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BROTHERTON COLLECTION CHARTERS

Title	Brotherton Collection Charters
Creator	Wendy Childs
Covering dates	1280 - 1850
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These documents were acquired for the Brotherton Collection in the 1980s by Wendy Childs, Emeritus Professor in Later Medieval History at the University of Leeds, for the purposes of teaching palaeography. The great majority of them are deeds ranging in date from the end of the thirteenth to the fifteenth centuries. Many of the deeds relate to places in East Anglia, and most are concerned with land transfers. Original seals survive attached to 36 deeds.

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The cataloguing of the collection is in progress.

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Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 1
Type of document	Grant
Language	Latin
Original date	[s.d.]
Modern date	c. 1280
Measurements	110 x 222 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant from Robert Andree, son of Richard Andree of Stocton' to John de Babinton' of five pence, the yearly rent of a messuage and curtilage in the villa de Stocton', and 7 ¼ acres of land, also in Stocton'. For this, John de Babinton and his heirs were to give one rose annually to Robert Andree and his heirs.
Witnesses	Stephen Drucis [Drew] Henry le Bret' Robert Drucis John de Babinton' John Pertefin Robert de Sutton' John de Litleton'
Grantors	Robert Andree
Grantees	John de Babinton
Seal	Pendant Tag and seal missing
Full list of places	Stocton' Sch'nton'

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 2
Type of document	Grant
Language	Latin
Original date	Mon. after St Catherine, 25 EDW. I
Modern date	26 Nov. 1296
Measurements	101 x 342 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant from Richard Moyse of Codenham to John Moyse of a piece of land in the parish of Codenham at the yearly rent of one penny to be paid on the feast of the Nativity of St John the Baptist.
Witnesses	Walter de Boteler John de Benewelle Robert de Bokecune John de Clewe Robert de Thedwar' Roger de Prestyshey Robert de Pleydur' William Gylberd [Gilbert] Galfridi Heleyne
Grantors	Ricard Moyse of Codenham
Grantees	John Moyse
Seal	Pendant Tag and Seal Missing
Full list of places	Codenham [Coddendam, co. Suffolk]

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 3
Type of document	Grant
Language	Latin
Original date	[s.d.]
Modern date	c. 1272-1307
Measurements	88 x 220 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant from John le Cowdres of Baltredel'g to Robert, the son of Gregory de Baltredel'g of one plot of ground within the bounds of Baltredel'g called 'Holmehurst', for which Robert was to pay 4 pence ('denarius argenti') each year; and 14 marks of silver for the grant.
Witnesses	William de Mere William de Anditerleg William de Twisil Adam de Helg' William, son of Gregory de Baltredel'g Hugh de Hanlg
Grantors	John le Cowdres [Coudre] of Baltredel'g
Grantees	Robert, son of Gregory de Baltredel'g
Seals	Pendant Tag, with fragment of green wax
Full list of places	Baltredel'g [Balterley, co. Staffs.] Holmehurst

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 4
Type of document	Grant
Language	Latin
Original date	[s.d.]
Modern date	c. 1272-1307
Measurements	140 x 208 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant from Robert de Wover to Hugh, the son of Richard de Cherlinton' of five 'particulas' of arable land in the 'teritorio' of Hettileg, for which Hugo was to pay six pence ('denarios') annually: 3 pence at the feast of the Annunciation of the Lord and 3 at the feast of St Michael to the lord of Hettileg; and 18 solidos sterling for the grant.
Witnesses	Hugh de Anley Peter Saxi [Sax], Lord of Hettileg William de Thikenes William, filius Greg' Adam de Heleyg' Geoffrey le Corviser Hugh de Aykel'
Grantors	Robert de Wover
Grantees	Hugh, son of Richard de Cherlinton'
Seals	Pendant Tag and seal missing
Full list of places	Hettileg Le Timbathe Heleg' (Heling – Helinge co. Hants / Heleye -Heighley ?) Habermossefeld Siket'u'

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 5
Type of document	Grant
Language	Latin
Original date	Feast of St Gregory the pope, 33 EDW. I
Modern date	12 Mar. 1305
Measurements	107 x 197 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant from Claricia, wife of Roger de Waltone, and Nicholas, her son, to Thomas Nonwel, his wife Johanna and Richard their son of one piece of land in the 'villa' de Codenham.
Witnesses	Edmund de Sancto Olauo [Toly] John de Sancto Olauo John de Ponte [Bridge] Radulfus [Randulf, Ralph, Rawlyn or Rades] Mercator' [Mercer] Robert de Pledour Phillip de Pledour Robert Cordebus Dritmer' de Gosebek
Grantors	Clarica, wife of Roger Waltone Nicholas, son of Roger Waltone
Grantees	Thomas Nonwel Johanna, wife of Thomas Nonwel Richard, son of Thomas Nonwel
Seals	Pendant Tag and seal missing
Full list of places	Codenham [Coddendam, co. Suffolk] Gothes

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 6
Type of document	Grant
Language	Latin
Original date	33 EDW. I
Modern date	1304/05
Measurements	105 x 197 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant from Robert Robin to Adam and Mabel Robin of all his property, including his messuages, house, trees and land in the field of 'Wocato Wiyfeyere' in the parish of Terstaire. For the grant, Adam and Mabel were to pay to Robert 20 solidos sterling.
Witnesses	Robert Fab' John Heyward Daniel de Terstaire Elie Ate Mer' [Mercer] Roger Erl John Jerveys [Jarvis] John de Meydistane Stephen Egelere Robert Himot John Himot Robert Molendinar' [Miller or Milner] Anito Ate Mer' [Mercer]
Grantors	Robert Robin
Grantees	Adam and Mabel Robin
Seals	Pendant Tag with fragment of wax
Full list of places	Terstaire

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 7
Type of document	Quitclaim
Language	Latin
Original date	2 EDW. II
Modern date	1308/09
Measurements	82 x 211 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Quitclaim from Gilbert de Tutesham to John le Heyward' of his right to two pieces of land in the parish of Terstane, of which one piece is called 'Leceland' and the other 'Robynesland', for which John gave Gilbert one mark sterling.
Witnesses	John Kenewy Gilbert James Robert Fabrus Stephen Ethelere Robert Pistor' Roger Erl William Ate Mere Elias Ate Mere Gilbert Sewar' [Seward]
Grantors	Gilbert de Tutesham
Grantees	John le Heyward'
Seals	Pendant Tag and seal missing.
Full list of places	Terstane

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 8
Type of document	Grant
Language	Latin
Original date	2 EDW. II
Modern date	1308/09
Measurements	127 x 191 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant from Alicia Moyse de Codenham to her sister Sarre Moyse of one piece of arable land in Codenham.
Witnesses	John Clewe Robert de Bobetone Walter les Spicer Richard Moyse Rad' [Radulf, Ralph or Rades], Mercator' [Mercer] Robert le Pledur Geoffrey Oldcorn Roger Chedwar'
Grantors	Alicia Moyse de Coddendam
Grantees	Sarre Moyse
Seals	Pendant Tag and seal missing.
Full list of places	Codenham Bobetone Gosebek

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 9
Type of document	Grant
Language	Latin
Original date	5 EDW. II
Modern date	1311/12
Measurements	110 x 242 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant from Beatrice de Hoo, wife of Robert de Hoo, knight, to John Agown of five acres of land in the parish of Luytone, which are situated in Westhyda in the field called 'mychelehaut', for which John paid annually to Beatrice during her life 4 pence ('denarios') at Michaelmas and 4 pence at the Feast of the Blessed Mary in marcio.
Witnesses	Thomas de la Hyde William Atte Grane Fremundus de Ascherugge John Atte Heerne Robert de Nedham
Grantors	Beatrice de Hoo
Grantees	John Agown
Seals	Pendant Tag and seal missing.
Full list of places	Luytone Westhyda Herpedenestrat

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 10
Type of document	Grant
Language	Latin
Original date	5 EDW. II
Modern date	1311/12
Measurements	104 x 237 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant from Adam de Balterley to Philip Harding of Balterley of one acre of land and a quarter in the fief of Balterley, for which he was to pay to the lord of the fief 15 pence ('denarios') a year; and a certain some of money to Adam for the grant.
Witnesses	Richard de Thiknes Thomas de Denston' William del Wode Randal, Randolf or Ranulf de Cromwelle Gregory del Mos David de Thiknes
Grantors	Adam de Balterley
Grantees	Philip Harding
Seals	Pendant Tag and seal missing.
Full list of places	Balterley [Co. Staffs] Le Schertewode

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 11
Type of document	Grant
Language	Latin
Original date	5 Feb., 9 EDW. II
Modern date	5 Feb. 1315
Measurements	75 x 227 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant from John filius Juhi' de Estone to Nicholas de Estone, his grandson, of his messuages in Estone with a piece of land adjoining.
Witnesses	William de Hoo John de Hoo William del Drok de Estone Roger filius Rad'i [Fitz-Ralph or Ralphson] Robert filius Rad'i Roger del Grene
Grantors	John filius Juhi'
Grantees	Nicholas de Estone
Seals	Pendant Tag and seal missing.
Full list of places	Estone

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 12
Type of document	Grant
Language	Latin
Original date	6 Nov., 10 EDW. II
Modern date	6 Nov. 1316
Measurements	79 x 226 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant from John Elys de Hoo to John le Heyward de Terstan' of all his tenements in the parish of Gastfarlegh. For the grant, John Elys de Hoo was to pay 30 marks sterling.
Witnesses	John de Totesham John Kenewy William Atte Lake Richard Moys Dartho Atte Sole Thomas Mayleme Gilbert Jemes John Reyner John Atte Ness (possibly Hess) John Clowe Gilbert de Sunthell
Grantors	John Elys de Hoo
Grantees	John le Heyward
Seals	Pendant Tag and seal missing.
Full list of places	Parish of Gastgarlegh Terstan' Farlegh

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charter 27
Type of document	Receipt for payments
Language	Latin
Original date	The first Sat. after All Saints, 1329
Modern date	4 Nov. 1329
Measurements	65 x 223 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Receipt from John de Villa Bresina [Bressuire], cleric, to Nicholas of Blesis [Blois] for the sum of 11 pounds 5 solidos and 5 [modiavini] (or 6 pounds current value) on account of the Chapel de Castrudino [Chateaudun].
Witnesses	none
Grantors	none
Grantees	none
Seals	none
Full list of places	Villa Bresina [Bressuire] Blesis [Blois], Chapel de Castrudino [Chateaudun]

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 28
Type of document	Grant
Language	Latin
Original date	Day of St Vincent the Martyr, 4 EDW. III
Modern date	22 Jan. 1331
Measurements	65 x 223 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant from Jacob le Hayward to Wilhelm le Hayward and his wife Joan of a garden in Terstan [Teston in Kent], for which grant they paid James 10 solidos.
Witnesses	John Criel Stephan (..)thelere John Mellere John le Erl Wilhelm Atte Mere John Fab' Wilhelm Fab'
Grantors	Jacob le Hayward
Grantees	Wihelm le Hayward and his wife Joan
Seals	Seal and Pendant Tag missing
Full list of places	Terstone [Teston in Kent]

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 29
Type of document	Letter
Language	Latin
Original date	VI day of Dec. MCCCXXXVIII
Modern date	6 Dec. 1334
Measurements	130 x 220 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Letter from Brother Wilhelm, Prior General of the Brethren Heremites, to Robert Delphin, Lord of Cumbria.
Witnesses	-
From	Brother Wilhelm
To	Roberto Delphini Lord of Cumbria
Seals	Seal and Pendant Tag missing
Full list of places	Avinion Coubrony [Coubron]

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 30
Type of document	Grant
Language	Latin
Original date	Feast of St Michael, 9 EDW. III
Modern date	29 Sep. 1335
Measurements	88 x 265 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant from William Cokerel de Hadleye to Thomas Brhytolf de Glemesforde of a messuage and a house in the villa Subbur on a street called Holgate.
Witnesses	Nigello Tebaud Robert Darre Wilhelm Waryn John Bround Robert de Reneshale
Grantors	William Cokerel de Hadleye
Grantees	Thomas Brhytolf de Glemesforde
Seals	Seal and Pendant Tag missing

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 31
Type of document	Indenture
Language	Latin
Original date	Feast of St Calixte, 11 EDW. III
Modern date	14 Oct. 1337
Measurements	100 x 250 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Indenture between Nicholas de Eston and his son Wilhelm as to the disposal of lands and tenements in Eston after the death of Nicholas.
Witnesses	-
Grantors	Nicholas de Estone [Ofton]
Grantees	Wilhelm, son of Nicholas de Estone
Seals	Seal and Pendant Tag missing
Full list of places	Estone [Offton]

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 32
Type of document	Grant
Language	Latin
Original date	Feast of the Invention of the Holy Cross, 12 EDW. III
Modern date	3 May 1338
Measurements	100 x 280 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant from John de Blount son of Walter de Blount to William, son of Thome de Denston of 5 acres of waste-land in Baltredeley, two pieces of meadow, 6 selions of land and a butt of land, for which William paid yearly to the granter 9 solidos and 9 denarios.
Witnesses	Richard de Delves Richard de Thykkenes John de Thykkenes de Betlileye Stephan del mosh John atte Wode
Grantors	John de Blount
Grantees	William, son of Thome de Deuston
Seals	Seal and Pendant Tag missing
Full list of places	Blount Baltredeleye le Shertwode Holmosse le Wodecroft le Hallemede le Rudyleygh

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 33
Type of document	Grant
Language	Latin
Original date	Fri. before the Feast of St Peter ad vincula, 15 EDW. III
Modern date	27 Jul. 1341
Measurements	95 x 215 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant from William le Markaiti to Thomas de Eston of 12 pence ('denarios'), the yearly rent of a messuage in Orfford.
Witnesses	John de Braham Wilhelm atte Cherche Wilhelm Ossegotr John le Coupe Wilhelm de Reydon William le Markaiti
Grantors	
Grantees	Thomas de Eston
Seals	Seal and Pendant Tag missing
Full list of places	Orfford Colcreke Eston

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 34
Type of document	Grant
Language	Latin
Original date	20 Feb., 18 EDW. III
Modern date	20 Feb. 1344
Measurements	100 x 275 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant from James Heyward de parochia de Terstane to John Atte Smythelle of a messuage with garden and appertenances for a certain sum of money.
Witnesses	Thomas Smyth John Erl Wilhelm Atte Quhitehelde, Wilhelm Meller John Smyth John Dali
Grantors	James Heyward
Grantees	John Atte Smythelle
Seals	Seal and Pendant Tag missing
Full list of places	Terstane

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 35
Type of document	Order for payment
Language	French
Original date	15 Sep. 1345
Modern date	15 Sep. 1345
Measurements	70 x 235 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Order for the payment of 50 solidos on behalf of the Count de Blois.
Witnesses	-
Grantors	Count de Blois
Grantees	-
Seals	Seal and Pendant Tag missing
Full list of places	Angers Blois

Reference	Brotherton Collection Charters 48
Type of document	Grant
Language	French
Original date	Tues. before the Feast of St Thomas the Apostle, 37 EDW. III
Modern date	19 Dec. 1363
Measurements	100 x 250 mm
Medium	Vellum
Contents	Grant by John Ermyte and his wife Joan to James de Estone of a fourth part of the lands belonging to Thomas de Estone.
Endorsement	Yes
Witnesses	John Collisone Thomas de Wode Richard le Joughe
Grantors	John Ermyte and his wife Joan
Grantees	James de Estone
Seals	Seal and Pendant Tag missing
Full list of places	Eston Kettleburg Hoo