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with lands in Marinerston, Kenneles and Droghda, which had been alienated to them by the abbot and convent of Beaubec in Normandy, by virtue of a licence in letters patent, dated 14 December, 6 Edward III:

(v) Charter by John, the abbot, and the convent of Beaubec, granting on 16 August, 1333, to the abbot and convent of Fourneys and their successors, of the lands specified above, in return for 420*l.* of money by tale and 60*l.* of money in goods. Witnesses:—John, abbot of Savigny, John, abbot of Aulnay, and Peter, abbot of Thorigny, Anthony de Lucy, Miles de Verdoun, Walter de Cusak and others.

(vi) Another charter of Walter de Lascy, lord of Meath, to God and the abbot and monks of St. Mary's, Furness, in England, granting in frank almain, for the good of his soul and the souls of lady Marjory his spouse, Hugh de Lascy his father, Roays his mother, Robert de Lascy his brother, Gilbert his son and his ancestors and successors, the land late of Christiana, sometime the spouse of Robert le Mariner, in the town of Mariners in Ireland, near the port of Drogheda, to wit, the messuage in which she dwelt after the death of Robert, with its buildings, and all other messuages and buildings pertaining to it in the said town, with the bondmen and their issues, also the principal messuage which Robert held of him in chief near the church, with its buildings and appurtenances, the stone tower there, and a third part of the mill of the same town, also a fishing-boat in the port and without and 90 acres of land with meadows and turbaries in the territory of the town, timber in his forest of Trum, and the right to take the same along the river Boyne or otherwise, as should be expedient; and if their beasts should stray from the common pasture into his rabbit-warren they should be taken back without complaint or challenge to the pasture, or if impounded in ignorance should be released at once; also that the abbot and monks should freely buy and sell without custom or demand in fairs and markets, castles and towns and all through his land whatever they required for their house of Furness. Witnesses:—Richard de Caupland, John his brother, Walter le Petit, Robert de Leyburn, the grantor's knights, Hugh, canon of Llanthony, his chaplain, Paulinus le Corenwalays, his chamberlain, Richard and William his clerks, William de Boyvill, the abbot's steward, Simon his brother, John de Clyfford, Philip de Wycheoth, with the rest of the grantor's servants, who with many others took part in the making of the grant; and again witnesses of the grant and of the seisin of the monks in the land, are these, to wit, Richard de la Cornere, bishop of Meath, Nicholas de Everers, the grantor's steward, who on the first Sunday

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in Passion Week (*Passione*), 1234, on behalf of the said Walter instituted them, Dom Adam, abbot of Duelec, Gilbert, dean of Drogheda, Simon Brun, Robert Tel, mayors of the same town, Ralph Pirum, William Swethsemblant, William de Kermel, Richard de Aleton, Walter le Despenser, the grantor's proctor of Dunackarni and many others.

(vii) Quit claim by Christiana relict of Robert le Mariner to the abbot and monks of her right in the lands. Witnesses:—The said bishop, Nicholas de Evereus, steward of Meath, Gilbert, dean of Drogheda, Simon Brun, Robert Tel, mayors of that town, Ralph Pirum, William de Kermel, William Swethsemblant and many others. Dated on the same Sunday:

(viii) Another grant in frank almain by the same Walter to the abbot and monks of St. Mary's, Furness, for the good of his soul and of