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Fees for the officers of Anna of Denmark's household

Sent as a letter to George Carew. The patents listed in this summary were granted in October 1603 when Anna's English jointure lands were settled. There is a similar list of patents in the Shrewsbury/Talbot papers.¹

[NLS MS 2066 f.48v.]

The Q.^s guifts by patent

Imprimis, the Lo: Cecill the keeping of Som[er]sett House dated: 14 October. 1603. With the usuall fees.

Item, the Lo: Cecill th'offices of high steward and bailiff of all her ma[jesties] courts: with the ancient ffee of: xx^{li}: for the high stewardship with the severall fees for the stewardships & bailiwicks dated: 10 October 1603

Item the Earle of Southampton to be maister of all her highnes fforests, chaces, parks and warrens: ffee x li per ann': 10 October 1603

Item the Lo: Sidney th'office of high steward of Snaue Neots & Northbank, with the usuall fees. 9. October 1603.

Item, the Lo: Sidney th'office of generall surveyor of all her highness possessions, ffee yearly, 9 October: 1603. _____ xxx li

Item the Earle of Rutland th'office of high steward of the manor of Grantham, & of the chief Bailywick there, with the usuall ffees. 9 October 1603

Item the Lo: Compton th'office of high steward of the manors of Henly² Hampton and St Needs with the usual fees, 9 October 1603

Item Sir George Carewe knight vice chamberlain and Receaver generall to her ma[jesty] ffee ____ 1 li.

Item the Earle of Pembroke to be kepar or Ranger of Gyllingham fforrest, with the office of steward of the woodwards court, and divers other places, in ffee x li. 9. November 1603

Item the Earle of Suff[olk]: the keping of Hatfield House, for 60 yeares, ffee x li. 4 November. 1603.

Sir Roger Wilbraham chancellor: ffee _____ 1 li. [£50]

¹ Edmund Lodge, *Illustrations of British History*, 3 (London, 1838), pp. 68-69.

² Henly in Arden and Henley, Warwickshire, Lodge, 3 (1838), p. 67.

Daniel Bachelor groome of privie chamb[er] _____ jc li [£150]

James Duncane³ for the yeoman of the robes _____ v li [£5]

James Duncane for Mr taylor's place _____ xxxvj li. [£36]

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To the Ladie Walsingham ffee _____ xl [?marks/ more]

Ralphe Holland ffee _____ liij s iiij d

Will[ia]m [?Payne/Pryce] _____ xl s

ffrancis Blondeau⁴ ffee _____ xl li.

George Davies _____ xviiij li x s

Henry Walker upholster _____ xviiij li vj s

John Searing the duch preacher _____ l li.

ffrederick Searing locksmith⁵ _____ xviiij li vj s

Ed. Ashburne⁶ yeoman of the leash _____ xxiiij li vj s.

George Herriot Jeweller _____ l s. [£50]

Sir Robert Hicham bailiff of her [?majestie]

Robert White, Admirall within the manors and townes of Waymouth, Meltone Regis, Week and the Island of Portland, with the usuall ffees.

Ro: Cecill ffeodary gen[er]all:

Mathewe Herstanes page of her Bedchamber⁷ _____ xl [£40]

John fflorio groome of the previe chamber per ann' ____ j c [£100]

³ James Duncan, tailor, (died 1639) became a landowner at Ratho near Edinburgh.

⁴ Francis Blondeau, perfumier, listed in 1619: BnF MS Français 15990, 'Estat des officiers de la maison de la feue Roynie D'Angleterre'.

⁵ Also described as Frederick the turner, he was recruited in Denmark in 1589 and may have been a relative of the preacher. He was still a member of the household in 1619. Miles Kerr-Peterson & Michael Pearce, "King James VI's English Subsidy and Danish Dowry Accounts, 1588-1596", *Miscellany of the Scottish History Society*, XVI (Woodbridge: Boydell, 2020), 14, 39-40, 69.

⁶ Edward Ashburne[r], listed in BnF MS Français 15990, petition TNA

⁷ Matthew Hairstanes (died 1625).

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