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Knowen be hyt to alle men that for als meche as on John~ Roope of Chestreshype Gentyلمان
pretendyth to have a ryght tytle and
astate by John~ Meuerell Squyer~ of the Maner~ of Stapeley in the sayde Counte of Chestr~
wherefore we wylliam leueson~ Squyer~
James leueson~ Squyer~ wylliam Saltford Gentyلمان~ Nicholas leueson~ Gentyلمان~ Robert lyne
Prest Thom~ Pym Prest
Reynold Tolle Nicholas vndurhull John~ Fysshier~ John~ Newport wylliam Cook John~ Clerk John
Skryven wylliam Tayllour henr~
Graseley and wylliam lorett say expressly to our~ knowlache as the sayde John~ Meuerell in his
laste dayes sayde and atte alle
dayes sayde in his lyve that he neuer enfeffed relesed ny seled no maner of wrytyng to the sayde
John~ Rope of the Maner of Sta
peley save an endentur~ by the whyche he toke hyt terme for he sayde he was neuer holde to hym al
yf they cosyns for his lyuelod
of Stapeley was sore destroyed wasted and sore aneyntysed by the menes of the sayde John~ Rope
and his euell wylle . Jn-to
wytnes of this our~ recorde testimonial we haue put to our~ Seales . wryte atte woluernehampton~
the Fryday next aftur~
the Natiuite of our~ lady The yer~ of our~ Souerayne lorde the kyng henr~ the vj aftur~ the conquest
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