendos . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . in . . . puram . . . elemosinam . . . et post mei . . . deceffum ad donacionem prepositi et communitatis burgi de Edinburgh . . . si infra xl^a dies immediate frequentes vacacionem . . . capellanum . . . instituere curauerint . et si ipsis . . . per dictum tempus negligentes fuerint . . . super donacione antefata volo quod . . . donacio ad abbatem et conuentum . . . Sancte Crucis . . . pertineat ita tamen quod nec . . . communitas . . . aut . . . abbas . . . aut heredes mei . . . dictos . . . redditus . . . nec dictum tenementum . . . retinere vel . . . conuertere presumant . . . volo eciam quod . . . capellanus pro prefatis annuis redditibus disstringere valeat et terras de quibus . . . debentur . . . sibi . . . lucrari . . . et . . . quod si contingat . . . capellanum . . . ad . . . aliud beneficium . . . promoueri . . . dicta capellania vacet . . . Tenebitur vero . . . capellanus . . . cum dispositus fuerit missam cotidianam celebrare ad altare antedictum

tantum . . . In eius rei testimonium sigillum meum . . . est appenfum et ad maiorem . . . rei . . . firmitatem sigillum commune burgi . . . appendi . . . procuraui testibus Thoma de Cranftoun preposito . . . Johanne Hankerstoun Matheo de Camera et Ricardo Farinle . . . balliis . Adam Cant decano gilde . . . Johanne Lamb thefaurario . . . Willelmo Cameroun Willelmo de Libertoun Alexandro Stanle Willelmo Bully Thoma Smyth Johanne Broun Clerc Thoma Broun Clerc notariis publicis . apud Edynburgh primo die mensis Septembris anno Domini millesimo quadringentesimo quinquagesimo primo.

[Bond by Sym of Ednahame to Johne Broun Clerc.]

- 74 Tyl al and findri . . . Sym of Ednahame greeting . . . Foralfmikle as Johne Broun Clerc burges of Edinburgh has sett to me in feuferme . . . his land . . . liand in Edinburgh on the south half of the Kingis Strete betuix the land of quhilum John of Blanifle of the west fide and the land of quhilum Robyn of Duftun of the est fide . . . payand yherly to the king borowmale and to Will of Libbertoun and his ayeris aucht fehillingis . . . and to the faide Johne Broun Clerc his ayeris thretty aucht fehillingis and viii pennis . . . of Scotland . . . vndir the condecionis that nothir I na ony of my behalfe fal . . . anale the land . . . na nane annuel of it . . . but lefe of the said Johne Broun Clerc and his ayeris . . . I fal als uphold the land and big it strenyheable for the annuel bot gife auentur happing for to cum in the toun and birn it sua that I na my ayeris na the temmandis duelland in the faide land be outfakit na cause of the birning of the faide land . I will als . . . that gife it hapnis the annuellis to be vnpayt of tva termis togider . . . it falbe leful to the faide Johne his ayeris or assignais to recognice . . . the faide land . . . Hereattoure I hecht . . . for me and myn ayeris to kepe the land and the



yharde . . . vnpurprisit of the nichbouris . . . In witnes of thir thingis . . . I haue procurit . . . the feillis of . . . Robart of Mechelfonn' and Jamis of Bonkle burges . . . to thir lettres to be hungyn befor . . . Thomas Taillifer Johne Wothirspoune John Sproustonn Dauid Rede Thom Lamb and Iluchoun Rabuk with mony vthiris at Edinburgh the last day of the moneth of Aprile the yhere of our Lorde m cccc lii yhere.

[Carta Jacobi II. regis.]

75 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem . Sciatis nos dedisse . . . Willelmo de Ledale filio . . . Johannis de Ledale de Lochtillow . . . terras de Lochtillow . . . in baronia de Bathcat infra vicecomitatum de Edynburgh . que . . . terre . . . fuerunt di&ti Johannis . . . hereditarie et quas . . . apud Edynburgh per . . . procuratores . . . resignauit . . . Tenendas . . . dicto Willelmo . . . et heredibus masculis ex corpore suo legittime procreandis quibus . . . deficientibus Dauid Ledale fratri germano . . . Willelmi et heredibus suis masculis . . . de corpore suo legittime procreandis quibus forsan deficientibus Gilberto de Ledale et heredibus masculis de corpore suo legittime procreatis . . . quibus vero deficientibus Roberto de Ledale de Balmure et heredibus masculis de corpore suo legittime procreatis . . . quibus forsitan deficientibus . . . heredibus masculis dicti Willelmi . . . quibusunque de nobis et successoribus nostris senescallis Scocie in feodo et hereditate . . . Reddendo inde annuatim nobis . . . vnum denarium argenti . . . regni nostri apud Lochtillon ad festum Penthecostes nomine albe firme si petatur tantum . . . reseruato tamen franco . . . tenemento . . . de Lochtillow . . . dicto Johanni . . . pro . . . tempore vite fue et post ipsius . . . deceffum . . . tercia parte Criftiane sponse . . . Johannis pro . . . tempore vite . . . In

cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus
 testibus . . . Willelmo episcopo Glasguensi . . . Georgeo comite de
 Cathnes admirallo nostro . . . Andrea et Ricardo de Melros et Dun-
 fermylyn . . . abbatibus · Willelmo domino Someruile · Alexandro
 domino Montgomery · Patricio domino Glammis · Andrea domino le
 Gray · et magistro Georgeo de Schorifwod cancellario Dunkelden*ū*
 nostro secretario · apud Edynburgh xx^o die mensis Octobris anno Domini
 m^occcc^o liii^o et regni nostri xvii^o.

[Carta Patricii Lefouris.]

- 76 **O**mibus . . . Patricius Lefouris rector ecclesie parochialis de Neutoun
 salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . pro salute anime . . . quondam . . .
 Jacobi primi regis Scotorum . . . ac . . . Jacobi secundi Scotorum
 regis . . . et pro salute anime quondam . . . domini Johannis Forestare
 de Corftorbyn militis et animarum patris mei et matris mee et omnium
 antecefforum et succefforum meorum pro saluteque omnium quibus debitor
 sum et penes quos . . . deliqui . . . et pro salute anime mee et animarum
 comburgenfium . . . de Edinburgh ac omnium fidelium defunctorum in
 . . . elemosinam dediffe . . . Deo Beate Marie virginis et Sancto
 Michaeli et ad fuſtentacionem . . . capellani feclaris . . . ad altare
 Beati Michaelis archangeli per me in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egidii
 . . . fundatum . . . annuos redditus . . . infraſcriptos videlicet . . .
 annum redditum fex marcarum . . . Scocie . . . leuandarum ad . . .
 terminos vſuales . . . de terra Willelmi Rapirlaw que eſt anterior et
 posterior terra tenementi quondam Roberti de Hawik iacentis . . .
 ex parte boriali Vici Regii inter terram Johannis Selyman ex parte
 orientali . . . et terram quondam Alani Tuedy ex parte occidentali
 . . . inter gabellum lapideum camere aule interioris ex parte australi

et aliam terram vastam ex parte boriali . . . que eciam terra . . . continet
quatuor perticatas eni dimedio . . . et . . . annum redditum quadra-
ginta solidorum . . . Scocie . . . leuandorum ad terminos predictos de
. . . tenemento . . . Patricii Pacok iacente . . . sub muro castri . .
ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram Johannis Stewart ex parte
orientali . . . et terram quondam Alexandri Qubithed ex parte occiden-
tali . . . ac . . . annum redditum quadraginta solidorum . . . Scocie
leuandorum . . . ad dictos terminos de . . . tenemento . . . Dauid
Knox iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Symo-
nis Doweil ex parte orientali . . . et terram quondam Duthaici Wigmer
ex parte occidentali . . . ac . . . annum redditum quadraginta
solidorum . . . de duobus tenementis Thome Hogeson . . . iacentibus
in . . . Leith ex parte australi aque . . . in baronia de Lestalric infra
vicecomitatum de Edinburgh inter terram Roberti Logane ex parte
boriali . . . et terram Jacobi Craufurde ex parte australi . . . et Com-
munem Viam Regiam ex parte orientali . . . et commune passagium quod
dueit ad pontem ex parte occidentali . . . Tenendos . . . in feodo et
hereditate . . . ad prouisionem . . . prepositi decani gilde et communitatis
. . . de Edinburgh . . . post mei deceffum . . . si infra viginti dies post-
quam vacauerit . . . capellatum ad . . . capellaniam instituere curauerint.
Et volo quod . . . capellanus ad continuam residenciam arceatur et quod
nunquam habeat potestatem loco sui alium substituere . . . Et si lapso
termino viginti dierum . . . prepositus decanus gilde et communitas . . .
de collacione . . . negligentes fuerint . . . volo quod . . . collacio ad
abbatem . . . Sancte Crucis . . . pertineat ita quod nec . . . communitas
. . . nec abbas et conuentus . . . prefatos annuos redditus . . . retinere
vel . . . conuertere presumant . . . ita eciam quod . . . capellanus possit
terras de quibus . . . redditus debentur in defectu non solucionis . . .
lucrari et pro ipsis . . . diffringere . . . Tenebitur eciam . . . capella-
nus cum dispositus fuerit missam cotidianam celebrare ante septimam

horam . Et si . . . capellanus . . . per quindecim dies continuos non celebrauerit vacabit capellania . . . Et si . . . capellanus focariam seu concubinam detinuerit hoe . . . cognito vacabit . . . capellania . . . Et si contingat . . . capellanum ad . . . aliam curam promoueri volo quod . . . vacet . . . capellania . . . Tenebitur eciam . . . capellanus quolibet die Dominico et maiori duplice festo ad matutinas altam missam et vesperas in choro cum suo superpellicio interesse . Et volo quod . . . capellanus in principio cuiuslibet missae teneatur populum exhortari ut dicant vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica pro animabus predictorum . Tenebitur eciam . . . capellanus post meum decepsum anniversaria . . . *Placebo et Dirige* cum nota . . . die . . . obitus mei et in craf-
tino . . . missam *De requie* cum nota et cum feruicio septem capellorum ad minus fieri facere suis . . . expensis pro anima mea . . . Tenebitur eciam . . . vestimenta ad celebracionem missae necessaria et ornamenta altaris ac . . . panem vinum luminaria et alia . . . necessaria suis . . . expensis . . . habere . Et quod omni sexta feria legat generalem abfolucionem . . . cum psalmo penitenciali *Miserere mei Deus* et *De profundis* cum asperzione aque benedicta super tumulum meum ante dictum altare si Christus michi requiem ibidem quiescere et sepeliri concedat et quod hoe immediate finita missa cum superpellicio suo faciat . In quorum . . . fidem . . . sigillum meum vnamcum sigillo communi . . . burgi . . . est appensum testibus Alexandro Napare preposito . . . Johanne Haukerstoun Thoma de Levingtoune et Lanflo de Abirnethy balliuis . . . Symone Schele decano gilde . Johanne Lam thesaurario . . . Willelmo de Libbirton Willelmo de Cranftoun Willelmo de Cameroun cum multis aliis apud Edinburgh decimo quinto die mensis Septembri anno Domini millesimo quadringente[simo quinqua]gefimo quarto . Insuper tenebitur . . . capellanus de decem solidis annuatim debitum de tenemento Johannis de . . . iacente . . . ex parte boriali Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Johannis Alani ex parte orientali et terram Jo]hannis

Haukerstoun ex parte occidentali sustentare . . . duo luminaria dicta
torcis ad dictum altare omni is et duplicibus festis iuxta teno-
rem aliarum literarum mearum defuper conficiendarum . . .

[Bond by the burgh of Edinburgh to Williame of Prestoune of Goirtoun.]

- 77 Be it kend til al men be thir present lettres ws the prouost baillieis coun-
 fale and communite of the burgh of Edynburgh to be bundyn ande sekirly
 oblist to Williame of Prestoune of Goirtoun fone and aire to vñquhile
 Williame of Prestoune of Goirtoun ande to the freindis and furname of
 thaim that foralimekle as Williame of Prestoune the fadir quham God affoil-
 lie made diligent labour ande grete menis be a he and mighty prince the
 king of France and mony vthir lordis of France for the gettyn of the
 arme bane of Sant Gele the quhilk bane he frely left to oure mothir kirk
 of Sant Gele of Edynburgh withoutyn ony condicione makyn we confide-
 rand the grete labouris and coftis that he made for the gettyn tharof [we
 promit as said is] that within sex or feuin yhere in al the possible and
 gudely hafste we may that we fal big ane ile furth fra our Lady ile quhare
 the said Williame lys the said ile to be beginnyn within a yhere in the quhilk
 ile thare falbe made a brae for his lair in bosit werk and abone the
 brae a table of bras with a wrigg specifiand the bringing of that rillyk be
 him in Scotland with his armis · and his armis to be putt in hewyn werk
 in vthir thre partis of the ile · alswa ane alter to be made in the said ile
 with buke and chalice of siluer and al vthir grath belangand tharto · alswa
 that we fal assing the chapellane of quhilom Schir Williame of Prestoun
 to sing at the alter [fra that tyme furth] ande gif ony vthir freindis lykys
 to feft ony ma chapellanis thai falbe thankfully reffauit to singne at the
 alter · item that als oft as the said ryllik beis borne in the yhere that the
 furnam and nerrest of blude to the said Williame fal bere the said rillyk

before al vtheris . alwa that fra the dede of the said Williame fadir thare falbe fundyn a chapellane for the termis of fие yheris to sing for him . item we promit that thare fal be ane obit yherely done for him sic as afferis the time of the yhere of his decesse . In witnes of the quhilk thingis we haue set to oure commoun sele at Edynburgh the xi day of the moneth of Januare the yhere of Oure Lorde a thoufande four hundredth fyfty four yheris.

[Carta prepositi balliuorum et communitatis Alexandro Napare.]

78 **O**mnisbus . . . prepositus ballui et communitas burgi de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noueritis nos vnanimi consensu . . . ac cum consensu . . . domini Roberti Lintoun capellani altaris Sancte Katerine ecclesie noſtre de Edinburgh . . . assedafſe . . . Alexandro Napare de Merchamſtoun burgenſi . . . terras noſtras de Vfirmerchamſtoun dicto altari Sancte Katerine per fundacionem quondam Rogeri Hoge et Margarete ſponſe ſue ſpeſtantes iacentes infra vicecomitatuum de Edinburgh . Tenendas . . . de nobis et . . . capellano et fuis ſucceſſoribus . . . in feedi- firma hereditarie . . . cum communi paſtura et libero introitu et exitu . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . capellanis ad dictum altare . . . pro animabus dictorum . . . Rogeri et Margarete . . . celebrantibus . . . viginti marcas . . . Scocie nomine annualis redditus feedi- firme ad . . . fefta Penthecoſtes et Sancti Martini . . . leuandas de . . . terris de Vfirmerchamſtoun et de . . . terris ipfius Alexandri Napare de Nethirmerchamſtoun ad voluntatem . . . capellanorum . . . falua . . . nobis . . . prefentacione capellanie . . . tantum . . . In cuius rei teſtimonium parti prefentis carte . . . cum dicto Alexandro . . . remansure ſigillum . . . burgi . . . vna cum ſigillo prefati domini Roberti . . . eſt appenſum et parti nobis . . . remanenti ſigillum dicti

Alexandri est appenfum in dicto burgo vicefimo sexto . . . Junii . . . millefimo quadringentesimo quinquagesimo sexto . . . testibus Thoma Oliphant preposito · Lancelloto de Abernethe Willelmo Vernour et Alex- andro Schele balliis · Johanne Lamb decano gilde · Willelmo de Cran- fitoun de Swinhop Thoma de Prestoun [Willelmo] de Cameron Henrico de Libertoun de eodem Adam Cant Georgeo de Fawlo Andrea de Craufurde Willelmo de Carriberis Thoma de Bigholme Waltero Yhong Dauid Laue- rok Roberto Blak Patricio Baroun Thoma Johnsoun . . . burgensibus · Thoma Karole Thoma Yhong et Willelmo Rollande feriandis · Roberto Michaelis de Hirdmanstoun et Dauid Rede notariis publicis · cum multis aliis.

The gift of the Blak Freris.

- 79 Jacobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem · Seiatis nos . . . cartam . . . Alexandri regis Scotorum . . . intellexisse sub hae forma · Alexander . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue salutem · Seiant prefentes et futuri nos . . . dedisse . . . Deo et Beate Marie ac Fratribus Predicatoribus de Edinburgh . . . plateam in qua fuit manerium nostrum cum transitu eiusdem qui dicitur *le Venel* . . . cum omnibus aliis asfamentis · Tenendam . . . de nobis . . . in . . . elemosinam . . . ita quod . . . in predicta platea seu transitu . . . possint . . . edificia constituere . . . testibus . . . Willelmo episcopo Glasguensi cancellario nostro · Willelmo comite de Marr · Alexandro Cummyn · Johanne de Vallibus · apud Sanctam Crucem septimo Junii anno regni nostri undecimo · Quam . . . cartam . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus . . . Georgeo episcopo Brechinensi cancellario nostro . . . consanguineis nostris Patricio

domino le Grahame Willelmo domino Borthwie Andrea domino Avendale . Jacobo de Levingstoun de Calentar magno camerario nostro . Willelmo de Moraia de Tulibardin . et magistro Thoma Vaus decano Glasguensi secreterario nostro . apud Striueline vicefimo die mensis Augusti anno Domini millesimo quadringentesimo quinquagesimo septimo et regni nostri vicefimo primo.

Hec est vera copia literae originalis copiata per me Willelmum Farnly scribam eurie burgi de Edinburgh ac notarium publicum.

FARNLY.

[Instrumentum fasine cuiusdam anni redditus in Leth in favorem domini Johannis Moffate.]

80 In Dei nomine amen . . . Pateat quod anno . . . millesimo quadringentesimo sexagesimo secundo mensis uero Februarii die octauo . . . in mei . . . et testium subscriptorum prefencia . . . accepit . . . Alexander Forstar de Corstorfyne miles ad terram quondam Georgii de Falaviacentem in villa de Leth in baronia de Leftalrig infra vicecomitatum de Edinburgh ex parte australi aque . . . inter terram Thome Laufoun ex parte orientali . . . et terram dicti domini Alexandri Forstar mediante Venella Communi ex parte occidentali . . . et terram quondam Beatriceis comitissae de Douglas et portum nauium ex australi et boriali . . . et ibidem . . . vnum annum redditum fundalem quem tunc possidebat iure hereditario trefdecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . monete . . . Scocie exeuncium . . . ad festa Pentecostes . . . et Sancti Martini in hyeme . . . de fundo . . . dictae terre . . . de mandato . . . domini Patricii Lefouris rectoris ecclesie de Neutoun principalis emporis dicti anni redditus . . . a dicto domino Alejandro . . . faisinam . . . hereditariam dicti anni redditus . . . domino Johanni Moffate . . . vni

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capellano altaris Beati Michaelis archangeli situati in ecclesia Beati Egidii de Edinburgh Sanctiandree dyocefis tenendi . . . fibi . . . et suis successoribus . . . in puram . . . elimosinam per exhibicionem denarii ut moris est dedit . . . faluo iure cuiuslibet . Super quibus . . . dominus Johannes . . . fieri peciit . . . instrumentum per me . . . Aeta . . . super folium terre antedictae super gradum eiusdem hora quasi decima ante meridiem . . . presentibus . . . Gilberto Forstar de Drylaw . domino Patricio Lefouris rectore ecclesie de Neutoun . domino Symone Fynlaw capellano . Symone Lamb et Johanne Maffone . cum multis aliis . . .

Et ego Willelmus de Camera . . . notarius premissis . . . interfui eaque . . . in notam sumpsi ex qua . . . hoc . . . instrumentum per alium . . . scribi feci hic mea manu propria subscribendo signoque et nomine meis solitis . . . cum appensione figilli dicti domini Alexandri Forestar signauit . . .

Litera reepcionis loci episcopi.

- 81 **V**niversitas sancte matris ecclesie filii ad quorum noticias presentes littere peruerent Jacobus Dei et apostolice sedis gratia Sanctiandree episcopus salutem in omnium Saluatorem . Sciatis nos quasdam litteras venerabilis viri magistri Willelmi Forbace vicarii perpetui ecclesie parochialis Beati Egidii de Edinburgh nostre diocefis religiosis viris fratribus ordinis Minorum in ecclesia sive capella Beati Johannis baptiste extra burgum de Edinburgh situata concessas sigillo dicti vicarii sigillatas fanas et integras non viciatas nec in aliqua sui parte suspectas sed omni prorsus vicio et suspicione vt apparuit carentes vidisse et intellexisse ad plenum tenorem qui sequitur de verbo ad verbum continentem . Vniversitas sancte matris ecclesie filii ad quorum noticias presentes littere peruerent

Willelmus de Forbace canonicus Abirdonenfis ac vicarius perpetuus ecclesie perrochialis Beati Egidii de Edinburgh Sanctiandree dioecesis salutem in omnium Saluatore . Quia per venerabilem patrem fratrem Dauid de Carnok ordinis Minorum intellexi quod in ecclesia sive capella Beati Johannis baptiste extra burgum de Edinburgh situata et ad meam ecclesiam de Edinburgh in possessione et proprietate spectante ipse et fratres de dicto ordine cupiunt Deo militare et secundum gratiam eis ab alto concessam secundum institutionem Fratrum Minorum de Observancia a Beato Francisco eis tradita deseruire illudque facere nequeunt nisi meum consensum obtineant in premissis . vnde dictus frater Dauid ex parte tocius ordinis michi magnis cum instanciis supplicavit quatenus meum consensum ad premissa diuine caritatis intuitu et religionis augmentatione prebere dignarer . ego vero Willelmus vicarius antedictus huiusmodi supplicationem fore iustum necnon ex canonibus facrorum conciliorum plantare facram religionem et plantatam fouere pre oculis considerans modis omnibus debere idcirco prefate supplicationi annuens omnibus viis et modis possibilibus accendentibus ad hoc consensibus quorum interest consensum meum in premissis prebeo et dictum locum in longitudine et latitudine sicut iacet cum commoditatibus et asiamentis a me et ecclesia mea Deo et beatissimo patri nostro Romano Pontifici pro parte dictorum fratrum caritatis intuitu dono libere et assigno ad effectum supradictum quamdiu locum predictum fratres ipsi inhabitare voluerint protestando quod si locus ipsi per ipsos Fratres de Observancia predicti ordinis ad effectum predictum non occupetur idem locus ad me et meos successores cum libertate preftina et omnibus suis commoditatibus et asiamentis libere reuertetur . In eius rei testimonium sigillum meum presentibus est appensum apud Sanctumandream decimo octauo die mensis Nouembris anno Domini millesimo quadragecentesimo sexagesimo quarto . Quas quidem litteras prefatis fratribus ut premittitur concessas in omnibus suis punctis et articulis modis viis et circumstantiis vniuersis nos Jacobus

episcopus Sanctiandree prefatus auctoritate nostra ordinaria tenore presencium pro nobis et successoribus nostris approbamus ratificamus et imperpetuum confirmamus nostrum consensum et assensum ad premissa adhibentes . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum nostrum autenticum presentibus est appensum apud ciuitatem nostram Sanctiandree vicefimo die mensis Nouembris anno Domini millesimo quadringentesimo sexagesimo quarto et confecracionis nostre anno vicefimo octauo.

Carta preposito balliuis consulibus etc. burgi de Edinburgh.

- 82 Jacobus Dei gratia rex Scotorum omnibus probis hominibus tocius terre sue clericis et laicis salutem . Quia dilecti nostri prepositus balliu confules burgenes et communitas burgi nostri de Edinburgh ecclesiam parochialem Beati Egidii dicti burgi ad nostram prefacionem pertinentem in collegium perpetuum per ordinarium episcopum cum certo canonicoorum et prebendarum numero futuris temporibus erigi defiderant et quod prepositura perpetua in eadem ecclesia parochiali creetur et ordinetur et ut sub ipso preposito vicarius perpetuus curam habens animarum limitetur et ordinetur nostrum super hoc consensum instanter requirendo . nos igitur in diuini cultus augmentum ad erectionem creationem et ordinacionem premissas perpetuis futuris temporibus faciendas nostrum consensum dedimus ac damus et concedimus pro perpetuo tenore presencium literarum dictis tamen prepositura et perpetua vicaria prefate ecclesie parochialis de Edinburgh ad nostram et successorum nostrorum prefacionem tociens quociens vacare contigerint seu earum altera contigerit singulis futuris temporibus remanentibus et imperpetuum remansuris . In cuius rei testimonium presentibus magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus [etc.] apud Struelin vicefimo primo die mensis Octobris anno Domini n^o iiii^e sexagesimo sexto et regni nostri septimo.

Carta confirmacionis capellano in ecclesia Beati Egidii de Edinburgh.

s3 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem . . . Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . . . Omnibus . . . Alexander Curroure vicarius ecclie perrochialis de Dunfiare Glasguensis dioecesis et Johannes Logtoune capellanus salutem . . . Noueritis nos . . . pro salute anime . . . Jacobi . . . regis . . . Scotorum animarum nostrarum . . . patrum et matrum fratrum et fororum . . . antecessorum et succeſorum nostrorum . . . et . . . [eorum] penes quos . . . deliquimus omniumque benefactorum nostrorum ac omnium fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . . Omnipotenti Deo Beate Marie . . . virginī . . . Beato Nicholaio confessori et omnibus sanctis Dei ac vni capellano . . . celebranti . . . annuatim ad altare Beati Nicholai . . . in ecclie perrochiali Beati Egidii . . . Sanctiandree dioecesis in . . . elimofinam . . . terram . . . iacentem in . . . Edinburgh ex parte boriali Vici Regii . . . inter terram quandam Simonis de Nudre ex parte orientali . . . et terram quandam Lanchlohi de Abernethi ex parte occidentali . . . vnam cum annuis redditibus . . . infrascriptis videlicet . . . Vnum annum redditum quinque marcaram et quinque solidorum . . . Seocie . . . leuandum ad festum Penthecoſtes et Sancti Martini . . . de . . . terra quandam Jacobi Atkinſoune iacente . . . ex parte boriali Vici Regii . . . inter terram quandam Johannis Barcare ex parte orientali . . . et terram quandam Thome Cant ex parte occidentali . . . annum redditum trefdecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum dictæ monete . . . de . . . terra Thome Tempilman iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram quandam Jacobi Smyth ex parte orientali . . . et terram Thome Stevinſoune ex parte occidentali . . . annum redditum octo solidorum predictæ monete . . . de . . . terra quandam dicti Thome Stevinſoune iacente . . . inter terram . . . Thome Tempilman ex parte orientali

. . . et terram Thome Alane ex parte occidentali . . . annum redditum nouem solidorum antedictæ monete . . . de . . . terra Thome Yhong iacente . . . ex parte boriali Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Willelmi Porrok ex parte orientali . . . et terram quondam Stephani Purrok ex parte occidentali . . . annum redditum decem solidorum monete predictæ . . . de . . . terra Jacobi Hervy iacente . . . ex parte boriali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Dauid Hoppar ex parte orientali . . . et terram Johannis Piot ex parte occidentali . . . annum redditum viginti solidorum predictæ monete . . . de . . . duabus terris quondam Henrici Bell iacentibus infra tenementum quondam Patricii de Lowis . vna videlicet inter terram Simonis Bras continentem quinque perticatas . . . ex parte australi et aliam terram dicti Simonis continentem duas perticatas cum dimidia . . . ex parte boriali . alia vero inter ipsam terram dicti Simonis continentem duas perticatas cum dimidia . . . ex parte australi et Laeum Borialem ex parte boriali . quodquidem tenementum . . . iacet . . . ex parte boriali Vici Regii . . . inter tenementum Jonete Wigmer ex parte orientali . . . et tenementum quondam Thome Benyng ex parte occidentali . . . et vnum annum redditum quadraginta solidorum predictæ monete . . . de . . . terra Hugonis de Bare iacente in . . . Leth ex parte australi aque . . . in baronia de Lestalrik infra vicecomitatum de Edinburgh inter terram domini Alexandri Napare militis ex parte orientali . . . et aliam terram . . . Hugonis Bare ex parte occidentali . . . Tenendam . . . predictam terram . . . et annuos redditus . . . in . . . elimofinam . . . Volamus eciam quod . . . capellanie donacio ad nos . . . pro . . . tempore vite . . . pertineat post vero decepsum nostrum . . . ad Johannem Steuart dominum baronie de Bradwode infra vicecomitatum de Clidifdale et ad heredes suos . . . item . . . quod quocienfunque predictus Johannes . . . et successores sui fuerint remissi . . . per quadraginta dies . . . ad conferendum . . . capellano . . . donacio . . . ad

prepositum . . . et communitatem . . . de Edinburgh pro illa vice pertinebit · item . . . quod procuratores . . . capellani pro predi&itis annuis redditibus terras de quibus debentur . . . recuperare poffint in defe&tu folucionis . . . et . . . tanquam heredes nostri . . . tenere . . . Tenebitur eciam . . . capellanus . . . missam cotidianam ad predictum altare de mane hora sexta cum dispositus fuerit celebrare et introitu cuiuslibet misse populum exhortari vt pro animabus predi&torum dicant oracionem Dominicam cum falutacione angelica · Tenebitur eciam . . . omni die post meridiem pro animabus supradictorum dicere more solito *Placebo* et *Dirige* . . . eciam . . . omni anno octauo die mensis Julii exponere super exequiis trefdecim solidos et quatuor denarios quorum dabit decim solidos et octo denarios prefibiteris collegii ecclesie Beati Egidii · et viginti denarios in cercis illuminandis et ardendis in predi&itis exequiis · et clericis pulsanti campanas in ecclesia fex denarios · et campanario pulsanti campanas per villam bina vice fex denarios · Volumus eciam . . . quod si . . . concubinam seu focariam detinuerit . . . eciam si non fecerit personalem residenciam vel promotus fuerit ad aliud . . . beneficium . . . vacabit . . . capellania . . . nobis . . . libero tene-
mento . . . terre et . . . reddituum predi&torum pro . . . tempore vite . . . faluo . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigilla nostra . . . sunt appensa apud Edinburgh decimo quinto . . . Februarii . . . millefimo quadringentesimo sexagesimo sexto · Quamquidem cartam . . . confir-
mamus . . . faluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus . . . Andrea epifcopo Glasguensi Thoma epifcopo Aberdonensi . . . confanguineis nostris Andrea domino Avandale cancellario nostro Colino comite de Ergile domiuo Cambele magistro hospicii nostri Roberto domino Boide Jacobo domino Levinstoune magno camerario nostro Roberto domino Lile · magistris Jacobo Lindiffay prepoſito de Linclou-
dane nostri secreti sigilli custode Dauid Guthre de eodem nostrorum com-

potorum rotulatore et Arehibaldo Quhitlaw decano de Dunbare secreta-
rio nostro · apud Edinburgh vicefimo quarto die . . . Februarii . . .
millesimo quadringentesimo sexagesimo sexto et regni nostri septimo.

Robertus Logane altari Sancti Nicholai.

- 84 Anno . . . millesimo quadringentesimo sexagesimo sexto . . . Marcii
die vicefima tercia . . . Patricius Logane de Cotfelde balliuns . . . de
Leftalrig . . . acceſſit ad terram Hugonis de Bar burgenſis de Edin-
burgh iacentem . . . infra vicecomitatum de Edinburgh . . . et . . .
preceptum . . . faſine . . . michi . . . tradidit . . . cuius . . . tenor
ſequitur . . . Robert Logan of Leftalrig til my wele belufyt eſſing
Patrik Logan of Cotfelde my balyhe in that part ſpeciali conſtitut
gretting · To yhow I bid and commandis that thir lettres fene but delay
yhe reſāve a reſignacioun to be maide in yhour handis be Maſter Alex-
ander Currour of al and hale tha fourty ſchelingis worth of annuel rent
wytht the pertinens quhilkis he has yherly to be liſtyt and rayſit at twa
termes of the yher Witsunday and Martymes in wynter be evyn porcionis
of al and hale the lande and tenement of Huchoun of Barris wyth the
pertinens liande into the toun of Leth wythtin the barony of Leftalrig
betuix the lande of Schir Alexander Napar of Merchamſtoun knycht one
the eſt part and ane vthir lande of the ſaid Huchonis one the west part ·
the quhilk reſignacioun be yhow beande refavyt that yhe thareſtir gif
heretabil ſtate poſſeffioun and feſſyng of the ſaid fourty ſchelingis of
annuel rent to Sanct Nicholace and to Schir James Skynnar chapillane
of the chapillany to be fundyt be the ſaid Maſter Alexander at the altar
of Sanct Nicholace in Sanct Jelis kirk of Edinburgh eftir the tenor of
the ſaid Maſter Alexanderis chartar and the fundacioun to be maide
tharapoun reſeruande the franktenement of the ſaid annuel rent to the

faid Maſter Alexander for al the dais of his lyf · the quhilk reſignacionou
 to refave and ſefing to giſ I commit to yhow as balyhe in that part my
 ful and vureuocabil powar be thir preſentis · In witnes of the quhilk
 thing to thir preſent lettres I haſ ſet my ſele at Cragy the xxth day of
 the moneth of Marche the yher of Our Lorde i^m iiiii^{ccc} ſexty and ſex
 yheris · Quo . . . perleſto . . . magiſter Alexander . . . redditum . . .
 reſignauit . . . Qua reſignacione ſic facta . . . balliuus . . . faſinam
 . . . dedit . . . A&a . . . hora quaſi nouena ante meridiem . . . pre-
 tentibus . . . Roberto Ballon Alano Lamb Johanne de Culros Johanne
 Napar Willelmo Smyth Thoma Talyhour Willelmo Peblis Johanne Wat-
 foun Johanne Pilgrym Jacobo Hogefoun Willelmo Cuk Roberto Kynnarde
 Alano Bully Johanne Scot Roberto Hal et Roberto Lamb ſeriando cum
 multis aliis . . .

Robertus Marcial . . . notarius . . .

Carta confirmacionis Roberto Auldhoch pro ſuſtentacione vnius capellani.

- 85 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . falutem .
 Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexiſſe ſub hac forma · Omnibus . . .
 Robertus Auldhoch burgenſis . . . de Edinburgh falutem . . . Nouerit
 vniuerſitas veſtra me . . . pro falute anime . . . Jacobi fecundi . . . regis
 Scotorum . . . anime . . . Jacobi terciī . . . regis Scotorum . . . anime
 Margarete . . . coniugis fue . . . anime mee patrifque mei et matris mee
 . . . anime Elizabeth ſponſe mee et . . . animarum . . . antecceſſorum et
 ſucceſſorum meorum et . . . omnium fideliū defunctorum dediſſe . . .
 magiſtro Roberto Cottis capellano et ſuis ſucceſſoribus . . . celebrantibus
 . . . in ecclēſia perochiali de Edinburgh ad altare Sancte Katherine vir-
 ginis . . . annuum redditum . . . decem librarum . . . Scocie . . . de
 . . . terra mea . . . iacente in . . . Leith ex parte australi aque . . .

in baronia de Leftalrig infra vicecomitatum de Edinburgh inter terram Johannis Cufing ex orientali . . . et terram Simonis Lamb ex parte australi . . . terram Andree Connynghame ex occidentali . . . et Com- munem Viam ex parte orientali . . . Tenendum . . . in . . . elimofinam . . . Et . . . volo pro me et heredibus meis quod . . . magister Robertus . . . vel . . . alius . . . quem ipse ad hoc elegere velit . . . ad pre- dictum altare . . . celebret . . . missas . . . cum sit dispositus . . . Volo eciam quod successores fui . . . indies celebrent missas . . . Insuper facio . . . post deceßum mei et dicti magistri Roberti . . . heredes meos linie vel tallie . . . patronos . . . capellanie . . . ad pre- sentandum . . . infra [spacium] quadraginta diernm . et si contingat prefatos . . . deficere . . . tunc licebit . . . preposito balliuis et con- fulibus burgi . . . ad presentandum . . . infra spacium quadraginta dierum . . . capellatum . . . de parentela et de fanguine meo cum . . . fuerit ydoneus . nec erit licitum dictis . . . ad mutandum . . . dictam capellaniam . . . a dicto altari . . . In cuius rei testimo- nium sigillum meum vnamcum appenſione figilli . . . Roberti Logane domini . . . baronie de Leftalrig . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh vicefimo . . . Septembbris . . . millefimo quadrageſimo feptuageſimo preſentibus . . . Alexandro Naper de Merchameſtoun milite et prepoſito dicti burgi . Johanne Butelarc Georgeo Pennicuke Thoma Stanelic balliuis . . . Patricio Baroune decano gilde . Johanne Fauside theſaurario . . . Georgeo Bertrame Andrea Cranfurde Waltero Yhong Henrico Cant Waltero Bertrahame Johanne Halkarſtoune Willelmo Layng Georgeo Grenclaw burgenibus . . . Thoma Layng Roberto Marſchell et domino Patricio Craufurde notariis . . . Quamquidem cartam . . . confir- manmus . . . faluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei teſtimoniū . . . magnum ſigillum noſtrum apponi precepimus teſtibus . . . Andrea epifco Glafguensi Willelmo epifco Orcadienſi Niniano epifco Candide Café . . . consanguineis noſtris Andrea domino Avan-

dale cancellario nostro Colino comite de Ergile domino Lorne magistro hospieii nostri Dauid comite de Craufurde domino Lindefsay Johanne Colquhoune de codem milite Jacobo Schaw de Salquhy nostrorum computorum rotulatore . magistris Dauid Guthre de codem clero nostro rotulorum et registri Archibaldo Quhitlaw archidiacono Laudonie fecetario nostro Johanne Layng rectore de Tannades thesaurario nostro . sexto . . . Julii . . . millefimo quadringentesimo septuagesimo primo et regni nostri vndecimo.

Carta fundacionis capellanie Johannis Dalrimpil ad altare Sancti Eligii.

- 86 **Omnibus . . .** Johannes de Dalrympile filius et heres quondam Dauid Dalrimpile burgenis . . . de Edinburgh . . . salutem . Noueritis me . . . pro salute animarum . . . quondam . . . Jacobi primi Jacobi secundi Scotorum regum . . . ac regis Jacobi tertii moderni et omnium fuorum antecessorum et successorum et . . . quondam Ade de Dalrimpile aurifabri neenon Johannis de Dalrimpile aui mei ac Elizabeth sponse fue auie mee ae . . . Dauid patris mei et Isabelle matris mee et . . . omnium fabrorum dieti burgi ac omnium amicorum meorum et eorum quibus debitor fui neenon . . . comburgenfium . . . et omnium fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . . Deo Beate Marie virginis Sanctoque Eligio confessori ad sustentacionem vnius capellani . . . ad altare Sancti Eligii . . . in eccllesia collegiata Beati Egidii . . . vnum annuum redditum meum decem librarum . . . Scocie . . . leuandarum ad . . . terminos vfuales . . . videlicet . decem marcas . . . de terra siue orto magistri Georgii Liddale rectoris de Foresta iacente . . . in le Cowgate ex parte australi eiusdem inter terram meam . . . ex parte orientali . . . et terram Alexandri Galloway ex parte occidentali . . . et le Mafondew ex parte australi . . . et Communem Viam Regiam ex parte boreali . . . neenon quinque

marcas . . . de dicta terra mea ex parte orientali dicti orti tam vasta quam edificata inter terram Jacobi Narn ex parte orientali . . . et dictum ortum ex parte occidentali . . . Tenendum . . . in feodo et hereditate ac in . . . elimofinam . . . ad prefentacionem mei et heredum meorum . . . si infra vnum mensem . . . prefentare curauerint . Et quod . . . capellanus ad continuam residenciam arceatur et quod . . . teneatur personaliter ministrare . Et si heredes mei negligentes fuerint . . . [in]prefentacione . . . capellani infra vnum mensem . . . licebit . . . communitati . . . prefentare . . . Volumus insuper quod . . . prepositus balliu et communitas . . . videant . . . quod heredes et successores mei . . . redditus predictos . . . nullatenus appropriare valeant . . . Eciā volumus quod si contingat . . . capellatum . . . ad . . . aliud beneficium . . . promoueri . . . capellania vacabit . . . Tenebitur tamen . . . capellanus . . . in principio eiuslibet missie et ad lauatorium exhortari populum ut dicant vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica videlicet *Ave Maria* pro animabus predictis necnon . . . cotidie celebrare missam personaliter cum dispositus fuerit . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . sigillum meum vacum sigillo . . . Alexandri Crechton vnius balliuorum . . . fasnam . . . dantis domino Johanni Osburne capellano . . . et suis successoribus . . . est appensum coram . . . Georgeo domino Haliburton Roberto Folkart Adam Folkart Jacobo Aikman Matheo Osburne Johanne Farnly Johanne Nicholfone Johanne Sinclar Willelmo Yhoungh Johanne Leth Jacobo Harcaris feriendo et Willelmo Farnly notario . . . cum . . . aliis . apud Edinburgh nono . . . Septembris . . . m^o cccc^{mo} septuagesimo septimo.

Confirmacio mortificacionis altaris Sancti Martini.

Jacobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem
 87 Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma · Jacobus . . .
 episcopus Dunkeldensis omnibus . . . salutem . . . Noueritis nos . . .
 pro salute animarum . . . Jacobi tertii et Margarete sponsae fue . . .
 Scotorum regis et regine . . . animeque . . . domini Thome Lawder
 . . . predecessoris nostri anime nostre . . . et animarum patris et matris
 . . . fratrum fororum parentum et benefactorum nostrorum [ac eorum]
 . . . penes quos . . . delinquimus animarumque omnium fidelium de-
 functorum fundasse . . . capellaniam in ecclesia Beati Egidii de Edin-
 burgh Sanctiandree dioecesis in insula Sancte Crucis ad columpnam occi-
 dentalem ad altare Beatorum Martini et Thome dedisseque . . . Omni-
 potenti Deo Beate Marie . . . virginis et Beato Columbe abbatii patrono
 nostro et omnibus sanctis [et] . . . capellano . . . celebranti . . .
 ad prefatum altare . . . decem libras anni redditus . . . Scocie . . . de
 . . . tenemento iacente . . . ex parte boriali Vici Regii . . . inter ter-
 ram Jacobi Cammeroun ab orientali . . . et terram Willelmi Carketill
 ab occidentali . . . Tenendum . . . predictum . . . redditum . . . in
 . . . elimofinam . . . Volumus eciam . . . quod . . . presentacio nobis
 pro tempore nostro pertineat et post nos . . . episcopis Dunkeldensis
 . . . ita quod . . . infra viginti dies postquam vacatio . . . innov-
 erit presentent alioquin . . . hac vice . . . presentacio ad . . .
 communitatem . . . burgi pertineat . Volumus insuper quod . . . capel-
 lanus in dicta villa . . . refideat et quod omni die quo dispositus fuerit
 pro animabus supradictis celebret · et si contingat cum triginta diebus in
 anno alibi . . . capellanie administracione abesse . . . capellania vacare
 censeatur · Insuper concedimus . . . capellano . . . duas mareas . . .
 Scocie anni redditus de . . . tenemento . . . predicto . . . ad

. . . sustentacionem trium lampadum in ecclesia . . . predicta coram Beate Marie virginis Sancte Crucis in insula predicta ac Beatorum Martini Thome et Columbe altaribus perpetuo appendendarum . quas lampades per totum tempus yemale volumus in secundo pulsu campane ad vesperas accendi et usque ianuarum clausuram ecclesie continue lucere . et si contingat dictas lampades ter in anno in oleo aliis necessariis deficere licitum erit . . . communitati . . . ad prefatum . . . redditum . . . leuandum ipsasque lampades . . . sustentandum custodem ydoneum deputare . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum nostrum rotundum presentibus est appensum apud Edinburgh decimo . . . Octobris . . . millefimo quadringentefimo septuagesimo septimo et consecrationis nostre secundo coram . . . magistris et dominis Patricio Yhoun precentore Willelmo Levingston thefaurario Dauid Meldrum officiali nostro Dauid Coldene notario . . . ecclesie nostre cathedralis . . . canonicis . Thoma Hunter vicario de Mulyne Adam Wilso[n] et Roberto Irland presbiteris et notariis . . . Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus . . . saluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus [etc.] apud Edinburch vltimo . . . Octobris . . . millefimo quadringentefimo septuagesimo septimo et regni nostri decimo octauo.

[Carta Willelmi Forbes prepositi ecclesie.]

ss. **O**mnis hanc cartam visuris vel audituris Willelmus Forbes prepositus ecclesie collegiate Sancti Egidii burgi de Edinburch Sanctiandree dioecesis salutem in Domino sempiternam . Noueritis me cum consenu et assenu capituli mei matura deliberacione prehabita et maxime confiderato quod perrochiani mei indies crescunt et augentur et dum deceferint locum sepulture infra ecclesiam nec extra habere nequint infra perrochiam

meam dedisse conceffisse et hac presenti carta mea pro me et successoribus meis confirmasse Deo Omnipotenti Beate Marie virginis eius matris gloriofissime Beato Egidio patrono et ecclesie predictae illam partem orti mei cum pertinentiis iacentem contigue manso meo iuxta eccliam collegiatam predictam ex parte australi eiusdem prout iacet in longitudine et latitudine subscriptis videlicet. Incipiendo a vinella que iacet ex parte orientali eiusdem a Vico Australi vulgariter dicto le Cowgate usque dictam eccliam ac cimiterium eiusdem sibi contiguum . et extendendo a latere orientali dicti cimiterii versus occidens usque mansum meum et domos officinas ex parte orientali eiusdem . et tunc discendendo versus austrum linea recta usque finem australem ortuli mei sive gardini iacentis contigue ad finem australem predicti mansi mei et deinde subitus dictum ortulum meum sive gardinum versus austrum extendendo ad occidens sicut pars occidentalis mansi mei extendit . et tunc discendendo ad austrum usque finem orientalem eiusdem orti . ad unum cimiterium ibidem pro perrochianis meis sepeliendis et successo in puram et perpetuam elimosinam . Tenendum et habendum dictam eccliam et perrochianis eiusdem in puram et perpetuam elimosinam pr in unum cimiterium cum omnibus rectis metis suis et diuisis prout iacet in longitudine et latitudine ac cum omnibus aliis et singulis [libertatibus immunitatibus et asfamentis ac iustis pertinentiis suis quibuscumque tam non nominatis quam nominatis tam sub terra quam supra terram tam proximal quam prope ad predictam partem orti mei cum pertinentiis spectantibus seu iuste spectare valentibus quomodolibet in futurum et adeo libere quiete plenarie integre honorifice bene et in pace in omnibus et per omnia ticut aliqua terra infra regnum Scocie alieni per aliquem liberius datur vel conceditur aut dari vel concedi poterit qualitercumque in futurum in puram et perpetuam elimosinam ac sine retinemento reuocacione seu obstatculo aliquali . In cuius rei testimonium hinc presenti carte mee sigillum

meum proprium vnam figillo capituli antediicti et subscriptionibus manuibus canonorum eiusdem in signum suorum consensuum et assensuum et de non contradicendo in futurum est appensum coram hiis testibus Jacobo Creichtoun de Rothuen preposito · Willelmo Rynde Alexandro Boncle Patricio Balbirny ballini · Alexandro Richartson decano gilde · Georgeo Stewart Willelmo Levingtoun magistro Ricardo Robison domino Georgeo Cotis et Willelmo Farnly notariis publicis cum multis aliis apud Edinburgh decimo quarto die mensis Januarii anno Domini millesimo quadrageentesimo septuagesimo septimo.

Willelmus Forbes prepositus manu propria.

Ricardus Roberti prebendarius de Crageruk manu propria.

Johannes Craufurd manu propria.

Johannes Fyndgud curatus manu propria.

Willelmus Thomfoune manu propria.

Johannes Skathmure manu propria.

Johannes Cliddifdale manu propria.

Thomas Halyday manu propria.

Tomas Rechartson manu propria.

Mathisoun manu propria.

Dominus Jacobus Bawbyrny manu propria.

Infeodacio Patricii Baroun.

89 **O**mnis . . . Patricius Baroun burgenis . . . de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noueritis me cum consenu . . . Margarete sponse mee . . . pro salute animarum . . . quondam . . . Jacobi secundi regis et Marie confortis fue regine Scocie proliumque suarum et pro prosperitate . . . Jacobi tertii moderni regis . . . et Margarete . . . fue coniugis et pro salute animarum suarum post eorum deceplum pro saluteque animarum

patris mei et matris et . . . anime mee et . . . sponfe mee necnon
. . . animarum burgenfium et communitatis . . . de Edinburgh eorumque
. . . quibus debitor fui et penes quos . . . deliqui . . . omniumque
fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . . Deo et Beate Marie virginis Sancto
Petro et omnibus sanctis Dei unique capellano . . . celebranti . . . ad
altare Sancti Andree . . . in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidii . . . ex
parte australi . . . in . . . elimofinam . . . annuos redditus meos et
terram subscriptam videlicet vnum annum redditum iii librarum et ii
solidorum . . . Scocie . . . percipiendarum ad . . . terminos usuales
. . . de . . . terra Archebaldi Ruvan iacente . . . ex parte boreali
Vici Regii . . . inter terram episcopi Dunkeldensis ex parte orientali
. . . et terram Johannis Selyman ex parte occidentali . . . et terram
Johannis Macolme carnificis ex parte boreali . . . et terram Willelmi de
Carketill ex parte australi . . . et annum redditum quinque solidorum
dictae monete . . . de . . . terra anteriori prefate terre pertinentis
dicto Willelmo de Carketil . ac annum redditum xvi solidorum predictae
monete . . . de . . . terra Johannis Macolme iacente infra transitum
predictae terre inter terram Willelmi Baroun ex parte australi et terram
episcopi Dunkeldensis . . . ex parte orientali et terram Willelmi Sely-
man ex parte occidentali et terram meam propriam felicet caudam
vastam prefate terre ex parte boreali . . . quam . . . caudam . . .
discendentem usque ad Lacum Borealem . . . do . . . capellano . . .
celebranti . . . ut preferiptum est . ac . . . vnum annum redditum
xl solidorum prefate monete . . . de . . . terra Jacobi Lamb iacente
. . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram Alexandri Leving-
toun ex parte occidentali et terram Thome Tod ex parte orientali et
terram Johannis Robison ex parte australi et Communem Viam Regiam
ex parte boreali . . . necnon vnum annum redditum ii marcarum pre-
scripte monete . . . de . . . terra Johannis Mure iacente apud Archum
Superiorem inter terram Alexandri Naper ex orientali et terram Johannis

Busby ex australi et terram Sancti Johannis ex boreali et terram domini Patricii Marschell capellani ex occidentali . . . item . . . annum redditum ii marcarum antedictae monete . . . de . . . tenemento . . . domini Johannis Machan capellani iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . prope montem castri inter terram Willelmi Ramfay ex orientali et Willelmi Bigholm ex occidentali . . . vnum annum redditum x solidorum antescripte monete . . . de . . . [terra] Johannis Neilsooun iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . in fine Vinelle de le Nuderis Wynde inter terras Johannis Law ex occidentali et Willelmi Byning ex orientali et Johannis Waklot ex boreali et Communem Viam Regiam ex australi . . . annum redditum x solidorum prelibate monete . . . de . . . terra dicti Johannis Waklot iacente in dicta vinella inter terras dicti Johannis Law ex occidentali et Willelmi Bining ex orientali et Johannis Dempstar ex boreali et . . . Johannis Neilson ex australi . . . et . . . annum redditum ix solidorum sepedictae monete . . . de . . . terra quondam Jacobi Lamb iacente sub muro castri inter terras Johannis Faram ex orientali parte et Johannis Falcoun ex occidentali parte et croftam Johannis Nicholai ex australi parte et Communem Viam Regiam ex parte boreali . . . Tenendos . . . in . . . elemosinam . . . Volo eciam . . . quod . . . presentacio heredibus meis pertineat et infra octo dies . . . quo ciens vacauerit . . . capellania in qua si . . . deficerint . . . volo . . . quod . . . presentacio . . . ad . . . communitatem . . . burgi . . . pertineat et quod infra xx dies post vacacionem . . . capellatum . . . presentent . Set volo quod cum fuerit . . . capellanus ydoneus parentele mee vel hoc cognomen . . . Baroun gerens . . . ante . . . alios . . . presentetur . Tenebitur . . . capellanus . . . in principio cuiuslibet missae populum exhortari ut dicant vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica scilicet *Ave Maria* etc. et ad primum lauatorium *De profundis* pro animabus omnium fidelium defunctorum necnon post celebracionem missae indutus albo adire meo sepulchro cum asperforio et

aqua benedicta et ibidem dicere psalmum *Miserere mei Deus et De profundis* etc. pro animabus supradiictis finitis precibus et oracionibus supradictis aspergendo aquam benedictam super tumulum et ibidem astantes. Set . . . non licet heredibus meis nec . . . communitati . . . prefatos . . . redditus . . . retinere vel . . . conuertere . . . ita quod . . . capellanus possit . . . terras de quibus . . . redditus debentur . . . in defunctu solucionis . . . distingere . . . Ac . . . si contingat . . . capellatum focariam seu concubinam detinere . . . vacabit . . . capellania . qui . . . capellanus ad continuam residenciam arceatur. Tenebitur eciam . . . quolibet die Dominico et maiori duplici festo ad matutinas altam missam et vespertas in choro cum suo superpellacio interesse et indies cum dispositus fuerit modo quo supra missam celebrare . . . In quorum . . . fidem . . . sigillum meum vacuum sigillo communis . . . burgi ac sigillo . . . Patricii Balbyrny viius balliuorum . . . fafinam . . . dantis . . . domino Edwardo Maxwell capellano . . . celebranti . . . ad dictum altare . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh in pretorio . . . xxviii . . . Maii . . . m° cccc° lxxviii° coram . . . Jacobo Creichtoun de Rothven preposito . Willelmo Rynde Patricio Balbyrny balliuis . . . Alexandro Riche decano gilde . Johanne Boncle thesaurario . Georgio Bertrem . Waltero Bertrem . Thoma Tod . Jacobo Aikman . Bartholomeo de Carnys . Willelmo Farnly notario publico . Laurencio Bertrem . Johanne Flemyn . dominis David Maxwell et Alexandro Baroun capellanis . Johanne Yhong . Johanne Quhitheid . Johanne Farnly feriendo gilde . Jacobo Harcaris et Johanne Broun feriandis . cum diuersis aliis . . .

Carta confirmacionis duarum cartarum factarum per Joannem Ottirburn etc.

90 **J**aeobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre sue . . . salutem . . . Sciatis nos duas cartas . . . quas fecit . . . magister Johannes Ottirburne in decretis licenciatus archidiaconus Candide Cafe et officialis Glasguensis . Vnam videlicet in forma carte indentate . . . factam . . . pro salute animarum infra scriptarum [videlicet domini Jacobi tertii Scotorum regis aliorumque] Deo et ecclesie Beati Kentigerni Glasguensi a vicariis chori dictae ecclesie de uno annuo redditu viginti solidorum . . . regni . . . nostri . . . leuandorum . . . de terra dicti magistri Johannis . . . iacente in . . . Edinburgh ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . infra venellam dictam le Peblis Winde ex parte orientali dictae venelle inter terram quandam Johannis Yheung de Corfwod ex parte australi et terram capellanie Sancte Marie Magdalene ex parte boreali pro uno anniuersario . . . fiendo . . . in choro . . . ecclesie Glasguensis per dictos vicarios et eorum successores . . . Tenor vero secunde carte sequitur . . . Omnibus . . . Johannes Ottirburne licenciatus in decretis archidiaconus Candide Cafe et canonicensis Glasguensis salutem . . . Noueritis me pro salute anime . . . Jacobi tertii regis Scotorum moderni neenon . . . animarum quandam magistri Nicholai de Ottirburne patrui mei . . . vicarii de Edinburgh neenon Thome de Ottirburne et Isabelle Montgomery parentum meorum et . . . anime mee et omnium fidelium viuorum et mortuorum dedisse . . . Deo Omnipotenti et beate virgini Marie Sancto Egidio et curie celesti neenon preposito et capitulo ecclesie collegiate Sancti Egidii de Edinburgh Sanctiandree dioecesis . . . annum redditum viginti solidorum monete Scocie . . . de tenemento Petri Marche iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter tenementum . . . Johannis episcopi Glasguensis . . . et tenementum

Willelmi Halkertstoun ex parte occidentali . . . de quo . . . habeo
quatuor marcas eiusdem monete annui redditus . . . ad beneplacitum
mei et heredum vel affignatorum meorum . . . leuandorum ad duos anni
terminos . . . in . . . elimofinam pro vno anniuersario celebrando
quamdiu vixerim pro animabus dictorum magistri Nicholai Thome et
Isabelle omni feria tercia proxima post festum Sancte Trinitatis videlicet
Placebo et *Derige* cum nouem lectionibus ut moris est in dicto collegio
cum solemni missa feria quarta proxime et immediate sequente . . . et
quilibet canonicus dicti collegii seu capellanus conducticius . . . cele-
brabit missam defunctorum modo priuato pro animabus eorundem et
omnium fidelium . et si eo die aliqui eorum non fuerint dispositi ad cele-
brandum tunc infra octo dies sequentes celerabunt . . . Et post obitum
meum volo quod celebrent huiusmodi anniuersarium videlicet *Placebo*
[et] *Derige* eum missis solemni ac priuatis pro animabus magistri Nicholai
Thome et Isabelle anima mea et omnium aliorum prescriptorum . Volo
eciam quod facient magnum altare dictae ecclesie more solemni ornari et
tabulam sive pharatum in medio chori poni et super illam seu illud
carpetam et supra candelabra argentea cum cruce argentea et duobus
cereis ponderis dimidie libre cere cum aliis duobus cereis alterius dimidie
libre cere arsuris in magno altari temporibus dictarum exequiarum de
fero et missa in crastino . et quod faciant maximam campanam dictae
ecclesie sicut moris est ad *Placebo* et missam similiter minores campanas
per burgum pulsari eorum expensis . Et si aliquis canonicorum conducti-
ciorum se ab huiusmodi feruicio absque causa rationabili absentauerit
volo quod prepositus dicti collegii vel predens loco sui capiat salarium
illius seu illorum absentis seu absentium et distribuat pauperibus . Tenen-
dos . . . huiusmodi viginti solidos . . . a me et heredibus meis in . . .
elimofinam . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum proprium . . .
est appensum apud Edinburgh quarto . . . Maii . . . millesimo quadrin-
gentesimo septuagesimo octavo coram . . . magistris et dominis Ricardo

Roberti Johanne Flemyn Gilberto Ottirburne de Suthek Pinkartoun et
 Stanis rectoribus . Jacobo Fulfurde Georgeo Cotis Johanne Loch laico
 cum . . . aliis . vnam figillo . . . Alexandri Boncle vnius balliuorum
 . . . fasnam dantis in evidencius testimonium . . . Quas . . . cartas
 . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius
 rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus
 testibus [etc.] apud Edinburgh quarto die mensis Junii anno Domini
 millesimo quadringentesimo septuagesimo octauo et regni nostri decimo
 octauo.

Carta Joannis episcopi Glasguensis tenementi in Edinburgh ecclesie
 cathedrali de Glasgow.

- 91 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre sue . . . salutem .
 Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . Omnibus . . .
 Johannes . . . episcopus Glasguensis salutem . . . Noueritis nos . . .
 pro salute animarum . . . quondam . . . Jacobi secundi et Marie . . .
 confortis sue ac . . . pro prosperitate Jacobi tertii moderni regis Sco-
 torum et sue coniugis Margarete . . . et pro salute animarum suarum post
 eorum decepsum et pro salute anime nostre et animarum eorum quibus
 deliquimus . . . dedisse . . . Deo et Sancto Kentigerno confessori nostro
 patrono ac ecclesie cathedrali de Glasgw . . . tenementum . . . quod
 habuimus ex nostro conquestu iacens in . . . Edinburgh ex parte boreali
 Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Georgei Faulo nunc vero Alex-
 andri Scot et heredum eiusdem quondam Georgei ex parte orientali . . .
 et terras Petri Marche et Willelmi Laing ex parte occidentali . . .
 Tenendum . . . in . . . elimosinam . . . Reddendo inde annuatim
 episcopi Glasguensis . . . domino nostro regi . . . firmam burgalem
 . . . necnon capellano altaris Beati Duthaci situati in ecclesia Beati

Egidii de Edinburgh . . . quinque marcas . . . Scocie · ac eciam canonicis ecclesie cathedralis Glasguenfis . . . pro vno anniuersario . . . celebrando in dicta ecclesia per decanum et capitulum . . . die obitus . . . regis Jacobi tertii . . . quatuor marcas dictae monete · necnon dictis canonicis et capitulo . . . pro vno anniuersario . . . die obitus nostri celebrando quadraginta solidos prefate monete · et confanguineo nostro Archibaldo Laing pro toto tempore vite sue dummodo ipse promotus fuerit per nos vel successores nostros ad beneficium centum librarum dictae monete viginti marcas . . . Scocie · percipiendas . . . ad . . . terminos . . . Penthecostes . . . et Sancti Martini . . . de . . . terra anteriori . . . dicti . . . tenementi . . . tantum . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum nostrum . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh octauo . . . Junii . . . millesimo quadringentesimo septuagesimo octauo coram . . . Jacobo Creichtoun de Rothven preposito · Willelmo Rend Alexandro Boncle balliuis . . . Alexandro Ricardi decano gilde · Henrico Cant Patricio Baroun Georgeo Bertrame Willelmo Laing burgenibus . . . Dauid Forsith Willelmo Levingstoun et Johanne Levingstoun cum . . . aliis · Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus [etc.] apud Edinburgh decimo quinto . . . Junii . . . millesimo quadringentesimo septuagesimo octauo et regni nostri decimo octauo.

Carta Walteri Bertrahame ad sustentacionem vnius capellani.

- 92 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre sue . . . salutem · Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma · Omnibus . . . Walterus Bertrahame burgenfis de Edinburch salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . pro salute anime . . . Jacobi secundi quondam Scotorum re-

gis ac anime et pro salubri statu . . . Jacobi tercii Scotorum regis . . .
ac . . . Margarete . . . confortis fue . . . et pro salute animarum
antecefforum et succefforum fuorum et . . . anime mee et anime sponfe
mee Elizabeth et animarum patrum et matrum . . . omniumque ante-
cefforum et succefforum noſtrorum . . . omnium quibus debitor sum et
penes quos . . . deliqui . . . et omnium fidelium defunctorum . . . dediffe
. . . Deo Beate Marie virginī et Sancto Franciſco ad ſuſtentacionem vnius
capellani ſecularis . . . ad altare . . . Sancti Franciſci . . . in eccleſia
perrochiali Beati Egidii . . . poſt . . . magnum et autenticum altare
eiusdem vnum annuum redditum ſex marcarum . . . Scocie . . . ad
festā Penthecoſtes et Sancti Martini . . . leuandum . . . de . . .
terra mea iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter tenemen-
tum quondam Roberti de Nudre ex parte orientali . . . et tenementum
quondam Georgii de Lawdyr ex parte occidentalı . . . et terram Johani-
ni de Dalrimpil ex parte australi . . . et terram Laurencii Bartrahame
ex parte boreali . . . annum redditum . . . ſex marcarum dicte monete
. . . de . . . terra mea iacente in Vico Canonicorum ex parte boreali
. . . eiusdem inter terram Alifone de Criftiswell ex parte orientali . . .
et terram Johannis Browflare ex parte occidentalı . . . annum reddi-
tum . . . triginta ſolidorum dicte monete . . . de . . . terra quondam
Roberti Lyndesay iacente in . . . Leith ex parte australi aque . . . in
baronia de Leftalryg et infra vicecomitatum de Edinburgh inter terram
quondam Patricii Logane de Coteſeyde ex parte occidentalı . . . et ter-
ram quondam Roberti de Bertoune ex parte orientali . . . ac . . . annum
redditum . . . quinquaginta ſolidorum predictę monete . . . de . . .
terra Hugonis de Bar iacente in . . . Leith . . . ex parte australi
aque . . . in dictis baronia et vicecomitatu inter terram Walteri de Spens
ex parte australi . . . et terram quondam Alexandri Napare de Mercha-
mestoun militis ex parte boreali . . . Tenendos . . . in . . . elimo-
ſinam . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . Et volo quod donacio . . .

capellanie ad meam et sponse mee Elizabeth . . . prouisionem . . .
pro . . . tempore vite . . . et post nostrum deceſſum ad heredum
meorum . . . pertineat si infra viginti dies . . . capellatum . . .
aliquis heredum . . . instituere curauerit . et . . . meis heredibus defi-
cientibus . . . vt . . . donacio . . . ad prepositum decanum ecclesie
balliuos et communitatem . . . burgi . . . pertineat illa vice . . .
ita quod nec dicti heredes . . . nec . . . communitas . . . pre-
fatos . . . redditus . . . apud se retineant vel . . . conuertere presum-
mant . . . et . . . quod . . . capellanus . . . possit . . . terras
de quibus . . . redditus debentur in defeſtu non folucionis . . . distrin-
gere . . . et . . . quod . . . ad continuam residenciam areeatur et
quod . . . tenebitur . . . personaliter ministrare . . . eciam . . .
cum dispositus fuerit missam cotidianam celibrare . Et si . . . per quin-
decim dies continuos non celibrauerit . . . et si . . . focariam seu [con-
cubinam] detinuerit . . . et si contingat . . . ad . . . aliud . . . bene-
ficium . . . promoueri . . . vacet . . . capellania . . . Et volo quod
. . . in principio misse sue teneatur populum adhortari vt dicant vnum
Pater noster cum salutacione angelica pro animabus predicatorum . Tene-
bitur eciam . . . vestimenta ad celibrationem missae necessaria et orna-
menta altaris ac . . . panem vinum luminaria et alia ad supportacionem
. . . feruicij necessaria suis . . . expensis . . . habere . . . eciam omni
. . . sexta feria per fe vel eum socio priuato modo celibrare pro anima-
bus . . . predicatorum *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum nouem lectionibus et cum
dispositus fuerit omni secunda feria missam *De requie* celibrare pro de-
functis nisi festum duplex aut aliud . . . impedimentum interueniat . . .
eciam . . . ad . . . iussum patroni . . . sedere in choro cum suo super-
pellicio in vesperis et ad missam diebus Dominicis et in festis principaliter
duplicibus . Infuper do . . . dicto altari presbiteris et pauperibus pro
salute anime mee et anime sponse mee Elizabeth et animarum . . . fu-
predicitorum . . . in die anniversarii mei distribuendum . . . annum

redditum . . . quinque marcarum dictæ monete . . . de . . . duobus tenementis . . . quondam Willelmi de Towris de Berntoun contigue iacentibus . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Johannis Swyft ex parte orientali . . . et terram quondam Ricardi Lanis ex parte occidentali . . . et Viam Regiam ex parte boriali . . . et Communem Viam dictam wlgariter le Kowgate ex parte australi . . . Tenendum . . . in . . . elimosinam . . . et largiendum modo et forma subscriptis videlicet · quod . . . capellanus . . . ad . . . altare Sancti Francisci . . . tenebitur celibrare . . . in die obitus mei anniversarium felicet *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum nota per se et alios sexdecim capellanos . . . de choro . . . qui debent celebrare missam *De requie* priuato modo et magnam missam *De requie* ad dictum altare cum nota et tenentur exhortari populum fundere preces pro defunctis in introitu cuiuslibet missae dicendo vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica et in locione manuum ad offertorium psalmum *De profundis* pro defunctis · quorum cuiuslibet ordino . . . decem denarios · et . . . viginti . . . capellanis missam eodem die celebrantibus extra chorum priuato modo cuiuslibet . . . quatuor denarios · Eciam ordino pro quatuor cereis cere ponderantibus duas libras vel eocirca quatuor solidos quorum duo illuminentur super altare et alii duo super epithauium in exequis supradiictis · ac . . . sacrificie vel clero pulsanti campanas triginta denarios ita quod pulsatis campanis ad *Dirige* ad missam vt moris est eciam pulsabitur maior campana post *Dirige* in vespere ad horam sextam et similiter de mane sexta hora que dicitur wlgariter *le minnyng* et in fine eiusdem illorum pulsuum fient ter tres pulsus singillatim cum mediis interuallis ad excitandum populum orare pro omnibus in Christo defunctis · et campanario pulsanti per villam cum campanis manualibus quatuor denarios · neenon quinquaginta porciones pauperum in cibis et potu singulis annis in elimosinam · quarum . . . octo dabuntur . . . Fratribus Observantie de Edinburgh · tres . . . leprosis · et tres domui hospitali in Venella Sancte Marie · cetere . . . dabuntur

pauperibus quibus melius visum fuerit · et quelibet porcio habebit tres denarios in pane tres in seruicia [ceruisia] et tres . . . in carnibus piscebus cafeo vel butiro prout tempus exigerit . . . Et in die . . . dieti anniuerarii ordino . . . elimosinam proporcionabiliter ponendam super tabulam infra . . . ecclesiam . . . per totam missam . . . Eciam decano dicte ecclesie . . . ad . . . videndum quod . . . ista . . . fient completa . . . octodecim denarios . . . In quorum . . . testimonium . . . sigillum meum . . . est appensum et ad maiores . . . rei . . . firmitatem sigillum commune . . . burgi . . . appendi procuraui apud . . . burgum vicefimo . . . Decembris . . . millesimo quadrageentesimo septuagesimo septimo hiis testibus . . . Jacobo Creichtoun de Rowen . . . preposito · Alexandro Richardsone decano gilde · Johanne Bonkill thefaurario · Willelmo Rinde Patricio Balbirny et Alexandro Boukyll . . . balliuis · Johanne Napare de Rusky Georgeo Bartrahame Henrico Cant Patricio Baroun Bartholomeo de Carnys Jacobo Atkynsfoun Danid Quhithede . . . consulibus ac . . . burgenibus . . . magistro Ricardo Lawfoun et Willelmo Farnle . . . burgi communi clero · Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus . . . Johanne episcopo Glasguensi Willelmo episcopo Morauensi nostri secreti sigilli custode Thoma episcopo Abirdonenfi . . . consanguineis nostris Andrea domino Avandale cancellario nostro Colino comite de Ergile domino Campbell et Lorne magistro hospicii nostri Dauid comite de Crawfurde domino Lyndesay Jacobo domino Hammyltoun · magistris Archibaldo Quhitlaw archidiacono Loudonie feeretario nostro et Alexandro Inglis cancellario Abirdonenfi clero nostrorum rotulorum et registri · apud Edinburgh vicefimo quinto . . . Augusti . . . millesimo quadrageentesimo septuagesimo [octauo] et regni nostri decimo nono.

Carta Andree Mowbray burgenfis de Edinburgh ad fustentacionem vnius
capellani.

93 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem .
Sciatis nos . . . eartam . . . intellexisse sub hae forma . Omibus . . .
Andreas Mowbray burgenfis de Edinburgh salutem . . . Quia per pias
oraciones et missarum vbi Filius pro peccatis nostris Patri offertur cele-
braciones presertim continuas credimus peccata dimitti purgatorii penas
demoliri et ab eiusdem defunctorum animas frequencius liberari et in
paradisi gaudiis collocari . . . ego . . . vnam nouam capellaniam . . .
in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidii . . . ad altarc Beati Niniani . . .
fundare dispono de quibusdam annuis redditibus . . . infra dictum burgum
. . . Igitur nouerit vniuersitas vestra me dedisse . . . Deo et . . .
virgini Marie omnibusque sanctis et . . . capellano . . . celebraturo
pro salute anime regis nostri Jacobi . . . progenitorum et successorum
eiusdem neenon . . . anime mee et Elizabeth sponse mee proliumque
patrum matrum fratrum et fororum ac antecessorum et successorum bene-
factorum nostrorum omniumque aliorum viuorum et defunctorum a quo
vel a quibus aliqua bona recipi et ad condignum non satiffeci . . .
annuos redditus subscriptos . In primis . . . annum redditum quatuor
marcarum . . . Scocie . . . de . . . terra Dauid Quhite . . . iacente
ex parte australi eiusdem in venella vulgariter nuncupata le Forestaris
Wynde et ex parte occidentali eiusdem inter prefatam venellam ex parte
orientali . . . et terram quondam Gilchristi Turnbule pelliparii ex parte
occidentali . . . et terram quondam Johannis Broune Clerc et Thome
Broune Clerc ex parte australi et terram domini quondam Alexandri
Forstar de Corstorfyn militis ex parte boreali . . . annum redditum
triginta duorum solidorum prediche . . . monete . . . de fundo . . .
terre Willelmi Fery iacentis . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . in

venella wlgariter le Peblis Wynde ex parte orientali eiusdem inter terram quondam Alexandri Kemp ex parte boreali . . . et terram Johannis de Prindirlaith ex parte australi . . . et terras Roberti Laudir et Johannis Rede ex parte orientali . . . et predictam communem venellam ex parte occidentali . . . annum redditum quindecim solidorum predictae monete . . . de fundo . . . terre . . . quondam Margarete de Bannathine iacentis in predicta venella inter terram . . . Johannis Prindirlaith ex parte australi et terram predicti Willelmi Fery ex parte boreali . . . annum redditum . . . sexdecim solidorum . . . de fundo . . . terre . . . Johannis de Prindirlaith iacentis ceciam in prenominata venella inter binas terras dicti Willelmi Fery ex australi et boreali . . . annum redditum quindecim solidorum . . . de fundo . . . terre . . . Willelmi Fery iacentis in dicta venella inter terram quondam Willelmi Reingweill ad austrum et terram . . . Johannis Prindirlaith ad boream . . . annum redditum quinque solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . de fundo . . . terre . . . quondam Willelmi Reingweile iacentis in fine prenominate venelle inter Communem Viam Regiam wlgariter le Kougate ex australi et terram dicti Willelmi Fery ex boreali . . . annum redditum quadraginta solidorum de . . . terra mea anteriori iacente in . . . burgo ex parte boreali eiusdem inter terram Johannis Turing ad occidentem et terram Roberti Henrisoun ad orientem terramque Johannis Foulis ad boream et Communem Viam Regiam ad austrum . . . annum redditum octodecim solidorum de . . . tenemento meo iacente in venella nuncupata le Soltrais Wynde ex parte occidentali eiusdem inter terram meam . . . quam habeo in feodifirmam de Fratribus Predicatoribus . . . ex parte boreali versus Vicum Regium . . . et terram meam . . . eidem contigue iacentem ex parte australi . . . annum redditum octodecim solidorum de dicta terra mea iacente inter terram meam . . . ex parte boreali et terram meam . . . vltiorem versus ortum et contigue sibi iacentem ex parte australi · necnon de terra illa

vlteriori uerfus ortum . . . annum redditum octodecim solidorum ea condicione quod si contingat aliquam dictarum trium terrarum contigue iacencium non fore . . . distingibilem pro annuo redditu predicto vide-licet de vnaquaque illarum trium contigue terrarum iacencium octodecem solidorum licitum erit capellano . . . recursum habere ad distingendum aliquam aliarum terrarum contiguarum distingibilem . . . secundum quod fibi melius videatur . . . item vnum annum redditum decem solidorum de . . . orto meo iacente . . . ad finem . . . trium terrarum mearum predictarum inter . . . murum wlgariter the Kingis Wall ex parte boreali uerfus occidentem et sic ex eadem parte boreali extendendo cum gabulo inferioris terre dictarum trium terrarum et contigue cum venella wlgariter Soltrais Wynde et terram quondam Georgei Champnay ad finem eiusdem ad orientem et Communem Viam wlgariter le Kowgate ad austrum neenon vnum ortum vastum quondam Walteri Spens ad orientem et terram quondam Willelmi Yhong ex parte occidental et ortum eiusdem . . . Tenendos . . . in . . . elimosinam et in proprietatem perpetuam . . . Volo autem . . . quod si contingat . . . capellanum . . . concubinam vel focariam . . . retinere . . . si legittime monitus . . . non dimiserit eandem . . . capellania . . . vacare cene- featur . . . et . . . quod si contingat . . . capellatum ad aliud beneficium . . . promoueri . . . capellania vacet . Cum igitur . . . capellaniam . . . vacare contigerit volo . . . quod . . . presentacio ad me quamdiu vixer . . . pertineat et post meum decepsum ad prepositum balliuos confules et secretos . . . burgi et tunc electos secretum con- filium facientes . . . Et si contingat . . . antedictos presentacionem citra vnum mensem a die vacacionis . . . differre sive . . . alias quam ut prefertur de . . . capellania . . . disponere . . . irritum . . . declaro et eo casu volo . . . quod presentacio . . . a . . . predictis ad . . . Dauid Mowbray militem dominum de Bernbugale et eius suc- ceffores ac heredes masculos . . . transferatur . . . non obstantibus

. . . quibusuis ordinacionibus . . . in contrarium . . . Cum enim sacerdo testante eloquio sicut aqua extinguit ignem ita climosina extinguit peccatum . . . do . . . dicto altari presbiteris et pauperibus pro salute animarum . . . prius in suo ordine nominatorum vnum annum redditum triginta trium solidorum . . . de . . . terra fine tenemento meo de novo edificando . . . ad finem orti mei versus vicum vulgariter le Kowgate ad frontem dictae terre construende ad austrum et dictum ortum meum ad boream neenon terram quondam Willelmi Yhong ad occidentem et vnum ortum vaustum quondam Walteri Spens ad orientem . . . in die anniversarii mei per capellanum dicti altaris modo et forma subscriptis . . . distribuendorum videlicet . Decem capellanis de choro collegii dictae ecclesie qui *Placebo* et *Dirige* in nocte precedente . . . diem anniversarii et missam *De requie* in ipsa die eum diacono et subdiacono decenter vestitis cantabunt solemnitatem et missas decem pari modo *De requie* celebrabunt uniuersique dictorum capellorum decem denarios . Et si . . . premissa recusauerint volo quod capellanus . . . eligat sexdecim personas capellanos qui huiusmodi exequias submissa voce in nocte et missas *De requie* in crastinum celebrabunt ita quod dentur uniuersique eorum sex denarii . Item pro quatuor candelis eere ordino quatuor solidos quarum due illuminentur super altare et due super epitaphium in exequiis supradictis . Item clericu pulanti campanas et reparanti honeste epitaphium duodecim denarios . Item campanario pulanti per villam quatuor denarios . Item do . . . de huiusmodi annuo redditu duodecim solidos ad . . . distribuendum pauperibus viginti quatuor porciones in cibo et potu videlicet quod unaqueque porcio valet in pane tres denarios in potu tres denarios et in carnis pisticibus seu butiro et caseo tres denarios prout tempus expostulat . quarum portionum . . . quatuor Fratribus Minoribus de Observancia de Edinburgh et quatuor infirmis hospitalis Venelle Sancte Marie et relique distribuantur ad distributionem . . . capellani magis indigentibus . et quod . . . porciones ponantur in ecclesia super

tabulam . . . per totam principalem missam ante earum distribucionem . . . Item decano fabrice diete ecclesie . . . octodecim denarios ad videndum quod . . . premissa . . . fiant completa . . . per capellanum . . . prout coram Summo Judice voluerit respondere . . . Et . . . volo . . . quod . . . supradicti . . . meam donacionem . . . obseruent . . . prout in die extremi examinis coram Summo Judice voluerint respondere . In cuius rei testimonium . . . sigillum meum . . . vñacum sigillo communi burgi . . . est appensum apud . . . Edinburgh . . . tercio . . . Julii . . . millesimo quadrageſimo septuageſimo octauo coram . . . Jacobo Crechtoun de Rothuen preposito . Willelmo Rende Alexandro Bonkile Patricio Balbirny balliuis . . . Alejandro Richardſoun decano gilde . Johanne Bonkile theſaurario . Patricio Barroun Georgeo Berraham Jacobo Akman Thoma Stanle Dauid Kincade Dauid Quhithede . Johanne Turing confiliario ac Willelmo Fayre ſcriba communi . . . et Johanne Fairle feriendo gilde . cum multis aliis . Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus ſaluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum noſtrum apponi precepimus testibus . . . Johanne epifco Glafguensi Willelmo epifco Morauienſi noſtri ſecreti ſigilli cuſtode Thoma epifco Aberdonenſi . . . confanguineis noſtris Andrea domino Avandale cancellario noſtro Colino comite de Ergile domino Cambell et Lorn magistro hospicii noſtri Dauid comite de Craufurde domino Lyndefay Jacobo domino Hamuyltoun Johanne de Culquhoune de eodem milite . magiftris Archibaldo de Quhitelaw archidiacono Laudonie ſecretario noſtro et Alejandro Inglis cancellario Aberdonenſi clerico noſtrorum rotulorum et registri . apud Edinburgh viceſimo quarto . . . Octobris . . . millesimo quadrageſimo septua-geſimo octauo et regni noſtri decimo nono.

Carta Thome episcopi Dunkeldensis ad sustentacionem vnius capellani in ecclesia Beati Egidii.

94 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem . . . Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . Thomas . . . olim Dunkeldensis iam in vniuersali ecclesia episcopus omnibus . . . salutem . . . Noueritis nos . . . pro salute anime Jacobi regis primi et anime nostre . . . et . . . animarum patrum matrum fratrum fororum parentum parrochianorum et omnium benefactorum nostrorum et . . . omnium fidelium defunctorum fundasse . . . vnam capellaniam in ecclesia Beati Egidii de Edinburgh Sanctiandree dioecesis in insula Sancte Crucis ad columpnam occidentalem ad altare . . . Beatorum Martini et Thome . . . condicionibus infrascriptis . In primis videlicet quod presentacio diete capellanie nobis Thome quoad vixerimus pertineat et post nostrum decepsum episcopo Dunkeldensi . . . quod capellanus habeat personaliter in dicta villa residere et quod die quo fuerit dispositus semel in die habeat celibrare et quod nullum aliud beneficium habeat cum dicta capellania et si personalem residenciam . . . non fecerit aut aliud beneficium cum capellania obtinuerit quod ipsa extunc vacet . . . Et pro sustentacione . . . capellani et ornamentorum dicti altaris damus . . . sex marcas annui redditus tenementi integri Donaldi Kile . . . iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Roberti de Fergushill ex parte orientali . . . et terram quondam Johannis Kuke ex parte occidentali . . . ad . . . terminos . . . Sancti Martini et Pentechoftes per equales porciones [leuandas] . Item quadraginta solidos annui redditus . . . leuandos de hospicio nostro de Edinburgh iacente in Via Australi . . . vulgariter Welgate seu antiquitus Kowgate nuncupata ex parte australi eiusdem vici inter terram abbatis . . . de Melros ex parte orientali . . . et terram Georgii de Koichrane ex occidentali . . . cuius quidem

hofpicii terram . . . a Johanne de Faufide per conquestum habuimus . ipse vero Johannes et antecessores sui eandem terram a magistro de Sowtre in feodifirmam hereditarie obtinuerunt reddendo inde magistro de Sowtre . . . pro ipsa dimidia aera annuatim quinque solidos · quod quidem hofpicium . . . damus . . . ecclesie cathedrali Dunkeldensi . . . saluis nobis libero tenemento . . . pro . . . tempore vite . . . et altari predicto dictis quadraginta solidis · Item viginti solidos . . . Scocie de . . . terra Stephani Huntar iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii infra tenementum quandam Gupild inter terram Johannis de Fawside ex parte australi . . . et terram Ricardi Perell ex parte australi . . . quod . . . tenementum iacet inter tenementum quandam Roberti Hawik ex parte orientali et terram Roberti de Boncle ex parte occidentali · Item viginti sex solidos et octo denarios . . . annui redditus . . . Scocie de . . . terra domini Willelmi Paycock capellani iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii inter terram quandam Thome de Sowtre ex parte orientali . . . et terram Wilelmi de Liddale ex parte occidentali . . . Item quadraginta sex solidos et octo denarios annui redditus . . . Scocie . . . de . . . terra Dauid Yhoun filii et heredis quandam Willelmi Yhoun burgentis de Edinburgh iacente . . . ex parte boriali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Willehni de Cranstoune ex parte orientali . . . et . . . aliam terram dicti Dauid ex parte occidentali . . . in puram . . . elimationem tenendos . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum nostrum rotundum . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh decimo tercio . . . Marcii . . . m°cccc° lxxx° coram . . . domino Dauid Lyndislay de Bowforde milite · magistris et dominis Waltero Drummond Dauid Colden Adam Willelmi et Roberto Yrlande · Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . carte nostre . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus [etc.] decimo . . . Marcii . . . millesimo quadringentesimo octuagefimo et regni nostri vicefimo primo.

Carta mortificationis Patricii Baroune.

95 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . falutem . . . Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . . . Omnibus . . . Patricius Barone [etc. ut supra No. 89.] . . . Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . oracionem suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus . . . Willelmo archiepiscopo Sanctiandree ac . . . Jacobo episcopo Dunkeldensi cancellario nostro Willelmo electo et confirmato Roffensi Georgeo electo Glaſguensi . . . consanguineis nostris Dauid comite de Craufurde domino Lyndesay magistro hospicii nostri Georgeo comite de Huntle domino Gordoune et de Badyhenach Willelmo comite de Erole domino le Hay constabulario regni nostri . . . Archibaldo abbatte . . . Sancte crucis . . . theſaurario nostro . . . consanguineis nostris Alexandro domino Glammys Johanne domino Kennedy Willelmo domino Abirnethy in Rothemay et Willelmo domino Borthwike . . . magistris Dauid Levingtoune rectore de Aire nostri secreti figilli custode Archebaldo Quhitlaw archidiacono Laudonie secretario nostro . . . et domino Alexandro Scot clero noſtrorum rotulorum et registri . . . apud Edinburgh viceſimo fecundo . . . Januarii . . . millefimo quadringentesimo octuagesimo fecundo et regni nostri viceſimo tercio.

[Carta Roberti Bell burgenſis.]

96 **O**mibus . . . Robertus Bell burgenſis . . . de Edynburgh falutem . . . Noueritis me cum confenſu . . . ſponſe mee Helene dediffe . . . domino Dauid Lychton archidiacono Roffensi . . . terram meam . . . iacentem . . . ex parte auſtrali Vici Regii . . . in Vinella Fra-

trum Predicatorum ex parte occidentali passagii huiusmodi inter terram quondam Willelmi de Karebris ex parte australi et aliam terram meam . . . ex parte boreali vna cum gabello australi huiusmodi non ledendo . . . mea asiamenta inibi nunc constructa . . . et . . . cum *le galry* . . . per totum spacium dictae principalis terre in longitudine extendente inter terram abbatis . . . de Melros ex parte occidentali et . . . Vinel-lam . . . Fratrum ex parte orientali pro . . . certa summa pecunie . . . Tenendam . . . a me . . . de . . . rege . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . eum . . . potestate . . . habendi . . . gradum lapideum foris in dicta vinella pro introitu ad dictam terram constractum . . . siue in melius . . . alterandi . . . velut nunc extendit per latus domus siue terre mee borealis . Et . . . volo quod *le sjour* quod solebat habere exitum et discentium per dictum *le galry* habeat . . . discentium et exitum per dictam terram meam borealem et per portam huiusmodi eo modo quod non nocet dicto Dauid . . . in futurum . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . altari nostre Domine Pietatis . . . in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidi . . . viginti solidos et octo denarios . . . Scocie ad . . . terminos con-fuetos . . . tantum . . . Et in specialem warantum . . . affigno . . . predictam terram meam borealem dicto domino Dauid . . . ad reuelandum . . . ipsum . . . ab omni solucione . . . annui redditus . . . redditu superius annotato . . . excepto . In eius rei testimonium sigillum meum . . . vna cum signo . . . Archibaldi Todrik vnius balliuorum . . . fatinam . . . dantis . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh tertio . . . Junii . . . millesimo quadringentesimo octagesimo tertio eoram . . . Johanne Stewart Johanne Halkerstoun Willelmo Allerdes in artibus magistro Andrea Selatar et Dauid Neil feriendo cum diuersis aliis.

Transfumptum carte Johannis Quhitheid per villam sibi facte xxii^o Marcii anno lxxxiii^o.

- 97 **O**mnis . . . communitas . . . de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noueritis nos vnamini confensu . . . vendidisse . . . Johanni Quhitheid . . . comburgenſi . . . terciam partem terre anterioris tenementi quondam Thome Preston quondam Roberto Lyne pertinentem iacentem . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Georgii Edwardſoun ex parte orientali et terram Donaldi Kile ex parte occidentali · que . . . tercia pars . . . ex . . . mandato dicti . . . Roberti ad vendendum oblata fuerat et in foro vendicionis per annum et diem . . . pro certis pecuniarum summis nobis per ipsum . . . debitis steterat ac nobis pro eisdem summis extendendo ad integrum summam quinquaginta duarum librarum tresdecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum appreciabatur · deinde . . . ipſam terciam partem . . . ipfo Roberto defuncto heredibus suis pro dicto precio obtulimus qui . . . minime habuerunt bona vnde . . . terram redimere poterant nec ad . . . patris . . . debita perfoluenda · et sic tercia pars huiusmodi . . . iuris ordine in manus nostras tendit · Ideo eandem . . . Johanni Quhitheid ut supra vendidimus pro . . . summa pecunie . . . pre manibus . . . perfoluta . . . Tenendam . . . a nobis . . . de . . . rege . . . quoque heredes . . . Roberti . . . dictam summam . . . super altare Beate Marie virginis . . . in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidi . . . ex premunicatione viginti dierum personaliter vel ad locum ipforum habitacionis . . . Johanni Quhitheid heredibus suis vel assignatis perfoluerint . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . Laurencio Prestone heredibus suis et assignatis quinque marcas . . . Scoeie . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum . . . commune . . . burgi . . . vnaeum figillo . . . Archibaldi Toderik vnius balliuorum . . . fasnam dictae tercie partis . . . [dantis] . . . est appensum apud Edin-

burgh decimo octauo . . . Julii . . . millesimo quadringentesimo octuagesimo tercio coram . . . Henrieo Achinfone Dauid Knox Johanne Adamfone Willelmo Adamfone iuniore ac Willelmo Liftone feriendo cum . . . aliis.

Mortificacio Jacobi Townys registrata.

- 98 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem . Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . Omnibus . . . Jacobus Townis burgenis . . . de Edynburgh salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . pro salute animarum . . . quondam . . . Jacobi secundi Scotorum regis . . . et Marie confortis fue . . . proliumque fuarum et pro prosperitate . . . Jacobi tertii moderni Regis . . . et Margarete . . . fue coniugis et pro salute animarum fuarum post eorum deceßum . . . patris mei et matris mee . . . anime mee coniugum et prolium mearum defunctorum et . . . animarum . . . communitatis . . . burgi . . . eorum quibus debitor fui et quos penes . . . deliqui ac omnium fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . . Deo Omnipotenti et Beate Marie virgini et omnibus sanctis Dei unique capellano diuina celebranti . . . ad altare nostre Pietatis Domine . . . in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidii . . . ex parte boreali ostii . . . chori . . . annuos redditus . . . subscriptos . vnum annum redditum sex marcarum . . . Scocie . . . leuandarum ad . . . terminos consuetos . . . de . . . terra Roberti de Bonle iacente infra tene- mentum Ade Halkerstoun . . . inter terram Thome Yhare ex parte boreali et terram dicti Ade ex parte australi . . . annum redditum octo marcarum . . . de . . . terra Georgii Knox iacente infra tenemen- tum Johannis Butlare inter terram quondam Ade Layng ex parte occi- dentali et terram dicti Johannis Butlare ex parte orientali . et annum redditum tresdecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . de . . . terra

Johannis Tait . . . iacente prope iuxta Archum Superiorem inter terram quondam Dauid Lauerk ex boreali et terram quondam Ade Broun-hill ex australi . . . Tenendos . . . in . . . elemosinam . . . Volo eciam . . . quod . . . presentacio . . . communitati burgi . . . post meum deceffsum pertineat et quod infra triginta horas post . . . vacacionem . . . capellatum . . . presentent . in quo si remissi fuerint . . . volo . . . quod . . . presentacio . . . heredibus meis . . . pertineat et quod ipsi infra viginti dies . . . capellatum . . . presentent . Tenebitur . . . capellanus . . . in principio cuiuslibet missae populum exhortari ut vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica scilicet *Ave Maria* dicant et ad primum lauatorium dicat ipse capellanus *De profundis* pro animabus omnium fidelium defunctorum et post celebracionem cuiuslibet missae induitus albo adire meum sepulcrum cum asperforio et aqua benedicta et ibidem dicere *De profundis* cum omnibus requisitis pro animabus supradictis . finitis autem . . . precibus aspergere tenebitur . . . tumulum meum aqua benedicta et astantes ut moris est . Non tamen licebit . . . communitati . . . nec heredibus meis . . . annuos redditus . . . conuertere . . . ita quod . . . capellanus valeat . . . terras de quibus . . . redditus debentur . . . distingere . . . Tenebitur eciam . . . ad continuam residenciam neenon quolibet die Dominico et maiori duplice festo in choro cum superpellicio ad matutinas altam missam et vesperas interesse ac cum dispositus fuerit missam . . . indies celebrare . . . Insuper volo quod si contingat . . . capellatum . . . ad beneficium . . . aliud . . . promoueri . . . capellania vacet . . . In quorum . . . fidem . . . sigillum meum vnamcum figillo . . . Roberti Folkart vnius balliuorum . . . safinas . . . reddituum . . . dantis . . . Alexandro Cokfoun capellano meo iam presentato . . . per denarii exhibicionem . . . per me huic prefenti carte mee est appensum apud Edinburgh vicefimo quarto . . . Februarii . . . m^{mo} iii^e lxxxiii^o coram . . . Johanne Bati Henrico Achinfoun Thoma Hervy Archibaldo Burgenfe

Dauid Sadlere Adam Folkart Adam Yhalowhare domino Johanne Smyth capellano Willelmo Cliddisdaile Willelmo Farnly notario . . . ac Cuthberto Yhong et Gilberto Jamesoun feriandis cum . . . aliis . . . Quam . . . cartam . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus . . . Willelmo archiepiscopo Sanctiandree . . . Roberto episcopo Glasguensi Willelmo episcopo . . . Aberdonensi . . . confanguineis nostris Colino comite de Argile domino Campbel et Lorne cancellario nostro Dauid comite de Craufurd domino Lindefay magno camerario nostro Andrea domino Avandale Willelmo domino Borthwik . magistris Dauid Levinstoun preposito de Lincloudan nostri secreti figilli custode Archibaldo Quhitlaw archidiacono Laudonie secretario nostro · et domino Alexandro Scot rectore de Wigtoun clericu nostrorum rotulorum et registri · apud Edinburgh xxviii^o . . . Marcii . . . m^{mo} iiii^e lxxxiii^{to} et regni nostri xxiiii^o.

Carta Alani Brown de decem solidis annuatim foluendis pro sustentacione vnius candele ad altare Beate Virginis.

99 **O**mnis . . . Alanus Browne burgenis . . . de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . dedisse . . . Omnipotenti Deo et . . . virginis Marie vnum annum redditum decem solidorum . . . Scocie . . . de . . . tencemento . . . iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter tenementum Willelmi Rynd ex parte occidentali et terram quondam Henrici Foulis ex parte orientali pro sustentacione vnius candele de cera annuatim coram altari . . . virginis Marie . . . in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidii . . . super gesta siue *le hers* coram dicto altari locata · Tenendum . . . a me . . . de . . . rege . . . in . . . elimosinam hereditarie . . . ita quod decanus gilde . . . dictum . . . tenementum . . . pro dicto annuo red-

ditu . . . possit . . . disstringere . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum
meum . . . vnam figillo . . . Johannis Boncle vnius balliuorum . . .
fasnam . . . dantis per deliberacionem vnius denarii . . . Johanni Fou-
lart decano gilde . . . resignacione . . . facta vt moris est in burgo est
appensum apud Edinburgh nono . . . Februarii . . . millesimo quadrin-
gentesimo octuagefimo quarto coram . . . Henrico Cant Ewmondo Cheif-
holme Willelmo Clerk Georgeo Edwardfoun Roberto Rind Jacobo Matho
Thoma Maclellan Roberto Vrry Johanne Penven Johanne Farnlie et
Cuthberto Yhong feriendo cum diuersis aliis.

[Confirmacio carte domini Alexandri Barcare.]

- 100 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem .
Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma · Omnibus . . .
Alexander Barcare vicarius de Petynane salutem . . . Noueritis me
. . . pro salute anime . . . Jacobi tertii Scotorum regis . . . ac pro
anima et salubri statu . . . Margarete . . . confortis fue . . . et pro
salute animarum patris mei et matris mee . . . antecessorum et succe-
fforum meorum . . . omnium quibus debitor sum et penes quos . . .
deliqui . . . anime mee et omnium fidelium defunctorum . . . dedisse
. . . Deo Beate Marie virginis et Sancto Blasio ad sustentacionem vnius
capellani secularis . . . ad altare Sancti Blasii . . . in ecclesia par-
rochiali Beati Egidii de Edinburgh vnum annum redditum meum decem
marcarum . . . Scocie . . . de . . . terra et tenemento quondam
Roberti Auldoch . . . iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . .
inter terram quondam Johannis Lamb ex parte orientali et terram
Georgei Grenlaw ex parte occidentali et terram quondam Patricii Baroun
militis ex parte australi et Communem Viam Regiam ex parte boreali
. . . annum redditum . . . quinque marcarum predictae monete . . .

de . . . terra Walteri Redpeth . . . iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . prope Archum Inferiorem inter terram quondam Roberti Redepeth patris . . . Walteri ex parte orientali . . . et terram quondam Roberti Henrifone ex parte occidentali . . . annum redditum . . . quatuor marcarum predi&te monete . . . de . . . tenemento Dauid Hopper burgensis . . . iacente ex parte boriali Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Johannis Makfadyheane ex parte orientali et terram Andree Herwy ex parte occidentali . ac . . . annum redditum . . . duarum marcarum . . . Scocie . . . de . . . terra Dauid Flucar . . . iacente . . . ex parte boriali Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Willelmi Kerkettill ex parte occidentali et terram Jacobi Cameroun ex parte orientali et terram quondam . . . Jacobi episcopi Dunkeldensis ex parte australi et terram . . . vastam . . . Dauid Flucar ex parte boreali . Tenendos . . . in . . . elimosinam . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . Et volo quod donacio . . . ad meam prouisionem . . . pro . . . tempore vite mee et post mei deceſſum ad Johannis Barcare burgensis . . . et heredum suorum masculorum . . . pertineat . . . si infra quadraginta dies postquam vacauerit . . . capellatum . . . di&tus . . . vel aliquis heredum . . . instituere curauerit . et si . . . dicti . . . de donacione . . . negligentes fuerint . . . quod . . . donacio . . . ad . . . communitatem . . . burgi . . . pertineat illa vice . . . ita quod alias . . . ad predictos heredes masculos spe&tabit . quibus . . . deficientibus ad . . . communitatem . . . pertinebit ita tamen quod nec . . . Johannes . . . heredes . . . nec communitas . . . prefatos . . . redditus . . . retinere vel . . . conuertere presumant . . . et quod . . . capellanus possit . . . in defectu perfolucionis . . . distingere . . . Et volo quod . . . capellanus ad continuam residenciam arceatur et . . . tenebitur . . . personaliter ministrare . . . eciam . . . cum dif-
positus fuerit missam quotidianam celebrare . Et si . . . per viginti dies continuos non celebrauerit . . . et si . . . focariam seu concubinam

detinuerit . . . et si contingat . . . ad . . . aliud . . . beneficium . . . promoueri . . . vacet ipsa capellania . . . Tenebitur eciam . . . capellanus post meum decepsum anniuferaria videlicet *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum nota . . . die obitus mei et in craftino . . . missam *De requie* cum nota et ferenicio decem capellanorum . . . facere celebrari suis . . . expensis pro anima mea . . . eum pulsacione campane per villam ad noticiam populi vt moris est . . . eciam . . . vestimenta ad celebrationem misse necessaria et ornamenta altaris . . . panem vinum luminaria et alia necessaria ad sustentacionem dicti ferenii suis . . . expensis . . . habere . et . . . in principio misse . . . populum exhortari vt dicant vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica pro animabus omnium preditorum et . . . in fine misse . . . dicat psalmum *De profundis clamaui etc.* cum asperzione aque benedictae super sepulcrum patris mei orando pro animabus Johannis Barcare et domini Alexandri Barcare . In quorum . . . fidem . . . sigillum meum . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh penultimo . . . Maii . . . millesimo quadringentesimo octuagesimo sexto eoram . . . Thoma Buteler Johanne Tauernare Andrea Hog . . . burgensibus . magistro Johanne Quhitelaw prebendario de Alicht Patricio Craufurd et Willelmo Broun presbiteris . cum . . . aliis . Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonini . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus . . . Willelmo archiepiscopo Sanctiandree . . . Roberto episcopo Glaf- guensi Willelmo episcopo Abirdonensi . . . confanguineis nostris Colino comite de Ergile domino Campbell et Lorne cancellario nostro Dauid comite de Craufurd domino Lindefay magno camerario nostro Andrea domino Avandale Willelmo domino Borthwik . magistris Dauid Leving- stoun rectore de Are nostri secreti sigilli custode Archibaldo Quhitelaw archidiacono Laudonie secretario nostro . et domino Alexandro Scot rectore de Wigtoun clero rotulorum nostrorum et registri . apud Edin-

burgh secundo . . . Junii . . . milleſimo quadringenteſimo octuageſimo
feſto et regni noſtri viceſimo feſto.

[Confirmacio carte magiftri Ricardi Robefoun.]

101 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . falutem .
Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . factam per . . . magiftrum Ricardum
Robefoun rectorem de Suthik . . . intellexisse ſub hac forma . Omibus
. . . Ricardus Roberti prefbyter ac canonicus ecclesie collegiate Beati
Egidii de Edinburgh falutem . . . Noueritis me pro . . . proſperitate
. . . Jacobi quarti . . . Scotorum regis . . . et pro falute animarum
. . . Jacobi tertii Scotorum regis . . . nouiter defuncti et fue quondam
. . . coniugis . . . Margarete . . . matris . . . dicti . . . regis
moderni . . . antecellorum et fucceſſorum fuorum . . . anime mee et
animarum patris mei et matris mee . . . illorum quorum . . . debitor
fui aut de bonis eorum vel rebus aliquid habui de quo . . . non ſatifeſci
et omnium fidelium tam viuorum quam mortuorum . . . dediffe . . .
annuum redditum viginti marcarum . . . Scocie . . . de . . . tene-
mento meo . . . iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . iuxta
dictam eccleſiam . . . ad finem orientalem verſus auſtrum inter terram
Robertii Vans ex parte orientali et cimiterium . . . eccleſie ex parte
occidentali et extendendo a boria vſque ad Auſtralem Vicum dictum le
Cowgate vni capellano . . . celebranti . . . in . . . eccleſia Beati
Egidii . . . ad altare . . . Sancti Dionifii . . . ſituatum poſt magnum
altare . . . Tenendum . . . in . . . elimotinam a me heredibus meis
et affignatis . . . Volo tamen . . . quod . . . ad meam . . . diſpoſi-
cionem . . . et poſt meum deceſſum preſentacio . . . prepoſito balliuſis
et conſulibus . . . de Edinburgh . . . pertineat . et . . . infra quin-
decim dies preſentabunt . et ſi fit ydoneus capellanus de mea parentela

ipsum pre . . . alis . . . presentabunt . Tenebitur . . . capellanus . . . cum dispositus fuerit ad predictum altare indies celebrare . et quod non licebit . . . capellano . . . concubinam aut focariam detinere . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum . . . est appensum apud Edinburch decimo septimo . . . Junii . . . millesimo quadringentesimo octuagesimo octauo coram . . . magistro Gawino Dunbar decano Morauieni . magistro Roberto Cotes vicario de Dunmany . domino Henrico Alane canonico Abirdonensi . domino Jacobo Beltes rectore de Kukstoun . Henrico Mar notario . . . et Willelmo Sibbald cum . . . aliis . Quapropter quidem cartam et infeodacionem . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus . . . Roberto episcopo Glasguensi Georgio episcopo Dunkeldensi . . . confanguineis nostris Colino eomite de Ergile domino Campbele et Lorne cancellario nostro Archibaldo comite Angusie domino Douglas etc. Patricio comite de Boithuile domino Halys magistro hospicii nostri Roberto domino Lile iusticiariorum nostro Andrea domino de Gray Laurencio domino Oliphant Johanne domino Drummond . . . Johanne priore . . . Sanctiandree nostri secreti sigilli custode . Willelmo Knollis preceptor de Torfichin thesaurario nostro milite . magistris Alexandro Inglis archidiacono Sanctiandree compotorum nostrorum rotulatore ac clericu nostrorum rotulorum et registri ac consilii et Archibaldo Quhitelaw subdecano Glasguensi secretario nostro . apud Edinburgh secundo . . . Octobris . . . millesimo quadringentesimo octuagesimo octauo et regni nostri primo.

[Decretum Dominorum Concilii.]

- 102 The lordis of confale decretis and deliuering that Ewmond of Chesholme fall content and pay to Maister William Forbes prouest of Sanct Gelis

kirk four chalder of aitis price of the chalder xii markis of twa yheris teyndis of Pettindrech . xx bollis of ry and ber price of the boll xvi s. and xxviii bollis of aitis and x bollis of bere price forsaid of a yheris teyndis of Foulefurd takin vp and intromettit with be the faid Ewmonde as wes fufficently preffit before the lordis . and ordinis our Souerane Lordis lettrez be direct to distrenye the faid Ewmonde his landis and gudis herfore and that the faid Ewmonde wes summond to this accioun oft tymes callit and nochit comperit.

Carta mortificacionis et confirmacionis pro magistro Alexandro Inglis archidiacono Sanctiandree.

103 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem . Sciatis nos inspexisse . . . cartam . . . quondam Johannis Dalrimpile . . . de decem libris annui redditus . . . lenandis . . . de certis terris iacentibus . . . in le Kowgate . . . et nunc per . . . magistrum Alexandrum Inglis archidiaconum Sanctiandree . . . conquestis . . . sub hac forma . Omibus . . . Johannes Dalrimpile [etc. ut supra No. 86.] . . . Quamquidem cartam . . . nos ad instanciam predicti magistri Alexandri . . . confirmamus taluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In eius rei testimonium . . . carte nostre . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus [etc.] apud Edinburgh vltimo . . . Februarii . . . millesimo quadringentesimo nonagesimo et regni nostri tertio.

Carta confirmacionis super carta Isobelle Willamefoun.

104 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem . Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . Omibus . . .

Ilobella Bras alias Williamfoun relicta . . . Thome Williamfoun burgen-
sis . . . de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . pro salute
animatorum . . . quondam . . . Jacobi tertii Scotorum regis et Marg-
arete confortis sue . . . ac . . . Jacobi quarti moderni Scotorum regis
. . . ac prosperitate . . . eiusdem ac pro salute animatorum omnium ante-
cessorum prolium fratrum et successorum suorum ac anime mee et anima-
rum quondam patris et matris mee Thome Williamfoun quondam sponsi
mei prolinum fratrum sororumque meorum ac eciam burgenium et com-
munitatis bnrgi de Edinburgh eorumque . . . quibus debitrix fui et
penes quos . . . deliqui omniumque fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . .
Deo Omnipotenti et Jhesu Christo crucifixo glorioseque passioni eiusdem
vniue capellano seculari diuina celebranti . . . ad altare Sancti Lau-
rencii martiris . . . in ecclie parochiali Beati Egidii de Edinburgh
ex parte australi prope medium dictae ecclie in . . . elimofinam vnum
annum redditum meum decem marcarum . . . Scocie . . . leuandarum
. . . ad . . . terminos vsuales . . . de . . . [terra] anteriori Andree
Bertrem de nouo constracta . . . iacente in dicto burgo ex parte boreali
Vici Regii . . . inter terram Henrici Cant senioris ex parte occidentali
et terram Thome Yhong ex parte orientali et terram posteriorem sive man-
sionem dicti Andree . . . ex parte boreali et Communem Viam Regiam
ex parte australi . neenon . . . annum redditum . . . octo marcarum et
decem solidorum prediecte monete et ad predictos . . . festos . . . leuan-
darum . . . de . . . terra quondam Hugonis Bar . . . iacente in dicto
burgo in le Cowgait ex parte australi eiusdem inter terram domini abbatis
de Jedworth nunc comiti Buchanie pertinentem ex parte orientali et ter-
ram Thome Tod ex parte occidentali et croftam quondam Ade Layng
ex parte australi et Communem Viam Regiam dictam le Kowgait ex parte
boreali . . . ac eciam . . . annum redditum meum trefdecim solidorum
et quatuor denariorum monete prediecte et ad eosdem terminos . . . le-
uandorum . . . de . . . terra Johannis Broun carnificis . . . iacente

in dicto burgo ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram Ricardi Litill ex parte orientali et terram Dauid Quhitehed ex . . . occidentali et terram Ade Balbirny ex parte boreali et terram Jacobi Aikman ex parte australi . Tenendos . . . predictos annuos redditus . . . a me et heredibus meis in puram . . . elimosinam . . . Volo eciam . . . quod dictae capellanie donacio ad me pro toto tempore vite mee et post mei deceasum meis . . . heredibus . . . pertineat et infra quindecim dies donanda vni sufficienti . . . capellano postquam . . . vacauerit . . . in qua si . . . heredes mei . . . deficerint . . . infra predictum tempus . . . volo . . . quod . . . donacio ad prepositum balliuos decanum gilde et communitatem . . . de Edinburgh illa vice . . . pertineat et quod infra viginti dies post vacacionem . . . capellatum . . . instituant quod si non fecerint donacio . . . ad heredes meos extunc deuoluatur . . . quibus forte deficientibus . . . ad . . . prepositum balliuos decanum gilde et communitatem . . . de Edinburgh . . . semper . . . pertineat . Volo tamen . . . quod nullo modo licebit . . . dictis meis heredibus . . . seu communitati . . . prefatos annuos redditus . . . apud se retinere vel . . . aliquo modo conuertere quod si quisque ipsorum . . . fecerit . . . eo ipso . . . vacabit . . . capellania et quod ille sic usurpans . . . pro perpetuo . . . donacione . . . carebit . . . Et volo quod . . . capellanus . . . possit . . . in defectu persolucionis eorundem pro eisdem distingere . . . Eciam volo quod cum fuerit aliquis capellanus ydoneus parentele mee quod ille preferatur . . . ante . . . alios . . . Et volo quod . . . capellanus . . . ad continuam residenciam secundum ritum . . . dictae ecclesie arceatur et quod tenebitur . . . ad altare predictum in sua propria persona ministrare . . . nisi ex . . . voluntate instituentis . . . Tenebitur eciam . . . cum dispositus fuerit missam quotidianam . . . celebrare quod si . . . per viginti dies continuos non . . . fecerit vacabit ipsa capellania . Eciam si . . . focariam seu concubinam publice detinuerit hoc . . . cognito vaca-

bit . . . capellania . Et volo quod . . . in principio sue misse teneatur populum exhortari ut dicant vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica pro animabus . . . omnium predicatorum et . . . in fine misse sue dieat psalmum *De profundis clamaui ad te Domine etc.* cum asperzione aquae benedictae super sepulehrum meum ac patris et matris meorum orando pro animabus . . . corundem et presertim pro anima mea . . . et Thome . . . quondam sponsi mei et prolium nostrarum ad finem borialem dicti altaris . In quorum . . . testimonium . . . sigillum meum . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh tercio . . . Augusti . . . millefimo quadringentesimo octuagesimo nono coram . . . Willelmo Rynd Henrico Rynd Thoma Cant Patricio Craufurd capellano et magistro Thoma Grenelaw presbitero cum diuersis aliis . Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus faluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus [etc.] apud Edinburgh quarto . . . Marcii . . . millefimo quadringentesimo nonagesimo et regni nostri tercio.

[Confirmacio carte magistri Willelmi Fowlar.]

105 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre sue . . . salutem . Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . Omnibus . . . Willelmus Fowlar canonicus Dunblanensis salutem . . . Noueritis me pro salute et prosperitate . . . Jacobi quarti . . . Scotorum regis . . . et pro salute animarum colende memorie Jacobi tertii Scotorum regis . . . sui progenitoris et sue quondam . . . coniugis . . . Margarete . . . matris . . . dicti . . . regis moderni . . . antecessorum et successorum fuorum . . . Willelmi . . . Sanctiandree archiepiscopi . . . Scocie primatis et apostolice sedis legati . . . anime mee et animarum patris mei et matris mee . . . consanguineorum . . . antecessorum et

succefforum . . . illorum [quibus] . . . debitor fui aut de bonis eorum . . . aliquid habui de quo . . . non satifeci et omnium fidelium tam viuorum quam mortuorum in honore Dei Omnipotentis . . . virginis Marie et Sancti Gregorii pape omniumque sanctorum Dei dedisse . . . annum redditum quatuordecim marcarum cum dimedia . . . monete . . . Scocie . . . de . . . tenemento meo . . . iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . in le Forestaris Wynde ex parte orientali eiusdem inter terram olim Jacobi Vnthank ex parte orientali et dictam venellam de le Forestaris Wynde ex parte occidentali et commune passagium . . . ex parte boriali et magnam mansionem quondam Johannis Dakunkill [Dalrimpil?] ex parte australi . . . annum redditum viginti solidorum . . . de tenemento quondam Johannis Cuke iacente . . . ex parte boriali Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Donaldi Kile ex parte orientali et terram quondam Egidii Brifone ex parte occidentali . . . et . . . annum redditum quatuor marcarum monete predice . . . de . . . tenemento Alifone Lawe filie et heredis quondam Malissii Lawe de Leith et Margarete Knichtsfoun . . . iacente in . . . Leith ex parte australi aque . . . in baronia de Lestalrig infra vicecomitatum de Edinburch inter terram Andree Mowbray ex parte occidentali . . . et communem venellam dictam le Rattounrawe ex parte orientali . . . et terram posteriorem eiusdem ex parte australi et Communem Viam Regiam ex parte boriali vni capellano . . . celebranti . . . in ecclie Beati Egidii de Edinburgh in honore Sancti Gregorii pape ad altare Sancti Jacobi apostoli . . . Tenendos . . . in . . . eli-
mosinam a me heredibus meis et afflignatis . . . Volo tamen . . . quod . . . capellania . . . ad meam . . . disposicionem . . . spectabit et post meum deceplum donacio . . . Johanni Fowlar seniori burgenfi de Edinburgh et decano gylde . . . et heredibus suis . . . pertinebit . . . et illis defientibus . . . heredibus meis quibuscunque . . . quibus defientibus tunc preposito ballius et consulibus . . . burgi . . . et post vaca-

cionem . . . capellanum infra quindecim dies presentabunt · et si fit
ydoneus capellanus de mea parentela ipsum pre ceteris . . . presenta-
bunt · Tenebitur . . . capellanus . . . cum dispositus fuerit ad predi-
cum altare indies celebrare et continuam residenciam facere et . . . per
se . . . ministrare necnon . . . altare in vestimentis . . . sustentabit ·
Et . . . non licebit . . . capellano . . . focariam aut concubinam deti-
nere · Infuper volo quod . . . in principio missae teneatur populum ex-
hortari vt dicant vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica pro
animabus . . . predictorum et . . . in fine missae dicat psalmum *De pro-
fundis* cum asperzione aque benedictae super sepulchrum meum orando pro
anima mea et animabus predictis . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum
meum . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh die vicefimo sexto . . .
Augusti . . . millesimo quadrageentesimo nonagesimo primo presentibus
. . . Willelmo Clerk Jacobo Aikman · Johanne Fowlare decano gilde
burgenibus . . . dominis Simone Fynlawe Johanne Blakky Willelmo
Bell presbiteris · Johanne Stobo et Waltero Falconare notariis . . . cum
. . . aliis . . . Quam . . . cartam . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . .
oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum
nostrum apponi precepimus testibus . . . Willelmo episcopo Abirdonensi
. . . consanguineis [nostris] Colino comite de Ergile domino Campbell et
Lorne cancellario nostro Patricio comite de Bothuile domino Halys etc.
Alexandro domino Hume magno camerario nostro . . . Johanne priore
Sanctiandree nostri secereti figilli custode · Roberto domino Lile Johanne
domino Glammys iusticiariis nostris · Willelmo domino Sancti Johannis
magistro hospitii nostri ac nostro thesaurario · Andrea domino Gray Lau-
rencio domino Oliphant · et . . . magistris Ricardo Murchede decano
Glasguensi nostrorum rotulorum et registri ac confilii clericu et Archibaldo
Quhitelaw subdecano Glasguensi secerario nostro · apud Stirueling vice-
fimo quarto . . . Septembris . . . millesimo quadrageentesimo nonagesimo
primo et regni nostri quarto.

Carta mortificationis Andree Mowbray.

106 Jacobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem . . . Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . Omnibus . . . Andreas Mowbra burgenfis de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . pro salute anime . . . Jacobi tertii quondam Scotorum regis ac anime . . . Margarete . . . confortis fue et pro falubri statu . . . Jacobi quarti Scotorum regis . . . et pro salute animarum antecessorum et successorum suorum . . . anime mee sponse mee Elizabeth et anime Patricii Cant filii mei legalis et sponsa fue Agnetis filie mee et animarum patrum et matrum . . . antecessorum et successorum nostrorum . . . omnium quibus debitor sum et penes quos deliqui . . . et omnium fidelium defunctorum . . . dedisse . . . Deo Beate Marie virgini et Sancto Niniano ad sustentacionem duorum capellanorum secularium . . . celebraturorum ad altare . . . Sancti Niniani . . . in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidii . . . in parte australi eiusdem prope altare Sancti Laurencii . do eciam . . . ad . . . distribuendum . . . aliis presbiteris et pauperibus in anniversariis obitus mei aliquique necessariis . . . expensis . . . terram meam videlicet duplarem domum . . . per me nouiter edificatam iacentem . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter tenementum quondam Alexandri Fothringhame ex parte orientali . . . et terram quondam Johannis Cowane ex parte occidentali . . . et terram Laurencii Taleyhefer ex parte australi et Communem Viam Regiam ex parte boreali . . . et vnum annum redditum meum sex marcaram . . . Scocie . . . de . . . terra mea edificata cum . . . orto meo . . . que terra iacet in dicto orto ex parte australi eiusdem inter terram dicti Alexandri Fothringhame ex parte orientali . . . et terram Johannis Gray ex parte occidentali . . . et Communem Viam Regiam dictam le Kowgate ex parte australi et dictum ortum meum ex parte boreali . Tenendam . . . in . . . elim-

finam . . . Reddendo . . . quatuor marcas annui redditus Alexandro Redpeth heredibus suis et assignatis . Et . . . quilibet capellanorum dictorum . . . habebit ad suam sustentacionem et . . . viii viginti marcas dictae monete de firmis . . . dictae terre et de dictis domibus . Et volo quod douacio . . . ad meam et sponsa mee . . . prouisionem . . . et post nostrum dececum ad heredum meorum . . . pertineat si infra viginti dies . . . capellatum . . . aliquis heredum . . . instituere curauerit et . . . meis heredibus deficientibus . . . ad prepositum decanum ecclie balluos et communitatem . . . burgi . . . pertinebit . . . ita quod nec dicti heredes mei nec dicti prepositus decanus ballui et communitas . . . terram et domos ac annuos redditus . . . conuertere presumant . . . Et volo quod . . . capellani . . . possint . . . terras et ortum . . . de quibus dictus annuus redditus . . . debetur in defactu non solucionis . . . distingere . . . et . . . quod . . . ad continuari residenciam arceantur et . . . tenebuntur . . . personaliter ministrare . Tenebuntur etiam . . . cum dispositi fuerint missam cotidianam celebrare . et [si] . . . per quindecim dies continuos non celebauerint . . . et si ipsi . . . vel eorum alter focariam seu concubinam detinuerit . . . et si contingat . . . eorum aliquem [ad] . . . aliud beneficium . . . promoueri . . . vacet ipsa capellania . . . Et volo quod . . . capellani in principio misse sue teneantur populum exhortari ut dicant vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica pro animabus . . . preditorum . . . etiam . . . omni . . . feria sexta per se [vel] cum focio priuato modo celebrare pro animabus . . . preditorum *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum nouem lectionibus . et cum dispositi fuerint omni feria secunda missam *De requie* celebrare pro defunctis nisi festum duplex siue nouem lectionum aut aliud . . . impedimentum interueniat . Volo insuper quod exrefencia que excedit . . . quadraginta marcas predictas de dicta terra et domibus ponatur . . . in capsula ferata duabus clavis quarum una erit in custodia unius capellanorum . . . et ipsa capsula erit in custodia

alterius capellani et alia clavis in custodia decani ecclesie · que tres personae omni anno tercio accipient pecuniam illam . . . cuius media pars dabitur in elemosina . . . precipue meis successoribus vel consanguineis . . . et alia media pars . . . in reparacionem dictarum domorum . . . et in sustentacionem vestimentorum ad celebracionem missae necessariorum et in ornamentis altaris ac eciā luminarium et supportacionem dicti seruicij · et si dicta domus in tercio anno non indigent reparacione custodiatur ad tempus reparacionis necessarium dictarum domorum et dicti altaris ornamentorum . . . Volo insuper . . . quod . . . die anniversarii mei ista carta sive eius transumptum legatur in ecclesia ad predictum altare post missam in presencia populi et decani ecclesie · ad quod faciendum onero . . . capellanos . . . Insuper . . . do dicto altari vnam tapam ferici iacintini coloris cum ornamentis suis de aurifrigio · item quinque casulas quatuor scilicet fericas diuerorum colorum et quintam de birdealexander cum suis albis et amictibus completis · item vnum calicem argenteum deauratum ponderis nouendecim unciarum cum duabus fiolis argenteis ponderis tredicim unciarum · item vnum missale pro altari cum breuiario catherino in capella eiusdem altaris pro horis canonicas celebrandis · et si contingat . . . capellanos vel eorum aliquem vendere alienare vel impignorare predicta iocalia . . . vacabit ipsius capellania . . . Insuper . . . ad altare Sancti Niniani tenebuntur celebrare . . . in die obitus mei anniversarium scilicet *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum nota per se et alios sexdecim capellanos . . . de choro . . . qui debent celebrare missam *De requie* priuato modo et magnam missam *De requie* ad dictum altare cum nota et . . . exorare populum fundere preces pro defunctis in introitu cuiuslibet missae dicendo vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica et in locione manuum ad offertorium psalmum *De profundis* pro defunctis · quorum cuiilibet . . . do duodecim denarios · eciā viginti aliis capellanis missam eodem die celebrantibus extra chorūm priuato modo cuiilibet eorum sex denarios · Eciā ordino pro quatuor

cereis cere ponderantibus duas libras fex solidos quorum duo illuminentur super altare predictum et alii duo super sepulturam in exequiis supradictis . ac . . . sacrile vel clericu pulsanti campanas tres solidos ita quod pulsatis campanis ad *Dirige* et missam ut moris est eciam pulsabitur maior campana in hora duodecima in meridie ante *Dirige* in vespere et post *Dirige* in hora sexta et similiter de mane hora sexta quod dicitur vulgariter *le monyng* . et in fine cuiuslibet pulsu illorum fient ter tres pulsus singillatim cum mediis interuallis ad excitandum populum orare pro omnibus in Christo defunctis . et campanario pulsanti per villam cum campanis manualibus quatuor denarios . neenon . . . quinquaginta porciones pauperum in cibo et potu singulis annis . . . quarum . . . octo dabuntur . . . Fratribus Observantie de Edinburgh tres . . . leprosis et tres . . . domui hospitali in Vinella Sancte Marie tres alie . . . domui hospitali Sancti Pauli cetere autem . . . pauperibus quibus melius vitum fuerit dictis capellanis . Et quelibet porcio habebit tres denarios in pane tres . . . in ceruisia et tres . . . in carnis pescibus caseo vel butiro prout tempus exigerit . et in die . . . dicti anniuerarii ordino . . . elemosinam proporcionabiliter ponendam super tabulam infra . . . ecclesiam . . . per totam missam . . . et post missam pauperibus distri-buendam . Eciam decano ecclesie . . . ad . . . videndum quod . . . ista . . . fient completa . . . duos solidos . ac . . . ministro ecclesie . . . ad reparandum et ordinandum dictum altare et tabulam sepulture et pro cruce et candelabris deportandis duodecim denarios . item quatuor pueris chori cantoribus duodecim denarios . item ad sustentacionem panis et vini pro celebracione missarum tres solidos et duos denarios . Item do . . . pro sustentacione luminis in lampade ad dictum altare pendente quinque solidos vsualis monete anni redditus . . . de . . . tenemento Johannis Burne . Ulterius volo quod . . . capellani et eorum alter in omni fine misse vertet se contra sepulturam post euangelium in principio et dicet commemorationem animarum Andree Mowbra et Elizabeth

sponse fue . . . et tunc dicet *Requiescant in pace amen · Domine exaudi oracionem meam et clamor meus ad te veniat · Oremus · Absolve quesumus Domine animas famulorum tuorum ab omni vinculo delictorum ut in resurrectionis gloria inter sanctos et electos tuos resuscitati respirent per Christum Dominum nostrum amen · et sic apergendo sepulturam aqua benedicta dicat hunc versum Asperge me Domine etc. . . .* In quorum . . . testimonium . . . sigillum meum . . . est appensum et . . . sigillum commune . . . burgi . . . appendi procuraui apud Edinburgh decimo nono . . . Decembbris . . . millesimo quadrageentesimo nonagesimo secundo coram . . . Johanne Murray de Tuchadam milite preposito · Johanne Fowlar decano gilde · Adam Halkerstoun thesaurario · Andrea Bertrem Jacobo Akeman Jacobo Richertoun Thoma Hervy balliuis · Thoma Tod milite Henrico Cant Waltero Bertrem Alexandro Stanelie Roberto Rind Georgio Towris Johanne Barcar burgenibus et consilibus . . . Alexandro Gray communi clero Henrico Strathaquin notariis . . . Johanne Farnly et Cuthberto Yhoun feriandis · cum . . . aliis · Quam . . . cartam . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus [etc.] apud Edinburgh nono . . . Januarii . . . millesimo quadrageentesimo nonagesimo secundo et regni nostri quinto.

[Transumptum confirmationis carte Mariorie Redeschaw.]

- 107 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre sue . . . salutem · Sciat is nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma · Omnibus . . . Mariorie Redeschaw sponsa quondam Willelmi Kerketill burgenfis . . . de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . pro salute animarum . . . quondam . . . Jacobi tertii Scotorum regis . . . et . . . Margarete . . . confortis

fue et pro . . . statu prospero . . . Jacobi quarti regis . . . moderni . . . et post eius deceſſum pro salute anime mee et . . . anime dieti . . . sponſi mei . . . et salute patrum et matrum . . . prolum . . . anteceſſorum et ſucceſſorum noſtrorum eorumque . . . quibus . . . ſponſus meus aut ego debitores fuimus et penes quos . . . deliquimus omniumque fidelium defunctorum dediſſe . . . Omnipotenti Deo . . . virgini Marie . . . Sancte Katerine et vni capellano ad altare eiusdem . . . in ecclieſia collegiata Beati Egidii de Edinburch ex parte australi eiusdem . . . celebraanti . . . annuos redditus ſubſcriptos . . . videlicet . . . annum redditum quinque librarum . . . Scocie . . . de . . . tenemento terre . . . Henrici Cant senioris iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Thome Prestoun ex parte occidentalı et communem tranſitum dieti tenementi ex parte orientalı et Lacum Borialem ex parte boreali et Communem Viam Regiam ex parte australi . . . annum redditum quatuor marcarum diete . . . monete . . . de . . . terra Symonis Vmfrafone . . . iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . infra tenementum quondam Andree Bell ex parte tranſitus eiusdem inter terram quondam Gawini Mekle ex parte boriali et terram Wilelmi Howifone ſcifforis ex parte australi et terram quondam magistri Alexandri Murray ex parte orientalı et terram Wilelmi Sidferf ex parte occidentalı . . . annum redditum triginta trium ſolidorum et quatuor denariorum diete . . . monete . . . de . . . terra Johannis Robefon pistoris edificata et vaſta . . . iacente infra tenementum Wilelmi Fawsid inter terram Johannis Gray ex parte australi et terram Andree Sclater ex parte boriali . quodquidem tenementum iacet . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter tenementum quondam Wilelmi Yhoun ex parte orientalı et tenementum quondam Eduardi Lintone ex parte occidentalı . . . annum redditum duarum marcarum diete . . . monete . . . de . . . terra Alexandri Gray . . . iacente . . . ex parte australi pretorii . . . fecus dictam ecclieſiam . . . inter terram quondam Wilelmi Begholme ex parte

australi et terram Johannis Malifone cultellarii ex parte boriali et cimiterium . . . ecclesie ex parte orientali et transitum diete terre ex parte occidentali . . . annum redditum viginti solidorum diete . . . monete . . . de . . . terra iuie tenemento Wilelmi Hopringill alias Lokfmyth . . . iacente . . . sub muro castris apud ecclesiam Fratrum Minorum . . . inter terram Patricii Denune ex parte boriali et murum cimiterii diete ecclesie ex parte australi et terram quondam Andree Ballerno ex parte occidentali et publicum stratum ex parte orientali . . . annum redditum viginti solidorum . . . de . . . teuemento et terra . . . Wilelmi Lokfmyth . . . iacente . . . prope Fratres Minores inter terram quondam Andree Ballerno ex parte occidentali et Communem Viam Regiam ex parte orientali et terram Patricii Denune ex parte boreali et cimiterium ecclesie predicatorum Fratrum ex parte australi . necon vnum annum redditum tresdecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . de . . . terra . . . nouiter edificata Alexandri Gray iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter cimiterium ecclesie . . . burgi ex parte orientali et transitum tenementi dicti Alexandri ex parte occidentali et aliam terram prefati Alexandri ex parte australi et terram Johannis Malifone cultellarii ex parte boreali . . . Tenendos . . . in . . . elimofinam . . . Volo quod . . . presentacio michi . . . pertineat et post meum deceffum . . . pertineat ad Thomam Kerkettill filium et heredem . . . sponsi mei et heredes fuos masculos de corpore suo legitime procreatos . . . quibus forte deficientibus ad Johannem Kerkettill fratrem suum germanum et heredes fuos masculos . . . quibus forte deficientibus ad Alexandrum Kerkettill fratrem suum germanum et heredes fuos masculos . . . ita quod infra quindecim dies post . . . vacacionem . . . capellanum . . . presentet . in quo si remissus fuerit . . . volo . . . quod . . . ad . . . communitatem . . . burgi . . . hac vice . . . pertineat . et insuper omnibus heredibus predictis . . . non existentibus . . . pertineat presentacio ad . . . communitatem . . . et

quod ipsi . . . infra octo dies . . . post . . . vacacionem . . . presentent. Et si contingat dictum Thomam . . . decidere et heredem suum . . . minime fore legittime etatis aut infra tutoriam . . . non licebit tibi . . . capellatum instituere absque consensu . . . dictorum Johannis et Alexandri . . . aut vnius eorum . . . et similiter fiat de heredibus . . . Johannis et Alexandri ita quod semper iuniores annis sint consulti . . . cum proueccioribus consanguineis masculis honoris et fame ex parte patris. Et si sit . . . ydoneus capellanus parentele . . . sponsi mei cognomen Kerkettill gerens . . . capellania . . . pre ceteris . . . sibi inferatur. Tenebitur . . . capellanus . . . in principio cuiuslibet missae populum exhortari ut vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica se illeceat *Ave Maria* dicant. et ad primum lauatorium dicat ipse . . . *De profundis* pro animabus omnium fidelium defunctorum. et post celebracionem cuiuslibet missae ad dictum altare celebrate indutus albo adire meum sepulcrum cum aspergimento et aqua benedicta et ibidem dicere *De profundis* cum omnibus requisitis pro animabus supradictis. finitis autem predictis precibus aspergere tenebitur . . . tumulum meum predictam aqua et astantes ut moris est. Eciam tenebitur . . . ad continuam residenciam et si contingat ipsum se absentare absque legittima causa et licencia sui patroni per tempus quindecim dierum continue vacabit ipsa capellania. Tenebitur . . . ad quotidianam missam cum dispositus fuerit et ad dictum altare et non alibi communiter. Infuper volo quod si contingat . . . capellatum . . . ad beneficium . . . aliud . . . promoueri . . . vel . . . tenere in domo vel in camera . . . concubinam vacet ipsa capellania. Item non licebit . . . capellano . . . substituere alium pro eo absque . . . licencia patroni . . . Si . . . capellanus . . . absque . . . legittimo impedimentoo non celebrauerit per viginti dies continue vacabit ipsa capellania . . . Non licebit . . . patronis . . . redditus . . . retinere aut . . . conuertere . . . sub penis contentis in bulla apostolica que annuatim publicatur in Cena Domini videlicet *Quod excommunicantur a papa qui*

*rapiunt vel usurpant fructus aut iurisditiones pertinentes ad ecclesiasticas
 personas ita quod . . . capellanus valeat . . . terras de quibus . . .
 redditus debentur . . . distringere . . . In quorum . . . fidem . . .
 sigillum meum . . . vacum sigillo . . . Bertholomei Carnis ballui
 templarii . . . de premissis quadraginta solidis de . . . terra Wilelmi
 Lokfmyth sub muro castri . . . ac cum sigillo . . . Jacobi Aikman vnius
 balliuorum . . . burgi . . . reliquorum . . . redditum . . . per
 exhibicionem dinerorum denariorum . . . domino Henrico Laurencii
 . . . meo presentato . . . saefinas . . . dancium . . . est appensum
 apud Edinburgh vndeclimo . . . Maii . . . millesimo quadringentesimo
 nonagesimo tertio eoram . . . Jacobo Sinclare de Lokkirmakhous Wilel-
 mo Lokfmyth Johanne Hopringill Johanne Streuling Petro Foular .
 dominis Thoma Alane Andrea eddall capellanis . Johanne Ramsay
 Johanne Wilfone Dauid Cokky Jacobo Tait Lanceloto Alanfone et Dauid
 Neill feriendo ac Henrico Strathauchin notario . . . Quamquidem car-
 tam . . . confirmamus fatus nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . .
 In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus
 testibus . . . Wilelmo episcopo Abirdonensi nostri secreti figilli
 custode . Andrea episcopo Morauienti . . . consanguineis nostris Archi-
 baldo comite Angusie domino Dowglas cancellario nostro Patricio comite
 de Bothuile domino Ialis Alexandro domino Hume magno camerario
 nostro Roberto domino Lile Johanne domino Glammis iusticiariis nostris
 Andrea domino Gray magistro hospicii nostri . . . Henrico abbati de
 Cambuskynneth thesaurario nostro Jacobo abate de Scona . et . . .
 magistris Archibaldo Quhytelaw subdecano Glasguensi secretario nostro
 et Johanne Frefale decano capelle nostre de Leſtalrig nostrorum rotulorum
 et registri ac confilii clericu . apud Edinburgh viceſimo tertio . . . Maii
 . . . millesimo quadringentesimo tertio et regni nostri quinto.*

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. . . Roberti Brus de Bynningis vnius balliuorum et Johannis Purves decani gilde . . . ac sub meis signo et subscripcione manu-alibus . . .

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Tenet cum principali.

Carta confirmacionis ad sustentacionem capellani altaris Sancti Columbe.

108 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre sue . . . salutem . Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma · Omnibus . . . Adam Wilelmi arcium magister ac capellanus capellanie Sancti Columbe abbatis fundate ad altare Beatorum Martini episcopi et Thome martiris in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidii . . . per quondam . . . Jacobum episcopum Dunkeldensem salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . pro salute animarum . . . Jacobi regis Scotorum moderni et prefati . . . fundatoris mei ac . . . anime mee et animarum omnium antecessorum et successorum eorundem et benefactorum meorum atque omnium fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . . Deo beatissime virgini Marie Sancto Columbe et omnibus sanctis vniue capellano . . . celebranti . . . ad altare . . . prescriptum in . . . elimofinam necnon in augmentum diuini cultus necnon vnionis et anneccionis capellanie prescripte . . . annum redditum . . . quadraginta solidorum . . . Scocie . . . leuandum . . . ad . . . terminos vfuales . . . de . . . terra seu tenemento Andree Cranby pistoris quam . . . ipse . . . inhabitat iacente infra olim tenementum Johannis Spote inter terram olim Johannis Park ex parte boriali et pistrinam dicti Andree ex parte australi quodquidem tenementum iacet . . . inter terram quondam Johannis Dalrumpill ex parte occidentali et tenementum quondam Johannis Qubitheid ex parte orientali · necnon . . . [annum]

redditum . . . trefdecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum prediē monete . . . de . . . terris Johannis Waich edificatis iacentibus infra tenementum quondam Johannis Quhittyne quod iacet . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii et pretorii . . . inter terram Johannis Spott ex parte occidentali et cimiterium ecclesie collegiate Beati Egidi . . . ex parte orientali . neconon . . . [annuum] redditum . . . trefdecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum diēte monete . . . de . . . terra seu tenemento . . . Wilelmi Richertfone pistoris [iacente inter terram] Johannis Spens pistor[is] ex parte occidentali et terram Roberti Ramfay ex parte orientali quamquidem terram . . . Johannes Spens . . . Wilelmo Rychartfone in feodifirma assedauit · quodquidem tenementum iacet . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Dauid Dalrumpill ex parte occidentali et terram quondam Ricardi Gamyll ex parte orientali · Tenendos . . . prediōs annuos redditus . . . ad sustentacionem meam pro toto tempore vite mee et post meum deceſſum ad sustentacionem prediēt capellani . . . in . . . elimosinam . . . Volo tamen . . . quod donacio et . . . disposicio . . . predictorum . . . reddituum . . . ad me pro toto tempore vite mee et post meum deceſſum epifcopo Dunkeldensi . . . pertineant fecundum . . . formam . . . fundacionis . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum . . . vnaeum sigillo . . . Roberti Rynd vnius balliuorum . . . fasinas . . . reddituum per tradiciouem denariorum . . . dantis . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh primo die mensis Marcii anno Domini m° cccc° lxxxxi° coram . . . Henrico Napar vicecomite deputato de Edynburgh · Johanne Lvintoune magistro Thoma Grenlawe magistro Patricio Crawfurd capellani · Andrea Cranby Johanne Jacobi Wilelmo Mawe Johanne Jhonfone Wilelmo Penny Henrico Strathaiching notario in premissis ac Dauid Nele et Cuthberto Yhouny feriandis · cum diuerſis aliis · Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus faluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testi-

bus . . . confanguineis nostris Archibaldo comite Angusie domino Douglace cancellario nostro Patricio comite de Boithwell domino Halis Alexandro domino Home magno camerario nostro Roberto domino Lyle Johanne domino Glammys iusticiariis nostris Andrea domino Gray magistro hospicii nostri . . . Georgeo abbate de Dumfermelyng · Henrico abbate de Cambuskynneth thesaurario nostro et . . . magistris Ricardo Mureheid decano Glasguensi seceretario nostro et Johanne Frefell decano de Laftalrig nostrorum rotulorum et registri ac concilii clericos · apud Edynburgh quinto die mensis Januarii anno Domini m° cccc° lxxxv° iii^o et regni nostri sexto.

Carta admortizacionis et confirmacionis fuper carta Archibaldi Naper de Merchamestoun.

- 109 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem . Sciatis nos . . . eartam intellexisse sub hac forma · Omnibus . . . Archibaldus Naper de Merchamestoun salutem . . . Noueritis me cum confessu . . . matris mee Elizabeth Menteith domine de Rusky . . . pro salute animarum . . . quondam . . . Jacobi primi Jacobi secundi Jacobi tertii Scotorum regum . . . pro . . . prosperitate . . . Jacobi quarti moderni regis Scotorum . . . et [pro salute] . . . fuorum antecessorum et successorum et . . . animarum quondam domini Alexandri Naper de Merchamestoun militis aui mei et Elizabeth Lauder auie mee sponsa fue atque quondam Johannis Naper de Merchamestoun patris mei et dicitur Elizabeth Menteith sponsa fue matris mee et . . . anime mee et anime Katherine Dowglas sponsa mee . . . antecessorum et successorum nostrorum et omnium fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . . Omnipotenti Deo et Beate Marie virginis et omnibus sanctis paradisi unique capellano . . . celebranti . . . pro animabus predictis ad altare Sancti Saluatoris . . .

in ecclesia . . . Beati Egidii . . . ex parte boreali eiusdem vnum annum redditum viginti marcarum . . . Scocie . . . de . . . tenemento meo . . . et annuis redditibus eiusdem . . . iacente . . . ex parte boriali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Jacobi Turing ex parte orientali et terram Wilelmi Dunsiare ex parte occidentali et Communem Viam Regiam ex parte australi et pauimentum ecclesie collegiate Sancte Trinitatis ex parte boreali . . . Tenendum . . . a me heredibus meis et affignatis in . . . elimofinam de . . . rege . . . Tenebitur . . . capellanus . . . missam ad dictum altare indies cum dispositus fuerit celebrare et ad primum lauatorium cuiuslibet missae dicere *De profundis* et exhortari populum quod dicant vnum *Pater noster* et *Ave* pro predictis animabus . Missa finita exeat facerdos in alba ad tumulum dicti domini Alexandri Naper et ibidem dicat *De profundis* cum omnibus consuetis et exortet[ur] populum circumstantem ut dicant vnum *Pater noster* [et] *Ave Maria* pro dictis animabus et asperget dictum tumulum aqua benedicta . Tenebitur eciam . . . capellanus . . . die quo celebrari contingat obitum . . . aui mei patris mei matris mee et . . . meum et sponse mee celebrare missam *De requie* cum exequiis mortuorum videlicet *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum beda et omni feria secunda cum dispositus fuerit . . . missam *De requie* cum dictis exequiis . . . pro animabus supradictis . Arceatur eciam . . . capellanus ad continuam residenciam nisi dispensetur dominus Johannes Naper meus presentatus . . . ad dictum fernicium pro vita sua certis pro . . . caufis . et quod in sui absencia sustentabit aliud . . . in dicto ferenicio . . . et quod non absentabit se . . . capellanus . . . ab eodem ferenicio extra quindecim dies nisi de . . . licencia patronorum quin vacabit . . . capellania excepto dicto domino Johanne pro vita sua . et quod presentacio . . . mihi . . . spectabit et post meum deceasum heredibus meis . . . pertineat . et quod si ipsi . . . remissi fuerint in presentacione . . . infra quindecim dies post vacacionem . . . presentacio . . . ad prepositum balliuos et consules burgi . . . pertinebit hac vice tantum . . . In cuius

rei testimonium sigillum meum . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh nono
 . . . Nouembris . . . i^{ai} iii^o lxxxx tercio coram . . . Johanne Leving-
 town balliuo · Henrico Preftorn Waltero Blaklok Jacobo Cliddisflaill
 Johanne Patonfoun Thoma Merschell Alexandro Naper Andrea Naper et
 Johanne Farnlie feriendo cum . . . aliis · Quam . . . cartam . . . con-
 firmamus fatus nobis . . . oracionum suffragis . . . In eius rei testi-
 monium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus . . .
 Roberto archiepiscopo Glasguensi . . . confanguineis nostris Archibaldo
 comite Angusie domino Douglas cancellario nostro Patricio comite de
 Bothuile domino Halis Alejandro domino Hume magno camerario nostro
 Johanne domino Drummond iusticiariorum nostro . . . Georgio abbate de
 Dunfermeling Georgio abbate de Pasleto thefaurario nostro et . . . ma-
 gistris Ricardo Mureheid decano Glasguensi secretario nostro et Johanne
 Frefale decano de Lestalrig nostrorum rotulorum et registri ac consilii
 clerici · apud Edinburgh xxii . . . Februarii . . . millesimo quadrin-
 gentesimo nonagesimo quarto et regni nostri septimo.

[Confirmacio carte Walteri Bertram.]

- 110 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre sue . . . salutem ·
 Seiatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma · Omnibus . . .
 Walterus Bertrem prepositus ville de Edinburgh . . . salutem . . .
 Noueritis me . . . pro salute anime . . . Jacobi tereii quondam Scotorum
 regis ac anime . . . Margarete . . . confortis sue ac pro anima et
 falubri statu . . . Jacobi quarti moderni Scotorum regis . . . et pro
 salute animarum . . . antecessorum et successorum suorum et . . .
 anime mee et anime Elizabeth Cant sponse mee et animarum patrum et
 matrum fratum et fororum omniumque antecessorum et successorum
 nostrorum pro saluteque omnium quibus debitor sum et penes quos . . .

deliqui . . . et pro salute omnium fidelium defunctorum in . . . elimofinam dedisse . . . Deo . . . virginis Marie et Sancto Francisco ad sustentacionem . . . capellani secularis . . . ad altare Sancti Laurenei et Sancti Francisci . . . in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidii de Edinburgh vnum annum redditum meum sex marcarum . . . Seocie . . . ad festa Pentecostes et Sancti Martini . . . leuandarum . . . de . . . tenemento anteriori et posteriori Walteri Bynnyng iacente in . . . Edinburgh ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Thome Aldhoch ex parte orientali . . . et terram meam . . . ex parte occidentali . . . et dictam Viam Regiam ex parte boriali et le Kowgate ex parte australi . ac . . . alium annum redditum quadraginta solidorum dictae monete . . . ad prefatos terminos . . . leuandorum de . . . terra mea . . . iacente in Vico Canonicorum ex parte boreali . . . eiusdem inter terram Alifone de Cristifwell ex parte orientali . . . et terram Johannis Broustar ex parte occidentali . . . ac . . . annum redditum meum triginta solidorum dictae monete . . . ad prefatos terminos . . . leuandorum . . . de . . . terra quondam Roberti Lindefay iacente in villa de Leyth et ex parte australi aque . . . in baronia de Lestalrig infra vicecomitatum de Edinburgh inter terram quondam Patricii Logane de Cotefield ex parte occidentali . . . et terram Roberti de Bertoun ex parte orientali . . . neenon vnum annum redditum meum quadraginta solidorum predictae monete . . . de . . . terra quondam Hugonis Bar iacente in . . . Leyth . . . ex australi parte aque . . . in dictis baronia et vicecomitatu inter terram quondam Walteri Spens ex parte australi . . . et terram quondam Alexandri Napare de Merchamestoun militis ex parte boriali . . . ac . . . vnum annum redditum meum quinque marcarum predictae monete . . . de . . . duobus tenementis et de fundo eorum quondam Willelmi Towris de Barnetoun contigue iacentibus in . . . Edinburgh ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Johannis Swyft ex parte orientali . . . et terram quondam Ricardi

Lambe ex parte occidentali . . . et dictam Viam Regiam ex parte boriali et Communem Viam dictam le Kowgate ex parte australi . ac . . . annum redditum meum viginti trium solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . de terra quondam Thome Butler iacente in . . . Edinburgh ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram meam . . . ex parte orientali . . . et terram Ade Halkarftoun ex parte occidentali . . . et . . . Viam Regiam ex parte boriali et terram habitacionis dicti Ade ex parte australi . et unum annum redditum meum sexdecim solidorum . . . de terra quondam Johannis Tauernar . . . iacente in . . . Edinburgh ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Willelmi Napare ex parte occidentali . . . et passagium clausure dicti quondam Johannis Tauernar ex parte orientali . . . et terram meam . . . ex parte boriali et le Kowgate ex parte australi . neenon . . . annum redditum . . . trefdecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum predictae monete . . . de . . . terra . . . quondam Thome Preftoun . . . iacente in . . . Edinburgh ex boriali parte Vici Regii . . . inter terram Henrici Cant ex parte orientali . . . et terram quondam Jacobi Fyngud ex parte occidentali . . . et dictam Viam Regiam ex parte australi et Borialem Laeum ex parte boriali . ac . . . annum redditum viginti septem solidorum et quatuor denariorum predictae monete . . . de . . . terra mea iacente in . . . Leyth ex parte australi aque . . . inter terram quondam Johannis Bertoun ex parte occidentali . . . et terram quondam Johannis Yhong ex parte orientali . . . et Communem Viam ex parte australi et terram quondam Duncani Ruche Hugonis Bar et Johannis Pilgrame ex parte boriali . Tenendos . . . in . . . elimosinam . . . Et volo quod donacio dictae capellanie ad meam et ad Elizabeth Cant sponfe mee . . . prouisionem . . . pro toto tempore vite nostre et post nostrum deceplum ad heredes meos . . . pertineat si infra viginti dies postquam vacauerit . . . capellanum aliquis heredum meorum . . . instituere curauerit . et si . . . aliquis heredum . . . siue forte . . . meis heredibus defientibus

de donacione . . . capellanie negligens fuerit volo quod . . . donacio . . . ad prepositum decanum ecclesie balliuos et communitatem . . . de Edinburgh pertineat illa vice tantum . . . alias donacio . . . ad . . . meos heredes spectabit quibus . . . deficientibus ad prefatos . . . pertinebit semper et omnino . . . ita quod nec . . . heredes mei nec di^ti . . . prefatos annuos redditus . . . retinere . . . vel . . . conuertere presumant . . . Et volo quod . . . capellanus . . . possit . . . terras de quibus . . . redditus debentur in defectu non solucionis . . . destrin- gere . . . Et volo quod . . . ad continuam residenciam areatur et quod . . . tenebitur . . . personaliter ministrare . . . eciam . . . cum dis- positus fuerit missam pro animabus omnium predicatorum celebrare pro quo seruicio . . . octodecim marcas suis v^sfibus applicandas . . . de predictis annuis redditibus percipiet . Et si . . . per quindecim dies con- tinuos non celebrauerit vacabit capellania . . . et si . . . focariam seu concubinam detinuerit hoc cognito . . . vacabit . . . capellania . . . Et si contingat . . . capellanum . . . ad aliquam aliam curam . . . promoueri volo quod . . . vacet . . . capellania . . . Et volo quod . . . capellanus in principio missa sue teneatur populum exhortari ut dicant vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica pro animabus omnium predicatorum . Tenebitur eciam . . . vestimenta ad celebraacionem missae necessaria et ornamenta altaris ac eciam panem et vinum luminaria et alia ad sustentacionem di^ti seruicii necessaria suis . . . expensis acquirere . Tenebitur eciam . . . omni . . . sexta feria per se vel cum focio priuato modo celebrare pro animabus omnium predicatorum *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum nouem lectionibus et cum dispositus fuerit omni secunda feria missam *De requie* celebrare pro defunctis nisi festum duplex aut aliud legittimum impedimentum interueniat . Tenebitur eciam . . . ad voluntatem . . . patroni sui . . . sedere in choro cum suo superpellicio in vesperis et ad missam diebus Dominicis et in festis principaliter dupli- eibus . Tenebitur eciam . . . ad . . . altare Sancti Laurencii et Sancti

Francifci celebrare . . . in die obitus mei anniuersarium felicet *Placebo*
 et *Dirige* cum nota per fe et alios sexdecim capellanos tunc de choro et
 collegio dictæ ecclesie existentes qui debent celebrare missam *De requie*
 cum nota ad dictum altare et tenebitur exhortari populum fundere preces
 pro defunctis in introitu cuiuslibet missæ dicendo unum *Pater noster* cum
 salutacione angelica et in locione manuum ad offertorium psalmum *De
profundis* pro defunctis . quorum sexdecim capellanorum cuiuslibet do . . .
 duodecim denarios de predictis annuis redditibus ac eciam viginti vii
 capellanis aliis missam eadem die celebrantibus extra chorum priuato
 modo cuiuslibet eorum sex denarios . . . Eciam ordino pro quatuor cereis
 cere ponderantibus duas libras sex solidos . . . quorum duo illuminentur
 super altare et alii duo super sepulturam in exequiis predictis . eciam
 sacrificie vel clero pulfanti campanas triginta denarios . . . ita quod
 pulfatis campanis ad *Dirige* et ad missam ut moris est eciam pulfabitur
 maior campana post *Dirige* in vespere ad horam sextam similiter de mane
 hora sexta quod dicitur vulgariter *le munyng* et in fine cuiuslibet illorum
 pulfuum fient ter tres pulfus singillatim cum mediis interuallis ad excien-
 dum populum exorare pro omnibus in Christo defunctis . et campanario
 pulfanti per villam cum campanis manualibus quatuor denarios . . . ac
 . . . quatuor iuuibus chori cantantibus versiculos cuiuslibet eorum tres
 denarios . et clero custodienti crucem et candelabra ac ornanti sepul-
 turam sex denarios . . . Tenebitur eciam . . . capellanus . . . distri-
 buere quinquaginta porciones . . . in cibo et potu . . . pauperibus in
 die obitus mei . et quelibet porcio habebit tres denarios in pane tres in
 ceruisia et quatuor in carnibus pisibus caeo vel butiro prout tempus
 exigerit ad comedendum . quarum portionum octo dabuntur Fratribus
 Observantie de Edinburgh tres . . . leprosis et tres . . . domui hospiti-
 tali in Venella Sancte Marie . cetere autem . . . illis in quibus fene-
 cta pauperies et debilitas . . . magis occurunt . Et in die obitus mei ordino
 dictam elimosinam proporcionaliter ponendam super tabulam infra . . .

ecclesiam que per totam missam . . . anniuersarii statuetur . . . supèr . . . tabulam . . . post missam . . . distribuenda . Pro quo feruicio . . . capellanus . . . habebit quadraginta vnum solidos et octo denarios de prediciis annuis redditibus . Eciā do . . . decano ecclesie . . . ad . . . videndum quod omnia . . . ista . . . fiant completa . . . octodecim denarios de prediciis annuis redditibus . Tenebitur eciam . . . capellanus . . . inspicere si prior et conuentus Fratrum Predicotorum . . . fint . . . negligentes in celebracione missarum . . . vel in distributione elimofinarum in alia infeodacione mea eis facta contentarum . et si aliqua feruicia . . . per ipfos . . . dimittuntur incompleta . . . capellanus tenebitur intimare . . . preposito . . . et communitati . . . de Edinburgh . . . qui habebunt . . . potestatem . . . corrigendi dictos defectus videlicet . quod si obmittatur aliqua vna missa de nota . . . predici . . . habebunt potestatem recuperandi . . . de annuis redditibus in eadem infeodacione . . . contentis tres solidos . . . et pro qualibet priuata missa . . . obmissa duodecim denarios . quod feruicium facient celebrari in . . . ecclesia Beati Egidii per seculares capellanos ad prefatum altare . . . et . . . si aliquod aliud feruiciorum in dicta infeodacione contentorum dimittatur incompletum per . . . Fratres . . . prepositus ballui et communitas . . . habebunt potestatem distringendi de prediciis annuis redditibus tantum quantum predictum feruicium . . . poterit sufficienter adimplere in . . . ecclesia Beati Egedii per seculares capellanos . Ulterius tenebitur . . . capellanus bis . . . singulis . . . annis alta et intelligibili voce . . . ad longum legere et publicare indenturam et cartam . . . inter me et . . . priorem . . . factam et initam . . . et bullam plumbeam apostolicam confirmacionis desuper emanandam vide-licet feria secunda post Pentecosten et die Sancti Martini in hyeme hora nouena ante meridiem in ecclesia Beati Egidii . . . in ambone eiusdem totidemque vicibus et similiter in capella per me fundata et constructa infra ecclesiam predicatorum Fratrum ea intencione quod . . . prior et

conuentus . . . perimplere omnia . . . contenta in sua infedacione
 fint minime negligentes nisi sponte voluerint . Pro quibus . . . infpecione
 . . . et publicacione . . . capellanus . . . habebit de predictis annuis
 redditibus duas marcas . . . et si contingat . . . remissum fore . . .
 in . . . premissis . . . licebit patrono . . . capellanum a dicta capel-
 lania priuandi [priuare] . . . In quorum . . . testimonium . . . sigillum
 meum . . . est appensum et ad maiorem . . . rei . . . firmitatem
 sigillum commune . . . burgi . . . appendi procuraui apud sepedictum
 burgum quarto die mensis Februarii anno Domini m° cccc^{mo} nonagesimo
 quarto coram . . . Andrea Bertram Stephano Borthuik Roberto Bonkill
 balliuis . . . Johanne Wilyhamfone thesaurario . Johanne Fowlar decano
 gilde . Dauid Crawfurd Johanne Bonle Georgeo Towris Johanne
 Levingtoun consulibus . . . Jacobo Carnis feriendo . Alexandro Gray
 communi clero et Henrico Strathachin notariis publicis . cum diuersis
 aliis . Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus sicut nobis . . . ora-
 cionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum
 nostrum apponi precepimus testibus [etc.] apud Edinburgh decimo quarto
 die mensis Marcii anno Domini m° cccc^{mo} nonagesimo quarto et regni
 nostri septimo.

[Carta magistri Willielmi Forbas.]

- 111 **Omnibus . . .** magister Willielmus Forbas prepositus ecclesie collegiate
 Beati Egidi de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noueritis nos cum consenu-
 . . . capituli nostri . . . dedisse . . . preposito balliuis consulibus et
 communitatibus . . . burgi perochianis dictae ecclesie . . . illam nostram
 borealem partem nostre manzionis et glebe prefate ecclesie proxime et
 immediate eidem adiacentem videlicet terram et cameram curati et scolam
 subtus cum omnibus suis boundis et limitibus continentem et extendentem a

dicta ecclesia vsque ad boreale gabellum domus que nuncupatur vulgariter
le stabile et abhinc directe et linialiter extendentem versus occidentem
vsque ad terras Alexandri Gray et quondam Willelmi Bigholme ab vna
partibus et alia in augmentacionem cimiterii . . . ecclesie et sepultu-
rarum perochianorum eiusdem . Tenendam . . . a nobis et successoribus
nostris in . . . elimosinam . . . Tenebuntur eapropter dicti . . .
et successores . . . edificare . . . vnam nouam cameram pro curato
. . . conuenientem et scolam subtus eandem scolaribus aptam supra
predictum stabulum et in eodem loco quo iam seiuatur et quod introitus
et exitus huiusmodi domorum sint ex parte orientali earundem . eciam ad
construendam . . . latrinam in domo que vulgariter nuncupatur *le galry*
in competente loco vbi nobis aut successoribus nostris melius videbitur
expedire . Tenebuntur eciam . . . celebrari facere annuatim in choro
dictae ecclesie et ad magnum altare eiusdem die obitus mei . . . vnum
obitum videlicet *Placebo* et *Dirige* et missam cum nota *De requie* pro
salute anime mee et animarum meorum [successorum] huiusmodi ecclesie
prepositorum . . . expensis dictae ville de Edinburgh tantum . . . In
cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum proprium vnam sigillo communi
capituli . . . est appensum in signum eciam saifine predictae terre . . .
Johanni Foulare decano gilde . . . nomine . . . communitatis . . . per
nos propriis manibus tradite . . . apud Edinburgh penultimo die mensis
Julii anno Domini millesimo quadrageentesimo nonagesimo sexto coram
. . . magistro Ricardo Robefoun magistro Jacobo Paterfoun magistro
Willelmo Balbirny . dominis Willelmo Blaklok Georgio Cotis et Michaele
Geddas capellanis notariis cum diuersis aliis.

Carta confirmacionis ad sustentacionem vnius capellani.

112 Jacobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre sue . . . falutem . . . Sciatis nos duas cartas . . . intellexisse sub hiis formis . . . Omnibus . . . Johannes . . . episcopus Glasguensis cancellarius Scocie falutem . . . Noueritis nos . . . pro salute animarum . . . Jacobi . . . regis Scotorum . . . et . . . Johanne . . . confortis sue . . . anime nostre et animarum parentum fratrum fororum antecessorum successorum et benefactorum nostrorum et omnium fidelium defunctorum deditis . . . vni capellano ad altare Beate Katherine in ecclesia perochiali Beati Egidii de Edinburch celebranti . . . annuos redditus infra scriptos . . . videlicet . . . de tenemento nostro iacente in Vico Regis magne ville de Edinburch inter tenementum Ade Goldsmyth ex parte occidentali . . . et tenementum Ade Halkerstoun ex parte orientali . . . quinque mareas . . . et triginta tres solidos et quatuor denarios de tenemento dicti Ade Goldsmyth iacente . . . inter tenementum predictum ex parte orientali . . . et terram quondam Nicholai Elwald ex parte occidentali . . . annum redditum viginti quatuor solidorum et quatuor denariorum de tenemento nostro iacente in Vico Canonicorum inter tenementum quondam Thome Tynel ex parte orientali . . . et tenementum Nevini Gandow ex parte occidentali . . . annum redditum nouem solidorum de tenemento Johannis Wardene iacente in villa de Leith inter terram Johannis de Newtoune ex parte boreali . . . et terram dicti Johannis Wardene ex parte australi . . . annum redditum quinque solidorum de tenemento Johannis Tait iacente in . . . Leith inter terram Johannis de Barr ex parte boreali . . . et terram quondam Symonis de Hiltoune ex parte australi . . . et . . . annum redditum . . . duorum solidorum de terra Alani Napar iacente in . . . Leyth inter terram domini Roberti Logane militis ex parte boreali . . . et terram Alexandri de Prestoune ex parte

australi . . . Tenendos . . . in . . . elimosinam a nobis et heredibus nostris imperpetuum . . . reseruato Willelmo Cameroune fratri nostro post nostrum deceſsum iure prefentandi . . . capellatum . . . epifcopo Sanctiandree . . . et post . . . fratris nostri deceſsum ad Johannem Cameroune filium et heredem ipſius . . . et . . . post . . . fupradiſtorum deceſsum prefentacio . . . ad . . . communitatem . . . de Edinburch pertineat . . . adiciendo . . . quod si . . . frater noster vel Johannes filius eius infra menſem . . . non prefentauerit . . . prefentacio ad . . . communitatem . . . deuoluatur . et si . . . communitas infra alium menſem . . . non prefentauerint . . . volumus . . . quod abbas et conuentus . . . Sancte Crucis . . . habeant prefentare . . . et in caſu quo . . . negligentes fint per vnum alium menſem . . . ad prefentandum . . . prefentacio . . . ad . . . epifcopum . . . deuoluatur . . . Volumus eciam . . . quod nullus niſi facerdos nec curam habens animarum . . . prefentetur . . . et quod capellanus . . . teneatur ad perfonalem et continuam refidenciam . . . et si contingat . . . ad . . . [aliud] beneficium . . . promoueri . . . capellania . . . fit priuatus . . . item quod . . . celebret quotidie quando dispoſitus fuerit et dicat *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum commendacione animarum exceptis diebus priuilegiatis pro animabus omnibus fupradictis . In cuius rei testimonium ſigillum noſtrum rotundum loco ſigilli noſtri maioriſ apud Edinburch primo die Novembris . . . eft appenſum . . . milleſimo quadringenteſimo viceſimo ſeptimo et confecracionis noſtre anno primo . Omnibus . . . Thomas Cameroun ſalutem . . . Noueritis me . . . conſilio . . . amicorum meorum . . . pro ſalute animarum . . . quoniam . . . Jacobi fecundi . . . Scotorum regis . . . et Marie coniugis ſue proliumque ſuarum et pro . . . proſperitate . . . Jacobi terci . . . Scotorum regis moderni . . . et pro ſalute anime ſue poſt eius deceſſum . . . animarum patris mei et matris mee . . . anime mee animeque Jacobi Cameroune auueniſti mee . . . burgenſis de Edinburch

et coniugis fue proliumque fuarum . . . animarum . . . communitatis . . . de Edinbureh et . . . omnium fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . . capellano . . . celebranti . . . ad altare . . . Sancte Katherine virginis et marteris . . . in ecclesia collegiata Beati Egidii . . . in australi parte eiusdem . . . tenementum meum . . . iacens . . . in vico dicto le Kowgait ex parte australi eiusdem inter terram . . . episcopi Dunkeldensis ex parte orientali et terram quondam Willelmi Raperlaw ex parte occidentali et Communem Viam Regiam ex parte boreali et viam que dicit ad ecclesiam Campi ex parte australi · Tenendum . . . in . . . elimofinam . . . Volo quod . . . presentacio preposito decano gilde et consulibus . . . de Edinburgh post meum deceffum . . . pertineat . . . infra octo dies post . . . vacacionem . . . in quo si remissi fuerint . . . dicto Jacobo Cameroun et heredibus suis . . . pertineat . . . in quo si ipse Jacobus aut heredes . . . fuerint . . . negligentes . . . octo diebus elapsis preposito ecclesie collegiate Sancte Trinitatis prope Edinburgh . . . pertineat . . . Tenebitur . . . capellanus . . . ad continuam residenciam et indies missam celebrare ad dictum altare cum dispositus fuerit et in principio cuiuslibet misse ante officium populum exhortari ut dicat vnum *Pater [noster]* cum salutacione angelica scilicet *Ave Maria* pro animabus supradiictis et ad primum lauatorium dieat . . . *De profundis* cum oratione confusa pro dictis animabus et . . . in qualibet ebdomida *Placebo* et *Dirige* eum omnibus solitis et confuetis pro supradiictis animabus · Eciam volo quod si contingat . . . capellatum . . . ad . . . aliud beneficium . . . promoueri . . . capellania vacet . . . Ulterius velo quod licitum non sit patronis . . . capellaniam . . . permutare . . . referuato . . . libero tenemento . . . predicti tenementi mihi . . . pro . . . tempore vite . . . In eius rei testimonium sigillum meum . . . vacuum sigillo . . . Thome Yhare vnius balliuorum . . . de Edinburgh fasnam . . . dantis . . . domino Matheo Dowell capellano auuneulo meo . . . iam meo presentato pro . . . tempore vite

. . . est appensum apud Edinburgh vicefimo sexto . . . Octobris . . . milletimo quadringentefimo octuagefimo septimo coram . . . domino Alexandro Cokfoun presbitero · Henrico Strathachane notario publico · Gilberto Scot burgenfi . . . Johanne Farnlie Cuthberto Yhoun feriandis · Thoma Yhule et Willelmo Riddaile · cum . . . aliis . . . Quas . . . cartas . . . confirmamus faluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus . . . Willelmo epifeco Abirdonensi nostri secreti figilli custode . . . confanguineis nostris Georgeo comite de Huntlie domino Badeyhenach cancellario nostro Archibaldo comite de Ergile domino Campbele et Lorne etc. magistro hospicii nostri Patricio comite de Boithuale domino Halys etc. Alexandro domino Hume magno camerario nostro Johanne domino Drummond iusticiariorum nostro · Roberto Lundy de Balgony milite thesaurario nostro · et . . . magistris Ricardo Murehede decano Glasguensi secretario nostro et Waltero Drummond decano Dunblanensi nostrorum rotulorum et regiftri ac concilii clericu · apud Linlythgw vltimo . . . Januarii . . . millefimo quadringentefimo nonagefimo octano et regni nostri vndecimo.

Carta admortizacionis super carta domini Alexandri Barcare.

- 113 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre sue . . . falutem · Sciatis nos . . . cartam factam per . . . dominum Alexandrum Barcar . . . intellexisse sub hac forma · Omnibus [etc. ut supra No. 100] · Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus faluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus . . . Willelmo epifeco Abirdonensi nostri secreti figilli custode . . . confanguineis nostris Georgeo comite de Huntlie domino Badyhenach cancellario nostro Archibaldo comite de Ergile

domino Campbell et Lorne magistro hospicij nostri Patricio comite de Boithwell domino Halys Alejandro domino Hwme magno camerario nostro Andrea domino Gray iusticiariorum nostro . . . Georgeo abbate . . . Sancte Crucis Jacobo abbate de Scona et . . . magistris Ricardo Murhede decano Glasguensi secretario nostro et Waltero Drummonde decano Dunkeldensi nostrorum rotulorum et registri ac concilii clericis apud Edinburgh primo die mensis Maii anno Domini millesimo quingen-tesimo primo et regni nostri decimo tercio.

Carta admortizacionis Ricardi Hopper burgenſis de Edinburgh.

- 114 Jacobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre sue . . . salutem . . . Sciatis nos quandam cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . . . Omnibus . . . Ricardus Hoppar burgenſis . . . de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noveritis me . . . pro salute anime . . . Jacobi tertii quondam Scotorum regis et anime . . . Margarete . . . confortis sue ac pro anima et salubri statu . . . Jacobi quarti moderni Scotorum regis . . . et pro salute animarum . . . antecessorum et successorum suorum . . . anime mee et Elizabeth Hiltſoun sponſe mee et prolium nostrarum et animarum patrum matrum fratrum et fororum . . . antecessorum et successorum nostrorum . . . omnium quibus debitor sum et penes quos . . . deliqui . . . et . . . omnium fidelium defunctorum . . . concessisse . . . Deo . . . virginī Marie et Sancto Rocho confessori . . . ad sustentacionem vnius capellani secularis . . . ad altare . . . Virginis et eius visitacionis et Sancti Rochi per me nunc edificandum . . . in ecclesia Beati Egidi de Edinburgh in noua insula Sancti Thome martiris . . . annum redditum sex marcarum . . . Scocie . . . de . . . tenemento quondam Johannis Baty burgenſis . . . iacente in clausura quondam Johannis Barkar . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram ante-

riorem dicti . . . Johannis Barkar ex parte australi et aliam terram predicti . . . Johannis ex parte boreali et terram meam . . . ex parte orientali et aliam terram . . . Johannis Baty ex parte occidentali . . . annum redditum sex marcarum . . . de . . . tenemento . . . Thome Turnoure burgenfis . . . iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter Vinellam Fratrum Predicatorum . . . ex parte occidentali et terras Thome Stanelie quondam ex partibus orientali et australi et Communem Viam Regiam . . . ex parte boreali . . . annum redditum quinque marcarum . . . de terra et tenemento quondam Johannis Covpland iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . in clausura quondam Jacobi Townis ex parte orientali eiusdem inter terram quondam Johannis Anderfoune ex parte australi et terram Willelmi Macolme ex parte boreali . . . annum redditum tresdecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . de predicta terra Willelmi Macolme iacente . . . inter tenementum quondam Johannis Covpland ex parte australi et terram vastam predicti . . . Johannis Anderfone ex parte boreali . . . annum redditum septem marcarum . . . de . . . tenemento quondam Alexandri Levingtoun . . . iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Edwardi Lambe ex parte orientali et orientale gabellum . . . ecclesie Sancti Egidii ex parte occidentali et terram Roberti Vaus ex parte australi et Vicum Regium ex parte boreali ac eciam vnum annum redditum tredecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . de terra et tenemento predicti . . . Johannis Baty . . . iacente . . . in clausura mea ex parte occidentali eiusdem inter terram quondam Georgii Fische ex parte orientali et terram quondam Johannis Barkar ex parte occidentali et terram meam . . . ex parte australi et terram quondam Andree Quhidfoune ex parte boreali . Tenendos . . . in . . . elimofinam . . . Et volo quod donacio dictae capellanie ad meam et Elizabeth Hiltfoune sponse mee . . . prouisionem . . . pro toto tempore vite . . . et post nostrum deceffum ad heredes meos . . . pertineat si infra viginti dies post-

quam vacauerit ipsa capellania . . . capellatum . . . aliquis heredum . . . instituere curauerit et . . . meis heredibus deficientibus . . . volo quod . . . ad prepositum decanum ecclie ballios consules et communitatem . . . de Edinburgh pertinebit . . . ita quod nec . . . heredes mei nec dicti . . . prefatos annuos redditus . . . retineant vel . . . conuertere presumant . . . Et volo quod . . . capellanus . . . possit . . . terras de quibus . . . redditus debentur in defectu non solutionis . . . disstringere . . . ad continuam residenciam areeatur et . . . tenebitur . . . personaliter ministrare · Tenebitur eciam . . . cum dispositus fuerit missam cotidianam pro animabus omnium predicatorum celebrare pro quo seruicio . . . viginti marcas . . . de predictis . . . redditibus . . . habebit · Et si . . . per quindecim dies continuos non celebrauerit . . . et si . . . focariam seu concubinam detinuerit . . . et si contingat . . . ad . . . aliud . . . beneficium . . . promoueri volo quod . . . vacet ipsa capellania . . . Et volo quod . . . capellanus in principio missae teneatur populum exhortari ut dicant vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica pro animabus omnium predicatorum . . . vestimenta ad celebracionem missae necessaria et ornamenta altaris . . . panem et vinum et luminaria aliaque ad supplicationem dicti seruicioi necessaria fuis . . . expensis acquirere . . . omni . . . sexta feria per se vel cum socio priuato modo celebrare pro animabus omnium predicatorum *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum nouem lectionibus et cum dispositus fuerit omnia feria secunda missam *De requie* celebrare pro animabus omnium predicatorum nisi festum duplex aut aliud . . . impedimentum interuenerit . . . eciam . . . ad predictum altare . . . virginis Marie et Sancti Rochi celebrare . . . in die obitus mei anniversarium videlicet *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum nota per se et alios sexdecim capellanos tune de choro et collegio dictae ecclie . . . qui debent celebrare missam *De requie* priuato modo et magnam missam *De requie* cum nota ad prefatum altare et tenentur exhortari populum fundere preces pro defunctis in introitu cuiuslibet missae

dicendo vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica et in locione manuum ad offertorium psalmum *De profundis pro defunctis* . quorum sexdecim capellanorum cuilibet do . . . duodecim denarios de predictis annuis redditibus ac viginti capellanis aliis missam eodem die celebrantibus extra chorum priuato modo cuilibet eorum sex denarios similiter de predictis . . . redditibus . Eciā ordino pro quatuor cereis cere ponderantibus duas libras sex solidos . . . quorum duo illuminentur super altare et alii duo super sepulcrum in exequiis predictis . et sacrificie uel clerieo pulsanti campanas tres solidos . . . ita quod puliatis magnis campanis ad *Dirige* et ad missam ut moris est eciā pulsabuntur post *Dirige* in vespere hora sexta et similiter de mane ad horam sextam quod dicitur vulgariter *le menyng* et in fine cuiuslibet illorum pulsuum fient ter tres pulsus singillatim cum mediis interuallis ad excitandum populum exorare pro omnibus in Christo defunctis . et campanario pulsanti per villam cum campanis manualibus quatuor denarios . . . eciā . . . quatuor iuuenibus chori cantantibus verificulos cuiuslibet eorum tres denarios . et clero custodienti crucem et caudelabra ac ornanti sepulturam duodecim denarios de predictis annuis redditibus . Tenebitur eciā . . . capellanus . . . distribuere quinquaginta porciones pauperum in cibo et potu . . . in die obitus mei . et quelibet porcio habebit tres denarios in pane tres in ceruisia et tres in carnibus piscibus caseo vel butiro prout tempus exigerit . . . quarum porcionum octo dabuntur Fratribus Observantie de Edinburgh tres . . . leprofis et tres . . . domui hospitalis in Vinella Sancte Marie . cetere autem . . . illis in quibus fenectus pauperies et debilitas respectiue magis ocurrunt . et in die obitus mei ordino dictam elimofinam proporcionaliter ponendam super tabulam infra predictam nouam insulam . . . per totam missam . . . et post missam . . . distribuendam . Pro ~~anno~~ feruicio . . . capellanus . . . habebit triginta septem solidos et sex denarios . . . eciā do . . . decano ecclie . . . ad . . . videndum quod . . . premissa . . . fiant completa duos solidos . . . Tenebitur

eciam . . . capellanus ministrare panem et vinum celebranti ad dictum altare pro quo percipiet tres solidos et duos denarios . . . Ulterius volo quod omnia ornamenta . . . altaris vacuum calice phialis libratis et aliis talibus quibuscumque . . . fient in custodia . . . capellani . . . In quorum . . . testimonium . . . sigillum meum . . . est appensum et ad maiorem . . . rei . . . firmitatem sigillum commune . . . burgi . . . appendi procuraui apud . . . burgum decimo septimo . . . Januarii . . . millefimo quingentesimo secundo coram . . . Alexandro Lauder preposito . Willelmo Carmichell Thoma Kerkatill Willelmo Totherik balliuis . Willelmo Scherefmyth thefaurario . Johanne Fowlar decano gilde . Georgio Towris Roberto Rynd Willelmo Bothuile Johanne Bislate Waltero Cant consulibus ac burgensibus . . . magistro Jacobo Henryfoun communi clero Henrico Strathachin notariis . . . Alejandro Gray alias Edinburgh nuncio . Andrea Grahame Alejandro Faufid Willelmo Patonfoune Roberto Carmichell Thoma Lawder et Johanne Huntare feriandis . cum . . . aliis . Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In eius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus . . . Jacobo Sanctiandree archiepiscopo etc. cancellario nostro . . . Willelmo episcopo Abirdonensi nostri secreti sigilli custode . . . confanguineis nostris Archibaldo comite de Ergile domino Campbell et Lorne etc. magistro hospitii nostri Patricio comite de Bothuile domino Halis magno admirallo regni nostri etc. Matheo comite de Lewnax domino Dernlie Alejandro domino Hume magno camerario nostro Andrea domino Gray iusticiario nostro . et . . . magistris Ricardo Murheid decano Glasguensi secretario nostro et Gawino Dunbar decano Morauiensi nostrorum rotulorum et registri et consilii clero . apud Edinburgh decimo octavo . . . Januarii . . . millefimo quingentesimo secundo et regni nostri decimo quinto.

Carta admortizacionis facta per Robertum Vaus burgensem de Edinburgh.

115 **J**acobus . . . rex Seotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem . . . Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . . . Omnibus . . . Robertus Vaus burgensis . . . de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noueritis me cum consenu . . . capituli ecclesie collegiate dicti burgi . . . pro salute anime . . . Jacobi terciij quondam Scotorum regis ac anime . . . Margarete confortis fue . . . ac pro . . . prosperitate . . . Jacobi quarti Seotorum regis . . . moderni et Margarete . . . confortis fue ac pro salute anime mee et animarum quandam Cristine Stanelie sponse mee Johannis Vaus filii mei et Elizabeth Vaus fue fororis ac . . . patris et matris meorum ac omnium fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . . Omnipotenti Deo Beate Marie virginis et Sancto Egidio et domino Edwardo Bog capellano . . . et . . . capellanis . . . imperpetuum celebraturis ad summum altare Beati Egidii in dicta ecclesia . . . annuos redditus subscriptos videlicet . . . Annuum redditum septemdecim marcarum decem solidorum . . . Scocie . . . leuandum ad . . . terminos confuetos . . . de . . . terra fue tenemento meo . . . iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram quandam Henrici Prestoun ex parte australi et terram quandam Alexandri Levingtoun ex parte boreali et communem transitum apud finem orientalem . . . ecclesie . . . predicte ex parte occidentali et Communem Venellam ex parte orientali . . . neenon vnum annum redditum triginta solidorum dictae . . . monete . . . de . . . terra fue tenemento quandam Maleomi Kincaid iacente subitus Archum Inferiorem . . . infra libertatem . . . burgi ex parte australi eiusdem prope le Loplystane inter terram Johannis Fawside ex parte orientali et terram Thome Scott ex parte occidentali et *le strand* disseendendo ab oriente a porta Venelle Sancte Marie ex parte australi et Communem Viam Regiam Vici Canonicorum ex parte boreali . . . Tenendos . . .

in . . . elimosinam . . . Volo tamen . . . quod donacio . . . capellani . . . ad me pro . . . tempore vite mee et post meum deceffsum ad . . . communitatem . . . burgi . . . pertineat . ita tamen quod nec ego neque heredes mei neque . . . communitas . . . prenominatos annuos redditus . . . detineant vel . . . conuertere . . . presumant . . . et . . . quod . . . capellanus . . . posset . . . terras . . . de quibus . . . debentur in defeitu non folucionis . . . distingere . . . et quod . . . ad continuam residenciam arceatur . Tenebitur eciam . . . missam quotidianam cum dispositus fuerit circa horam septimam ad dictum altare celebrare . et si . . . per decem dies continuos non celebrauerit . . . et si ipse . . . focariam seu . . . concubinam . . . detinuerit vacabit . . . capellania . Et si contingat ipsum . . . ad . . . aliud beneficium . . . promoueri volo quod . . . vacet . . . capellania . Et . . . volo quod . . . post quamlibet suam missam vertendo se iuxta meum sepulcrum dicat psalmum *De profundis* et in fine *Requiescant in pace amen* . *Domine exaudi oracionem meam et clamor meus ad te veniat* . *Oremus* . *Absolue quesumus Domine animas famulorum famularumque tuarum ab omni vinculo delictorum ut in resurrectionis gloria inter sanctos et electos tuos resuscitatos respirent per Christum Dominum nostrum amen* . Et sic aspergendo aquam benedictam dicat hunc versum *Asperge me Domine* . Tenebitur eciam . . . omni . . . feria sexta vel alia feria per se vel cum socio celebrare *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum nouem lectionibus pro animabus omnium predicatorum . pro quoquidem . . . seruicio ipse . . . et successores . . . habebunt predictos . . . redditus . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum vacuum signillo communi . . . capituli . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh vicesimo quinto . . . Januarii . . . millesimo quingentesimo quarto coram . . . magistro Ricardo Lawfoun de Hieriggis preposito . . . burgi . Alejandro Crichton Willelmo Lokkert Willelmo Goldfinth magistro Alejandro Borthvic ballius . Alejandro Lawe magistro Jacobo Hender-

foun et Jacobo Hammyll . . . burgensibus . . . cum multis aliis . Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In enijs rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus [etc.] apud Edinburgh vltimo . . . Januarii . . . millefimo quingentesimo quarto et regni nostri decimo septimo.

Ane chartour of fewfirme maid to Dauid Meluile of ane land pertening to the chaiplen of the Haly Bluid.

- 116 **O**mnia dominus Alexander Tod capellanus prebendarius altaris Sancti Cruoris et Sancte Crucis de Lucano . . . in ecclesia . . . Beati Egidii . . . salutem . . . Noueritis me cum . . . consensu . . . communis . . . burgi . . . considerantem quod infra burgum annui redditus certiores sunt terris vastis ruinosis et inconstructis . . . ecclesie in melioracionem . . . assedasse . . . Dauid Meluile . . . burgenſi . . . terram meam . . . racione prebende . . . mihi pertinentem . . . iacentem . . . ex parte boreali . . . ecclesie . . . in lie Buithraw inter terram dicti Dauid Meluile que quondam fuit Laurencii Talyhefere ex parte orientali et terram quondam Henrici Levingstone ex occidentali . . . neconon . . . annum redditum viginti sex solidorum et octo denariorum . . . Scocie mihi . . . pertinentem pretextu dictae mee prebende et feruiciei . . . dicti altaris . . . de subterioribus bothis predictae terre . . . Tenendam . . . a me et successoribus meis de . . . rege . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . regi . . . feruicium burgi debitum . . . neconon pro ipsa terra et de predicta alia terra sua coniunctim ex parte orientali adiacente . . . mihi et successoribus meis decem libras tres solidos et quatuor denarios . . . Scocie . . . nomine annualis redditus feedifirme . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum . . . vacuum appensione sigilli communis . . . burgi

. ac cum figillo . . . Johannis Levingtoun vnius balliuorum . . . fasinam . . . dantis . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh decimo tercio . . . Auguſti . . . milleſimo quingenteſimo ſexto coram . . . Alexandro Lauder prepoſito . . . maſiſtro Jacobo Henrifone Willelmo Hopper maſiſtro Dauide Lauder Johanne Watſoun Johanne Broun iuniore Adam Tynto et Andrea Gramē cum diuerſis aliis.

[Carta Alexandri Rynde.]

- 117 **O**mnibus . . . Alexander Rynde filius et heres quondam Henrici Rynde burgenſis . . . de Edinburgh falutem . . . Noueritis me . . . pro faſute anime . . . quondam . . . Jacobi terei . . . Scotorum regis . . . et pro . . . proſpero ſtatu . . . Jacobi quarti . . . regis Scotorum et pro faſute anime Jacobi quinti eius filii poſt eius deceſſum et . . . anime Margarete matris fue . . . anime mee animarumque quondam pa- tris mei et matris mee . . . Alexandri Napar de Merchamſtoun militis Elizabeth Cant Elizabeth Scot Margarete Levingtoun Thome Levingtoun et fue ſponſe Thome Butlare et Margarete Currour . . . prepoſitorum balliuorum officiariorum et communitatis diſti burgi . . . anteceſſorum et ſucceſſorum fuorum et noſtrorum . . . illorum quibus debitores fuimus et penes quoſ . . . deliquimus omniumque . . . fidelium defunctorum dediſſe . . . vni capellano . . . celebranti . . . ad altare Saluatoris noſtri Jhesu Christi . . . infra eccliaſum . . . Diui Egidii burgi de Edinburgh . . . annum redditum decim librarum . . . Scocie . . . de . . . terra mea anteriori videlicet ab medio gradu uſque ad fundum eiusdem iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Fori . . . inter terram quondam Thome Butlare ex orientali et terram Willelmi Borthuik ex occidentalı . . . annum redditum tresdecim ſolidorum et quatuor dena- riorum . . . Scocie . . . de . . . terris quondam Johannis Spens . . .

iacentibus in le Cowgait ex parte boreali Vici Regii eiusdem inter terram quondam Ade Carkettill ex parte orientali et terram quondam Andree Bell ex parte occidental et publicum Vicum Regium de lie Cowgait ex australi et terram Willelmi Tod ex boreali . item . . . annum redditum quatuor marcarum predicte . . . monete . . . de . . . terris Dauid Gillespy . . . iacentibus infra tenementum meum predictum inter terram Jasperi Mayne ex boreali et . . . Vicum de le Cowgait ex australi . . . Tenendos . . . in . . . elimosinam . . . Insuper volo . . . quod donacio . . . michi et heredibus meis neonou heredibus quondam Henrici Napare filii quondam Alexandri Napare de Merchamftoun militis alternatis vicibus absque vlla collacione ordinaria speget . . . ita tamen quod si filium habuero facerdotem vel in proxima disposicione vt esse possit facerdos intra tres vel quatuor annos tenebuntur tam heredes mei quam . . . Henrici Napare filio meo facerdoti vel proxime disposito . . . conferre dictum altare . qui in casu quo non fuerit facerdos faciet bis in ebdomida per vnum facerdotem vnam missam ad dictum altare celebrari factus autem facerdos ipsomet celebrabit . ac cum ego non habuero filium facerdotem vel . . . proxime dispositum . . . tunc tenebuntur dictum altare facerdoti michi ex fanguine et cognicione propinquiori conferre sic quod consanguineus meus modo fit facerdos omni extraneo preferatur in collacione dicti altaris . verum cum non fuerit facerdos michi consanguineus vel cum fuerit sed dictum altare acceptare recusauerit tanquam incompatibile cum alio seruicio prius accepto tunc licebit heredibus meis et . . . Henrici Napare . . . dictum altare conferre cuicunque capellano . . . dum tamen . . . obseruet infra scriptas condiciones . . . et quod . . . capellanus . . . fit sufficientis literature boneque . . . conuerfacionis et quod indies cum dispositus fuerit missam apud dictum altare celebrabit et ad continuam residenciam arceatur et quod . . . tenebitur . . . personaliter ministrare . et si . . . per quindecim dies continue non celebrauerit . . . aut si focariam seu concubinam detinuerit . . . va-

cabit . . . capellania . et quod . . . in principio fue misse teneatur popu-
lum exhortari vt dicant vnum *Pater noster* cum falutacione angelica vide-
licet *Ave Maria* et dicat in locione manuum ad offertorium psalmum *De
profundis* et omni . . . feria sexta cum nouem lectionibus celebrabit
Placebo et *Dirige* pro anima mea et animabus supradiictis . Tenebitur
eciam . . . in omnibus maioribus festis duplicitibus ad vtralque vesperas
corundem in superpellicio mundo apud dictum altare personaliter esse .
Et ego . . . predictos annuos redditus . . . distribuendos fore ordino
prout sequitur videlicet quod . . . capellanus . . . habebit pro suo
feruicio decem libras . . . de predicta terra mea . . . et sic restant quin-
que marce in hunc modum distribuende . . . per prepositum prebendarios
et collectorem . . . prefati collegii Diui Egidi Edinburgi videlicet pro uno
anniversario . . . feria secunda post festum Penthecostes fiendo preben-
dariis chori bassa voce decantando *Placebo* et *Dirige* et missam *De requie*
in craftino apud dictum altare pro animabus supradiictis intra se diuidi-
dendi tresdecim solidi et quatuor denarii . item triginta capellanis cele-
brando *Placebo* et *Dirige* et missas *De requie* dicto die pro animabus
supradiictis inter se diuidendi quindecim solidi scilicet quisque eorum ha-
bebit sex denarios . item pro magna campana pulsanda duo solidi . item
pro campana pulsanda per villam quatuor denarii . item dicto die pro
vino et pane quatuor denarii . item pro quatuor paruis candelis videlicet
duabus super dictum altare et duabus super epitapheum et una rolla
quatuor vniarum cere quinque solidi et octo denarii . item pro cruce et
candelabris argenteis octo denarii . item custodi eiusdem quatuor denarii .
item pro divisione pauperum videlicet triginta sex quisque eorum habebit
nouem denarios sic locandos scilicet tres in pane tres in ceruisia et reli-
quos tres in carnibus vel piseibus . cuius summa extendit ad summam
viginti septem solidorum de quibus octo porciones largientur Fratribus
ordinis Minorum infra dictum burgum . . . tres . . . hospitali Sancte
Marie . . . tres . . . hospitali Sancti Pauli . . . due . . . hospitali

Sancti Leonardi et cetero . . . pauperibus debilioribus ville quibus dicto collectori . . . magis necesse videbitur · item . . . collectori pro suis laboribus . . . penes premissa . . . duo solidi . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum . . . est appensum vnam mea subsciptione manuali apud Edinburgh vicefimo . . . Augosti . . . millesimo quingentesimo duodecimo coram . . . magistro Andrea Bonar · dominis Thoma Ewin et Johanne Stirk capellani · Johanne Ramsay de Petgorno · Roberto Bruce Georgio Tait burgenibus . . . et Johanne Afloan · cum diuersis aliis.

Hec est vera . . . copia . . . carte fundacionis manu aliena . . . copiata et per me . . . cum originali collacionata . . . testibus meis signo et subsciptione manualibus ac pro maiori verificacione eiusdem prefatus Alexander Rynd . . . sigillum suum apposuit.

Ita est · Andreas Richartson notarius publicus premissa afferit.

Hec est vera . . . copia . . . carte fundacionis . . . per me . . . collacionata . . . teste meis signo et subsciptione manualibus.

Ita est · Alexander King . . .

[In dorso.]

Concordat prefens copia . . . carte . . . fundacionis . . . copiata et collacionata per me . . . feribam curie domini officialis Laudonie teste manu propria.

Jacobus Marioribankis notarius publicus ac feriba qui supra manu propria.

Decimo Martii anno Domini ist v^e xlviⁱⁱ^{uo}.

The quhillk day the baillie William Trail fittand in ingleton with auis of the assifflouris ordanis the officiaris to pas to the landis of vnuhile Dauid Gillaspy now pertenyng to the airis of vnuhile Symone Prestoun lyand in this burch on the south part of the Hie Strete thairof betuix the

landis of Johnne Mane on the north parte and the Hie Cowgait on the south parte and thair poynd and distrenyhe the inhabitaris thairof for the Martymes terme laft bipart of ane annualrent of four markis awing furth of the saidis landis to Sehir Symone Blyth chaiplane of Sanct Saluatouris alter situate within the college kirk of Sanct Geill foundit be vñquibile Alexander Rynd and mak payment thairof to the said Sehir Symone and sielik to poynd termle in tyme cuming according to his posseſſioun becaufe Johnne Clerkſoun ane of the inhabitaris of the saidis landis comperand the viii day of Marche instant confeſſit that he had maid payment of the said annualrent of four markis to the said Sehir Symone ſen the birnyng of this burch . Extra^{ctum} de libro actorum curie burgi de Edimburgh.

A. KING.

[Alia carta di^ti Alexandri Rynd.]

- 118 **Omnibus** . . . Alexander Rynd filius et heres quondam Henrici Rynd burgenſis . . . de Edinburgh . . . falutem . Quia per pias oraciones et missarum vbi Filius pro peccatis nostris Patri offertur celebraciones pre- fertim continuas ereditimus peccata dimitti purgatoriique penas demolliri et ab eiusdem penis defunctorum animas frequencius liberari et in paradisi gaudiis collocari . noueritis igitur me . . . pro falubri statu et salute animarum . . . Jacobi quarti Scotorum regis . . . et Margarete regine . . . ac pro salute animarum quondam Alexandri Napare de Mercham- stoun militis antedictique Henrici Rynd patris mei et Mariote Cant matris mee meique antedicti . . . et quondam Margrete Levintoun ſponſe mee anteceſſorum et ſucceſſorum noſtrorum . . . illorum a quibus . . . bona . . . recepi et . . . non ſatisfeci et penes quos . . . deliqui et omnium fideliuum defunctorum . . . dediſſe . . . Sancto Vincencio [marthiri] ad ſuſtentacionem vnius capellani . . . ad altare Sancti Saluatoris Domini noſtri Jhesu Christi . . . infra ecclſiam . . . Beati Egidi . . . in fine

orientali eiusdem . . . annum redditum decem librarum . . . Scocie . . . de . . . terra mea anteriori videlicet ab inferiori gradu usque ad fundum eiusdem iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Fori . . . inter terram quondam Thome Butlare ex orientali et terram Willelmi domini Borthwick ex occidentali . . . Tenendum . . . in . . . elimosinam . . . Infuper volo . . . quod donacio . . . michi et Alexandro Napare de Pethintoun filio antediicti . . . Alexandri . . . de Merchamftoun militis et heredibus nostris alternatis vicibus . quoquidem Alexandro et suis heredibus deficientibus michi et Archibaldo Napare de Merchamftoun moderno et heredibus nostris alternatis eciam vicibus absque villa collacione ordinaria spectet . . . et quod . . . capellanus . . . sit sufficientis litterature boneque . . . conuerfacionis et quod indies cum dispositus fuerit missam apud dictum altare celebrabit et ad continuam residenciam arceatur et quod . . . tenebitur . . . personaliter ministrare . Et si . . . per quindecim dies continue non celebrauerit aut si focariam feni continuam concubinam detinuerit . . . vacabit ipsa capellania . Et quod . . . in principio sue missae teneatur populum exhortari ut dieant unum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica videlicet *Ave Maria* et dicat in locione manuum ad offertorium psalmum *De profundis pro animabus predictis* . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . sigillum meum . . . est appensum uniacum subscriptione mea manuali apud Edinburgh vicefimo . . . Augusti . . . millesimo quingentesimo duodecimo coram . . . Johanne Ramsay de Petgarno . Roberto Bruse Georgeo Tait et Andrea Grahame feriendo . cum . . . aliis.

Hec est vera . . . copia . . . carte fundacionis manu mei notarii . . . scripta ac sub sigillo et subscriptione predicti Alexandri Rynd . . . collacionata per me . . . sub meis signo et subscriptione manualibus . . .

ALEXANDER CLERK.

ALEXANDER RYND with my hand.

Carta admortizacionis tuper carta fundacionis domini Johannis Craufurd.

- 119 **Jacobus . . . rex Seotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem . . .**
Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . . .
Omnibus . . . dominus Johannes Craufurd prebendarius ecclesie collegiate Beati Egidi de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noueritis me [ete. ut in Libro Cartarum Sancte Katherine de Senis, pp. 28-33, Edinburgi, 1841.]

Carta aduortizacionis Alexandri Lawdere de Blyth militis.

- 120 **Jacobus . . . rex Seotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem . . .**
Sciatis nos cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . . .
Alexander Laudere de Blith miles prepositus burgi de Edinburgh salutem . . .
Noueritis me cum confensu . . . sponse mee Jonete Patrifoun . . .
pro salute animarum quondam . . . Jacobi tertii Seotorum . . .
regis . . . atque fue coniugis Margarete . . . ac pro prosperitate . . .
Jacobi quarti . . . regis nostri . . . et Margarete confortis fue . . .
proliumque fuarum ac pro salute fuarum animarum post eorum deceplium
antecefforum et fucefforum suorum . . . anime mee et dicté coniugis
mee animarum patrum et matrum nostrorum antecefforum et fucefforum
nostrorum . . . comburgenfum et communitatis . . . burgi . . . eorum
quibus debitor fui et penes quos . . . deliqui ac omnium fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . . vni capellano diuina celebranti . . . ad altare
per me fundatum . . . in nouo facello ecclie . . . Diui Egidi . . .
ad occidentalem finem eiusdem verfus aufrum in honorem . . . virginis
Marie et Sancti Gabrielis archangeli . . . annum redditum quindecim
marcarum . . . Scocie . . . de illo meo annuo redditu viginti et quatuor
marcarum . . . quem habeo . . . de . . . tenemento terre . . . quondam

Roberti Laudere iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram Johannis Napare ex parte orientali et terram Sancte Marie Magdalene ex parte occidentali et Communes Vias Regias ex boreali et australi partibus . . . et alium annum redditum quinque marcarum . . . de . . . terra . . . quondam Willelmi Carkettill infra tenementum quondam Willelmi Selyman inter Communem Viam Regiam ex parte australi et terram quondam Andree Thomfoun ex parte boreali . quod quidem tenementum iacet . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter [terram] quondam episcopi Dunkeldensis ex parte orientali et terram meam . . . que quondam fuit Alexandri Crawfurd ex parte occidentali . Tenendos . . . in . . . elimofinam . . . Volo tamen . . . quod ipsius capellanie prefentacio . . . milii pro . . . tempore vite . . . et post meum deceffum heredibus precipue pertineat ita quod . . . capellatum . . . prefentent infra quindecim dies . . . in quo si remissi fuerint . . . volo . . . quod . . . donacio . . . ad prepositum ballinos decanum gilde et consules . . . burgi hac vice . . . pertinebit et quod ipsi quindecim diebus . . . clapsis . . . capellatum . . . instituant . Tenebitur idem capellanus . . . ad continuam residenciam et indies celebrabit missam ad dictum altare cum dispositus fuerit pro animabus supradiictis et ad primum lauatorium cuiuslibet misse exhortetur populum affidentem ut dicat vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica scilicet *Ave Maria* pro animabus suorum fundatorum et omnium fidelium defunctorum ac finita missa induitus alba cum asperforio aqua benedicta intincto adibit tumulum meum . . . iuxta . . . altare et dicet . . . *De profundis* pro animabus supradiictis . Tenebitur . . . idem . . . omni die Dominica et maiori duplici festo adire chorum . . . ecclesie in superpellicio suo et ibidem interfesse ad matutinas altam missam et vesperas . . . nec licebit ipsi . . . se absentare a dicto seruicio sine rationabili causa et licencia patronorum . . . per spacium octo dierum quin vacabit ipsa capellania . Et si contingat ipsum . . . ad . . . beneficium . . . aliud . . . [promoueri] . . .

capellania . . . vacabit . . . Nec licebit ipsi . . . detinere focariam seu coneubinam in camera vel in domo sua publice nec exerceat se in ludo eartharum vel taxillorum seu communis sit aliator vel . . . confamilibus vti ludis qui fortunam sequuntur quibus . . . cognitis . . . vacabit . . . capellania . Volo eciam quod . . . capellanus . . . omni ebdomada celebrabit *Placebo* et *Dirige* pro anima mea et aliis supradiictis . Nec itaque licebit . . . patronis . . . redditus . . . capellanie . . . in alienos vfusc transmutare . . . Insuper affigno . . . capellano . . . meum tementum terre . . . iacens . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter . . . terram anteriorem dicti quondam Willelmi Carkettill ex parte orientali et terram quondam Johannis Twedy ex parte occidentali in speciale warantum dicti anni redditus quindecim marcarum . . . Ulterius . . . affigno hereditarie istos annuos redditus . . . vnum nouem marcarum . . . Seocie . . . de predicto meo annuo redditu fundi viginti quatuor marcarum de . . . predicto tenemento terre . . . quondam Roberti Lawdere iacente . . . vt supra . . . annum redditum . . . triginta duorum solidorum . . . quem habeo . . . de . . . terra quondam Andree Sklater iacente infra predictum tenementum . . . Willelmi Selyman inter terram quondam Thome Tod militis ex parte australi et terram dicti . . . Willelmi ex parte boreali . . . necnon annum redditum . . . duarum marcarum . . . de . . . tenemento terre . . . quondam Petri Marche iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter tementum quondam Johannis Halkerstoun ex parte occidentali et terram archiepiscopi Glasguensis ex orientali et Communem Viam Regiam ex australi et pomerium ecclesie collegiate Beate et Iudicidie Trinitatis . . . ex boreali . . . diuidendos prout sequitur . In primis pro vnius lampadis sustentacione coram dicto altari . . . oleo ardantis incipiendo in festo Sancti Michaelis archangeli usque ad Purificacionem . . . virginis Marie duraturi decem solidos . item pro panibus vino et cereis minutis pro missarum celebracione caritatue largiendis . . . capellanis

ad dictum altare et aliis indigentibus potentibus et non infeodatis xiii s. iiiii d. item pro candelis sive cereis decentibus super gestum sive *le hers* huiusmodi altaris omni tempore conueniente . . . ardendis xxvi s. viii d. item pro uno anniversario . . . die obitus mei . . . pro anima mea et anima dicti coniugis mee animarumque patrum et matrum nostrorum et omnium fidelium defunctorum videlicet *Placebo* et *Dirige* et missa *De requie* cum nota per ecclesie . . . prebendarios apud dictum altare celebrando . . . xiii s. item quadraginta aliis presbiteris in processione tempore *Dirige* sua mortuorum servicia dicentibus et in crastino die quisque eorum missam celebrans ad dictum altare et ad alia tria altaria proximus eidem adiacencia pro animabus supradiictis habebit viii d. summam illius xxvi s. viii d. Volo etiam quod sint quatuor candele sive cerei due videlicet super dictum altare et alie due super paramidem et tumulum bene . . . ornatum vnaqueque ponderans dimidietatem unius libre . et quatuor thede sive torchie vnaqueque ponderis duarum librarum circa ista servicia . . . ardente summa xiii s. item pro aliis minutis . . . serviciis circa istum obitum fiendis videlicet ornacione . . . altaris et tumuli cum cruce et candelabris argenteis salariisque corundem et aliis necessariis . . . quatuor solidos . Eciam volo quod una diuilio climosinaria in die . . . huiusmodi obitus pauperibus . . . danda . . . sexaginta porcionum vnaqueque porcio habens valorem nonem denariorum trium . . . in pane trium in servisia et trium in carnibus aut piseibus secundum exigenciam temporis videlicet quod Fratres Minores huiusmodi burgi de Observancia habebunt xii porciones . item decano gilde . . . pro suo interesse et suis laboribus tres solidi dentur et iiiii d. quia hec omnia fiant cum suo confilio . . . Volo etiam . . . quod . . . capellanus . . . tenebitur iuuenem scolarem tenere in suo adiutorio pro antedictis hostiis vino et minutis candelis ministrandis in sua absencia debitibus horis ut supra cui reddentur annuatim xxi s. Et . . . tenebitur idem . . . per se aut dictum suum servitorem omni die Sabbati et aliis

diebus festiuis dictum altare decenter ornare . . . et vnam ceream super medio eiusdem ponere ardendam per totum spacium vesperarum et in crastino tempore missae solemnis huiusmodi festi et diei Dominice ut de confuetudine prefati collegii intereſt . In quorum . . . fidem . . . sigillum meum . . . vacuum sigillo . . . Willelmi Hoppare vnius balliuorum . . . fasinas . . . redditum dantis . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh vndeциmo . . . Octobris . . . millesimo quingentesimo decimo coram . . . Waltero Yhong . . . balliuo . magistro Jacobo Lawdere Willelmo Lokhert Gilberto Lawdere Patricio Ellem Dauid Gray Johanne Lethane Willelmo Paterfoun Thoma Arnot feriandis et Henrico Strathachin notario . . . cum . . . aliis . Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus [etc.] Datum apud Edinburgh decimo septimo . . . Augusti . . . millesimo quingentesimo decimo tercio et regni nostri viceſimo ſexto.

Carta mortificationis Walteri Chepman.

- 121 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . ſalutem . Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexiffe ſub hac forma . Omibus . . . Walterus Chepman de Ewirland burgenſis . . . de Edinburgh ſalutem . . . Noueritis me . . . pro . . . proſperitate . . . Jacobi Scotorum regis . . . et . . . confor‐tis fue Margarete . . . proliuque fuarum et pro fulate animarum predeceſſorum et ſucceſſorum fuorum . . . anime mee et Agnetis Cokburne . . . ſponſe mee et anime . . . Mariote Kerkettil olim ſponſe et animarum patris mei et matris mee et omnium anteceſſorum et fucessorum meorum . . . omnium quibus debitor sum et penes quos . . . deliqui . . . et de quorum bonis habui et pro quibus orare teneor et omnium fidelium defunctorum dediffe . . . Deo . . .

virgini Marie . . . et Sancto Johanni apostolo et evangeliste . . . ad sustentacionem vnius capellani secularis perpetui ad altare Sancti Johannis evangeliste . . . in . . . capella ipsius per me nouiter fundata . . . in australi parte ecclesie . . . Beati Egidii . . . pro salute animarum predicatorum . . . celebraturo . . . annum redditum decem marcarum . . . Scocie . . . de . . . tenemento terre mee . . . orto et pomerio eiusdem . . . iacente . . . in vico dicto le Kowgate ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Jacobi Flemyngh de Bord nunc Patricii Flemyngh ex parte orientali et terram quondam Willelmi Dunfiar nunc Willelmi Halkerstoune ex parte occidentali et publicum Stratum Regium ex parte boreali et commune paflagium ducens ab ecclesia Beate Marie virginis de Campo ad eccleiam sive locum Fratrum Minorum ex parte australi . . . annum redditum duarum marcarum . . . de . . . terra et tenemento dicti . . . Jacobi Flemyngh de Bord iacente . . . ex australi parte . . . de le Kowgate inter terram Roberti Harwar ex parte orientali et dictam terram meam et tenementum ex parte occidentali . . . annum redditum quatuor marcarum . . . de . . . terra quondam Thome Tod militis . . . burgensis . . . iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . infra tenementum quondam Willelmi Selyman inter terram quondam Andree Scelatar ex parte boreali et terram dicti . . . Willelmi . . . ex parte australi . . . annum redditum quadraginta solidorum . . . de . . . terra quondam Henrici Rind . . . burgensis iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Johannis Williamfoune ex parte orientali et terras quondam Thome Cranstoune et Johannis Cranstoune ex occidentali . . . annum redditum tresdecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . de . . . terra quondam Johannis Malcome iunioris carnificis nunc vero Alani Flucar iacente . . . infra tenementum terre quondam Roberti Lauder inter terram Thome Grahame ex parte boreali . . . et terram Dauid Gray ex parte australi . . . extendentes in integro ad viginti marcas . . . necnon unum annum redditum

tum quadraginta solidorum . . . monete predi^ce . . . de . . . meo
tenemento terre . . . iacente . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . in
Vinella Fratrum Predicotorum ad capud [feu] principium introitus eius-
dem ex parte occidentali di^cte vinelle inter terram quondam Willelmi
Cottis ex parte australi et publicum Stratum Regium ex parte boreali et
ipsam vinellam et domum meam eque supra archum introitus ipsius vinelle
constru^ctam ex orientali et terram abbatis . . . de Melros ex occidentali
. . . distribuendum vt sequitur videlicet · tresdecim solidos et quatuor
denarios . . . capellanis chori ecclesie . . . pro celebracione anniuer-
sarii videlicet *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum nota . . . die obitus . . . quondam
Mariote Carkettill spons^e mee quamdiu vixero in humanis et post meum
decessum . . . die obitus mei cum missa *De requie* . . . cum crastino
immediate sequente ad dictum altare pro anima mea et animabus prenotati-
s . et pro quatuor candelis siue cereis ponderis duarum librarum videli-
cet duobus super dictum altare et aliis duobus super peramidem siue
tumulum meum bene . . . ornatum et duabus thedis siue torchis pon-
deris trium librarum circa ista feruicia . . . ardendis et pro pulsu cam-
pane tam in ecclesia quam per villam ad noticiam populi et pro ornacione
dictorum altaris et tumuli cum cruce et candelabris argenteis aliisque
minutis feruiciis necessariis circa dictum obitum fiendis tresdecim solidos
et quatuor denarios . et reliquos tresdecim solidos et quatuor denarios
. . . ad sustencionem . . . ornamentorum altaris vini panis cere
et lampadis olei ardantis coram . . . altari tempore vesperarum et
vsque ad sextam horam singulis noctibus in hieme a festo Omnium
Sanctorum vsque ad festum Purificacionis . . . Virginis per . . .
capellanum cum auifamento patroni . . . distribuendos . . . preter
procuraciones et oblaciones ad huiusmodi luminarium et altaris ornamen-
torum . . . sustencionem acquirendas . Tenendos . . . in . . . climofin-
nam . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . Et volo quod donacio . . . capel-
lanie . . . mihi . . . durante . . . tempore vite . . . et post meum

decessum . . . heredibus meis . . . pertineat . . . et si infra viginti dies . . . capellanum . . . prouidere neglexerint . . . quod . . . donacio . . . ad . . . communitatem burgi . . . pertineat illa vice tantum ita quod alias . . . ad heredes meos . . . spe&tabit . . . et deficientibus . . . heredibus meis linealibus et collateralibus . . . ad . . . communitatem . . . pertineat . . . Non tamen licebit eis ipsam ad chorum . . . ecclesie applicare nec in prebendam erigere nec de eadem aliter . . . disponere . Et si fit . . . capellanus bone . . . conuerfacionis de parentela mea eidem pre ceteris . . . capellania . . . conferatur . Et quod . . . capellanus . . . possit . . . terras . . . defectu solucionis annuorum reddituum . . . recognoscere . . . Volo eciam quod . . . ad continuam residenciam arceatur et quod . . . tenebitur . . . persona liter ministrare . Et si contingat ipsum se absentare absque . . . causa et licencia patroni . . . per spacium quindecim dierum continue vacabit . . . capellania . Tenebitur eciam . . . ad quotidianam missam cum dispositus fuerit ad dictum altare celebrandam et non alibi communiter et in principio cuiuslibet missae populum exhortari ut unum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica scilicet *Ave Maria* dicant et ad primum lauatorium dicat ipse . . . psalmum *De profundis* pro animabus predictis . . . et post missae celebrationem induitus alba accedat ad sepulchrum dictae Mariote et post meum decessum ad sepulchrum meum cum asperforio aqua benedicta intineto et ibidem dicat eundem psalmum . . . cum oracionibus requisitis pro animabus predictis . et finitis dictis precibus tenebitur . . . tumulum meum et circumstantes aqua benedicta aspergere et omni ebdomida *Placebo* et *Dirige* pro anima mea et aliis predictis dicere . Et quod . . . si contigerit ipsum ad . . . aliud beneficium . . . promoueri . . . si concubinam focariam in domo sua vel alias . . . tenuerit vel se in ludo cartharum vel taxillorum exercuerit seu . . . confamilibus . . . ludis qui fortunam sequuntur . . . eciam . . . si . . . absque legitimo impedimentoo per viginti dies continuo non celebrauerit vacabit . . . capellania . . .

Volo eciam . . . quod . . . capellanus . . . prefatos quadraginta folidos . . . annuatim . . . ad predictos vñus . . . disponat et compotum inde . . . patrono . . . et in ipsius absensia decano gilde . . . reddat et quod si . . . fuerit . . . remissus licebit patrono et . . . dicto decano . . . quadraginta solidos . . . percipere et . . . in vñus supradictos . . . disponere ita quod non licebit . . . quicquam de predictis quadraginta solidis . . . ad vñus proprios applicare sub penis contentis in bulla qui annuatim in Cena Domini publicatur continente in effectu *quod a papa excommunicantur qui rapiunt vel usurpant fructus aut iurisdictiones ad personas ecclesiasticas pertinentes* . . . In quorum . . . fidem . . . sigillum meum . . . vñacum sigillo . . . Walteri Yhouny vnius balliuorum . . . fasinas . . . reddituum dantis . . . est appensum apud Edinburgt vicefimo . . . Augusti . . . millesimo quingentesimo decimo tercio coram . . . Henrico Strathauchin Roberto Roger magistro Johanne Chapman domino Johanne Kene capellano et Johanne Bannatyne cum . . . aliis . Quam . . . cartam . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In eius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum [nostrum] apponi precepimus testibus . . . Alexandro Sanctiandree archiepiscopo etc. cancellario nostro · Jacobo archiepiscopo Glasguensi · Willelmo episcopo Abirdonensi nostri secreti sigilli custode · Andrea episcopo Cathanensi . . . confanguineis nostris Archibaldo comite de Ergile domino Campbell et Lorne magistro hospicii nostri Matheo comite de Levenax domino Dernlie Alejandro domino Hume magno camerario nostro . . . magistris Gawino Dunbar archidiacono Sanctiandree nostro rotulorum registri et confilii clero Patricio Paniter rectore de Tennandes secretario nostro et Roberto Colnile de Vchiltre nostre cancellarie directore · apud Edinburgt primo [vicefimo primo?] . . . Augusti . . . millesimo quingentesimo decimo tercio et regni nostri vicefimo sexto.

[Carta domini Willelmi Browne rectoris de Moufauld.]

122 **O**mibus . . . dominus Willelmus Browne capellanus rector de Moufauld
 falutem . . . Noueritis me . . . pro salute anime . . . quondam . . .
 Jacobi quarti . . . Scotorum regis . . . ac pro . . . prospero statu . . .
 Jacobi quinti . . . regis nostri moderni . . . et post eius deceffsum pro
 salute anime fue . . . pro . . . prosperoque statu . . . Johannis ducis
 Albanie etc. gubernatoris . . . Scocie et tutoris . . . regis . . . et
 post eius deceffsum pro salute anime fue atque pro salute anime mee
 animarunque quondam patris mei et matris mee . . . antecefforum et
 fucefforum nostrorum . . . illorum quibus debitores fuimus et penes
 quos . . . deliquimus omniumque fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . . Deo
 et Jesu Saluatori nostro . . . virgini Marie . . . atque vni capellano
 diuina celebranti . . . ad altare Sancti Blasii martheris . . . infra
 eccliam . . . Dini Egidii . . . de Edinburgh . . . annuos redditus
 subscriptos . vnum videlicet octo marcarum . . . Scocie . . . de . . .
 terra et loco habitacionis quondam Symonis Doweill iacente infra suum
 tenementum ex parte orientali transitus eiusdem inter terram quondam
 Dauid Lyntoun ex parte australi et paumentum huiusmodi tenementi ex
 parte boreali . quodquidem tenementum iacet . . . ex parte boreali Vici
 Regii . . . inter terram Alexandri Cant ex orientali et terram quondam
 Stephani Knox ex occidentali . . . annum redditum fundi sex marcarum
 . . . Scocie . . . de . . . terris quondam Gilberti Scot alias Stabillar
 et Johannis Cowart . . . iacentibus . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii
 de le Cowgait inter terram quondam Symonis Inchetok ex parte orientali
 et Vinellam ecclesie collegiate virginis Marie de Campo ex parte occiden-
 tali . . . annum redditum quinque marcarum . . . de terra quondam
 Willelmi Bartilmo edificata et vafta vnam *le penteis* ex parte anteriori
 . . . existente infra occidentale tenementum quondam Willelmi Raperlaw

inter Communem Viam de le Cowgait ex parte boreali et abhinc aſcen-
dendo versus austrum vſque ad terram Dauid Craig ex parte australi .
neconon alium annum redditum quadraginta folidorum . . . de . . .
terris contigue adiacentibus quondam Petri Foular aurifabri infra tene-
mentum quondam Alexandri Gray ex parte orientali transitus eiusdem
inter terram quondam Thome Malcome ex parte australi et terram quon-
dam Andree Wilſon ex parte boreali . quodquidem tenementum iacet
. . . ex parte australi pretorii . . . inter cimiterium ecclesie . . . Beati
Egidii . . . ex parte orientali et terras Ade Si Willelmi Adamſon et
quondam Roberti Wardlau ex occidentali . . . Tenendos . . . in . . .
elimofinam . . . Volo tamen . . . quod . . . donacio . . . michi . . .
pro . . . tempore vite . . . et post meum deceſſum . . . fratri meo
germano Johanni Browne pertinere debeat ita quod ipſe prefentabit . . .
capellatum infra octo dies . . . in quo si remiſſus fuerit . . . volo quod
. . . donacio ad prepositum balliuos decanum gilde et consules . . .
burgi . . . hac vice . . . pertineat . Et si fit . . . capellanus parentele
mee aut cognomen meum . . . gerens . . . capellania . . . pre ceteris
. . . ſibi conferatur . Tenebitur . . . capellanus . . . ad continuam
reſidenciam et indies celebrabit missam ad predictum altare cum dispositus
fuerit pro animabus ſupradictis et ad primum lauatorium cuiuslibet miffa
exhortetur populum aſſidentem vt dicant vnum *Pater noſter* cum faluta-
cione angelica ſcilicet *Ave Maria* pro animabus fuorum fundatorum et
omnium fidelium defunctorum ac finita miffa indutus alba cum aſperſorio
aqua benedicta intineto adibit . . . meum . . . ſepulerum iuxta pre-
dictum altare et dicet ibidem *De profundis* pro animabus ſupradictis .
Tenebitur eciam . . . omni die Dominico et maiori dupli festo adire
chorum . . . ecclefie in ſuperpellicio . . . ad matutinas altam missam et
vesperas . . . Nec licebit ipſi . . . fe abbentare a dietto feruicio fine . . .
cauſa et licencia patroni . . . per ſpacium octo dierum quin vacabit . . .
capellania . Et si contingat ipſum . . . ad . . . beneficium . . . aliud

. . . [promoueri] . . . capellania . . . vacabit . . . Nec licebit ipſi . . . habere . . . focariam seu concubinam in camera vel domo sua . . . nec . . . vti ludis qui fortunam sequuntur . . . Volo eciam quod . . . omni . . . quarta feria sexta et fabato cum nouem lectionibus celebrabit *Placebo* et *Dirige* pro anima mea et aliis supradiictis animabus. Et ego . . . predictos annuos redditus in toto extendentes ad viginti duas marcas . . . Scocie . . . distribuendos fore [ordino] prout sequitur. quod . . . capellanus . . . habebit pro suo seruicio octodecim marcas . . . et sic restant quatuor marce in hunc modum distribuende videlicet. pro uno anniuersario . . . die obitus mei . . . fiendo pro triginta presbiteris bassa voce celebrando *Placebo* et *Dirige* et missam *De requie* in craftino pro animabus supradiictis inter se diuidendi viginti solidi scilicet quisque eorum habebit octo denarios. item pro diuisione pauperum videlicet triginta quisque eorum habebit nouem denarios sic locandos tres in pane tres in seruicia [ceruisia] et reliquos tres in carnibus vel piscibus secundum exigenciam temporis cuius summa extendit ad viginti duos solidos et sex denarios. et sic alie septem consimiles diuisiones largientur Fratribus ordinis Minorum infra . . . burgum. et sic restant de integra summa quatuor solidi et undecim denarii ministris huiusmodi seruicii ad discrecionem decani gilde patroni et capellani . . . distribuendi . . . Insuper informacione et disposicione Omnipotentis Dei et gloriosissime virginis Marie ex eo quod infeodacio neque solemne festum in predicta ecclesia collegiata in huius gloriosissimi nominis Jesu minime fundatur incerto termino haetenus celebratur volo tunc et ordino mea simplici deuocione informacione et disposicione quibus supra quod huius mea infeodacio in festo sanctissime circumcisio[n]is Domini nostri Jesu Christi primam effusionem et traccionem precioissimi sanguinis designantis apud predictum altare annuatim celebretur et decantetur honore et solemnitate ut moris est infra dictum collegium in talibus fieri consuetum perpetue referuato tamen libero tenemento omnium et singulorum predictorum annuorum

redditum cum fuis pertinenciis antedicto domino Willelmo Browne
capellano pro toto tempore vite mee . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum
meum . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh decimo septimo . . . Decembris
. . . millesimo quingentesimo decimo septimo coram . . . Henrico
Strathanchyn Vincencio Strathauchyn magistro Willelmo Blakstok et
Johanne Foular notariis . . . Willelmo Clerk Johanne Kirkpatrick
Waltero Hammiltoun et Johanne [Strathauchyn?] cum . . . aliis.

[Instrumentum fasine terre anterioris iacentis in Edinburgh.]

123 . . . Pateat . . . quod anno . . . millesimo quingentesimo vigesimo . . .
Januarii die vicefimo secundo . . . acceſſit . . . Willelmus Clerk vnuſ
balliuorum . . . de Edinburgh ad terram anteriorem pertinentem here-
dibus quondam Patricii Scot et Jacobi Townis iacentem . . . ex parte
boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Archibaldi Prestone ex
parte orientali et terram quondam Johannis Carkettill ex occidentali et
terram quondam Willelmi Purves ex boreali et publicam ſtratam ex
auſtrali . . . et ibidem Iſſabella Foulis relicta . . . Ade Strathauchin
. . . burgenſis . . . annuum redditum viginti ſolidorum . . . Scocie
. . . leuandorum . . . de . . . dimediate . . . terre anterioris per-
tiente heredibus . . . Patricii Scot . . . et . . . annuum redditum ſex
ſolidorum et oēto denariorum . . . de . . . parte terre anterioris per-
tinenti heredibus . . . Jacobi Townis . . . in manibus dicti balliui
. . . resignauit . Quibus . . . factis . . . ballius . . . fasinam here-
ditariam . . . dictorum . . . redditum . . . domino Alexandro Kynneir
capellano vni prebendariorum ac nomine . . . ceterorum prebendariorum
ecclefie . . . Dini Egidi . . . pro vno anniuerſario . . . fiendo tempore
obitus dictorum Iſſabelle et Adame Strathauchin . . . fecundum tenorem
carte fundacionis defuper conficiende dedit . . . Acta erant hec ſuper

fundum diete terre hora quasi tercia post meridiem . . . presentibus . . .
 Willelmo Vddart Jacobo Cranstone Alexandro Tennent . dominis
 Laurencio Coupar Nicholaio Campbell capellanis . Andrea Dauidfone et
 Johanne Maw cum . . . aliis . . .

Vincencius Strathauchin . . . notarius . . .

[Eleccio domini Dauid Yhong ad primam prebendam in ecclesia Sancti Egidi.]

- 124 Duodecimo die . . . Junii . . . m° v° xxi . . . dominus Johannes Geddes prebendarius ecclesie . . . Beati Egidii . . . ac commissarius . . . in hac parte . . . magistri Roberti Creichtoun prepositi . . . nunc causa studii in remotis agentis vnacum . . . prebendarii diete ecclesie . . . capitulariter congregatis . . . vno consensu . . . elegerunt . . . dominum Dauid Yhong capellatum . . . ydoneum repertum in curatum primum canonicum sive prebendarium ecclesie . . . post prepositum secundum tenorem fundacionis . . . vacantem per mortem domini Willelmi Franche . . . A&a etc. infra dictam ecclesiam . . . in loco capitulari . . . hora prima ante meridiem testibus . . . Roberto Leslie de Innerpeffren . dominis Henrico Yhong Jacobo Goldsmith capellanis . Alexandro Yhong Willelmo Rutherfurd notariis . Johanne Kirkpatrick Johanne Lamb et Thoma Laufon laicis cum diuerfis etc.

Meldrum scripsit.

[Institucio eiusdem.]

- 125 Eisdem die et hora et coram dictis testibus . . . dominus Johannes Craufurd unus . . . prebendariorum . . . [ex] speciali mandato . . .

domini Johannis Geddes . . . viue voeis oraculo . . . tradidit . . .
 domino Dauid Yhong . . . posseſſionem . . . prebende prime poſt
 prepoſitum in ecclēſia antedicta et in ſignum huiuſmodi iſtitucionis . . .
 tradidit . . . dicto domino Dauid . . . ſtallum in choro et locum in
 capitulo . . . cum iuribus canoniciſ . . . conſuetis fecundum tenores
 literarum fundacionis dictæ ecclēſie . . . et retroſcripti iſtrumenti . . .

Meldrum ſcripſit.

[Indentura inter Nicholaum Carncors et alios burgenses et dominum
 Thomam Ewin capellanum.]

126 Thir indentouris maid at Edinburgh the x day of Julii the yheir of God
i^m v^e xxii yheiris conteinis proportis and beris witnes that it is appoyntit
 and fynalie concordit betuix honorable men Nichole Carncors William
 Symfon Andro Baroun and Alexander Grahame burgeſſis of the ſaid burgh
 kirkmaifteris of the confrary and altare of the Haly Blude within the ſaid
 burgh of Edinburgh for the tyme with the conſent aſſent and avis of the
 hale brethir principall of the ſaid fraternite one that ane parte and Schir
 Thomas Ewin chaiplane one that vthir parte in maner forme and effect
 as eftir followis . that is to fay . Forſamekile as the ſaid Schir Thomas
 Ewin movit of devotioune quhilk he hes to the ſaid altare ſituate within
 the college kirk of San& Geill of the ſaid burgh to the honour of God
 Almichty and the blifſit ſacrament the precious blude of Jheſu Crift and
 of the glorious virgin Mary and all the courte celeſtiall in augmentationioun
 of divyne feruice to be done at the ſaid altare hes foundit ane chaiplanery
 perpetualy for fuſfrage and ministratioun to be done thairat and hes maid
 and ordanit and be the tennour of thir prefentis makis and ordanis the
 ſaid kirkmaifteris and brethir of the ſaid fraternite patronis of the ſaid
 chaiplanry eftir his deceis ſua that quhat tyme and how ſone the ſamyn

happynnys to vaik eftir the said Schir Thomas deceis it fal be lefull to the foure kirkmaisteris of that yheir with the foure maisteris of the yheir preceyland befoir or the maist parte of the saidis viii personis and na maa till haue voce thairintill without ony congregatioun of the laif of the brethir of the said fraternite or ony vtheris personis quhatfumeuir till cheis and impute ane sufficient chaiplane of gude life and conditioun in the said chaiplanry within viii dayis nixt eftir the vacatioun thairof as thai will ansuer till Almichty God thairupoun . And gif thai be negligent and cheis nocht the said chaiplane the said viii dayis being past in that case it fal be lefull to the provest of the said college kirk of San& Geill and prebendaris of the famyn that fal be for the tyme till cheis and imput ane sufficient chaiplane of gude life as said is to the said chaiplanry incontinent as thai will ansuer to God . And gif the said chaiplane observis and keipis nocht the said fundatioun of the said chaiplanry eftir the forme of the poyntis and ordinance contenit thairintill I will in that case that it fal be lefull to the said kirkmaisteris to remove him thairfra and put ane vthir in his place at thair awn hand without ony questioun to be sperit at the ordinare or the officiale or ony vtheris . And the said maisteris and brethir of the said fraternite fall furnis to the said chaiplane and his succefoursis breid wyne walx mes-claithis and ane almery to keip his surples for the quhilk thai fall haue the procuratioun that beis gottin apone the patrone day grantit be the tovn that is to say *Yconie Salvatoris* quhilk fallis yheirlie the ix day of Nouember togiddir with xxⁱⁱ s. of annuell vnderwrittin . And als the said kirkmaisteris fall gar sing ane *Dirige* yheirlie one the said patrone day eftir none as vse is and ane faule mes one the morne thaireftir deuotelie as efferis and fall caus be put twa walx candillis one the bere twa walx candillis one the altare with twa torcheis to pas befoir the proceffion and fall caus xxxⁱⁱ preiftis to say *Dirige* and mes on the morne with ane daill to be maid of thre scoir and xvi portionis ilk portioun to be ane quhete laif worth iiiii d. and vi d. in money apoun the heid of

ilk laif quhilk fal be delt and disponit on this maner that is to say xxxvi portionis to the Gray Freris foure to the Sisteris of Sanct Mary Wynd thre to the lippir folkis of Sanct Ninianis chapell and the remenant to honest pure personis that hes maist myster and vi s. thairattour to be gevin to vthir pure folkis that gettis nane of the daill . For the quhilk suffrage portionis and expensis sua to be maid in the first the quere fall haue yheirlie xiii s. iiiii d. the bellman iiiii d. the eroce and candilstikis viii d. the grete bell xvi d. the xxxⁱⁱ preiftis by the quere xv s. to be takin vp yheirlie be the faidis kirkmaisteris and payit be thame of thir yheirlie annuellis eftir following *videlicet* · sex markis vi s. viii d. of annuell yheirlie to be vplifit and tane at twa vsuale termes in the yheir Witsunday and Martymes in winter be evin portionis of all and haill the tenement of vnuquhile James Turing befoir and behynd vnder and abone with the pertinentis liand within the said burgh on the north syde the Kingis Strete of the famyn betuix the land of Andro Mowbray on the est parte and the lande of vnuquhile Archibald Napare of Marchemstoun on the west parte and the college yhardis on the north parte and the Kingis Strete on the south parte · and twenty schillingis of annuell yheirlie to be vplifit and tane at the faidis termes be evin portionis of all and haill the landis now pertenand till Maister Henry Spittale James Haw and James Harlaubankis liand within this burgh beside the Ovirbow on the est syde the transe of that ilk betuix the land of vnuquhile Bartilmo Carnys one the south parte the land of Sanct James altare on the north parte and the land of vnuquhile Thomas Smyth on the est parte and the Kingis Commoun Strete on the west parte · and als ane vthir annuell rent of xiii s. vi d. yheirlie to be vplifit and tane of all and haill the land of vnuquhile Johnne Barkare liand vnder the wall one the north side the Kingis Strete of the famyn betuix the land of Thomas Kincade one the est parte and the land of James Layng one the west parte that is to say vii s. to be tane of the est parte of the said land quhilk Andro Moncur hes and vi s. vi d. of the west parte of

the said land now pertenand to Robert Watsoun . quhilk annuellis extendis in the haill to the soyme of nyne markis ii d. yheirlie vfuale money of Scotland and sua the famyn correspontis end ansueris to the expensis particularly abone expremit . And the said chaiplane and his successouris fal be present at the said altare cled with his surples all the Sondais Thurifdais and principall feiftis of the yheir accumpnayit with the principall chaplane of the said altare and fall gang in processioun befoir the sacrament and help the said principall chaiplane in hering of confessionis and do all vthir honour and seruice to the said altare that he may and the saidis maisteris to stand gude freindis to him eftir his gude bering . And to the observing keiping and fulfilling of all and findry the poynjis abonewrittin the saidis partyis ilkane for thair awne parte bindis and oblisiss thame athir to vthir be the faithis in thair bodyis but fraude or gile . In witnes heirof thai haue interchangeable felit and subseruuit thir indentouris yheir day and place foirsaid befoir thir witnes Maister Adam Ottirburne provest for the tyme . Maister James Lawfoun Maister Frances Boithuile Patrik Barroun Mongo Tennand Symond Prestoun Edward Kincaid baillies for the tyme . Nichole Carnors dene of the gild for the tyme . Robert Henrisoun thesaurare for the tyme . William Sym Mongo Tennand Johnne Blakstok Johnne Hervy maisteris that yheir of the confrary of the Haly Blude . Schir Mathew Symfoun chaiplane to the said altare for the tyme . Vincent Strathauchin Johnne Foulare notaris and clerkis to the toun for the tyme . Thomas Belman and James Branewod seriand to the Haly Blude . with diuers vtheris.

Instrumentum fasine viginti solidorum annui redditus.

127 . . . Pateat . . . quod anno . . . millefimo quingentesimo vicefimo secundo mensis vero Marcii die duodecimo . . . acceffit . . . magifter

Franciseus Boithuell vnuſ balliuorum . . . de Edinburgh ad terras perti-
nentes altari Sancti Jacobi apostoli ſituato in ecclieſia . . . Beati Egidi
iacentes . . . ex parte auſtrali Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam
Bartholomei Karnis ex parte auſtrali et Communes Vias Regias ex occi-
dentali et boreali . . . et terram Thome Smyth ex orientali . . . et
ibidem Georgeus Knichtſoun filius et heres quondam Alexandri Knicht-
ſoun . . . annuum redditum viginti ſolidorum . . . Scocie . . . de
. . . prefatis terris . . . in manibus diſti balliuui . . . resignauit . Qua re-
ſignacione ſic . . . faſta . . . balliuus . . . faſinam hereditariam
. . . prediſti . . . redditus . . . domino Thome Ewin capellano . . .
fecundum tenorem carte defuper conficiende dedit . . . A&a erant hec
ſuper folum diſtarum terrarum hora quaſi tercia poſt meridiem . . . pre-
ſentibus . . . domino Ricardo Laufon capellano Patricio Purdy Alexan-
dro Dundas Willelmo Railtoun Willelmo Aldioy Jacobo Haw Patricio
Ewin Jacobo Johnſtoun alias Edinburgh et Johanne Johnſtoun feriendo
diſti burgi . . .

Johannes Foular . . . notarius . . .

[Inſtitucio domini Johannis Faw in capellania S. Niniani.]

- 128 Vigefimo tercio . . . Marcii anno [m° v° xxiiii] . . . Archibaldus Wed-
dell burgenſis . . . de Edinburgh ac procurator . . . Patricii Cranſtoun
de Rathobyris patroni vniuſ capellanie fundate per eius predeceſſores ad
altare Sancti Niniani infra ecclieſiam . . . Beati Egidi . . . cum con-
fenu . . . Roberti Dowglas de Pumfrastoun eius curatoris . . . acceſſit
ad prediſtu altare . . . et . . . inſtitucionem . . . capellanie . . .
per deceſſum . . . domini Jacobi Thomſoun . . . vacantis per libri cali-
cis et ornamentorum diſti altaris deliberacionem . . . domino Johanni
Faw . . . dedit . . . A&a etc. apud diſtu altare hora decima ante

meridiem presentibus . . . dominis Alexandro Sandelandis Johanne
Stirk Kentigerno Thorbrand et Thoma Gothrafson capellanis etc.

[Institucio domini Thome Richertfoun in capellania S. Blafii.]

- 129 Primo Octobris . . . millesimo v^e vigesimo quinto . . . acceferunt . . . Petrus Thomfoun alias Iley Willelmus Broun alias Albany Johannes Dikfoun alias Rofs Heraldi . . . nomine . . . heraldorum regis Scocie neenon Jacobus Johnestoun clauiger . . . nomine . . . clauigerorum . . . regis ad altare Beati Blafii marthiris infra ecclesiam . . . Beati Egidii de Edinburgh . . . et ibidem . . . tanquam . . . patroni cuiusdam capellanie per quondam dominum Willelmum Broun rectorem de Mowfwald apud dictum altare fundate nunc vacantis per decesum . . . domini Gilberti Fifchar . . . institutionem . . . capellanie . . . per calicis libri et ornamentorum . . . deliberacionem . . . domino Thome Richertfoun capellano ac confanguineo ipsius quondam domini Willelmi durante . . . tempore vite . . . tradiderunt . . . secundum tenorem carte fundacionis . . . A&a etc. apud dictum altare hora intermedia ad tereiam post meridiem etc. testibus . . . magistro Andrea Bonar dominis Willelmo Broun maiore Johanne Harknes Johanne Smyth Johanne Clerk Thoma Gothrafson Willelmo Cok capellanis Patricio Linlithqw feriendo dicti burgi et Willelmo Meldrum.

Carta admortizacionis domini Roberti Hoppare.

- 130 Jacobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre sue . . . salutem . . . Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . . . Omnibus . . . dominus Robertus Hoppare prebendarius ecclesie collegiate Beati Egidii

de Edinburgh sacrificata in eadem . . . salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . pro salute anime . . . Jacobi quarti quondam Scotorum regis ac pro anima et salubri statu . . . Jacobi quinti Scotorum regis moderni et pro salute animarum . . . antecessorum et successorum suorum ac . . . anime mee et animarum quondam . . . Ricardi Hoppare burgenfis de Edinburgh patris mei et Elizabeth Hiltfoun sue sponsae mee matris . . . antecessorum et successorum suorum . . . illorum quibus debitor sum et penes quos . . . deliqui . . . necnon omnium fidelium defunctorum . . . dedisse . . . Deo Omnipotenti . . . virginis Marie . . . ac Sancte Triduane virginis unique capellano seculari . . . celebranti . . . apud . . . altare Sancti Rochi . . . in prefata ecclesia . . . et pro aliis . . . inferius descriptis . . . terram sive tenementum per me nouiter constructam . . . iacentem infra . . . Edinburgh ex parte australi eiusdem inter terram Jacobi Coky ex occidentali et terram Petronille Libertoun ex australi Communem Viam Regiam ex boreali et terras Archibaldi Williamfoun ex orientali . . . cum . . . uno cellario sive opella in parte inferiori dicti tenementi cum volta eiusdem subtus Plateam Regiam quam nunc occupat David Wod foluendo pro eiusdem octo marcas . item duabus opellis sive bothis immediate supra dictum cellarium quas nunc occupant Johannes Wallace et Willelmus Myllar foluendo annuatim pro eiusdem duodecim marcas videlicet unusquisque eorum sex marcas . item duabus bothis sive opellis super gradum inferiorem quas nunc occupant Laurencius Howy et Johannes Elefoun foluendo annuatim octo marcas videlicet alter eorum quatuor marcas . item una camera immediate supra dictas bothas quam ego ipse nunc occupo cum folio eiusdem pro quibus nunc annuatim foluo decem marcas . extendentes in toto ad triginta octo marcas monete Scacie . . . ex quo . . . tenemento decanus gilde burgi . . . annum redditum triginta denariorum . . . percipiet . . . Tenendam . . . in . . . elimosinam . . . Volo tamen . . . quod donacio . . . capellanie ad meam . . . dispositionem . . . spectabit et post meum deceffum

ad . . . disposicionem prepositi ecclesie . . . et prebendariorum eiusdem . . . si idem prepositus . . . prefens fuerit infra burgum . . . et ad hec requisitus finautem infra decem dies postquam . . . capellania vacauerit . . . et quod . . . capellania . . . nullo modo concedatur alicui cantori sed vni presbitero . . . sufficientis literature bonorum morum et vite laudabilis . . . ex meis confanguineis et de meo cognomine ante alios . . . sub sigillo . . . capituli . . . conferatur absque . . . collacione ordinaria . . . eciam . . . quod si dicti . . . in obseruacione premissorum negligentes extiterint aut si redditus . . . in fuos vsus disponere curauerint . . . donacio . . . ad . . . communitatem burgi . . . hac vice . . . spebat nec eis licet . . . redditus . . . in fuos usus . . . conuertere . . . Tenebitur . . . capellanus cum dispositus fuerit missam quotidianam pro animabus omnium preditorum et ad honorem Sancte Triduane apud dictum altare . . . celebrare . pro quo seruicio . . . viginti marcas monete Scocie ad suam sustentacionem de dicta . . . terra . . . annuatim percipiet . . . Ac volo quod . . . possit . . . dictam summam . . . leuare et in defectu folucionis . . . pro eadem distringere . . . ac . . . quod . . . [ad] continuam residenciam . . . arceatur et . . . tenebitur . . . in sua . . . persona ministrare . . . Tenebitur eciam . . . cum dispositus fuerit missam quotidianam apud altare dictum celebrare et in principio cuiuslibet misse populum exhortari vt dicant vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica videlicet *Ave Maria* pro animabus predictis . et si . . . per quindecim dies continuos non celebrauerit . . . si focarium seu concubinam publice detinuerit . . . et si contingat . . . ad . . . aliud . . . beneficium . . . promoueri volo quod . . . capellania . . . vacabit . . . Eciam volo . . . quod . . . celebret omnibus secundis feriis pro animabus prefatis missam *De requie* demptis diebus solempnibus et festis duplicitibus . et qualibet sexta feria dicat *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum nouem lectionibus et beda per se vel cum focio priuato modo . et post quamlibet missam dicat

psalmum *De profundis* cum collectis *Absolue quæsumus* et *Fidelium Dens orando* pro anima mea et animabus supradictis cum asperzione aque benedictæ super sepulcrum meum et postea super astantem populum . ae . . . quod . . . omnibus festis duplicebus et solempnibus ad primam et secundam vesperas flet . . . indutus houeste . . . cum suo superpellicio apud dictum altare . . . Tenebitur eciam . . . qualibet die Sabbati et in Dominicis diebus de fero ad vesperas super . . . altare . . . luminare . . . vnam ceream sive candelam eere que ibidem remaneat . . . a principio vesperarum . . . ad finem . . . eciam . . . omni die . . . luminare vnam lampadem apud . . . altare a festo Omnium Sanctorum . . . ad festum Purificacionis Beate Marie virginis inclusivæ mane hora quinta ante matutinas . . . ad horam septimam et ab hora quarta post meridiem . . . ad horam septimam de fero . pro quarum candele et lampadis sustentacione . . . annuatim percipiet trisdecim solidos quatuor denarios de firmis predicti tenementi cum oblacionibus in die Sancte Triduane virginis annuatim congregandis . Tenebitur eciam . . . ad dictum altare . . . celebrare . . . in . . . festo Sancte Triduane anniversarium videbilet *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum nota post meridiem per se et sexdecim capellanos sive prebendarios chori . . . ecclesie . . . et quilibet eorum celebrabit per se missam *De requie* priuato modo et magnam missam *De requie* cum nota ad predictum altare . . . cantabunt ac populum ad preces pro defunctis excitabunt in introitu cuiuslibet missæ dicendo unum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica pro anima mea et animabus predictis . quorum sexdecim . . . cuiuslibet . . . do . . . duodecim denarios monete Seocie . neenon . . . triginta capellanis eodem die *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum nouem lectionibus infra chorum . . . tempore debito et in craftino missam *De requie* celebrantibus extra chorum ubi eis ex bona conscientia placuerit eciam priuato modo pro animabus predictis . . . cuiuslibet eorum octo denarios . Eciam ordino quod sex cerie ponderantes tres libras cere noue vñacum duabus tedis eciam noue cere ponderantibus

tres libras . . . de precio tunc currenti . . . pro di&tis anniuersariis et illuminentur et ponantur vt sequitur . . . due . . . ad altare Sancti Rochi et due . . . super sepulcrum meum ac due . . . super summo altari Sancti Egidii tempore celebracionis di&ti anniuersarii et missarum vnam tidis supradictis vt moris est . . . Et facrifice vel clero pulsanti omnes magnas campanas quatuor solidos di&te monete . . . assigno ita quod pulsatis magnis campanis ad *Dirige* et missam ut moris est eciam pulsabuntur post *Dirige* de fero hora sexta et . . . de mane ad horam sextam quod dicitur vulgariter *le menyng* et in fine cuiuslibet illarum pulsacione fiant tres pulsaciones fingillatim cum mediis interuallis ad exitandum populum orare pro omnibus in Christo defunctis . et campanario pulsanti per villam campanas manuales quatuor denarios . eciam . . . quatuor iuuenibus chori cantantibus versiculos cuiilibet eorundem quatuor denarios . et clero custodienti crucem candelabra et ornamenta sepulcri mei qui eciam thus ministrabit in missa die di&ti anniuersarii duodecim denarios . et bidello chori quatuor denarios . Tenebitur eciam . . . capellanus . . . distribuere sexaginta porciones in cibo et potu . . . pauperibus . . . in die craftino post festum Sancte Triduane virginis . et quelibet porcio habebit quatuor denarios in pane quatuor . . . in feruicia [ceruisia] et quatuor . . . in carnis . quarum porcionum duodecim dabuntur Fratribus Observantie de Edinburgh quatuor . . . leprofis apud ecclesiam sive capellam Sancti Niniani prope dictum burgum et quatuor . . . domui hospitalis in Vinella Sancte Marie . . . cetereque . . . illis in quibus fene&tus paupertas et debilitas respectiue maius ocurrunt . Et in dicto die . . . ordiuo . . . elimofinam proportionabiliter ponendam super tabulam honestam infra insulam Sancti Thome marthiris . . . per totam missam . . . et post missam . . . pauperibus erogetur . et quod . . . distribuetur . . . cum auisamento collectorum . . . chori . . . in pane carnis et potu et non pecunia . Et . . . volo . . . [quod] . . . in die Commemorationis Animarum

celebretur vnum trigintale videlicet triginta missæ per triginta capellanos
infra dictam ecclesiam pro anima mea et animabus predictis et quod
vnuſquisque capellanus habeat fex denarios . et eodem die pauperibus
distribuentur solidi quinque . Eciam volo . . . quod capellanus . . .
cum . . . confilio collectorum . . . ecclesie . . . meam terram . . .
singulis annis post meum deceſſum ad effectum premiſſorum tenentibus
bone condicionis . . . affedabit . . . ac firmas . . . importabit . et
excreſcencia firmarum . . . circa reparacionem et honestatem dicti altaris
et ornamentorum . . . cum . . . confilio prepositi collectorum et pre-
bendariorum dicti collegii ac dicti capellani distribuatur . prouiso . . . fi
. . . tenementum . . . deficere contigerit . . . quod in excreſcenciam
firmarum . . . ſuper reformacione eiusdem diſponetur . . . et quod
. . . collectors cum . . . capellano . . . defectus eiusdem quater omni
anno . . . visitabunt . quibus collectoribus fex solidos et octo denarios
ac . . . capellano quadraginta denarios pro suis laboribus in premiſſis
de firmis . . . tenimenti . . . affigno . In ſuper volo . . . quod . . .
firme . . . ex . . . mea terra . . . prouenientes exceptis dictis viginti
marciſ ad ſuſtentacionem . . . capellani et reliquis . . . neceſſariis . . .
premiſſis . . . impoſentur . . . terminatim vna cum preſenti carta mea
in vna pixide ſecure ferata et in communi cifta dicti collegii conſeruentur
cum tribus clauibus ſic quod vna . . . apud curatum ecclesie . . . altera
. . . apud . . . capellani tercia vero apud collectors remaneant et
quod . . . firme . . . cum . . . confilio dictorum . . . diſtribuantur
annuatim prout preſcribitur . . . Postremo . . . volo . . . quod pre-
poſitus . . . prebendarii et collectors dictæ ecclesie . . . ad ſonum
campane ad hoc capitulariter congregati in eorum veſtibulo ſive capitulo
. . . compareant et . . . per . . . ewangelia iurabunt quod . . . per-
implebunt . . . omnia . . . in . . . mea fundacione contenta . . . In
quorum . . . fidem . . . ſigillum meum . . . vna cum ſigillo communi
. . . burgi neenon ſigillo . . . capituli dictæ ecclesie . . . ſunt appensa

apud Edinburgh vicefimo primo . . . Marcii . . . millesimo quingentesimo vicefimo sexto coram . . . Roberto Bruce de Bynnyngis . Eduardo Litill decano gilde . Johanne Adamfoun balliuo . Johanne burgenſi . . . et Jacobo Meldrum notario . . . cum . . . aliis . Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus . . . saluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus [etc.] apud Edinburgh vicefimo nono die . . . Marcii . . . millesimo quingentesimo vicefimo septimo et regni nostri decimo quarto.

Carta admortizacionis domini Johannis Quhite.

- 131 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem . Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse in hac forma . Omnibus . . . Johannes Quhyte prefſbiter prebendarius de Petcokis in ecclesia collegiata Sancte Baye virginis de Dunbar salutem . . . Cum ex fide catholica et apostoli confilio dum tempus habemus bonum operari non ceſſare iubeamus vt fructum beatitudinis salutiferum pro mercede recipere et viſione Dei cum suis sanctis perfrui mereamur ad quos nemo mortalis suis tantum meritis sed virtute amarissime et beatissime paſſionis Domini nostri Jheſu Christi ipsiusque misericordia et gracia ac glorioſiſſime virginis Marie matris eius et ciuium ſuperiorum interceſſionibus piarumque oracionum et miſiſiarum suffragiis procurare poſlit . nouerit . . . vniuerſitas veſtra me . . . ſpiritu et intentione interne recordacionis paſſionis prediē . . . motum in ipſius paſſionis memoriam et in laudem . . . Sancte et Indiuidue Trinitatis . . . virginis Marie et Sancte Anne eius matris ac Beatorum Johannis baptiſte et euangeliste Sanctorum Egidii Columbe Leonardi et Cuthberti confeſſorum atque sanctorum celeſtis curie et diuini cultus . . . augmentum ac pro ſalute animarum quondam . . . Jacobi terciī

et Margarete . . . Scotorum regis et regine . . . Jacobi quarti eorum primogeniti . . . Scotorum regis et . . . prosperitate regis moderni Jacobi quinti suorumque prolium et successorum necnon pro salute animarum quondam Roberti Coluile de Vchiltre tunc directoris cancellarie ac Jacobi Coluile de Vchiltre eius filii et heredis apparentis dictae cancellarie directoris suorumque predecessorum et successorum necnon anime mee animarumque patris et matris parentum amicorum fratrum fororum parrochianorum benefactorum et omnium . . . pro quibus preces effundere teneor vel a . . . quibus aliqua bona . . . recepi et . . . pro eiusdem non satifeci et penes quos . . . deliqui . . . et omnium fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . . vni capellano videlicet domino Dauid Cristefoun et successoribus suis . . . celebraturis . . . pro animabus predictis ad altare Sacri Cruoris Domini infra ecclesiam collegiatam Beati Egidi de Edinburgh ex australi parte eiusdem . . . domos subscriptas . . . quas habeo . . . ex impignoracione . . . facta per quondam Archibaldum Prestoun burgensem de Edinburgh . . . iacentes in anteriori tenemento dicti . . . Archibaldi . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . videlicet botham sive opellam orientalem et anteriorem inferioris gradus dicti tenementi quam Johannes Fowlar alias inhabitabat . duas cameras immediate supra . cum mediis et superioribus gradibus anterioribus et posterioribus et latrinis eiusdem bothis et cameris spectantibus . vacuum folio superioris camere vicinore tegulis . . . Tenendas . . . in . . . elimofinam . . . Insuper volo . . . quod . . . capellanus et successores sui quotidie cum dispositi fuerint missam . . . et alia oracionum suffragia celebrabunt et continuam residenciam faciant et quod . . . tenebuntur . . . personaliter ministrare . et si . . . per octo dies continuos non celebauerint . . . si focariam seu concubinam detinuerint aut alio notorio crimine irretiti fuerint . . . vacabit capellania . . . et quod . . . in principio misse teneantur populum exhortari ut dicant vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica videlicet *Ave Maria* pro animabus funda-

toris et omnium personarum predicatorum et similiter in locione manuum suarum ad offertorium dicant psalmum *De profundis* pro eisdem . . . Eciam . . . tenebuntur omni . . . sexta feria . . . per se vel cum focio priuato modo celebrare *Placebo* [et] *Dirige* cum nouem lectionibus et missam *De requie* omni secunda feria . . . nisi duplex festum aut aliud . . . impedimentum interuenerit . Et quod non licebit dicto . . . aut successoribus . . . aliud beneficium . . . cum dicta capellania habere . . . quod si fecerit . . . vacabit . . . capellania . . . Volo eciam . . . quod donacio . . . michi pro . . . tempore vite mee et post meum decepsum dicto Jacobo Coluile de Vchiltre et heredibus suis . . . pertineat absque vlla collacione ordinaria . Et si contingat heredes dicti . . . Archibaldi . . . prefatas domos et cameras . . . vigore reuersionis mee . . . redimere . . . non licebit . . . capellano . . . cum pecuniarum summis in . . . reuersione contentis . . . intromittere . . . sed cum . . . confilio magistri fabrice et fratrū confraternitatis dicti altaris . . . sic quod . . . pecunie . . . disponantur super aliis . . . terris et . . . redditibus ad . . . vtilitatem . . . capellani et . . . conferuacionem patrimonii eiusdem . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . meum sigillum est appensum apud Edinburch decimo quinto . . . Augusti . . . m° quingentesimo vicefimo septimo coram . . . Willelmo Sym balliuo . . . de Edinburgh dominis Johanne Quarye Jacobo Weddale capellanis . Johanne Pardovin clauigero . Jacobo Jhonstoun alias Edinburgh . Duncano Craufurd Vmfrido Murdoch Johanne Huntar laicis . et Johanne Qulyte notario . . . cum . . . aliis . Quam . . . cartam . . . confirmamus faluis nobis . . . oracionum suffragiis . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus [etc.] apud Edinburgh decimo octavo . . . Augusti . . . m° quingentesimo vicefimo septimo et regni nostri decimo quarto.

[Carta Walteri Chepman altari Sancti Salvatoris facta.]

132 **O**mni bus hanc eartam visuris vel audituris Walterus Chepman de Ewir-
land burgenis burgi de Edinburgh salutem in Domino sempiternam .
Noueritis me caritatis intuitu in augmentationem diuini cultus ad laudem
et honorem Dei Omnipotentis beatissime et glorioissime virginis Marie et
omnium sanctorum pro salubri statu et prosperitate excellentissimi et po-
tentissimi principis et domini nostri domini Jacobi quinti Dei gratia Sco-
torum regis illustrissimi et animarum predecessorum et successorum suorum
et prefertim pro salute anime quondam serenissimi et illustrissimi principis
et domini nostri domini Jacobi quarti Dei gratia Scotorum regis poten-
tissimi et salute animarum omnium procerum nobilium fideliumque subdi-
torum suorum qui cum eo ob tutelam libertatis regni sui in confliictu apud
Flodoun contra Anglos commisso occubuerunt neconon pro salute anime
mee et animarum Agnetis Cokburn sponse mee moderne et quondam Ma-
riote Carkettill olim sponse mee et animarum patris mei matris mee et
omnium antecessorum et successorum meorum ac pro salute omnium qui-
bus debitor sum et penes quos aliqualiter deliqui in hae vita et de quorum
bonis habui iuste siue iniuste et competentem satisfactionem pro eiusdem
haec tenus non feci et pro quibus teneor orare et omnium fidelium defunc-
torum virtusque sexus quorum corpora infra eccleiam collegiatam Beati
Egidii de Edinburgh et cimeterium eiusdem sepeliuntur et sepelienda
fuerint et omnium fidelium defunctorum dedisse concessisse et hac presenti
carta mea in puram et perpetuam elimofinam et ad manum mortuam con-
firmasse neconon dare concedere et hac presenti carta mea pro perpetuo
confirmare Deo Omnipotenti beatissime virgini Marie matri sue et ad
sustentationem vnius capellani secularis perpetui ad altare Jhesu Salvato-
ris et Redemptoris nostri pro nobis crucifixi infra capellam eiusdem cru-
cifixi infra dictum cimeterium in inferiori parte eiusdem bonis michi a

Deo concessis nouiter construētam pro salute animarum predicatorum diuina pro perpetuo celebraturi totum et integrum meum tenementum terre ante et retro in fronte et cauda cum domibus edificiis orto et fonte eiusdem et suis pertinentiis iacens infra burgum de Edinburgh in Vico Australi eiusdem *le Corgait* nominato ex parte australi eiusdem vici prope prefatam capellam inter terram quondam Jacobi Lam burgenfis dicti burgi ex parte orientali et terram quondam Johannis Abir ex parte occidentali et terras arables nuncupatas *Wawanis Croft* ex parte australi et dictum vicum ex parte boreali . Tenendum et habendum totum et integrum predictum tenementum terre cum domibus edificiis orto et fonte eiusdem et suis pertinentiis Deo Omnipotenti beatissime virginis Marie matri sue et ad sustentationem dicti capellani perpetui et successorum suorum ad dictum altare Jhesu crucifixi infra prefatam capellam ut premittitur constructum pro animabus supradictis diuina pro perpetuo celebraturi in liberam puram et perpetuam elemosinam et ad manum mortuam in feodo et hereditate imperpetuum per omnes supra scriptas rectas metas suas antiquas et diuisas prout dictum tenementum iacet in longitudine et latitudine ante et retro in fronte et cauda cum domibus edificiis muris meremiis lignis lapidibus lapide et calce eum libero introitu et exitu ac cum omnibus aliis et singulis libertatibus commoditatibus proficuis ariamentis ac iustis pertinentiis suis quibuscumque tam non nominatis quam nominatis ad predictum tenementum terre spectantibus seu iuste spectare valentibus quomodolibet in futurum et adeo libere quiete integre plenarie honorifice bene et in pace in omnibus et per omnia sicut aliqua terre infra regnum Scotie alicui capellano et altari in puram et perpetuam elemosinam liberius dantur vel conceduntur dari aut concedi poterunt quomodolibet in futurum sine aliquo impedimento reuocatione contradictione vel obstatculo aliquali faluo tamen Johanni Levingtoun et heredibus suis uno annuo redditu viginti solidorum visualis monete regni Scotie quem habet executum annuatim de prefato tenemento terre cum pertinentiis fibi hereditarie

spe&tante reseruata etiam michi et heredibus meis capellanie dictae capelle patronis summa viginti sex solidorum octo denariorum visualis monete regni Scotie leuandorum et percipiendorum annuatim de promptioribus firmis et proficiis dicti tenementi ad reparationem et restorationem edificiorum eiusdem in tigulis vitro aliisque necessariis cum opus fuerit neconon ad reparationem et restorationem dictae capelle in singulis suis ornatibus cum necesse fuerit si forte capellanus eiusdem in hiis negligens et remissus compertus fuerit . Volo etiam quod dictus capellanus pro tempore existens quamdiu edicia dicti tenementi et prefatam capellam in singulis suis ornatibus honeste et prouide sustinuerit plenariam habeat dispositionem fructuum et reddituum eiusdem tenementi . et cum in hiis quomodolibet negligens seu remissus fuerit tunc licebit patrono dictae capellanie pro tempore existenti dictam summam viginti sex solidorum octo denariorum de promptioribus firmis et proficiis dicti tenementi ad manus suas proprias sine cuiuscunque iudicis autoritate leuare et percipere et si opus fuerit pro eadem distringere ad premissorum reparationem et hoc annuatim cum necesse fuerit sic quod capellani negligentia diuinus cultus in eadem capella nullatenus frustretur seu deficiat . Et volo ac ordino quod donatio iustitio et prouisio dictae capellanie durante toto tempore vite mee michi spectet et pertineat et post meum decepsum quod donatio prouisio et institutio capellanie altaris antedicti quotiens ipsam vacare contigerit heredibus meis pertineat et quod ipsi sint veri patroni eiusdem imperpetuum . Et si infra viginti dies postquam vacauerit ipsa capellania heredes mei qui pro tempore fuerint vnum sufficientem habilem et ydoneum capellanum ad eandem capellaniam instituere et prouidere neglexerint dummodo eis de vacatione eiusdem constiterit volo quod immediate post hoc ipsius capellanie donatio ad prepositum balliuos decanum gildie et communitatem burgi de Edinburgh pertineat illa vice tantum ita quod alias donatio dictae capellanie quotiens vacauerit ad heredes meos semper et omnino spectabit imperpetuum . Et deficientibus omnibus heredibus meis linialibus et collaterali-

bus quod absit volo quod donatio dictae capellanie quotiens deinde vacauerit ad prepositum balliuos decanum gildie et communiteatem dicti burgi de Edinburgh spectet et pertineat et quod eo casu sint patroni eiusdem . Non tamen licebit eis ipsam ad chorum dictae ecclesie applicare nec in prebendam erigere nec de eadem aliter quam nunc instituta est quoquomodo disponere . Et si fuerit aliquis ydoneus capellanus bone conditionis et honeste conuersationis de parentela mea eidem pre ceteris dicta capellania cum vacauerit conferatur . Et quod dictus capellanus qui pro tempore fuerit possit et valeat predictum tenementum edificia ortum et fontem eiusdem ad sue libitum voluntatis annuatim affidare ac pro firmis et proficuis eiusdem annuatim et ad singulos terminos disstringere . Volo etiam quod dictus capellanus ad continuam residentiam arceatur et quod nullatenus liceat ei alium loco sui in dicta capellania sive officio substituere sed tenebitur in eodem personaliter ministrare . et si contingat ipsum se ab eodem absentare absque legitima et rationabili causa cognita ac licentia patroni desuper petita et optenta per spatium quindecem dierum continue vacabit dicta capellania . Tenebitur etiam dictus capellanus ad quotidianam missam cum dispositus fuerit ad dictum altare celebrandam et non alibi communiter et in principio eiuslibet misse populum exhortari ut vnum *Pater noster* cum salutacione angelica felicet *Ave Maria* dicant . et ad primum lauatorium dicat ipse capellanus psalmum *De profundis* pro animabus predictis et animabus omnium fidelium defunctorum et post missa celebrationem alba indutus stans ante altare cum asperforio aqua benedicta intineto dicat eundem psalmum *De profundis* cum orationibus requiesitis pro animabus predictis . et finitis dictis precibus tenebitur circumstantes aqua benedicta aspergere . et omni hebdomida *Placebo* et *Dirige* pro anima mea et aliis animabus predictis dicere . Et quod non habeat aliquod aliud beneficium seu seruicium ecclesiasticum sive curam animarum . Et si contigerit ipsum ad aliquod aliud beneficium seu curam animarum promoueri quod immediate post hoc dicta capellania

ipso facto vacabit et patrono eiusdem qui pro tempore fuerit alium capellani sufficientem et ydoneum ad huiusmodi capellanum instituere licebit et ipse capellanus sic de novo institutus ad continuam residentiam sine alio beneficio ut premititur areatur. Volo etiam quod si dictus capellanus concubinam focariam in domo sua vel alias publice tenuerit vel sine in ludo cartarum sive taxillorum exercuerit seu communis sit aleator vel huiusmodi similibus vti ludis qui fortunam sequuntur cognoscatur hoc notorie cognito vacabit ipsa capellania et alteri capellano magis ydoneo conferatur sive aliqua vocatione aut iuris processu. Volo etiam quod si dictus capellanus fanus et incolmis existens absque legitimo impedimento per viginti dies continue in dicta capella missam non celebrauerit vacabit ipsa capellania et alteri ut predictum est conferatur. Volo preterea quod non licebit capellano dictae capellanie pro tempore existenti nec euiquam alteri in eadem mulieres post partum suum purificare seu infantes baptizare aut sponsalia celebrare sive corpora mortuorum sepulture tradere absque speciali licentia prepositi dictae ecclesie collegiate pro tempore existentis. et si que consimilia de ipsis licentia ibidem facta fuerint oblationes et proficia inde prouenientia ad ipsis usum et utilitatem deuenient. et si dictus capellanus sine ipsis prepositi licentia quicquam attemptauerit seu fecerit in dicti prepositi sive matricis ecclesie preiudicium dicta capellania ob id vacabit et eadem alteri capellano sufficienti per patronum conferatur iuxta tenorem et effectum contraactus inter honorabilem virum magistrum Robertum Crechtoun prepositum modernum dictae ecclesie pro se et successoribus suis ac me [pro me] et heredibus meis dictae capellanie patronis et capellani eiusdem defuper confecti et sicut in eodem plenius continetur. referuatis etiam firmis et proficiis totius tenementi antedicti michi ad vitam vel durante voluntate mea per me leuandis et super consummatione dictae capelle et ornamentorum eius disponendis. Et ego vero dictus Walterus Chepman et heredes mei et assignati totum et integrum predictum tenementum terre ante et retro in

fronte et cauda eum domibus edificiis orto et fonte eiusdem et suis pertinentiis Deo Omnipotenti beatissime virginis Marie matri sue et omnibus sanctis et ad sustentationem dicti capellani perpetui et alios pios viros suprascriptos adeo libere et quiete in omnibus et per omnia ut prescriptum est warantizabimus acquietabimus et imperpetuum defendemus salvo tamen dicto Johanni Levingtoun et heredibus suis dicto anno redditu suo viginti solidorum annuatim ut premittitur . In quorum omnium et singulorum fidem et testimonium premisorum sigillum meum huic presenti carte mee est appensum apud Edinbureh duodecimo die mensis Augusti anno Domini millesimo quingentesimo vicefimo octauo coram hiis testibus magistro Johanne Chepman David Chepman Willelmo Chepman et domino Johanne Kene capellano cum diuersis aliis .

Walterus Chepman manu propria etc.

Confirmatio eiusdem.

133. **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre sue . . . salutem . Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . Omnibus hanc cartam visuris vel audituris Walterus Chepman [ete. ut supra] . Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . suffragiis denotarum oracionum . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus . . . Gawino Glasguensi archiepiscopo cancellario nostro Georgeo episcopo Dunkeldensi nostri seceriti signilli custode Henrico episcopo Candide Cafe nostreque capelle regie Striulingensis . . . consanguineis nostris Jacobo comite Aranie domino Hammyltoun Colino comite de Ergile domino Campbell et Lorne Hugone comite de Eglintoun domino Montgumry Georgio comite de Rothes domino Lefly . . . Patricio priore ecclesie metropolitane Sanctiandree . . . magistro Thoma Erfkin de Haltoun seceretario nostro et Jacobo

Coluil de Vehiltre compotorum nostrorum rotulatore et nostre cancellarie
diretore · apud Edinburgh decimo sexto . . . Septembris anno . . .
millefimo quingentesimo vicefimo octauo et regni nostri decimo sexto.

[Carta domini Gilberti Lauder.]

134 **O**mibus . . . dominus Gilbertus Lauder capellanus altaris Sancti Nicholaii . . . infra ecclesiam . . . Beati Egidii . . . salutem . . . Quia iam spacio viginti quatuor annorum aut eocirciter fui capellanus dicti altaris habens terras et villam de Petravay iacentes infra vicecomitatum de Fyffe pro mea sustentacione · quas terras quondam Rogerus Hog patronus dictae capellanie predicefforibus meis in dotem assignauit · pro quibus quidem terris predeceffores mei amplius quam duodecim libras monete Scocie nunquam perceperunt · ego tamen annuam pensionem seu firmas earundem ad summam viginti sex solidorum et octo denariorum extendentem annuatim in toto ad summam tresdecim librarum sex solidorum et octo denariorum meis labore et industria prudenter (si donarephas est) auxi nunc autem prudencius agens in hoc negocio vsque adeo versatus sum vt huiusmodi terras maiori quam prius commodo locare possum multosque reperi qui imperpetuum censum firnas earundem augere valent si easdem in emphiteofim locare et concedere vellem · inter quos . . . Gilbertus Lauder burgenfis . . . plura offert quam quisque alter augere videlicet solitam pensionem annis singulis in summam quatuor librarum . . . Sciatis igitur me de consensu . . . prepositi balliuorum et consulum . . . in feodifirmam dimisisse . . . prefato Gilberto . . . Isobel Mauchane eius sponsa . . . quibus deficientibus magistro Henrico Lauder filio . . . Gilberti et heredibus masculis . . . burgenfibus . . . quibusunque . . . terras et villam de Petravay . . . Tenendas . . . imperpetuum . . . Reddendo . . . summam tresdecim

librarum sex solidorum et octo denariorum monete predictae tanquam firmam . . . solitam . . . vacum dicta summa quatuor librarum . . . ratione presentis infedacionis . . . extendentem in toto ad summam septendecim librarum sex solidorum et octo denariorum annuatim . . . In eius rei testimonium sigillum meum . . . vacum sigillo communi . . . burgi . . . est appensum apud Edinburch vigefimo quinto . . . Septembris . . . millesimo quingentesimo trigesimo secundo coram . . . magistro Adamo Otterburne preposito · Patricio Barroun Eduardo Kyncaid Symone Prestoune balliuis · Nicholaio Cairncorce decano gilde · et Jacobo Makgill thesanario . . . Vincencio Strathauchine et Johanne Foullar notariis . . . cum . . . aliis . . .

Dominus Gilbertus Lauder capellanus manu propria.

[Carta Ade Ottirburne.]

135 **O**mnibus . . . Adam Ottirburne de Reidhall miles prepositus burgi de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . pro . . . prosperitate . . . Jacobi quinti moderni regis Scotorum . . . et pro salute anime sue post suum decessum . . . animarum quondam patris mei et matris mee et . . . quondam Michaelis Frog ac . . . anime mee et anime quondam Jonete Rynd prime sponse mee et anime Eufamie Mowbray sponse mee moderne ac . . . animarum prolium mearum ac eorum . . . quibus debitor fui et penes quos . . . deliqui . . . omniumque fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . . Deo Omnipotenti et Beate Marie virginis et altari eiusdem situato infra ecclesiam . . . Diui Egidii . . . ac prebendariis . . . ecclie . . . annuos redditus subscriptos videlicet · vnum annum redditum quadraginta solidorum . . . Scocie . . . de . . . terris quondam Ricardi Hoppar . . . iacentibus . . . infra tenementum dicti Ade Ottirburne militis ex parte occidentali transitus eiusdem inter terram

anteriorem dicti tenementi ex parte australi et Lacum Borealem . . . ex parte boreali . quodquidem tenementum iacet . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Johannis Mafoun ex orientali [et] tenementum quondam Willelmi Knox ex occidentali . . . annum redditum tresdecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . de . . . terra quondam Ade Suoird nunc pertinente Mariote Browne iacente . . . ex parte australi pretorii . . . inter aliam terram dictae Mariote Browne ex parte orientali et terram pertinentem capellano altaris Sancti Jacobi situati infra ecclesiam . . . Beati Egidii ex parte occidentali et terram quondam Willelmi Adamfoun ex australi et publicam Stratam Regiam ex boreali . . . necnon . . . annum redditum quadraginta solidorum et octo denariorum . . . de . . . tenemento terre . . . quondam Willelmi Halkerstoun de Croftis iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terras quondam Petri Marche et Johannis Cokburne ex parte orientali et tenementum terre quondam Georgei Halkerstoun ex parte occidentali et terram posteriorem dicti quondam Willelmi Halkerstoun ex boreali et publicam Stratam Regiam ex australi . . . Quiquidem annuus redditus extendens in toto ad septem marcas sex solidos et octo denarios dictae monete . . . distribuendus est . . . prout sequitur . In primis . . . prebendariis chori dictae ecclesie . . . pro missa *Placebo* et *Dirige* solenniter cantanda . . . in die anniversarii mei sexdecim solidi . . . item triginta capellanis in die anniversarii mei qui singuli in suis superpelliciis celebrent missam *Placebo* et *Dirige* pro me et animabus supradictis summa quindecim solidorum extendendo cuilibet sacerdoti sex denarios . . . item pro magnis campanis pulsandis ut moris est tres solidi . item [pro] quatuor candelis ponderis duarum librarum cerarum precium omnium quinque solidi et quatuor denarii . item [pro] quatuor tidis cere precium quatuor solidi . item pro cruce et candelabris octo denarii . item seruitori ecclesie pro tumba cooperienda ac cruce et candelabris superponendis octo denarii . item quatuor pueris por-

tando dietas *le torchis* quatuor denarii . item pro campana eundo per villam quatuor denarii . item [pro] quinquaginta duobus *le dalis* pauperibus debilioribus honestis tamen diete ville quibus dictis prebendariis magis necesse videbitur summa quinquaginta duorum solidorum videlicet vnicuique eorundem vnum libum frumenti valoris quatuor denariorum et octo denarii in pecunia numerata pro carne et ceruisia . et de illis volo ut dentur quinque porciones Fratribus Minoribus de Observancia . . . et alie quinque . . . fororibus pauperibus hospitalis in Venella Sancte Marie ultra portas . item collectori dicti chori pro congregacione . . . reddituum triginta duo denarii . Tenendos . . . predictos . . . redditus . . . in . . . elimosinam . . . a me heredibus meis et affig-natis de . . . rege . . . in feodo et hereditate . . . Volo eciam quod non licebit dictis prebendariis . . . nec heredibus meis . . . redditus . . . in fuos . . . vhus conuertere . . . sub penis contentis in bulla apostolica que annuatim publicatur in Cena Domini videlicet *Quod ex-communicantur omnes qui rapiunt vel usurpant fructus vel iuris dicciones pertinentes ad ecclesiasticas personas* . Itaque quod . . . prebendarii . . . valcent . . . terras de quibus . . . redditus debentur . . . distingere . . . In cuins rei testimonium sigillum meum . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh decimo nono . . . Marcii . . . i^{an} v^e xxxv^{to} eoram . . . Georgeo Henrissoun Willelmo Litill et Johanne Carkettill balliis . . . Johanne Purves decano gilde . . . Willelmo Dik thesaurario . Nicholayo Carnecros . Willelmo Adamfoun . Alexandro Adamsoun . Willelmo Watsoun . Vincencio Strathauchin et Johanne Foular notariis publicis . cum . . . aliis.

[Carta domini Ricardi Laufoun.]

136 **O**mnibus . . . dominus Ricardus Laufoun canonicus ecclesie . . . Beati Egidii de Edinburgh et de Grotell in eadem prebendatus salutem

. . . Noueritis . . . me de consensu . . . prepositi balliuorum et consulum . . . de Edinburgh patronorum meorum ac . . . prepositi . . . et capituli dictae . . . ecclie . . . in augmentacionem . . . rentalis . . . mei canonicatus et prebende videlicet augmentando annuatim quinque solidos . . . Scocie . . . ac pro aliis . . . cautis . . . ad feudefirmani . . . dimisisse . . . Waltero Scot pistori . . . regis burgenfi de Edinburgh et heredibus suis masculis de corpore suo legittime procreatis . . . quibus deficientibus heredibus suis masculis quibusunque . . . terras meas [de Grotell cum pertinenciis iacentes inter terras] domini de Innerleith ex orientali terras domini Lyndesay de Byris et domini de Innerleith ex australi et terras de Crageeruk et Ralestoun ex occidentali partibus . . . in parochia de Cralmond Dunkeldenfis dioecesis et infra vicecomitatum de Edinburgh . Tenendas . . . de me et succeſſoribus meis in feodo et hereditate imperpetuum . . . cum communi pastura . . . [*imperfecā.*]

[Instrumentum sāfine date fratribus Sancti Cruoris.]

137 . . . Anno . . . milleſimo quingentesimo trigesimo ſexto . . . Marci die quinto . . . accepſit . . . Simon Prestoun vnuſ balliuorum . . . de Edinburgh ad terram Johannis Malcolme iacentem . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . in le Malcolmis Cloſ ex parte orientali tranſitus eiusdem inter terram Thome Paterſoun ex parte australi et terram ſue ortum Johannis Anderſoun ex boreali . . . et ibidem . . . dominus Robertus Robertoun capellanus . . . annum redditum quadraginta ſolidorum . . . Scocie . . . leuandum . . . de . . . prefata terra . . . in manibus dicti . . . ballui . . . resignauit. Qua . . . resignacione ſic . . . facta dictus Simon . . . ſafinam hereditariam . . . predicti . . . redditus . . . Willemo Simſoun . . . burgenfi vni ex quatuor principalibus ſue magiftris fratrum fraternitatis Saerosancti Cruoris Domini ecclie

collegiate Beati Egidii de Edinburgh eorundem nomine . . . pro sustentacione olei et cere in honore beatissimi et glorioissimi sacramenti apud altare Sacrofan&ti Cruoris infra dictam ecclesiam situatum . . . dedit . . . referuato tamen libero tenemento . . . dicti anni redditus . . . prefato domino Roberto . . . pro . . . tempore vite . . . Acta erant hec super fundum dictae terre horam circiter sextam post meridiem . . . presentibus . . . Johanne Purves Jacobo Marioribankis Simone Wicht domino Wilelmo Achesoun capellano et Wilelmo Watsoun feriendo dicti burgi cum diuerfis aliis . . .

Andreas Brounhill . . . notarius .

[Carta Willelmi Bell de patronatu alteragii Domine Pietatis.]

- 138 Be it kend till all men be thir present lettres me Williane Bell the son and air of vñquhile Johnne Bell burges of the burgh of Edinburgh patronne of the donatioun of ane alterage situat within the college kirk of Sanct Gele callit Our Lady of Piete on the north fide of the entre of the queir of the faid kirk til be bundin and oblift and be thir present lettres and the faith and treuth in my body lelely and treuly straitlie bindis and oblisss me and myne airis present and for to cum patronis of the faid altar till thir personis vnder writtin that is for to say Andro Galloway Amros Gray Johnne Pereſoun Johne Chalmer Johne Yhoun and Duncane Reid maisteris and craftismen of the candilmakeris of the faid burgh and thare succeſſouris . Forſameklo as thai of gud mynde and for honour and policy of halikirk and for augmentation of divine seruice til be done at the faid altar of Our Lady of Piete for ſufferage and prayeris to be done for thame and thare ſuceſſouris in tyme cuming defirit ane chaplane quhilk daily mycht do mes at all tymes quhen he was diſpoſit for the faidis maisteris and candilmakeris of the faid craft and thare ſuceſſouris · quhilk defire I confi-

derit wes consonant to refoun and gud conscience · and for vphalding and loving of Goddis seruice and for thankis plesouris and vthar gratitudis done be thame to me I gif and grant and be the tenour of thir presentis giffis and grants for me and myne airis till the saidis personis and craft of the said candilmakeris and thare succeffouris abone writtin full fre facultie licence and fredome till thame till hane and put in ane chaplane at the said altar at all tymes quhen he beis disposit for suffrage to be done for thame and thare succeffouris in tyme to cum as said is and till remove and put furth the said chaplane at all tymes quhen thai think expedient · And this tollerance and fredome til be brukit and ioisit be the saidis maisteris and candilmakeris and thare succeffouris als frely and commodioufie as ony patron of ony altar within the said college kirk hes gevin licence and tollerance till ony chaplane till do devine seruice at thare said altar · prouydand alwayis the said tollerance and licence be na preiudice to me nor myne airis patronis of the said altar anent the donatioun of the said altar als oft as the famyne fall abill till vaik · And for the faithfull obseruyng keping and fulfilling of the premiffis and every poynt tharof I bind and obliissis me and myne airis faithfully till the said maisteris of the said candilmaker craft and thare succeffouris in the sekirest forme and stile of obligatioun and obliissis me and myne airis neuir to cum intill the contrare hereof in iugement nor outwith vnder the pane of periure and diffamatioun but fraud or gile · In witnes of the quhilke thing till thir present lettres subseruuit with my hand I haue gart append my feill at Edinburgh the twenty thre day of Marche the yhere of God ane thousand fyve hundred and thretty sex yheris befor thir witnes Master Andro Brouneshill Schir Adam Sym chaplane and Thomas Elphinstoun with vtheris diuers.

I William Bell
with my hand

Ita est · Vincencius Strathauchin no-
tarius publicus ad premissa requisitus
manu propria scripsit.

Carta admortizationis magistri Johannis Chepman.

139 **J**acobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre fue . . . salutem . . . Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . . . Omnibus . . . magister Johannes Chepman de Schelis ac burgenfis burgi de Edinburgh salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . pro . . . prosperitate . . . Jacobi quinti . . . Scotorum regis . . . ac pro salute animarum predecessorum et successorum suorum . . . anime mee et Iobelle Hendersoun sponse mee et animarum patris mei matris mee meorumque fratrum et sororum ac . . . patrui mei quondam Walteri Chepman de Ewirland burgenfis dicti burgi altaris subscripti fundatoris et omnium amicorum antecessorum et successorum meorum . . . omnium quibus debitor sum et penes quos . . . deliqui et de quorum bonis habui et pro quibus orare teneor et omnium fidelium defunctorum dedisse . . . ad sustentationem vnius capellani secularis perpetni ad altare Sancti Johannis ewangeliste situatum in facello sue capella ipsius per predictum meum patrum fundata et edificata in australi parte ecclesie collegiate Beati Egedii de Edinburgh . . . pro perpetuo celebraturi hos annuos redditus meos subscriptos vide-licet meum annum redditum quatuor marcarum . . . Scocie . . . de . . . tenemento terre . . . et orto eiusdem quondam Nicholay Browne dicti burgi burgenfis . . . iacente . . . ultra Archum Superiorem ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Johannis Mosman et heredum quondam Alexandri Reid nunc vero Henrici Cranstoun ex orientali terras Johannis Arres et Johannis Quhite ex occidentali et Communem Viam Regiam ex boreali et abhinc descendendo et continente in longitudine septem particatas terre et quartam partem vnius usque ad terram quondam Willelmi Levingtoun nunc vero heredum quondam Johannis Windiyhettis ex australi . . . et unum annum redditum trium marcarum . . . de . . . tenemento et terris eiusdem

. . . ad Willelmum Ra di^ti burgi burgensem spe^tantibus . . . iacentibus . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terras domini de Corf^rphin ex orientali transitum vinelle Libertonis Wynde vulgo nuncupate ex occidentali terras Petronille Libertoun ex australi et Communem Viam Regiam ex boreali . . . neconon vnum annum redditum septem marcarum . . . de . . . taberna siue volta anteriori et interiori quondam Stephani Law nunc vero Roberti Law eius filii di^ti burgi burgenfis . . . iacente subtus gradum anterioris tenementi quondam Dauid Dalrympill ex parte orientali introitus eiusdem . . . quodquidem tene-
mentum iacet . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram Willelmi Adamfone ex orientali et terram quondam Andree Bell ex occidentali . . . et in speciale warantum huiusmodi annui redditus . . . vnum alium . . . septem marcarum . . . de . . . aliis terris di^ti quon-
dam Stephani Law iacentibus . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram di^ti Willelmi Adamfoun ex occidentali et boreali et terram quondam Georgii Tailliefer ex orientali et terram quondam Rogeri Mur-
ray ex australi . . . ac vnum annum redditum duarum marcarum . . . de . . . tenemento terre . . . quondaun Georgii Halkerstoun di^ti burgi burgenfis nunc vero Jacobi Halkerstoun eius filii et heredis iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Publici . . . inter terras quondam Willelmi Hal-
kerstoun et vinellam vulgo Halkerstonis Wynd nuncupatam ex orientali terras Johannis Fisheare ex occidentali terras quondam Willelmi Currou ex boreali et Vicum Publicum . . . ex australi . . . et vnum annum redditum sex marcarum . . . de . . . terra posteriori . . . ad Johannem Broune di^ti burgi burgensem fratrem magistri Thome Broun recto-
ris de Lammelethane olim nunc vero ad Willelmum Carnecors spe^tante tenementi quondam Jacobi Baty . . . iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici . . . Publici inter terras magistri Ade Otterburne ex orientali terram anteriorem di^ti tenementi . . . ex australi et transitum siue clausuram vulgo Bonkillis Clois nuncupatam ex occidentali et terram quondam Jo-

hannis Bonkill nunc vero Edwardi Kincaid ex boreali . . . extenderentes
in integro ad viginti duas marcas . . . neenon vnum annum redditum
quatuor marcarum . . . de . . . parte superiori olim tenementi Ade-
Fawside filii et heredis quondam Willelmi Fawside dicti burgi burgenis
supra gradum eiusdem tenementi nunc vero Willelmi Tod ecrarii iacente
. . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter tenementum quondam Luce
Yhoun nunc vero pertinens heredibus quondam Johannis Dauidfoun ex
orientali terram quondam domini Lindefay de Byris que olim fuit Thome
Dalyhell nunc vero pertinentem heredibus quondam magistri Johannis
Murray de Blakbarony ex occidentali . . . per dictum capellanum . . .
cum consensu patroni . . . distribuendum ut sequitur videlicet . sexdecim
solidos . . . capellanis chori ecclesie . . . Sancti Egidii . . . pro cele-
bratione anniuersarii mei . . . post meum deceustum videlicet *Placebo* et
Dirige canendo cum nota solempniter in die obitus mei cum missa *De re-
quie* in die immediate sequente canendo similiter cum nota ad dictum altare
pro anima mea et animabus supra scriptis . sex solidos pro quatuor candelis
sive cercis ponderis duarum librarum videlicet duabus supra dictum altare
et aliis duabus super mea per amide sive tumulo bene . . . ornato . quatuor
solidos pro duabus thedis sive torchis ponderis trium librarem huiusmodi
anniuersarii et misse tempore illuminandis et ardendis . et tres solidos pro
pulsu magnarum campanarum . quatuor denarios pro pulsu parue campane
per dictum burgum ad notitiam populi . octo denarios pro ornatione die-
torum altaris et tumuli . quatuor denarios pro cruce et candelabris argen-
teis . quatuor denarios pro portatione prefatarum thedarum . sex solidos
pro sustentatione olei in lampade ardente coram dicto altari tempore ves-
perarum et usque ad horam sextam singulis noctibus in hieme a fello
Omnium Sanctorum usque ad festum Purificationis Beate Marie virginis .
et quindecim solidos pro sustentatione duarum cere candelarum tempore
vesperarum primarum et secundarum et summe misse cuiuslibet diei festi
per totum annum super dicto altari bene et decenter ornato . ac etiam

vnum annum redditum quinque marcaram . . . de . . . meis domibus et terris . . . iacentibus . . . ex parte australi Viei Publici . . . in vinella vulgo Grays Clois nuncupata inter transitum dictae vinelle ex orientali terras quondam Roberti Selater ex australi et transitum vinelle Richardonis Clois nuncupate vulgo et terram quondam Johannis Berclay ex occidentali ac terras et domum Johannis Stevinsoun carnificis ex boreali . . . per . . . capellanum . . . cum consensu patroni . . . in hunc modum . . . distribuendum videlicet octo denarios cuiilibet triginta capellanorum pro celebratione *Placebo* et *Dirige* . . . in die anniversarii mei cum missa *De quinque vulneribus* in die immediate sequenti per eorum quemlibet . triginta solidos pro triginta *lee dalis* triginta pauperibus die anniversarii mei dandos et inter ipsos equaliter diuidendos videlicet eorum cuiilibet vnum panem valoris quatuor denariorum carnem valoris quatuor denariorum et quatuor denarios pro potu emendo . septem solidos pro sustentatione panis et vini pro missis annuatim apud dictum altare celebrandis . reliquos undecim solidos et quatuor denarios pro reparatione et sustentatione ornamentorum dicti altaris . saluis . . . mihi pro toto tempore vite . . . perectione et dispositione . . . reddituum suprascriptorum viginti duabus marcis primitus in presenti carta scriptis et . . . capellano . . . assignatis neenon dictis sex solidis pro olei in dicta lampade sustentatione ac etiam dictis septem solidis pro panis et vini sustentatione et dictis quindecim solidis pro [sustentatione] prefatarum duarum cere candelarum super dicto altari decenter ornato tempore vesperarum . . . ac summe misse . . . exceptis . et si ulla pars . . . reddituum suprascriptorum in usus premios . . . minime exposita fuerit eadem pro dictorum ornamentorum sustentatione per dictum capellanum cum consensu mei . . . et post meum obitum cum consensu patroni . . . exponatur et desuper mihi quamdiu vixero et me vniuerse carnis viam ingresso . . . patrono . . . capellanus compotum annuatim reddat . Tenendos . . . in . . . elimosinam . . . Et volo quod donatio . . . mihi foli . . . et post meum decepsum . . . here-

dibus meis masculis de corpore meo legitime procreandis quibus deficien-
tibus . . . heredibus meis masculis cognominis de Chepman quibuscumque
quibus omnibus . . . deficienteibus seniori . . . heredum mearum feminearum
euicunque vere pertineat . . . et si infra viginti dies . . . heredes
mei . . . capellatum . . . prouidere neglexerint volo quod . . . donatio
ad curatum et prebendarios dictae ecclesie . . . pertineat illa vice . . .
et deficientibus omnibus heredibus meis . . . volo quod donatio . . . ad
curatum et prebendarios . . . speget . . . Non tamen licebit eiis ipsam
ad chorum dictae ecclesie applicare nec in prebendam erigere nec de eadem
aliter . . . disponere . et [si] fit aliquis ydoneus capellanus cognominis
de Chepman . . . et ipso deficiente ullus alius vite bone . . . de paren-
tela mea eidem pre ceteris dicta capellania . . . conferatur . et quod
. . . capellanus . . . possit . . . prefatas terras tenementa et domus
. . . distingere . . . defectu solutionis . . . Volo etiam quod . . . ad
continuam residentiam arceatur et . . . tenebitur . . . personaliter
ministrare . et si contigerit ipsum se absentare per decem dies continuo
absque . . . causa seu absque licentia patroni . . . vacabit . . . capel-
lania . Tenebitur etiam . . . ad quotidianam missam cum dispositus fuerit
ad dictum altare celebrandam . . . et in principio cuiuslibet missae popu-
lum exhortari ut unum *Pater noster* cum salutatione angelica scilicet *Ave
Maria* pro anima mea et animabus suprascriptis dicant . et ad primum la-
uatorium dicat ipse . . . psalmum *De profundis* pro eiusdem animabus et
post dictam missam celebrationem indutus alba accedat ad sepulchrum meum
cum asperforio aqua benedicta intineto et ibidem dicat eundem psalmum
. . . cum orationibus requisitis pro animabus predictis et huius finitis tene-
bitur . . . tumulum meum et circumstantes aqua benedicta aspergere et
omni ebdomida *Placebo* et *Dirige* pro anima mea et aliis predictis dicere .
et quod . . . si contingat ipsum ad . . . aliud beneficium . . . promo-
ueri . . . si . . . concubinam focariam in domo aut camera sua vel alias
publice tenuerit vel si in ludo cartarum seu taxillorum aut aliis fortunam

sequentibus [fe] exercuerit . . . et . . . si . . . absque . . . caufa per octo dies continue missam non celebrauerit vacabit ipsa capellania. Volo etiam . . . quod . . . capellanus . . . redditus vltimo . . . specificatos . . . percipiat . . . et compotum inde omni anno patrono . . . et in ipsius absentia collectori casuallatum . . . ecclesie . . . reddat . et si . . . remissus fuerit . . . licebit . . . patrono et in ipsius absentia . . . collectori . . . predictas nouem marcas . . . in vhus supradictos . . . disponere . et pro suis laboribus . . . habebit dimediam marcam de prefatis viginti duabus marcis dicto capellano . . . assignatis . ita quod non licebit . . . quiequam de predictis nouem marcis . . . ad suos vhus . . . applicare sub penis contentis in bulla apostolica que annuatim in Cena Domini publicatur continente in effectu *quod a papa excommunicantur qui rapiunt vel minus iuste usurpant capiunt et detinent fructus ad ecclesiam aut personas ecclesiasticas seu ecclasticos aut pios r̄sus spectantes . . .* In quorum . . . fidem . . . sigillum meum . . . vnamcum figillo . . . Kentigerni Tenent vnius balliuorum . . . fasinas . . . reddituum dantis . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh vicefimo die mensis Nouembris anno Domini millesimo quingentesimo trigesimo septimo coram . . . Johanne Crummy Dauid Chepman Willelmo Ker Willelmo Watfoun . . . burgenfibus . Willelmo Retho Gilberto IIendersoun Thoma Chepman et Roberto Chepman cum diuerfis aliis . Quamquidem cartam . . . confirmamus fatus nobis . . . suffragis deuotarum orationum . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibns [etc.] apud Linlithqw vicefimo nono die mensis Decembris anno Domini millesimo quingentesimo trigesimo septimo et regni nostri vicefimo quinto.

[Institutio domini Thome Seone capellani.]

140 . . . Anno . . . millesimo quingentesimo quadragesimo primo . . . Septembris die decimo nono . . . acceſſit . . . Willelmus Chepman

notarius et signeti . . . regis vnum scribarum ad facellum illud per quondam . . . Walterum Chepman burgensis . . . de Edinburgh sub inuocatione Christi crucifixi et eiusdem Sancte Crucis fundatum . . . infra cimiterium ecclesie . . . Beati Egidii . . . ad altare eiusdem facelli et ibidem tanquam . . . patronus . . . dominum Thomam Seone facellanum . . . in huiusmodi capellania . . . per deceplum . . . domini Willelmi Braidfute . . . vacante . . . per calicis libri missalis et vestimentorum altaris . . . deliberationem . . . induxit . . . pro toto tempore vite sue . . . ac eundem in pacifica possessione reliquit . . . Aetate erant hec . . . horam circiter septimam de mane . . . presentibus . . . Georgio Cant uno balliuorum . . . Alexandro Lauder Johanne Kirk Johanne Briden Andrea Braidfute Dauid Irwyne Georgio Fotheringhame et Jacobo Crawfurd feriandis cum . . . aliis . . .

Andreas Brounhill . . . notarius . . .

Carta admortizationis facta per dominum Thomam Ewing.

141 Jacobus . . . rex Scotorum omnibus . . . terre sue . . . salutem . Sciatis nos . . . cartam . . . intellexisse sub hac forma . Omnibus . . . dominus Thomas Ewin capellanus salutem . . . Noueritis me . . . pro salute anime mee ac animarum colende memorie Jacobi quarti olim Scotorum regis illustrissimi Margarete regine Scotie coniugis sue ac pro salute animarum quondam patris matris fratrum fororum predecessorum et benefactorum mcorum ac etiam pro salute animarum quondam Patricii Bellenden et Mariote Douglas eius coniugis et prolium fuarum . magistri Thome Bellenden de Auchnoule directoris cancellarie supremi domini nostri regis proliumque fuarum . Katherine Bellenden et quondam Ade Hoppar eius sponsi . quondam Oliueri Sinclar de Roffling militis ipsius coniugum et prolium . Oliueri Sinclar de Pitcarne prefate Katherine Bellenden moderni sposi et filii dicti quondam Oliueri militis et fuarum prolium

ac animarum nobilis domini Henrici domini Sinclair et Margarete Hepburn eius sponsæ neconon animarum quondam Patriæ Richardſoun vxorum proliumque fuarum cum earum sponſis · Johannis Tennent et Mariote Atkinſoun eius sponsæ . . . eorum quibus . . . obligatus fueram precipue . . . a quibus . . . indebitē quicquam habueram ac . . . omnium fidelium defunctorum dediſſe . . . Omnipotenti Deo . . . virginī Marie . . . altari Sacri Cruoris . . . ac capellano . . . et suis successorib⁹ ibidem Deo servientibus . . . annuos redditus ſubscriptos . . . leuandos ad . . . terminos confuetos . . . cum . . . confensu quatuor ecclesie magistrorum confraternitatis dicti altaris . . . videlicet . . . annum redditum fundalem ſex marcarum ſex ſolidorum et octo denariorum . . . Scotie . . . de . . . tenemento terre quondam Jacobi Turing . . . iacente . . . ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Andree Mowbray ex orientali et terram quondam Archibaldi Naper de Merchameſtoun ex occidentalı Plateam Regiam ex australi et ortum collegii Sancte Trinitatis . . . ex boreali . . . annum redditum viginti ſolidorum . . . de . . . terris nunc ſpectantibus magistro Henrico Spittale Jacobo Hall et Jacobo Harlaubankis iacentibus . . . prope Arcum Superiorum ex parte orientali tranſitus eiusdem inter terram quondam Bartholomei Carnis ex australi terram altaris Sancti Jacobi ex boreali terram quondam Thome Smyth ex orientali et Communem Viam Regiam ex occidentalı . . . annum redditum tredecim ſolidorum et ſex denariorum . . . de . . . terra quondam Johannis Bercare iacente ſubtus murum caſtri ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Thome Kincaide ex orientali terram Jacobi Laing ex occidentalı videlicet septem ſolidos . . . de parte orientali dictæ terre quam Andreas Moneur nunc poſſidet et ſex ſolidos ſex denarios de parte occidentalı . . . nuper Roberto Watsoun pertinenti · qui . . . redditus . . . ſe extendunt ad ſummam nouem marcarum et duorum denariorum . . . Pro quibus . . . ordino in primis . . . anniuerſarium videlicet vnum *Dirige* in die Ycone Sancti Saluatoris

. . . nono die . . . Nouembris . . . et missam *De requie* in craftino
. . . cum nota . . . apud dictum altare pro animabus supradiatis per
prebendarios chori . . . et due candele cerie super sepulcrum meum
cum duabus . . . super altare et corticiis ante processionem ordinentur.
neconon triginta presbiteri exceptis prebendarii chori submissa voce
Dirige et missas *De requie* . . . celebrent . et quod fiat distributio
cibaria continens sexaginta sexdecim portiones quilibet . . . portio
vnum libum album valoris quatuor denariorum cum sex denariis in
capite eiuslibet libi . quarum . . . triginta sex Fratribus Minoribus de
Observantia quatuor fororibus hospitalis Venelle Beate Marie . . . tres
leprosis prope capellam Sancti Niniani et remanentia honestis pauperibus
magis indigentibus distribuantur . et sex solidi monete predictae aliis
pauperibus debilibus qui partem distributionis dictae non accipiunt in
denariis etiam dabuntur . pro quibus suffragiis et expensis . . . pre-
bendarii dicti chori tresdecim solidi et quatuor denarii campanario
quatuor denarii pro cruce et candelabris octo denarii pro magna cam-
pana octodecim denarii et triginta presbiteris preter prebendarios chori
quindecim solidi perfoluentur . Neenon dedi . . . magistro Andree
Bonar . . . suisque successoribus capellanis apud dictum altare . . .
annuum redditum quinque marcarum . . . Scotie . . . de . . . tene-
mento terre posterioris Georgii Halkarstoun iacente . . . in venella
vocata Nyddryis Wynde ex parte occidentali eiusdem inter terram
Johannis Fisheare ex australi et terras dicti Georgii Halkarstoun ex
orientali et boreali . . . annuum redditum fundalem viginti quatuor
solidorum dictae . . . monete . . . de . . . tenemento terre ante-
rioris Georgii Ramsay iacente . . . subtus Arcum Inferiorem ex parte
australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram Thome Craufurde ex parte
orientali et terram Hectoris Thomfoun ex parte occidentali . . .
annuum redditum fundalem decem solidorum . . . de . . . tenemento
terre Andree Mathesoun iacente . . . subtus Arcum Inferiorem ex parte

australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram Elizabet Bowdoun ex parte orientali et terras Luce Sadelare et Martini Hunter ex occidentali et terram quondam Patricii Richartsoun ex boreali et vastam terram ex australi . . . annum redditum quatuor solidorum . . . de . . . tene-
mento terre quondam Christine Ednem iacente . . . subtus Arcum Inferiorem ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram Willelmi Craik ex orientali parte et terram Roberti Carmichell ex parte occiden-
tali . . . annum redditum fundalem fex solidorum et octo denari-
orum . . . de . . . tenemento terre Jacobi Falcoun sub muro castri
ex parte australi Vici Regii inter terram quondam Johannis Williamfoun
ex occidentali et terram dicti Jacobi Falcoun ex orientali . . . annum
redditum fundalem duarum marcarum . . . de . . . tenemento terre
Johannis Lichtoun iacente . . . inter terram dicti Johannis ex parte
australi et terram Johannis Naper ex parte orientali et terram Willelmi
Lauder ex parte boreali . . . annum redditum fundalem duarum mar-
carum . . . de . . . tenemento terre Thome M^cClellane iacente . . .
ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terras dicti Thome ex orientali et
occidentali . . . et terram Johannis Cranstoun ex parte australi et terram
Thome Cranstoun ex parte boreali . . . annum redditum fundalem
duorum solidorum . . . de . . . tenemento terre Johannis Eglintoun
iacente . . . ex australi parte Vici Regii . . . sub muro castri inter terras
Johannis Adamfoun ex occidentali et orientali . . . et terram Willelmi
Hammyltoun ex parte australi . . . annum redditum fundalem duarum
marcarum . . . de . . . terris quondam Georgii Tailyhefeir contigue
iacentibus . . . ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . infra tenementum
quondam Georgii Robefoun inter terras quondam Ade Kerkettill et
quondam Ricardi Gammyll ex occidentali et clausuram dicti tenementi
ex orientali et terras quondam dictorum Ricardi Gammyll et Georgii
Robefoun ex boreali et terram domini de Fentoun ex australi . . .
annum redditum fundalem nouem solidorum . . . de . . . terris . . .

quondam Johannis Sellare iacentibus . . . subtus muro castris ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter menia . . . ville ex occidentali et terram Dauid Kincaid ex orientali . . . annum redditum fundalem tresdecim solidorum et octo denariorum . . . de . . . [terris] Dauid Kincaid iacentibus . . . sub muro castris ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram quondam Johannis Malifoun ex parte orientali et terram quondam dicti Johannis Sellar ex parte occidentali . . . annum redditum trium solidorum . . . de . . . tenemento terre quondam Andree Robifoun iacente . . . sub muro castris ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Thome Bertrem ex parte orientali et terram dicti quondam Johannis Malefoun ex parte occidentali . . . annum redditum fundalem decem solidorum . . . de . . . tenemento terre . . . domini Jacobi Gulde capellani iacente . . . sub muro castris ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram Johannis Crunybane ex parte orientali et terram dicti Thome Bertrem ex parte occidentali . . . annum redditum fundalem quadraginta denariorum . . . de . . . tenemento terre . . . Jacobi Stury iacente . . . sub muro castris ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter terram . . . Johannis Crunyheane ex occidentali et terram Dauid Falcoun ex parte orientali . . . annum redditum fundalem quadraginta denariorum . . . de . . . tenemento terre . . . dicti Dauid Falcoun iacente . . . sub muro castris ex parte boreali Vici Regii . . . inter venellam que dicit ad montem castris ex orientali et terram dicti Jacobi Stury ex occidentali . . . annum redditum fundalem tresdecim solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . de . . . terra domini Johannis Duncan capellani iacente . . . in lie Cowgait ex parte australi Vici Regii eiusdem inter terram Thome Lauerok ex parte orientali et terram quondam Willelmi Harlaw ex occidentali et terram Dauid Heriot ex australi et Communem Viam Regiam ex boreali . . . item unum annuum redditum fundalem viginti solidorum . . . de . . . tenemento terre quondam Johannis Tavidale . . . iacente . . . prope crucem Vici

Canonicorum ex parte australi Vici Regii eiusdem inter terram quondam Egidie Harlaw ex parte orientali et terram Ade Carnis ex occidentali . . . Tenendos . . . in . . . elimofinam . . . Faciendo . . . capellani . . . personalem et continua . . . residentiam et . . . suffragia . . . conditionibus infraferiptis celebrent . Et volo quod donatio . . . post meum deceffum . . . pertineat quatuor ecclesie magistris fraternitatis . . . Sacri Cruoris . . . cum quatuor ecclesie magistris anni . . . precedentis . . . infra spatium octo dierum vacationem . . . proximo sequentium . . . et . . . si in hoc negligentes fuerint . . . licebit preposito et prebendiis dictae ecclesie . . . capellanum . . . hac vice imponere . . . Et si . . . capellanus tenorem . . . fundationis . . . minime obseruare curauerit . . . licitum erit . . . ecclesie magistris eundem . . . remouere . . . Et . . . ecclesie magistri et confratres dicti fraternitatis . . . panem vinum ceram indumenta missalia et armorialium pro custodia superpellici . . . capellano . . . quotidie ministrabunt et sustentabunt pro quibus ministratione et sustentatione habebunt procurationem annuatim acquirendam die patroni . . . videlicet Yconie Nostri Saluatoris per prepositum balliuos et consules . . . eidem concessam vnam viginti solidis annui redditus de . . . nouem marcis et duobus denariis . . . primitus specificatis . . . pro quibus annuis redditibus . . . distingere . . . possint . . . prouiso . . . quod neque eosdem . . . detinere neque alias . . . distribuere licebit . Et casu quo contingat . . . capellanum . . . decedere aut . . . capellaniam . . . infra terminos solutionis . . . resignare . . . volo . . . quod successor . . . habeat de dictis . . . redditibus secundum quod ratum temporis exigerit . Item volo quod . . . capellanus . . . personaliter . . . ministrabit . . . nisi casu infirmitatis tantum . et si contingat ipsum . . . ad aliud . . . beneficium . . . promoueri . . . quod . . . capellania censeatur vacare . . . Et tenebitur idem . . . et fui successores . . . apud dictum altare quotidie cum dispositi fuerint celebrare et ad hoc cum

diligentia indies se disponent . Et si . . . capellanus . . . per octo dies continuos forsan lafciuia aut aliis fecularibus occupatus negotiis non celebauerit . . . et si concubina notatus fuerit aut noctiuagus ebrofus seu aliator notorie cognitus . . . vacabit . . . capellania . Volo etiam . . . quod capellanus . . . secunda tercia et sexta feriis celebrabit cum nouem lectionibus *Placebo* et *Dirige* cum beda pro anima mea et animabus predictis et cum dispositus fuerit omni secunda feria missam *De requie* pro animabus omnium fidelium defunctorum . . . nisi duplex festum fuerit aut aliud . . . impedimentum . . . Item volo quod idem . . . in principio cuiuslibet misse sue teneatur populum exhortari ut dicat vnum *Pater noster* cum salutatione angelica pro fundatore et animabus predictis et in fine . . . misse post euangeliū in principio dicat psalmum *De profundis* in commendationem anime mee et animarum predicatorum conuersusque ad sepulcrum meum dicat collectum solitum . . . cum collectu *Absolue quesumus* et asperzione aque benedicte ut moris est . Tenebitur etiam . . . Dominicis diebus et Jouis et maiori duplice festo adire dictum altare in superpellicio et ibidem interesse associatus cum principali presbitero dicti altaris secum eoram saeramento in processione eundo et in auditu confessionum et alias adiuuando et omnimodam reuerentiam honorem et obsequium pro suo posse eidem altari faciendo . . . Et omnia premissa . . . obseruentur sub penis contentis in bulla apostolica que annuatim publicatur in Cena Domini videlicet *Quod excommunicantur omnes [qui] rapiunt [vel] usurpant fructus vel iurisdictiones ad ecclesiasticas personas pertinentes* . Et volo quod . . . capellanus et successores . . . valeant . . . terras de quibus . . . redditus debentur . . . recognoscere . . . Si contingat . . . ecclie magistros . . . deficere in executione premissorum . . . volo quod facultas celebrandi meum anniversarium . . . deuoluatur ad prepositum et prebendarios . . . quibus potestatem in dicto casu concedo distringendi . . . ac . . . annuos redditus levandi de predictis tenementis . . . superius ad hoc affignatis

extendentibus ad summam sex librarum et duorum denariorum vt dehinc infra octo dies prouideant pro . . . anniuersario . . . In eius rei testimonium sigillum meum . . . vnam figillo . . . dictae confraternitatis . . . sunt appensa apud Edinburgh decimo . . . Julii . . . millefimo quingentesimo vicefimo nono coram . . . magistro Adam Ottirburn preposito . . . burgi . . . magistro Jacobo Laufoun magistro Franciffo Bothuile Patricio Broun Kentigerno Tenent Symone Prestoun et Edwardo Kincaid balliuis . . . Nicholaio Carnors decano gilde . Roberto Henrifoun thefaurario . Willelmo Sym Johanne Blakstok Johanne Hervy magistris dictae confraternitatis . . . domino Matheo Simfoun capellano dicti altaris . Vincencio Strathauchin et Johanne Foulard notariis . . . Thoma Glendynnis et Jacobo Branwod feriandis gilde . . . enī . . . aliis . Quam . . . cartam . . . confirmamus saluis nobis . . . precibus capellani . . . In eius rei testimonium . . . magnum sigillum nostrum apponi precepimus testibus [etc.] apud Falkland decimo quinto die mensis Februarii anno Domini millefimo quingentesimo quadragesimo primo et regni nostri vicefimo nono.

[Carta domini Henrici Mow.]

142 **O**mnibus . . . dominus Henricus Mow capellanus et prebendarius de Grotale infra chorum ecclesie . . . Beati Egidi . . . Sanctiandree dioecesis salutem . . . Noueritis me cum consensu . . . magistri Roberti Creychtoun dictae ecclesie . . . prepositi ac prebendariorum eiusdem . . . in . . . utilitatem . . . prebende mee . . . ac pro certis magnis et ingenitibus pecuniarum summis mihi per . . . Willelmum Adamefoun iuniorem . . . burensem . . . perfolutis . . . aliisque plerisque cauis rationabilibus ac etiam cum consensu . . . communitatis . . . assedasse . . . predicto Willelmo . . . et Agneti Ballentyne sue fponse . . . terras

meas de Grotale cum mansione domibus et ceteris . . . iacentes infra
vicecomitatum de Edinburch extendentes annuatim in meo rental i in firma
grafluma et aliis deuoriis . . . ad summam quindecim librarum vndeclim
solidorum et octo denariorum . . . Scotie · Tenendas . . . Willelmo
. . . Agneti . . . et heredibus masculis inter ipsos legittime procreatibus
. . . quibus deficientibus seniori heredum fuardum femininearum absque
diuisione . . . quibus deficientibus . . . heredibus masculis . . . Wil-
lelmi quibusunque de me et successoribus meis . . . imperpetuum . . .
Reddendo inde annuatim . . . summae sexdecim librarum . . . in
augmentationem rentalis mei . . . ad summam octo solidorum et quatuor
denariorum . . . neenon . . . annuam firmam sexdecim librarum in-
troitu cuiuslibet heredis . . . nomine feedifirme . . . In cuius rei testi-
monium sigillum meum . . . vacum sigillo communi . . . capituli ac
subscriptionibus manualibus prebendariorum . . . neenon sigillo communi
. . . burgi . . . sunt appensa apud . . . Edinburch vicefimo primo
. . . Octobris . . . millesimo quingentesimo quadragesimo secundo coram
. . . magistro Thoma Ballendine de Auchynnowll clero iusticiarie . . .
regis · Joanne Danyelstoun rectore de Dysart · Willelmo Adamesoun se-
niore Alexandro Adamesoun fratribus germanis · Willelmo Androsoun
Patricio Kincaid Johanne Robertson · Sic subscriptitur · Andreas Harper
manu propria · Jacobus Crawfurd manu propria · Willelmus Gray manu
propria · dominus Gilbertus Robeson manu propria · dominus Jacobus
Bairniffather manu propria · dominus Johannes Mowbray manu propria ·
dominus Dauid Lyle manu propria · dominus Henricus Mow prebendarius
de Grotale manu propria · Dauid Yhoun prefedens manu mea · magister
Ninian Hamiltoun manu propria · Edwardus Marioyribankis manu
propria · dominus Willelmus Tade manu propria · dominus Edwardus
Henrysoun manu propria · magister Robertus Creychtoun prepositus
[Sancti] Egidii.

[Tranfumptum protocolli de terra Willelmi Baillie.]

- 143 Nouerint vniuersi . . . quod nos Abraham Crechtoun ecclie collegiate de Dunglas prepositus ac officialis Sanctiandree infra archidiaconatum Laudonie ad . . . domini Willelmi Johnnestone capellani altaris Sanctissimi Cruoris infra ecclesiam collegiatam Beati Egidi de Edinburgh et Johannis Dowgall vnius magistrorum confraternitatis dicti altaris . . . instantiam . . . omnes . . . interesse habentes . . . ad videndum . . . quoddam prothogollum in libro prothogolorum quondam Johannis Fowler notarii . . . inscriptum . . . tranffumi . . . citari fecimus . . . ad . . . diem locum et horam infrascriptos . Quibus aduenientibus et nobis pro tribunal fidentibus comparuerunt . . . dicti dominus Willelmus . . . et Johannes . . . et . . . nostras litteras citatorias . . . debite executioni demandatas . . . representarunt et . . . citatorum in eiusdem . . . et non comparentium contumacias accusarunt et in eorundem contumacie penam . . . Jacobus Stirke custos pro tempore libri prothogolorum dicti Johannis . . . librum . . . produxit . quod quidem prothogollum . . . dicti . . . tranffumi petierunt . . . Nos tunc . . . dictos citatos . . . reputauimus . . . contumaces et in eorundem contumacie penam librum prothogolorum . . . recepimus in quo prothogollum huiusmodi inferiput comperimus . . . propria manu prefati quondam Johannis . . . idecirco . . . prothogollum . . . per . . . nostrae curie scribam . . . tranffumi . . . mandauimus . . . cuiusquidem . . . tenor . . . est talis . Ultimo Julii anno Domini millesimo quingentefimo vicesimo nono hora quinta post meridiem . . . accessit . . . Jacobus Johnnestone unus balliuorum burgi de Edinburgh ad terram Willelmi Baillie iacentem . . . sub muro castri ex parte australi Vici Regii . . . inter terram olim Lanceloti Barcar ex orientali et terram Alexandri Chalmer ex parte occidentali et ibidem dictus Willelmus . . . cum consensu . . . Katherene

Wicht fuc sponfe . . . predictam suam terram . . . in manibus . . . balliui . . . resignauit · qua resignatione . . . facta dictus . . . ballius . . . faisinam hereditariam . . . terre . . . domino Matheo Symfone capellano altaris Sanctissimi Crucis nomine ecclesie et . . . aliorum fratrum confraternitatis dicti Sanctissimi Crucis . . . secundum tenorem carte defuper conficiende dedit . . . referuato . . . libero tenemento . . . dictis Willelmo . . . et . . . sponfe fue . . . Insuper dicta Katharena . . . de non reuocando . . . suum corporale prestitit iuramentum . . . Actum super folium testibus Willelmo Lamb Jacobo Forrester Johanne Law Willelmo Clerk Alexandro Chefholme Dauid Jamefone Patricio Yhoun · Quibus . . . tanquam rite . . . factis anterioritatem . . . dictae curie et nostram . . . interponimus . . . in quorum . . . fidem . . . prefentes literas . . . sigilli . . . nostri officialatus . . . fecimus appensione communiri · Datum . . . infra ecclesiam collegiatam Beati Egidii de Edinburgh loco confistoriali eiusdem . . . xxviii^o . . . Mareii . . . millesimo quingentesimo quadragesimo nono . . . presentibus . . . magistris et dominis Andrea Hoy Johanne Stewinfone Willelmo Meldrum Johanne Cowtis Georgio Litilohne Johanne Ker Jacobo Dun-canfone et Jacobo Terbart eum . . . aliis . . .

Jacobus Marioribankis . . . notarius . . . prefatique domini
officialis . . . et eius curie . . . scriba . . .

[Prefentatio domini Johannis Symfoun ad prebendam Sancti Michaelis.]

144 **V**enerabili . . . magistro Roberto Creichtoun preposito ecclesie . . . Beati Egidii . . . eiusdem presidenti et canoniciis . . . dictae ecclesie . . . communitas . . . burgi salutem . . . Ad . . . prebendam Diui Michaelis apud altare eiusdem . . . vacantem per dimissionem . . . domini Eduardi Henrifoun . . . dominum Johannem Symfoun presbiterum . . .

presentamus . . . In eius rei testimonium sigillum commune . . . est appensum apud Edinburch septimo die mensis Septembris anno Domini millesimo quingentesimo quinquagesimo primo.

[Institutio eiusdem.]

- 145 **O**&tauo . . . Septembris . . . millesimo quingentesimo quinquagesimo primo . . . dominus Johannes Symfoun accessit ad ecclesiam . . . Beati Egidii oppidi Edinburgi et . . . dominum Laurentium Tod dictae ecclesie vicarium ac presidentem . . . pro tempore requisivit quatenus fibi institutionem . . . Diui Michaelis apud altare eiusdem . . . conferre voluerit. Quiquidem dominus presidens . . . possessionem . . . prefato domino Johanni . . . secundum tenorem retroscriptarum donationis literarum tradidit . . . ac eidem stallum in choro et loco in capitulo . . . assignauit . . . A&a erant hec prefate . . . ecclesie post meridiem presentibus . . . dominis Jacobo Hunter Johanne et Laurentio Tod cum . . . aliis.

Produc&um die xiiii^o [Henricus] Loch notarius . . .

Julii 1558.

[Instrumentum factum domini Georgii Litilohne.]

- 146 . . . Anno . . . millesimo quingentesimo quinquagesimo secundo . . . Nouembris die septimo . . . Andreas Craig burgenfis de Edinburch ac heres quondam Jacobi Johnnefoun clientis huiusmodi burgi burgenfis . . . pro . . . benemeritis per . . . dominum Georgium Littiliohne capellanum capellanie altaris Sancti Blasii fundate sub inuocatione dulcissimi nominis Jhesu situate infra ecclesiam . . . Beati Egidii . . . fibi

Andree alias factis fatebatur vnum annum redditum fundalem triginta duorum solidorum . . . Scotie . . . redemptum per manus dicti domini Georgii . . . caufante remiffione . . . redditus de terminis preteritis . . . de . . . tenemento terre dicti Andree . . . ac vasti fundi eiusdem . quod . . . tenementum iacet . . . in vico wulgariter vocato lie Kowgait ex parte australi vici eiusdem inter terram Willelmi Lebertovne ex parte orientali et terram heredum quondam Henrici Scott ex parte occidentali et terram Magne Scole ex australi et Stratam Regiam de le Kowgait ex boreali . . . non obſtant quod . . . tenementum fuit combuſum et deſtructum in maxima parte eiusdem per noſtros veteres inimicos Anglorum in mense Maii anno Domini millesimo quingentesimo quadrageſimo quarto et per dictum Andream reedificatum . . . Igitur . . . dictus Andreas . . . obligabat ſe . . . heredes fuos executores et affligatos neconon dictum tenementum . . . ſicut prius . . . tenementum fuit . . . obligatum . . . per cartas fundationis . . . ad perfoluendum . . . annuatim . . . redditum fundalem triginta duorum solidorum . . . de . . . predicto suo tenemento . . . dicto domino Georgio . . . et suis ſucceſſoribus . . . in compensatione . . . redēptionis dicti . . . redditus . . . Et . . . confenſit quod prepoſitus et balliui . . . decretum . . . domino Georgio concedant pro namatione dicti tenementi . . . penes ſolutionem . . . redditus . . . Aetā erant hec in domo habitationis magistri Roberti Forman infra oppidum Edinburgi hora decima ante meridiem vel eocirca . . . prefentibus . . . magistro Roberto Forman alias Ros Herald magistro Georgio Leslie et magistro Johanne Leslie rectore de cum . . . aliis . . .

Willelmus Bannatyne . . . notarius . . .

[In dorſo.]

Decimo sexto Septembris anno etc. lvii^{mo}.

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pas to the tenement of land within specifyit pertening to Andro Craig detbund for the annuell rent of thretty tua schilingis within nemmit and thair poind and distrinhye the inhabitantis quhatfumeuir thaifor for the Martymes and Witfounday termes last bypast annuell rent of the said annuell and fielik termelie in time cuming becaus the said Andro Craig being wairnit to this day to heir sic actis gevin comperit personalie in iugement and granttit the same restand awin and that the said land wes detbund yheirlie of the said annuell to the chapillane of the alter within specifyit.

A. GUTHRE.

[Confirmatio dimidietatis terrarum de Ravilstoun.]

147 Vniuersis . . . ecclie filiis . . . Alexander Forrest et Joannes Sinclair collegiarum ecclesiarum Beate Marie de Campis et Rosling Sanctiandree dioecesis respectiue prepositi . . . executores . . . ad infra scripta . . . per . . . Johannem archiepiscopum Sanctiandree . . . constituti salutem . . . Literas patentes prefati . . . archiepiscopi . . . neconon . . . chartam . . . magistri Niniani Hammiltoun prebendarii ecclie . . . Beati Egidii . . . Edinburgi . . . factam . . . cum confensu . . . capituli . . . nos . . . noueritis . . . intellexisse . . . sub tenore frequenti . . . Joannes . . . archiepiscopus Sanctiandree . . . precentori Glasguensis ecclie et collegiarum Beate Marie de Campis . . . et de Rosling . . . ecclesiarum prepositis salutem . . . A felicis recordationis Paulo papa secundo emanarunt literae tenoris subfrequentis . Paulus episcopus . . . ad perpetuam rei memoriam . . . Sub interminatione diuini iudicij omnibus commissariis . . . precipimus ut caute et diligenter attendant causis in literis apostolicis per supplicantes expreffis . . . Si quis autem commissarius . . . in . . . detrimentum ecclie . . . alienationi consenserit . . . inferior vero episcopo sententiam

excommunicationis incurrat episcopus vero aut superior ab executione officii sui per annum nouerit se suspensum ad existimationem detrimenti ecclesie illati nihilominus condemnandus . sciturusque suspensione durante damnabiliter ingesserit se diuinis irregularitatis laqueo se involuet a quo non nisi per summum pontificem poterit liberari . is vero qui dolo vel fraude aut scienter in detrimentum ecclesiarum alienationem fieri procurauerit aut per fordes aut impressionem alienationis decretum extorserit similiem sententiam excommunicationis incurrat a qua non nisi per summum pontificem possit absolui ad restitutionem alienatarum rerum . . . condemnandus . Datum Rome apud Sanctum Petrum . . . millesimo quadringentesimo sexagesimo quinto Idibus Maii pontificatus nostri anno primo . Exhibita siquidem nobis pro parte . . . Joannis Heriot laici Sanctiandree vel alterius dioecesis petitio continebat . Quod . . . Ninianus Hammiltoun prebendarius ecclesie . . . Beati Egidii infra oppidum Edinburgi dictae dioecesis cum consensu . . . Laurentii Tod capellani presidentis Roberti Creichtoun dictae ecclesie prepositi et prebendariorum eiusdem neonon . . . communitatis dicti oppidi . . . in . . . censu annui augmentationem ad summam viginti trium solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . Scotie neonon pro nonnullis pecuniarum summis per ipsum exponentem et Alexandrum eius filium Ninianum . . . prefato . . . persolutis . . . dimidietatem . . . terrarum de Ravilston cum dimidiate lapicidii earundem . . . iacentium infra vicecomitatum Edinburgi quas tunc idem exponens occupabat ad prebendam per ipsum Ninianum . . . obtentam legittime spectantium . . . ex quibus . . . prebendarii . . . in dicta ecclesia . . . obtinent summam triginta duarum mercarum . . . annuatim . . . exponenti . . . in libero tenemento pro toto tempore vite sue et Alexandro Heriot eius filio heredibusque suis et assignatis quibuscumque de Niniano et successoribus suis . . . in feudifirmam . . . tenendas . . . sub anno canone fine censu triginta trium mercarum et decem solidorum . . . tantum . . . eum hoc tamen ut si contingit

. . . prefatos in solutione census . . . per spatum trium terminorum . . . deficere . . . infeodatio . . . exprata censeatur . . . necnon . . . quod lapidium dimidietatis terrarum de Raviltoun . . . erit liberum pro lapidibus lucrandis . . . ad reparationem . . . et sustentationem dictae . . . ecclesie . . . et aliorum . . . edificiorum infra libertatem dicti oppidi per illius burgenes edificandorum . . . ut . . . prius . . . ita quod soluta annuatim per thesaurarium . . . aut alium . . . nomine . . . communitatis . . . prefatis summa triginta solidorum . . . licebit thesaurario . . . in eo se libere intromittere . . . necnon sub certis aliis partis . . . saluis sedis apostolice beneplacito . . . concessit . . . Cum autem . . . concessio . . . et dimissio huiusmodi in . . . vitilitatem dictae . . . ecclesie . . . cedant cupiatque . . . exponens illas . . . apostolico munimine roborari . . . nos igitur . . . discretioni vestre committimus et mandamus quatenus . . . si . . . quod ille in . . . ecclesie vtilitatem cesserint et cedant reperitis . . . illas . . . licita . . . earundem literarum Pauli pape secundi forma semper seruata dicta authoritate . . . confirmetis . . . Datum in oppido de Perth . . . Sanctiandree dioecesis anno Incarnationis Domini millefimo quingentesimo quinquagesimo tertio decimo Kalendas Julii . . . A. Forrest secretarius T. Bleid abbreviator . Sequitur tenor charte predictae . . . Omnibus . . . magister Ninianus Hammiltoun prebendarius ecclesie . . . Beati Egidii . . . salutem . . . Noueritis . . . me cum consenu . . . Laurentii Tod capellani presidentis . . . magistri Roberti Creichtoun dictae ecclesie . . . prepositi et prebendariorum eiusdem necnon . . . communitatis . . . burgi . . . ad feudifirmam . . . dimisisse . . . Joanni Heriot . . . pro . . . tempore vite sue et Alexandro Heriot eius filio . . . heredibusque suis . . . pro nonnullis pecuniarum summis . . . dimidictatem . . . terrarum mearum de Raviltoun cum dimidietate lapidii earundem . . . nunc occupatarum per dictum Joannem . . . extendentium annuatim videlicet . . . terrarum . . . in

firma ad viginti duas mercas et . . . in graffuma ad sex mercas et . . . lapicidii . . . ad duas mercas tres solidos et quatuor denarios . . . Scotie . . . in integro ad summam triginta mercarum trium solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . Tenendam . . . de me et successoribus meis . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . summam triginta duarum mercarum . . . in augmentationem rentalis mei . . . ad summam viginti trium solidorum et quatuor denariorum . . . et si contigerit [etc. ut supra] . . . In cuius rei testimonium sigillum meum vna cum mea subscriptione ac . . . subscriptionibus prefatorum . . . presidentis et prebendariorum . . . cum . . . sigillo capitulari neenon sigillo communi . . . burgi . . . est appensum apud Edinburgh decimo septimo . . . Marcii . . . millefimo quingentefimo quinquagesimo secundo coram . . . magistro Joanne Prestoun Jacobo Adamesoun Eduardo Houp Roberto Fleyming Roberto Grahame Alexandro Bruce magistro Ricardo Strang Kintigerno Huntar consulibus . . . Jacobo Carmichaell decano gilde · Alexandro Park thefaurario . . . et Alexandro King . . . cum . . . aliis . . . Ninianus Hammiltoun manu propria · Laurentius Tod presidens . . . manu propria · Willelmus Gray manu propria · Henricus Mow manu propria · dominus Joannes Simpfoun manu propria · dominus Jacobus Bairniffather manu propria · dominus Jacobus Crawfurd manu propria · dominus Walterus Halyburton · dominus Joannes Lermouth manu propria · dominus Willelmus Johnestoun manu propria · Ita est Henricus Loch manu propria · Ita est Eduardus Henrysoun manu propria · Post quarum . . . literarum [etc.] . . . presentationem . . . ex parte dicti . . . Joannis . . . et filii . . . requisihi . . . nos . . . Jacobus Scott et Alexander Forreft collegiarum de Corftorphing et Marie de Campis ecclesiarum . . . prepositi . . . omnes . . . interesse habentes . . . apud dictum dimidietatem terrarum de Ravilstoun et lapicidii . . . [citauiimus] . . . ad comparendum . . . coram nobis in ecclesia parochiali Beati Egedii . . . apud facillum Beati Gabrielis

archangeli . . . die horaque infra scriptis ad videndum . . . predicas literas [ete.] . . . confirmari . . . Quibus vero die et hora . . . coram nobis prefatus Alexander . . . pro fe ac nomine . . . patris predicas literas . . . exhibuit . vnde nos . . . de premisſis . . . inquisiuimus et . . . nostrum decretum . . . promulgauimus . . . sub hac . . . forma . . . Nos Alexander Forrest et Joannes Sinclair collegiarum ecclesiarum Beate Marie de Campis . . . et de Rosling . . . prepositi . . . vnaeum precentore ecclie Glasguensis nostro in hac parte collega authoritate apostolica per . . . Joannem archiepiscopum Sanctiandree . . . fedis apostolice legatum . . . pro tribunali sedentes . . . confessionem . . . terrarum in ipsa charta predicta expreſſatarum . . . confirmamus . . . Aetum in insula Beati Gabrielis archangeli intra eccliam parrochialem Beati Egidii . . . decimo octauo Februarii . . . millesimo quingentesimo quinquagesimo tertio presentibus . . . Jacobo Heriot de Trabroun . Alexandro Forrestar de Wester Nudrie . Jacobo Ryehtsoun . Thoma Fairlie . domino Thoma Todrell capellano . Joanne Jakfoun burgensi de Dysart . Heſtore Sinclair . Oliuero Cok . cum . . . aliis . . . Georgius Cok notarius . . .

Ane copy of vñquhile Patrik Govanis chartour.

- 148 **O**mnibus . . . dominus Robertus Liddell capellanus beate virginis Triduane apud altare Sancti Rochi confessoris infra eccliam . . . Beati Egidii de Edinburgh . . . falutem . . . Noueritis . . . me cum . . . affensu prepositi et prebendariorum . . . ad feodifirmam . . . dimisſe . . . Patricio Goven et Isobel Turnour eius sponſe . . . et heredibus masculis inter ipſos . . . procreatis . . . quibus deficientibus seniori heredi femelle inter eos procreate . . . quibus . . . deficientibus heredibus masculis feu vni femelle de . . . propinquoribus [heredibus] .

di^{cti} Patricii quibuscumque absque diuisione . . . meam terram iue
tenementum . . . iacentem infra . . . Edinburch ex parte australi
eiusdem inter terram quondam Jacobi Cokky ex occidentali et terram
quondam Petronille Libertoun ex australi Communem Viam Regiam ex
boreali et terras quondam Archibaldi Williamefoun ex orientali . . .
Tenendam . . . de me et succeſſoribus meis . . . Reddendo inde annu-
atim . . . summam viginti mercarum tanquam antiquam firmam . . .
neconon suminam duarum mercarum in augmentationem . . . mei rentalis
. . . neconon anniuersario quondam magiftri Henrici Quhyte quadra-
ginta solidos . . . Fratribus Predicatoribus burgi . . . decem solidos
. . . mibi et succeſſoribus meis . . . pro fuftentatione vnius lampadis
coram di^{cto} altari diebus Sabbati Dominicis et festis ſolemnioribus viginti
solidos . . . decano gilde burgi . . . triginta denarios . . . ad reparationem
di^{cti} altaris viginti fex solidos et octo denarios foluendos . . .
collectorri . . . et distribuendos cum . . . confilio prepositi collectorum
et prebendariorum . . . ac capellaniis . . . altaris iuxta . . . tenorem
fundationis . item collectoribus seu collectori . . . septem libras et decem
solidos distribuendos secundum tenorem fundationis di^{cti} altaris per
quondam dominum Robertum Hopper . . . extendentes in toto ad
summam quadraginta mercarum . . . Scotie . . . prouifo . . . quod
. . . si contingat di^{ctam} terram per veteres huius regni hostes dirui
comburi et distrui in toto vel in parte . . . di^{cti} . . . non tenebuntur
amplius perfoluere quam ſecundum vſum . . . burgi . . . In cuius rei
teſtimoniuſum figillum meum prefenti carte mee manu mea ſubſcripte eſt
appenſum vna cum ſigillo communi capituli . . . ecclie . . . et ſub-
ſcriptionibus . . . prepositi et prebendariorum . . . neconon ſigillo com-
muni ad cauſas burgi . . . apud Edinburgh vltimo . . . Marcii . . .
milleſimo quingenteſimo quinquageſimo ſeptimo coram . . . Jacobo Car-
michaell decano gilde . . . Joanne Moſuan notario . Patricio Tod.
dominis Joanne Stirk Joanne McDougall Joanne Broun Willelmo Colby

Thoma Horne et Thoma Hannislie cum . . . aliis . . . Robert Liddell with my hand · dominus Laurentius Tod presidens manu propria · Willelmus Hammiltoun manu mea · dominus Thomas Douglas · dominus Joannes Ormestoun manu mea · dominus Joannes Symesoun manu propria · dominus Thomas Gray · dominus Joannes Bryce manu propria · dominus Patricius Douglas · dominus Georgius Mandersoun · Ita est Henricus Loch manu propria · dominus Jacobus Craufurd · dominus Willelmus Johnestoun · dominus Eduardus Henrifoun.

[Carta domini Johannis Wilfoun.]

- 149 **O**mnis . . . dominus Johannes Wilfoun capellanus capellanie altaris Sancte Katharine virginis in ecclesia parrochiali Beati Egidii de Edinburgh olim . . . fundate per quondam Thomam Cammeroun salutem . . . Quia tenementum terre subscriptum . . . mee capellanie pertinens iam ruinofum et vetustum extat ac solo equatum quocirca nullum commodum . . . longo tempore . . . recuperavi nec inde recuperaturus sum nisi . . . de nouo edificabitur et quia facultates mee . . . reedificare nequeunt . . . et quod . . . Wilielmus Symfoun tinctor . . . burgenis annum redditum . . . subscriptum . . . obtulit . . . Noueritis . . . me cum . . . confensu . . . communitatis . . . ad feudi firmam . . . dimississe . . . prefato Wilielmo suis heredibus et assignatis . . . dictum tenementum . . . cum horto et domibus . . . iacens . . . in vico dicto lie Kowgait ex parte australi eiusdem inter terram olim . . . episcopi Dunkeldensis nunc vero magistri Henrici Lawder de Sanctis Germans ex parte orientali et terram quondam Wilielmi Rapirlaw nunc vero domini Johannis Castellaw ex occidentali et Communem Viam Regiam ex parte boreali et viam que dicit ad ecclesiam Campi ex parte australi . Tenendum . . . a me . . . de . . . regina . . . Reddendo inde annu-

atim . . . regine et suis successoribus feruitium burgagium . . . necnon di&tum annum redditum viginti solidorum quibuscumque personis prius debitum ac . . . alium fundalem redditum octo mercarum . . . Scotie mihi et successoribus meis . . . Quare vobis magistro Roberto Glen [etc.] . . . balliuis meis in hac parte [etc.] . . . In cuius rei testimonium . . . sigillum meum . . . vacum sigillo communi . . . burgi . . . sunt appensa apud eundem burgum vigefimo septimo . . . Maii . . . millefimo quingen-tesimo sexagesimo primo coram . . . magistro Roberto Glen Dauide Symmer et magistro Johanne Spens · Archibaldo Douglasi de Kilpendy preposito · Dauide Cunynghame et Adamo Hoppar cum . . . aliis . . . dominus Johannes Wilsoun capellanus capellaniam supra scripte · A. Guthre.

[Presentatio domini Andree Bartherem ad capellaniam S. Blasii.]

- 150 **V**nueris . . . Jacobus Carmichael burgenis . . . de Edinburgh . . . falutem . . . Noueritis me . . . donasse . . . domino Andree Barthorem capellano pro toto tempore vite sue illam capellaniam perpetuam seu feruitium sub inuocatione de nomine Ihesu nuncupatam ad altare Sancti Blasii episcopi marthiris in ecclesia . . . Sancti Egidii ex parte australi chori . . . fundatum . . . vacantem seu quum vacare contigerit in manibus meis . . . per . . . dimissionem domini Georgii Litilohne . . . seu . . . alias . . . ac eundem . . . in . . . possessionem eiusdem . . . per libri Sacre Biblic seu Euangeliorum . . . aliorumque ornamentorum . . . altaris et capellanie . . . traditionem . . . institui ita tamen quod licebit . . . domino Andree per se seu eius substitutum perimplere onera et feruitia . . . non obstante fortassis fundatione in hac parte contrarium in se gerente . . . In cuius rei testimonium hiis . . . literis manu mea subscriptis sigillum meum . . . est appensum apud . . . burgum Edinburgi quinto . . . Septembris . . . millefimo quingenfimo

sexagesimo secundo coram . . . magistro Georgio Crichtoun Johanne Carmichaell Michaele Scott cum diuersis aliis.

James Carmyehell
with my hand.

[Instrumentum institutionis eiusdem.]

151 . . . Anno . . . millesimo quingentesimo sexagesimo secundo . . . Septembris die sexto . . . dominus Jacobus Yhong vicarius de Fischewik ad requisitionem . . . domini Andree Barthrem capellani ad locum altaris sub inuocatione de nomine Jesu nuncupati . . . infra ecclesiam . . . Beati Egidii de Edinburgh situati . . . [acecessit] et ibidem . . . prefatum . . . dominum Andream . . . in . . . possessionem . . . capellanie antediēte . . . instituit . . . per vnius libri Sacre Scripture traditionem . . . A&a erant hec . . . hora vndecima ante meridiem aut eocirca . . . prefentibus . . . Roberto Glaffurde burgense de Edinburgh. Jacobo Maxwell et Jacobo Marioribankis conotario . . .

Willelmus Bannatyne . . . notarius . . .

The hospital of Sanct Geils Kirk fett in feu farm.

152 **O**mni bus . . . magister Jacobus Cheisholme prepositus ecclesie collegiate Beati Egidii de Edinburgh salutem . . . Quum nemini dubium est hospitium nostre prepositure infra cimiterium diete . . . ecclesie . . . ita indies in ruinam tendere vastum et eadueum quod subito labifacatum iri putatur ni tempestiu subueniatur auxilio atque ecclesie nostre polities et ornamenta sacra Deo et reipublice vtilitati dicata temporibus et a vetere aboleta et invasione Anglorum direpta et combusta ut non minimis

fumptibus redintegrari aut in pristinum statum reduci possint quos nostri non prestant redditus . . . noueritis igitur nos pro . . . reparatione dicti nostri hospitii nunc ruinosi . . . ne funditus deleatur ac pro summa oëtingentiarum marcarum . . . Scotie nobis . . . ad vasa et ornamenta ac vensilia . . . ecclesie reficienda . . . per . . . Dauidem dominum Drummond et dominam Liliam Ruthuen eius coniugem . . . perfoluta . . . cum . . . consensu . . . Johannis . . . Sanctiandree archiepiscopi . . . Scotie primatis legati nati etc. neenon capituli et prebendariorum . . . ecclesie . . . ad feudifirmam . . . hereditarie dimisisse . . . prefatis . . . nostre prepositure hospitium . . . cum area horto . . . et . . . pertinentiis iacens infra dictum cimiterium e regione . . . ecclesie ad austrum infra dioecesim Sanctiandree . Tenendum . . . imperpetuum . . . Reddendo inde annuatim . . . summam quinque marcarum . . . Scotie . . . referuato . . . prepositis et curatis . . . ecclesie . . . cubiculo honesto infra . . . hospitium ex parte orientali quando . . . ibidem residentiam . . . fecerint quod cubiculum tenebuntur sustentare . . . fumptibus suis . . . prouiso quod si contigerit prefatos . . . in solutione dictae summe . . . per quatuor terminos continuos deficere ita quod quatuor termini in quintum transeant . . . nobis . . . reuertetur . . . hospitium . . . Preterea non licebit nobis . . . pro reductione presentis . . . locationis . . . quamcunque actionem . . . mouere . . . nisi antea perfoluerimus eiusdem . . . prefatam summam oëtingentiarum marcarum . . . Insuper dilectis nostris

aut eorum alicui . . . balliuis nostris in hac parte . . . precipimus . . . quatinus viis presentibus . . . fasnam . . . dicti hospitii . . . prefatis . . . vel eorum . . . attornatis . . . per terre et lapidis fundi . . . donationem ut moris est traditis . . . referuato nobis . . . ut supra feribitur . In cuius rei testimonium . . . figillum nostrum . . . vñacum sigillo communi capituli . . . et subscriptionibus eiusdem neenon sigillo et subscriptione

manuali dicti reuerendissimi patris . . . sunt appensa apud Stobhall die secundo mensis Julii anno Domini millesimo quingentesimo sexagesimo sexto coram . . . Johanne Drummond de Petkellony
domino Willelmo Drummond vicario de Cargill . Jacobo Reidheugh de Megour . et Joanne Dauidfone notario publico.

Prouiso quod prefens in feudi-
firmam concessio non se extendat
ad domum seu cubiculum curati
dicti nostri hospitii ex parte orien-
tali eiusdem.

M. Jacobus Cheifholme prepo-
fitus ecclesie collegiate Beati Egidi
de Edinburgh.

Joannes archiepiscopus Sanctiandree.

M. Jacobus Cheifholme prepositus
ecclesie collegiate Beati Egidi de
Edinburgh.

Ita est Johannes Dauidfone nota-
rius . . . de speciali mandato dicti
magistri Jacobi . . . teste hoc meo
chirographo.

The decret of the preistes of Sanct Geillis Kirk.

- 153 At Edinburgh the xxii day of Januar the yheir of God i^{ui} v^e and lxvi
yheiris the Lordis of Counsale vnderwrittin that is to say ane nobill and
mychtie lord George erle of Huntlie lord Gordoun and Baidynoch
chancellor reuerend faderis in God Adame bischope of Orknay Alex-
ander bischope of Galloway Johnne bischope of Ros Maister Williame
Baillie lord Provand president Maister Alexander Dunbar subchantoure
of Murray Maister Robert Maitland dene of Abirdene Maister Dauid
Chalmer chancellor of Ros Maister Archibald Craufurde persoun of
Eglisfame . Schirris James Balfoure of Pettindrech clark of register
Richart Maitland of Lethingtoun Johnne Ballenden of Auchnowle iustice
clark knyghtis . Maister Henrie Balnaves of Halhill Maister Johnne
Spens of Condie aduocat to our Souerane Lady Maister Johnne Glaid-

stanis and Maister Edward Henrysoun licentiatis in the lawis · anent our Souerane Ladyis letteris purchest at the instance of Lawrance lord Oliphant aganis Schir William Murray of Tulybardin knycht comptrollar to our Soueranis Lord and Lady Maister James Clephane prouest of the college kirk of San&t Geill Schir James Johnnston vicar portionar thairof Niniane Hammiltoun Schir James Abercrumby Patrik Dowglas Johnne Beir Thomas Gray William Halyburtoun Harie Loiche Edward Hendirsoun Niniane Borthuik James Craufurde and George Manderstoun prebendaris of the said college kirk · allegeing that thai fett to the said lord Oliphant in tak and assedatioun all and syndrie the teynd schaves of the kirk of Dumbarnye with the pendielis thairof *videlicet* the kirkis of Potty and Monereif with the kirklandis and thair pertinentis for the space of xix yheiris nixt following the said lordis interes quhilk wes vpone the xxvii day of Junii the yheir of God i^{as} v^e li yheiris for yheirlie payment thairfor of the fowme of nynefeoir pundis · and that George Towris of Innerleith and Maister Johnne Skrymgeour of the Myris as cautioneris and souerties for the said lord wer moneist coniunctie and severalie vnder the pane of cursing for observing of the said tak and payment to thame yheirlie of the foirsaid fowme contenit thairintill · and that the said lord and his saidis cautioneris hes maid na payment thairof of certane yheiris of lait bypast hes vpone ane allegeit a^t and monitioun obtenit vtheris letteris be the saidis lordis deliuernace and thairthrow hes causit charge the said lord and his cautioneris foirsaidis to mak payment to thame of the foirsaid fowme contenit in the said tak within xl dayis nixt efir thay be chargeit thairto and gif thay failyhe thairintill to poynd and distreinyhe thair landis reddiest gudis and geir thairfoir tending to do the famyn on that ane parte · And siclyke Schir William Murray of Tulybardin knycht allegeing the foirsaid college kirk of San&t Geill to be ane commoun kirk and that all commoun kirkis within this realme ar assunit to our said Soueranis and the fructis

thairof ordanit healalie to be brocht and applyit to thair vfe according to the ordinance maid thairanent hes inlykwyis obtenis vtheris letteris and thairwith hes causit charge the faid lord as intromettour with the fructis of the faidis kirkis to mak payment and deliuernace to him of the famyn within certane [tymc] vnder the pane of rebellioun and failyheing thairof to put the faid lord to the horne . and fwa he is and wilbe dowble poyndit and put to the horne for the fructis of the faidis kirkis he being onlie astrikit in singel payment thairof . And anent the charge gevin to the faidis prouest and prebendaris of the faid kirk and the faid comptroller on the ane and vther partis to compeir befoir the Lordis of Counsale at ane certane day bypast bringing with thame ather of thair rychtis tytlis and letteris quhairby thay clame the dewettie contenit in the faid tak and fructis of the faidis kirkis to pertene to thame to be fene and considerit be the faidis lordis quhilk of thame hes maist ryeht thairto fwa that the faidis lordis may ordane the faid complener to mak payement thairof to ane of the faidis parties havand maist ryeht thairto and discharge the faid partie of all poynding and horning of the faid complener in tyme cuming for the cauffis foirsaidis lyk as at mair lynth is contenit in the faidis letteris . The faid complener comperand be Maister Thomas McCalyheane his procuratour and the faidis prouest and prebendaris of the faid college kirk comperand be Maister Alexander Skene thair procuratour and the faid Schir William Murray of Tulybardin comperand be Maister Robert Creychtoun his procuratour thair rychtis ressonis and allegationis hard fene and vnderstand and thairwith being ryplie auisit the Lordis of Consale decernis and ordanis the faid Lawrance lord Oliphant to ansuer obey and mak payment to the faidis prouest and prebendaris of the faid college kirk of Sanct Geill of the faid sowne of nynescoir pundis as for the dewettie contenit in the faid tak and fructis of the faidis kirkis of Dumbarney Potty and Moncreif with the kirklandis and thair pertinentis as partie fundin be the

faidis Lordis havand maist rycht to the famyn and dischageis the said comptrollar of all poynding and hornynge of the said complener in tyme euming for the said sowme of nynefeoir pundis yheirlie abone writtin becaus it wes allegeit be Maister Alexander Skene procuratour for the saidis prouest and prebendaris that the said kirk of Dumbarny with the pertinents of the famyn wes of auld gevin to the prouest and prebendaris of the said college kirk of Sanct Geill as propirtie to thame and thai and thair predeceſſouris of auld hes bene in continewall posſeſſioun of vptaking of the proffetis thairof as propirtie of the foirſaid proueftrie and prebendarie ilkane of thame for thair awin pairtis of the famyn as ane parte of thair benefice and propir fealis and noctis as commoun distributionis ordanit for thair reſidence and hes bene in vſe of ſetting of the said kirk to the said lord Oliphant and refauing of the dewetties thairof fra him as ane parte of thair propir fealis as said is and offerit thame to preif the famyn . and the said allegatioun being referrit to the aithis of the saidis Maiferis Thomas McCalyheane and Robert Creichtoun procuratouris for the said lord Oliphant and thai requerit to gif the famyn quha refuſit to gif thair aithis vpone the said allegeance lyk as wes cleirlie vnderſtand to the saidis Lordis for the cauſis foirſaidis . and ordanis letteris to be direc̄t heirupone gif neid be in forme as effeiris . Extraētum de libro aitorum per me dominum Jacobum Balfoure de Pettindreich militem elericum rotulorum registri ac confilii S. D. N. regine ſub meis signo et ſubſcriptione manualibus.

JACOBUS BALFOUR.

Instrumentum fafne magiftri Dauid Guthre.

154 . . . Anno . . . milleſimo quingenteſimo ſeptuageſimo mensis vero Auguſti die vigefimo ſexto . . . magiſter Dauid Guthre habens . . . cartam preceptum fafne in fine ciuſdem continentem factam per Dauidem

dominum Drummond et Lileam Ruthuen eius sponsam . . . de alienatione cuiusdam hospitii . . . cum area horto . . . et pertinentiis iacentis infra cemiterium ecclesie collegiate Beati Egidi de Edinburch e regione dictae ecclesie . . . ad austrum infra dioecesim Sanctiandree accessit ad . . . presentiam . . . Thome Douglas ballui in hac parte dicti nobilis domini et sue coniugis . . . et eidem . . . preceptum fasine . . . presentauit . . . cuius precepti . . . tenor . . . est talis. Infuper . . . Jacobo Kynros Thome Douglas et eorum cilibet . . . balluiis nostris in hac parte . . . [mandamus quatinus] . . . fasinam hereditariam . . . dicti hospitii prepositure . . . cum area horto . . . et pertinentiis . . . magistro Dauidi Guthre . . . tradatis . . . ad ratam et valorem eiusdem . . . In eius rei testimonium huic carte . . . manibus nostris subscripte figilla nostra . . . sunt appensa apud Innerpeffray decimo tertio . . . Augusti . . . millesimo quingentesimo sexagesimo nono coram . . . Patricio Murray de Newraw domino Willelmo Ruthuen camerario de Inchechessray et Francisco Home notario . . . Post eiusquidem . . . precepti perlectionem . . . prefatus Thomas . . . fasinam . . . prefato magistro Dauidi . . . per terre et lapidis fundi eiusdem hospitii donationem . . . tradidit . . . Aucta erant hec super folium . . . hospitii hora vndeclima ante meridiem aut eocirea presentibus . . . Johanne Fergisoun burgense de Edinburch . Willelmo Smyth feruitore magistri Edmundi Hay aduocati . Jacobo Kynros feruitore magistri Henrici Kynros . . . aduocati . et Dauide Stewart feruitore mei notarii publici . cum diuersis aliis . . .

Gilbertus Thorntoun . . . notarius . . .

Carta magistri Davidis Macgill.

155 Univerfis . . . magister David Makgill advocatus regius baro baroniae de Cranston Rydell ac . . . patronus [altaris] Sancti Duthaci infra

eccl esiam collegiatam Beati Aegidii de Edinburgh . . . salutem . . . Quia praedictae capellaniae donatio . . . ad me nunc pertinet per refi gationem . . . magistri Thomae Westoune . . . Sciatis . . . me dedisse . . . meo fervo Andreae Dalrymple . . . praedictam capellaniam . . . pro toto tempore vitae suae . . . Vobis igitur . . . meis procuratoribus in hac parte Willelmo Urir juniori . . . mando . . . quatenus dictum Andream . . . in . . . possessionem dictae capellaniae . . . per delibera tionem Libri Psalmorum seu Sacri Evangelii ut moris est rite inducatis . humiliter praeterea requirens Dominos Sessionis et Concilii . . . quatenus . . . literas in favorem dicti Andreac . . . dirigant . In eius rei testimoni um praefertibus manu mea subscriptis meum proprium sigillum est appen sum apud Drylaw septimo die mensis Novembris anno Domini 1587 coram . . . Alexandro Makgill meo filio praepofito de Corstorphine magistro Willelmo Kelly et Jacobo Tod . Sic subscriptur David Makgill.

[In dorso.]

Decimo octavo mensis Novembris 1587 William Wrir younger procurator within specially conffitut past to the pulpit standing within Saint Giles kirk att Edinburgh and there by vertue of the gift within written gave institution and posseffion to Andrew Dalrymple perfonally prefent and acceptant of the chaplanarie of Saint Duthois with all profits etc. thereto belonging by deliverance in his hands of ane Psalm Book as nse is whereof the said Andrew asked instruments of me notar publick under subscripting about eleven howrs aforenoon before thir witnesses Dauid Wallace James Frafer and Cuthbert Craig in Winshells.

Ita est magister Willelmus Kelly notarius publicus in praemissis teste manu mea.

Annui redditus altaris Beate virginis.

156 In isto folio feribuntur terre et annui redditus altaris Beate Marie virginis in ecclesia parrochiali de Edynburgh infra burgum eiusdem de donacione burgenium eiusdem in honore dictae Beate Virginis et hic fuerunt scripte de manu Johannis Rollo tunc communis [clericorum] eiusdem burgi duodecimo die mensis Septembris anno Domini millesimo tricentesimo sexagesimo nono et regni regis Dauid secundi anno quadragesimo.

In primis de terra Ade carpentarii iacente extra Arcum Inferiorem in Via Canonicorum ex parte australi eiusdem inter terram duo solidi ex donacione Roberti Abell in elimofina.

Item de terra Johannis Suetblude ex parte occidentali predictae terre duo solidi ex donacione predicti Roberti.

Item de terra super conam orientalem venelle que Arcum Inferiorem ducit versus Fratres xiii solidi iiiii denarii in qua tunc habitauit Johannes de Camera et est propria terra Beate Marie.

Item extra Arcum predictum de terra Walteri Scot iacente inter terram Henrici de Spens ex parte orientali et terram Symonis de Maxwell ex occidentali octo solidi.

Item de terra Eden de Bynnis iacente infra Arcum Inferiorem ex parte australi eiusdem vici inter terram Andree Pittoris ex parte occidentali ex parte vna et terram Willelmi Hare ex parte orientali ex parte altera decem solidi et est propria terra Beate Marie.

Item de terra Johannis Walteri extra conam orientalem venelle que ducit versus Fratres octo solidi fterlingorum propria terra Beate Marie.

Item de terra Johannis de Allyncrum iacente ex parte australi burgi inter terram Willelmi de Gofford ex parte occidentali et terram Willelmi de Favfid ex orientali quinque solidi ex elimofina annuali.

Item de terra Thome Bridyne iacente ex parte australi inter terram

Symonis de Prestoun ex parte orientali et terram Laurencii de Keth ex parte occidentali ex elemosina quinque solidi.

Item de dicta terra predicti Laurencii que nunc est Roberti de Jedwort quinque solidi ex elemosina.

Item de terra Johannis Wygmor prope ex parte occidentali terre predicti Roberti sex solidi in elemosina.

Item de terra Walteri de Corry prope cimiterium decem solidi et est propria terra Beate Marie.

Item de bothis Johannis Wygmor ex opposito terre dicti Walteri de Curry ex parte boreali inter venellam intrantem ad cimiterium ex parte australi et bothas de cono ex boreali xiii solidi iiii denarii et est propria terra Beate Marie.

Item de terra Anote Wlf ex parte australi venelle ex opposito pretorii octo solidi.

Item de terra Johannis Aurifabri ex parte orientali Venelle Communis super conam duo solidi ex elemosina.

Item de terra Elene Wad iacente in eadem via et ex eadem parte inter terram Alexandri Wygmor ex parte orientali et terram Ade Millet ex parte occidentali quinque solidi ex elemosina.

Item de terra Ade de Bronhill iacente ex parte australi vie inter terram Johannis Cwke ex parte occidentali ex parte vna et terram Patricii Clerici ex parte orientali ex parte altera decem solidi et est propria terra Beate Marie.

De terra Alani Gynowr iacente ex parte australi vie inter terram Thome de Lanyne ex parte orientali ex parte vna et terram Malcolmi filii Johannis ex parte occidentali ex parte altera duo solidi ex dono predicti Malcolmi in elemosina.

Item de terra Malcolmi filii Johannis prope ex parte occidentali terre predictae ex cono Communis Venelle duo solidi ex dono predicti Malcolmi in elemosina.

Item fab muro de terra Roberti Hithfut ex parte australi vie iacente inter terram Thome Brouster ex parte orientali et terram Johannis Peny ex parte occidentali iii solidi et iiiii denarii et est propria terra Beate Marie.

Item de terra Ade Skynner ex parte boreali vie eiusdem inter terram Andree Tinctoris ex parte occidentali et terram Johannis de Spens ex parte orientali ex parte altera decem solidi et est propria terra Beate Marie.

Item de terra Cristini Malmaker ex cono occidentali iacente duo solidi ex elemosina.

Item de terra Johannis Milner ex superiori parte vie introeundo villam quatuor solidi annui redditus.

De terra Alexandri de Naper iacente inter terram Thome Abel ex parte australi et terram Dauid Fabri ex parte occidentali ex parte altera xxx denarii ex elemosina et de eadem terra per Michaelem Naper xxx denarii donati in toto summa v s.

Item de terra Andree Castelward iacente infra Superiorem Arcum ex parte boreali inter terram Thome Masowne ex parte occidentali et Alani filii Walteri ex parte orientali quinque solidi et est propria terra Beate Marie.

Item ex eadem parte vici de terra Ade Cifforis iacente inter terram Thome Pelliparri ex parte occidentali et terram Willelmi Schenard ex parte orientali et est propria terra Beate Marie xx s.

Item de terra Patricii Lepar iacente ex eadem parte vici inter terram Symonis de Kercaldi ex parte orientali et terram Ede Dov ex parte occidentali xxvi solidi viii denarii et est propria terra Beate Marie ex donatione Willelmi Hare.

Item de terra Jacobi de Edynburgh iacente ex parte boreali vici inter terram quondam Ade de Slyngyby ex parte occidentali ex parte vna et terram Roberti Logan ex parte orientali ex parte altera xiii solidi iiiii denarii in elemosina ex dono predicti Jacobi.

Item de terra orientali Johannis de Dodyngystoun ex parte boreali vici quatuor solidi ex elemosina.

Item de terra Alani de Paystoun iacente ex parte boreali inter terram Hogenis de Selkerke ex parte occidentali et terram Johannis de Toryne ex orientali octodecim solidi et est propria terra Beate Marie.

Item de terra predicti Hugonis de Selkerke quatuor solidi ex elemosina.

Item de terra Johannis de Toryne iacente inter terram Alani de Paystoun supradictam et terram Alexandri de Paystoun ex parte orientali xiii solidi et est propria terra Beate Marie.

Item de terra Walteri de Tvrlyn iacente ex parte boreali inter terram Johannis de Lydall ex parte orientali et terram Ade Dewer ex parte occidentali tres solidi ex elemosina.

Item de terra Henrici de Cramownd iacente extra Arcum Inferiorem ex parte boreali inter terram Galfridi Tinctoris capellani ex parte occidentali ex parte vna et terram Alexandri Cocci ex parte orientali tres solidi.

Item de terra Eugenii Pakar vi s. viii. d.

Item de terra Rogeri de Mofeth vi s.

Item de terra Ade de Blakburne ix s.

Item de terra Alexandri Sproitt x s.

Item de terra Ede de Pyrly vi s.

Item de terra Johannis Red ii s.

Item de terra Duncani Lam xl d.

Item de terra Roberti Spyfur in assedacione Willelmo de Benyng vi s. viii d. propria terra Beate Marie.

Item de terra Patricii filii Henrici ii lib. cere.

Item de domo Sancti Nicholai i lb. cere.

Item de terra data domino Rogero Wygmor ex dono communitatis vi lib. cere in festo Purificacionis Beate Marie annuatim perfoluende sub campanili.

Item de tenemento Johannis de Dalrympill quod fuit quondam Johannis

de Cambusnethan iacente ex parte boreali dicti burgi inter tenementum Johannis de Cameron ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Johannis de Mar ex parte occidentali ex parte altera ex dono dicti quondam Johannis de Cambusnethan xxvi solidi et viii denarii sterlingorum et est propria terra Beate Marie.

Item de terra Willelmi de Benyng iacente ex parte boreali dicti burgi inter terram Thome Ylutfson ex parte orientali et terram Henrici de Kyrealdi xvi d. ex dono Bricii clerici.

Item Ralstoun vii lib. vi s. viii d.
 Item Crageruke vi lb. vi s. viii d.
 Item Groutall v marce. } Summa xvii lb.

Summa prefentis anni [redditus] xxix lib. xvi s. viii d.

Rentale Sancte Crucis.

157 In primis Alexander Masoun xii d. de vasta terra.

Item de cellario quondam Laurencii de Rantoun x s.
 Item de terra Johannis Herice v s.
 Item de terra Andree Tauernar xii s.
 Item de terra Ade filii Johannis xxv s. iiiii d.
 Item de terra quondam Willelmi de Laweder xxv s. iiiii d.
 Item de terra Walteri Lang v s.
 Item de terra quondam Johannis de Butland v s.
 Item de terra Ade Lame iii s. iiiii d.
 Item de terra Alexandri Wygmor viii s.
 Item de terra quondam Gilmoris Pell ex parte boreali vici xx s.
 Item de terra dicti Gilmoris in Vico Botharum xx s.
 Item de terra quondam Johannis de Turribus in eodem vico x s.
 Item de terra Ibbeti Hog iiiii s.

Item de terra Jaeobi de Fulford xii d.

Item de terra Fergufsi de Spens xx d.

Item de terra Jonete Stvry vi s. viii d. Summa v lib. iii s.

Redditus altaris Sancte Crucis ex donacione Johannis de Qwylnes.

In primis de tenemento quondam Johannis de Qwylnes iacente ex parte australi burgi de Edynburgh inter tenementum Walteri Martyn ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum domini Simonis de Preston militis ex altera ex dono dicti quondam Johannis quatuor lib. xiii s. iiiii d.

Item de tenemento Willelmi Scissoris iacente ex parte occidentali dicti burgi inter tenementum Thome Lanyn ex parte boreali ex parte vna et Communem Venellam extendentem ad cimiterium ecclie Beati Egidii ex dono dicti quondam Johannis xxⁱⁱ solidi ex elimosina.

Item de medietate tenimenti quod vocatur Batalawys iacentis ex parte australi dicti burgi inter tenementum Margarete Gillyot ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Alani Gynour ex parte occidentali ex parte altera ex dono dicti quondam Johannis xl solidi.

Item de vno tenemento hospitalis Beati Johannis pertinente Duncano Lam iacente in le Newbegyng dicti burgi ex parte orientali eiusdem inter tenementum Rieardi Mason ex parte boreali ex parte vna et tenementum Petri Harper ex parte australi ex parte altera ex dono dicti Johannis xxiii d.

Item de tenemento Petri Harper iacente inter tenementum Duncani Lam ex parte boreali ex parte vna et tenementum Thome Pery ex parte australi ex parte altera ex dono dicti Johannis iii^{or} s.

Item de tenemento Thome de Byris iacente ex parte australi de le Newbegyng dicti burgi inter tenementum Fergufsi de Spens ex parte orientali ex parte vna et terram dicti Johannis ex parte occidentali ex parte altera ex dono dicti Johannis quinque solidi.

Item de terra dicti quondam Johannis iacente ibidem inter tenementum Thome de Byris ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Willelmi de Grant ex parte occidentali ex parte altera de dono dicti Johannis quatuor solidi i d.

Item de vna domo cum vno crofto cum pertinenciis in le Newgat dicti burgi iacente inter partem australem eiusdem inter croftum Rogeri Wygmer ex parte occidentali ex parte vna et communem venellam aſcendentem ad ecclesiam Beate Marie virginis in Campo ex parte orientali ex parte altera xxvi s. viii d. de dono suo atque de vno crofto iacente in le Newgat ex parte australi eiusdem inter croftum de Soltre ex parte occidentali ex parte vna et croftum Beati Leonardi ex parte orientali ex parte altera.

Item de tenemento domini Johannis de Pentland presbiteri iacente in dicto burgo ex parte australi eiusdem inter tenementum Andree Piatoris ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Johannis Watson ex parte occidentali ex parte altera ex dono dicti Johannis quinque solidi sterlingorum.

Sancte Crucis iuxta magnum altare in ecclesia Beati Egidi feruifum statutum pro dicto anno capellano ibidem celebraturo annuatim datum et fundatum per Thomam de Fairele anno Domini etc. 1429 videlicet de annuis redditibus frequentibus.

De terra Thome de Fayrle iacente ex parte australi dicti burgi Vici Australis inter terram Willelmi Teoderyk ex parte orientali et terram quondam Willelmi Roberti ex parte occidentali xl s. annuatim.

Et de tenemento Jacobi Atkynſoun iacente ex parte boreali Vici Regii inter terram Thome Cant ex parte orientali et terram quondam Thome Malvil ex parte occidentali xxvi s. viii d.

Item de tenemento quondam Jacobi Foulefurde iacente in dicto burgo ex parte boreali eiusdem inter terram quondam Willelmi Thome ex

parte orientali et terram quondam Andree Rede ex parte occidentali
xiii s. iiiii d.

Altare Sancte Crucis.

Joneta Stvry.

In primis terra dictae Jonete iiiii lb. et est propria terra Sancte Crucis.

Thomas Yhotsoun xiii s. iiiii d.

Gotheray Fairinle ii s.

Terra Schynhard xx s. viii d. Jacobi Rede.

Terra Roberti Qwytyng xxv s.

Walterus Lang xx s.

Rentale Sancti Nicholai.

158 In primis de vno tenemento Willelmi de Faufid fibi assedato per communitatem iacente in Vico Botharum inter tenementum Johannis Gylmor ex parte orientali ex parte vna et communem venellam extendentem in fimiterium Beati Egidii ex parte occidentali ex parte altera iii lib. annuatim.

Item de tenemento Ibbote Hog inter tenementum quondam Ade de Bronhyl ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Johannis Lepar ex parte occidentali ex parte altera x s. annuatim.

Item de tenemento quondam Johannis Lely inter tenementum Johannis de Turribus ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum domini Roberti de Pentland ex parte occidentali ex parte altera octo s. annuatim.

Item de tenemento Thome Skynnar inter tenementum quondam Lyoun Heriot ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Alani de Ballon ex parte occidentali ex parte altera x s. annuatim.

Item de tenemento quondam Johannis Estirlyn inter tenementum Ade Lam ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Andree Beth ex parte occidentali ex parte altera xiii s. iiiii d. annuatim.

Item de tenemento quondam Ade Dewar inter tenementum Willelmi de Tvry ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Alexandri de Paaftoun ex parte occidentali ex parte altera v s. annuatim.

Item de tenemento quondam Johannis Barkar inter tenementum Roberti Pottar ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Johannis de Burnftoun ex parte occidentali ex parte altera vi s. viii d. annuatim.

Item de tenemento Andree Youtsoun iacente in Vico Canonicorum inter tenementum quondam [Nicholai] Stryngar ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Johannis Clerici ex parte occidentali ex parte altera v s. annuatim.

Item de tenemento Nicholai Stryngar in dicto vico inter terram Sancti Leonardi ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Andree Youtsoun ex parte occidentali ex parte altera v s. annuatim.

Item de tenemento occidentali quondam Johannis de Dodyngston inter tenementum suum ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Johannis de Camron ex parte occidentali ex parte altera vii s. annuatim.

Item de tenemento domini Simonis de Prestoun inter tenementum Johannis de Qwylnes ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Johannis de Fentoun ex parte occidentali ex parte altera vii s. annuatim.

Item de terra Alani de Ballon iacente in Vico Canonicorum inter terram Johannis Logan ex parte occidentali ex parte vna et terram quondam Martini de Browchton ex parte orientali ex parte altera ii s. annuatim.

Item de terra Dauid Rede in villa de Leyth iiiii s.

Item de crofto Sancti Nicholai iacente sub muro castri de Edynburgh ex parte australi eiusdem quatuor solidi annuatim.

Redditus Sancti Andree.

159 **I**tem de terra Willelmi Wrycht inter terram Andree Bett ex parte orientali ex parte vna et terram Johannis Clerici ex parte occidentali ex parte altera xx s.

Item de bothis quondam Thome Lanyn iacentibus in Vico Botharum inter terram Bricii Clerici ex parte australi et terram Johannis Dalrympyll ex parte boreali.

Redditus Beati Egidii.

160 **D**e terra quondam Alexandri Wygmer iiii marce xx d.

Item terra Johannis de Laweder xxvi s. viii d.

Summa iiii lb. xx d.

Item per Cristinam Gyn altari Beati Egidii relicti ut asseritur de terra iacente in burgo inter terram Johannis de Duddynstoun ex occidentali et terram Malicij Mafon ex parte orientali xx s.

Rentale Sancti Petri.

161 **I**n primis terra quondam Walteri de Cragbarrybuclar xxxv solidi.

Item de folio et cellario quondam Ade Multrar xxvi solidi viii d.

Item de terra quondam Johannis Conyhour xvi solidi viii d.

Donacio Johannis de Peblis ad altare Johannis evangeliste.

- 162 **R**edditus altaris Sancti Johannis ewangeliste situati in capella boreali ecclie Beati Egidii de Edynburgh datus et concessus dicto altari per Johannem de Peblis dicti burgi burgensem et Margaretam vxorem suam.

In primis xiii s. et iiii d. annui redditus terre quondam Thome de Bronhil annuatim percipiendi iacentis in dicto burgo ex parte boreali eiusdem inter tenementum Willelmi de Ferfyth ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Johannis Gardener ex parte occidentali ex parte altera.

Item de tenemento Willelmi de Ferfyth xiiii s. viii d. annui redditus annuatim percipiendi iacente in dicto burgo ex parte boreali eiusdem inter tenementum quondam Johannis Estirlyn ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum quondam Thome de Bronhil ex parte occidentali ex parte altera.

Item de tenemento Johannis de Clyfton xxvi s. viii d. annui redditus annuatim percipiendi iacente ex parte boreali dicti burgi inter tenementum Duncani Rollo ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum quondam Johannis Bur ex parte occidentali ex parte altera.

Item dedit et concessit dicto altari quoddam tenementum suum iacens super partem australis Arcus Inferioris dicti burgi cum vniuersis suis pertinenciis inter tenementum quondam Johannis Barbar ex parte australi ex parte vna et Viam Regiam super propinnaculum [propugnaculum] ex parte boreali ex parte altera.

Memoranda quedam.

163 **M**emorandum quod vltimo die mensis Decembbris anno etc. nonoefimo nono computatis computandis alloeatris allocandis Johannes Frafer tenetur communitati de redditibus ecclesie vii lib. iiiii s. ix d.

Memorandum quod Johannes Prymros recepit de noua fabrica et taxa de anno etc. nonoefimo nono iiii^{xx} v lb. xx d. -

Item de eadem taxa de anno etc. eccc xxxi lb. iii s.

Item de anno etc. quadringentesimo primo in pede computi.

Memorandum quod x die Nouembris anno etc. eccc computatis computandis allocatis allocandis eque in computo.

Item memorandum quod per indenturas xxii die Nouembris anno Domini m° quadringentesimo primo computatis [computandis] inter Johannem Frafer et Johannem de Prymros dictus Johannes Prymros recepit de noua taxa vi^{xx} xii lb. xi s. iiii d.

Memorandum quod xxii die mensis Nouembris anno etc. quadringentesimo primo quo die Adam de Spot decanus gilde onerauit fe de fratribus gilde xiii lb. xiii s. iiii d. et deinde soluit Johanni de Prymros vi lb. et sic debet communitati computans vii lib. xiii s. iiii d. qui assignantur Johanni Prymros in magnocompto totali.

Memorandum quod computatis computandis allocatis allocandis in vigilia Sancti Nicholai de redditibus ecclesie Johannes Fryffell anni Domini

millesimi quadringentesimi secundi dictus Johannes tenetur communitati in xlvi lib. xv s. ix d.

Item memorandum quod eodem die perlectis indenturis inter dictum Jo-hannem Frissell et Johannem Prymrose dictus Johannes de Prymrose recepit de noua fabrica et taxa xii^{xx} lib. xvii lib. x s. ix d.

164 **M**emorandum quod Johannes de Cambufnethan dedit pro perpetuo annuatim leuandam per Fratres Predicatores de Edynburgh dictis fratribus vnam libram piperis de tenemento suo iacente in dicto burgo de Edynburgh ex parte australi eiusdem inter tenementum Johannis de Cameron ex parte orientali ex parte vna et tenementum Johannis de Irwyn ex parte occidentali ex parte altera.

Memorandum quod cum decano gilde thesaurario ecclesie remanent in *le tresourhous* ecclesie carte et litere subscripte.

In primis carta regis Roberti de Broys super infeodacione burgi . Item carta Johannis de Quhitenes super infeodacione altaris Sancte Crucis . Carta domini Dauid regis super portu de Leth . Carta dicti regis Dauid super custuma de Neubotil . Carta domini Roberti regis super donacione ducentarum librarum . Carta domini Roberti regis super portu de Leth . Carta domini Roberti regis super donacione fori videlicet *le belhous* . Carta domini Dauid regis super donacione centum pedum in longitudine et xxii^{orum} pedum in latitudine iuxta tholoneum . Confirmacio domini Dauid regis de terris de Crageruke . Donacio domini Roberti regis super custuma . Indentura inter communitatem et latamos . Donacio Jonete Stury ad altare Sancte Crucis . Confirmacio domini Dauid regis super donacione eiusdem . Confirmacio domini Roberti regis super eadem . Confirmacio

domini Dauid regis super Petrauyn . Confirmacio regis Dauid super Merchamftoun . Confirmacio regis Dauid super Petrauyn . Confirmacio regis Dauid super Ouirmerchamftoun . Confirmacio domini Willelmi episcopi Sanctiandree super Petravin . Resignacio de Petrauyn . Resignacio domini Willelmi Mure de Merchamftoun . Concessio regis Dauid super terris de Rayltoun . Donacio super terris de Crageruke . Donacio Patricii de Grahame super terris de Crageruke . Donacio Hugonis de Brounhil Carta Willelmi de Moll burgenfis de Hadingtoun . Confirmacio regis Dauid super terris de Railstoun . Carta de Grothal . Carta de Grothal . Carta de Crageruke . Carta de Railstoun per Willelmum Mure . Carta Johannis Con super vendicione etc. facta . Donacio Mathei Gilfoun . Vnum missale et rentale cum portiforio et corona Beate Marie .

Memorandum quod Johanna quondam vxor Johannis Stury reliquid pro salute anime fue ad fuftentacionem vnius candele coram altare Beate Marie virginis vii s. de illa terra quam Johannes Aurifaber tenet in feodo.

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