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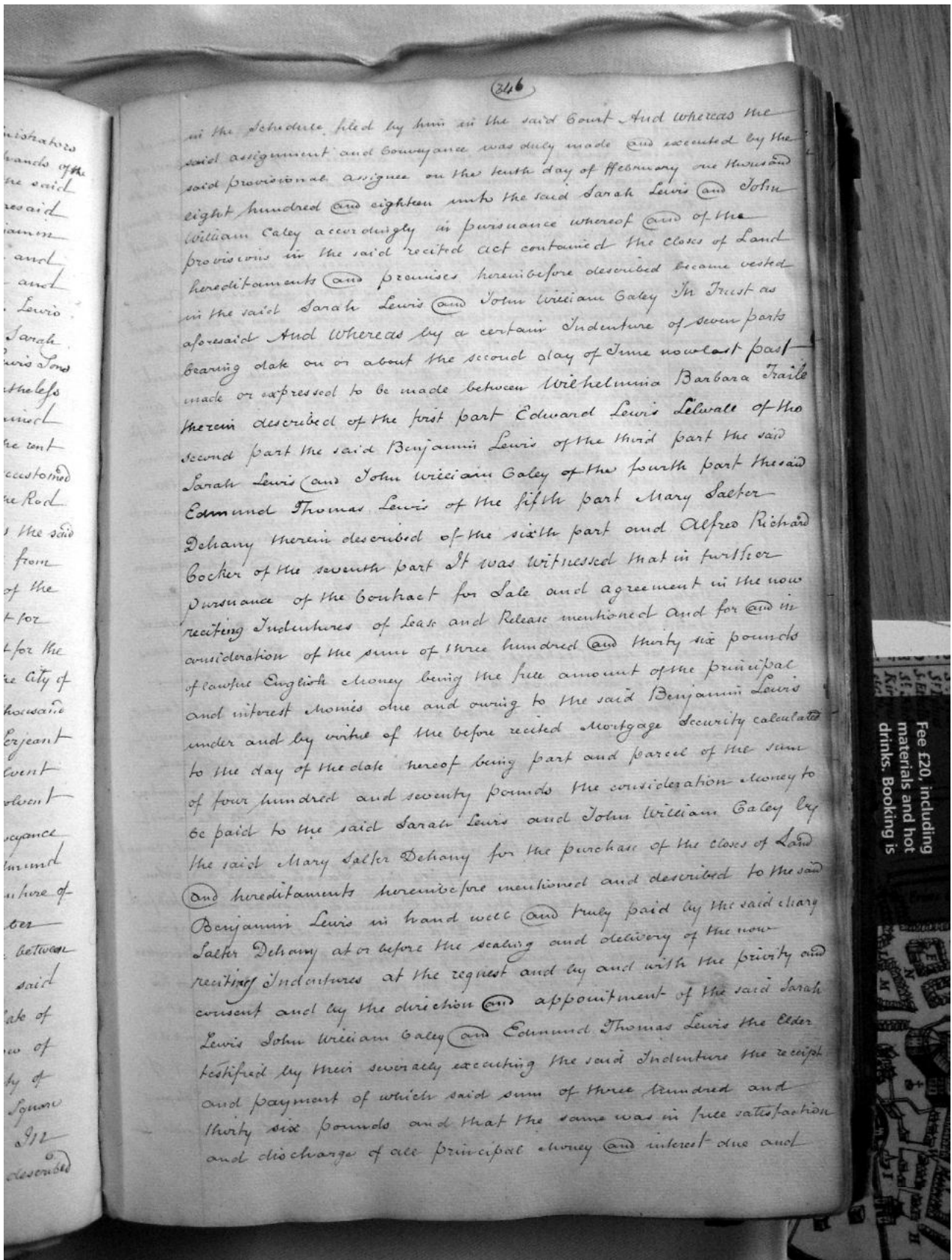
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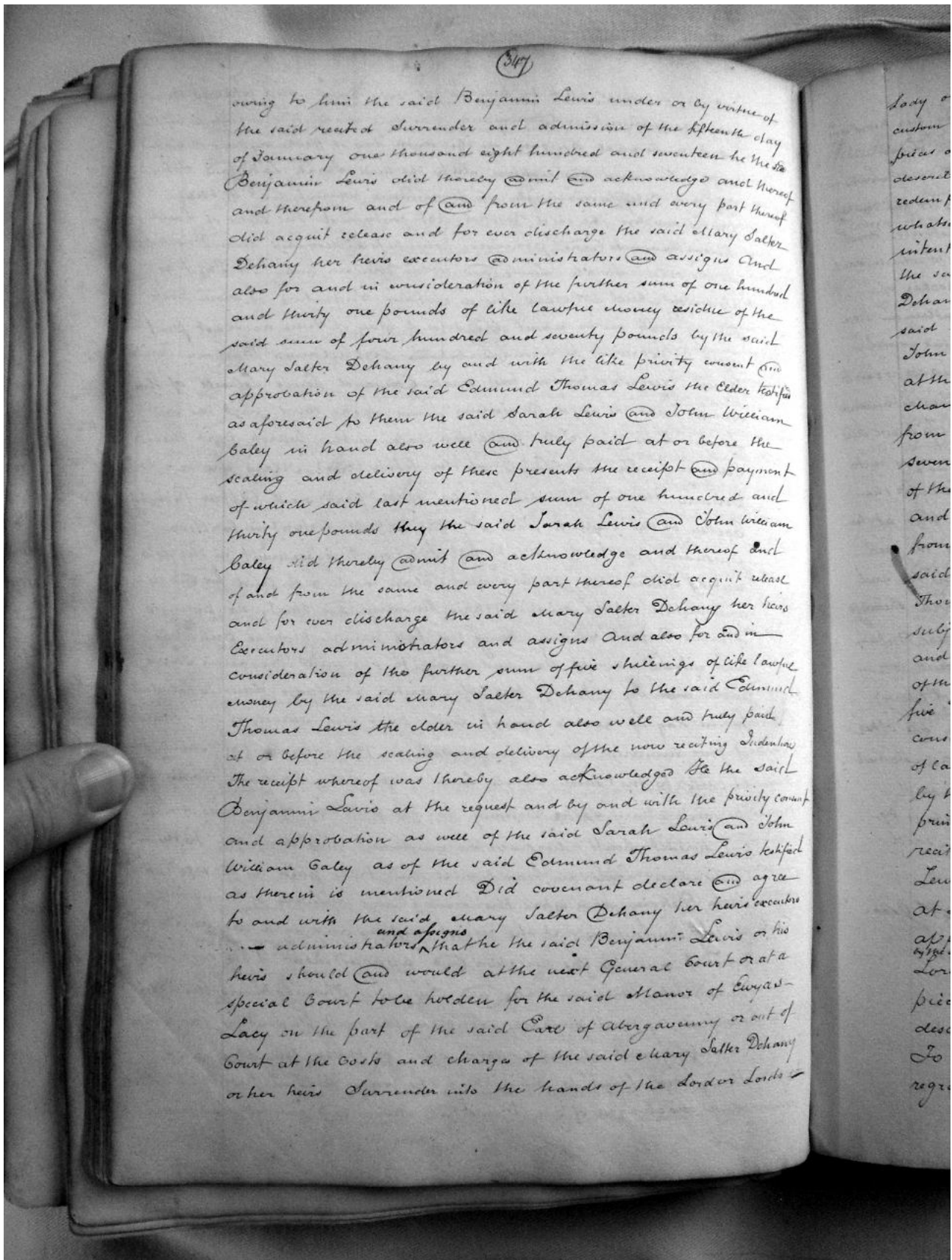


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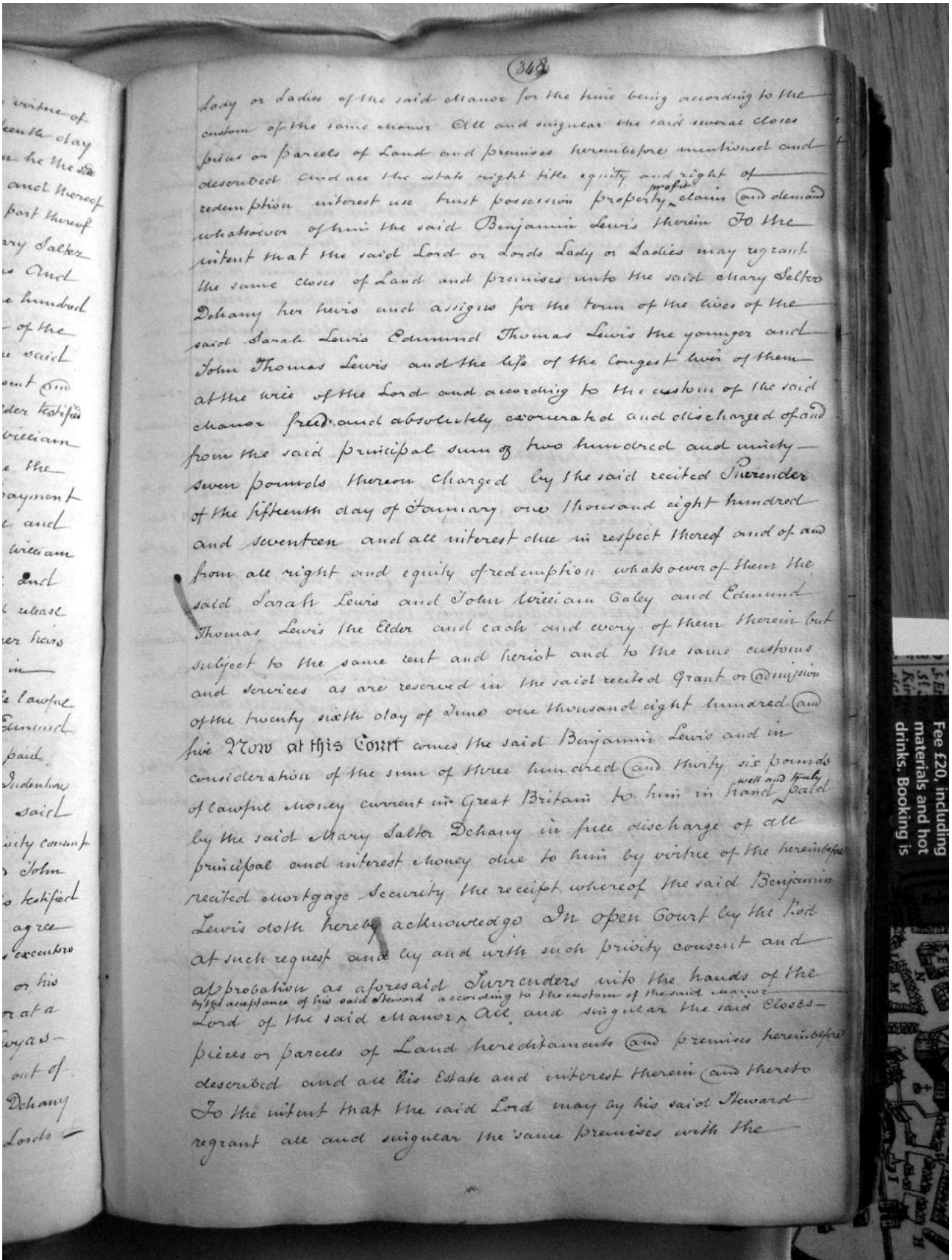
owing to him the said Benjamin Lewis under or by virtue of  
the said recited Surrender and admission of the fifteenth day  
of January one thousand eight hundred and seventeen he the said  
Benjamin Lewis did thereby admit and acknowledge and thereof  
and therefrom and of and from the same and every part thereof  
did acquit release and for ever discharge the said Mary Salter  
Dehany her heirs executors administrators and assigns and  
also for and in consideration of the further sum of one hundred  
and thirty one pounds of like lawful money residue of the  
said sum of four hundred and seventy pounds by the said  
Mary Salter Dehany by and with the like privity consent and  
approbation of the said Edmund Thomas Lewis the Elder testified  
as aforesaid to them the said Sarah Lewis and John William  
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sealing and delivery of these presents the receipt and payment  
of which said last mentioned sum of one hundred and  
thirty one pounds they the said Sarah Lewis and John William  
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of and from the same and every part thereof did acquit release  
and for ever discharge the said Mary Salter Dehany her heirs  
Executors administrators and assigns and also for and in  
consideration of the further sum of five shillings of like lawful  
money by the said Mary Salter Dehany to the said Edmund  
Thomas Lewis the Elder in hand also well and truly paid  
at or before the sealing and delivery of the now recited Indenture  
The receipt whereof was thereby also acknowledged by the said  
Benjamin Lewis at the request and by and with the privity consent  
and approbation as well of the said Sarah Lewis and John  
William Galey as of the said Edmund Thomas Lewis testified  
as therein is mentioned Did covenant declare and agree  
to and with the said Mary Salter Dehany her heirs executors  
administrators <sup>and assigns</sup> that he the said Benjamin Lewis or his  
heirs should and would at the next General Court or at a  
special Court to be holden for the said Manor of Ewyas-  
Lacy on the part of the said Earl of Abergavenny or out of  
Court at the Costs and charges of the said Mary Salter Dehany  
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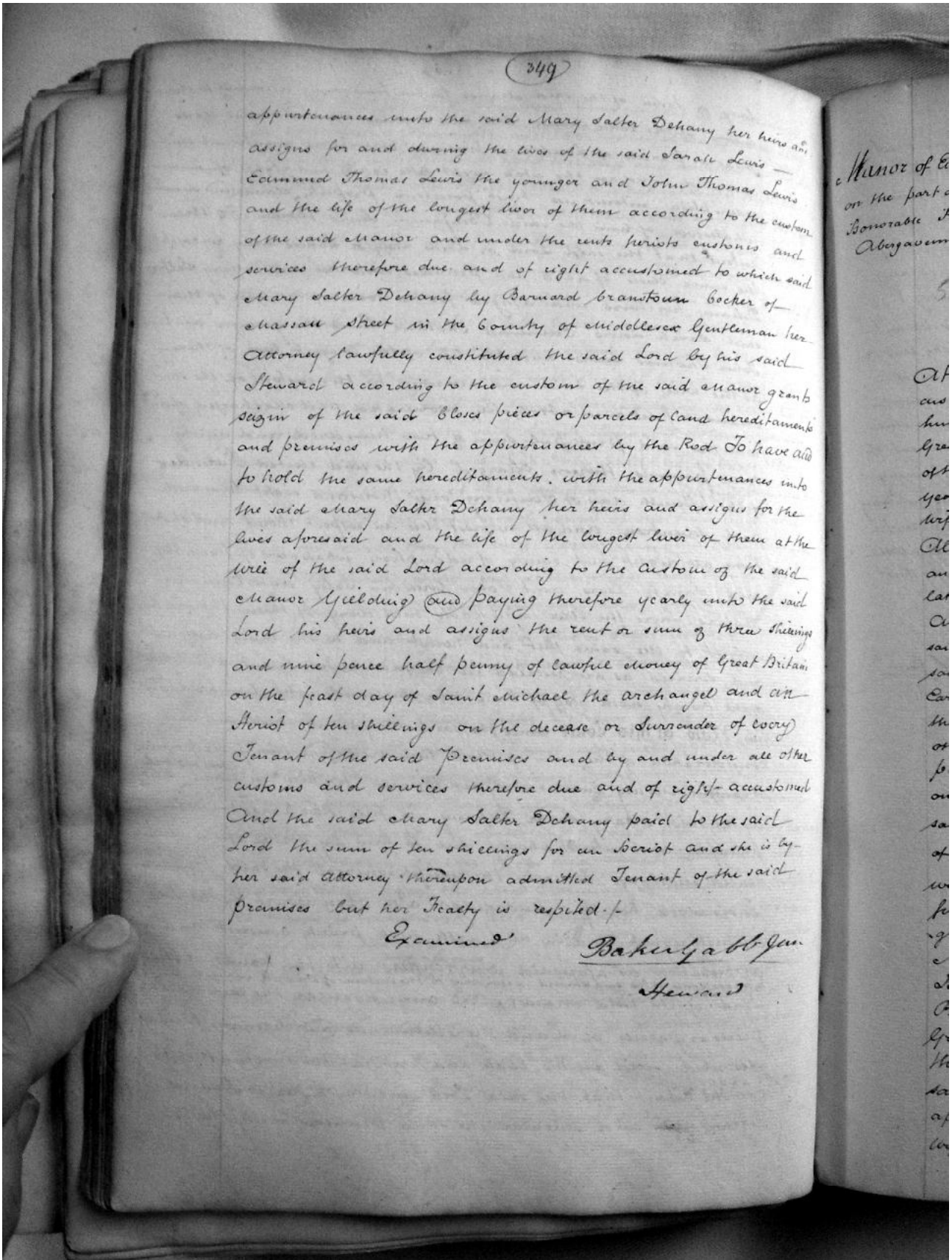
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Lady or Ladies of the said manor for the time being according to the  
 custom of the same manor. All and singular the said several closes  
 pieces or parcels of Land and premises heretofore mentioned and  
 described and all the estate right title equity and right of  
 redemption interest use trust possession property <sup>profits</sup> claim and demand  
 whatsoever of him the said Benjamin Lewis therein. To the  
 intent that the said Lord or Lords Lady or Ladies may regrant  
 the same closes of Land and premises unto the said Mary Salter  
 Dehany her heirs and assigns for the term of the lives of the  
 said Sarah Lewis Edmund Thomas Lewis the younger and  
 John Thomas Lewis and the life of the longest liver of them  
 at the will of the Lord and according to the custom of the said  
 manor freed and absolutely exonerated and discharged of and  
 from the said principal sum of two hundred and ninety  
 seven pounds thereon charged by the said recited Surrender  
 of the fifteenth day of January one thousand eight hundred  
 and seventeen and all interest due in respect thereof and of and  
 from all right and equity of redemption whatsoever of them the  
 said Sarah Lewis and John William Gale and Edmund  
 Thomas Lewis the Elder and each and every of them therein but  
 subject to the same rent and heriot and to the same customs  
 and services as are reserved in the said recited Grant or admission  
 of the twenty sixth day of June one thousand eight hundred and  
 five Now at this Court comes the said Benjamin Lewis and in  
 consideration of the sum of three hundred and thirty six pounds  
 of lawful money current in Great Britain to him in <sup>well and truly</sup> hand paid  
 by the said Mary Salter Dehany in full discharge of all  
 principal and interest money due to him by virtue of the heretofore  
 recited mortgage security the receipt whereof the said Benjamin  
 Lewis doth hereby acknowledge. In open Court by the Lord  
 at such request and by and with such priority consent and  
 approbation as aforesaid Surrenders into the hands of the  
<sup>by the acceptance of his said steward according to the custom of the said manor</sup>  
 Lord of the said manor. All and singular the said closes  
 pieces or parcels of Land hereditaments and premises heretofore  
 described and all his Estate and interest therein and thereto  
 To the intent that the said Lord may by his said Steward  
 regrant all and singular the same premises with the

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appurtenances unto the said Mary Salter Dehany her heirs and assigns for and during the lives of the said Sarah Lewis — Edmund Thomas Lewis the younger and John Thomas Lewis and the life of the longest liver of them according to the custom of the said manor and under the rents heriots customs and services therefore due and of right accustomed to which said Mary Salter Dehany by Barnard Brantoun Cocker of Chassell Street in the County of Middlesex Gentleman her Attorney lawfully constituted the said Lord by his said Steward according to the custom of the said manor grants seisin of the said closes pieces or parcels of land hereditaments and premises with the appurtenances by the Rod To have and to hold the same hereditaments with the appurtenances unto the said Mary Salter Dehany her heirs and assigns for the lives aforesaid and the life of the longest liver of them at the will of the said Lord according to the custom of the said manor yielding and paying therefore yearly unto the said Lord his heirs and assigns the rent or sum of three shillings and nine pence half penny of lawful money of Great Britain on the feast day of Saint Michael the Archangel and at Whitsuntide of ten shillings on the decease or surrender of every Tenant of the said Premises and by and under all other customs and services therefore due and of right accustomed And the said Mary Salter Dehany paid to the said Lord the sum of ten shillings for an heriot and she is by her said attorney thereupon admitted Tenant of the said Premises but her Fealty is respited.

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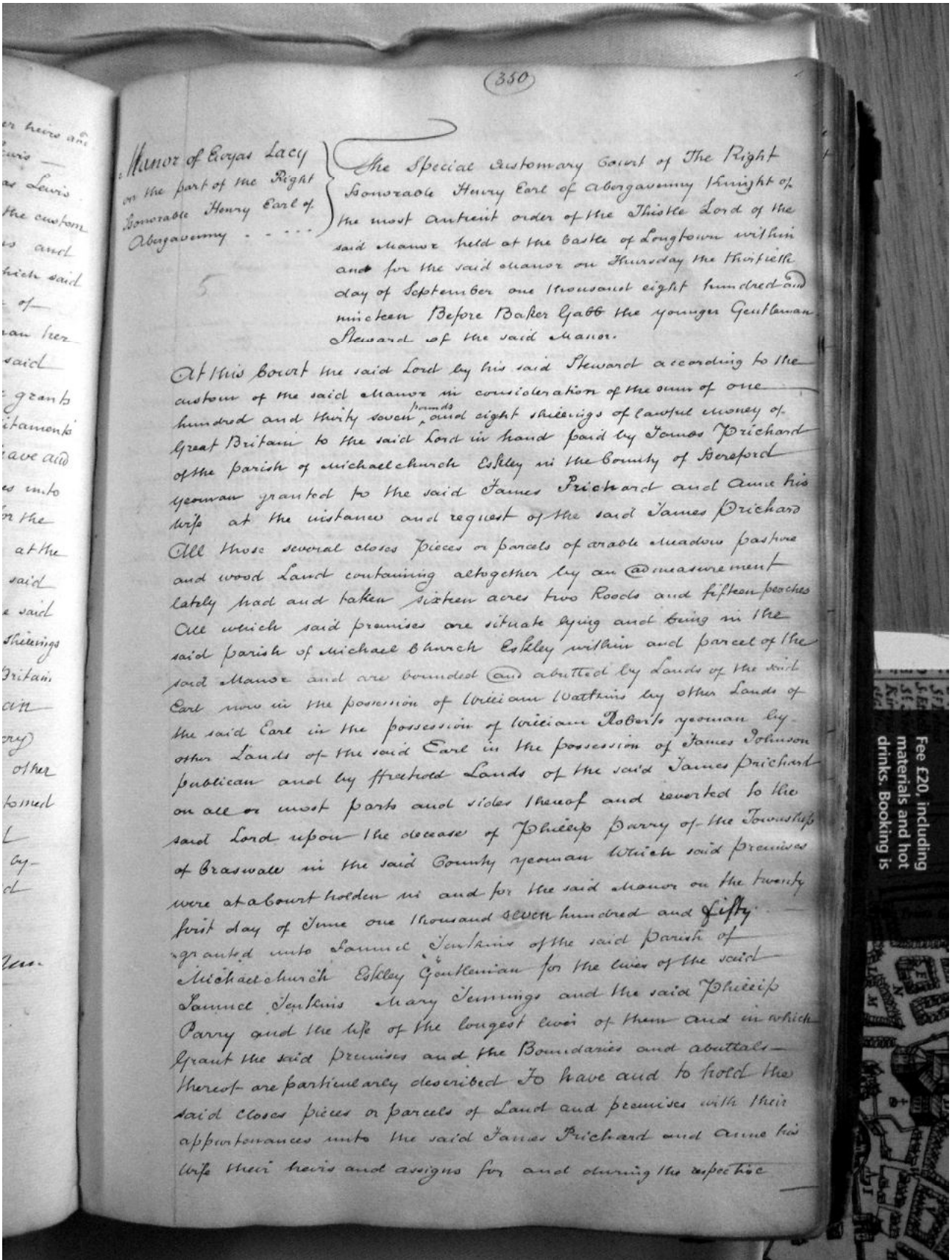
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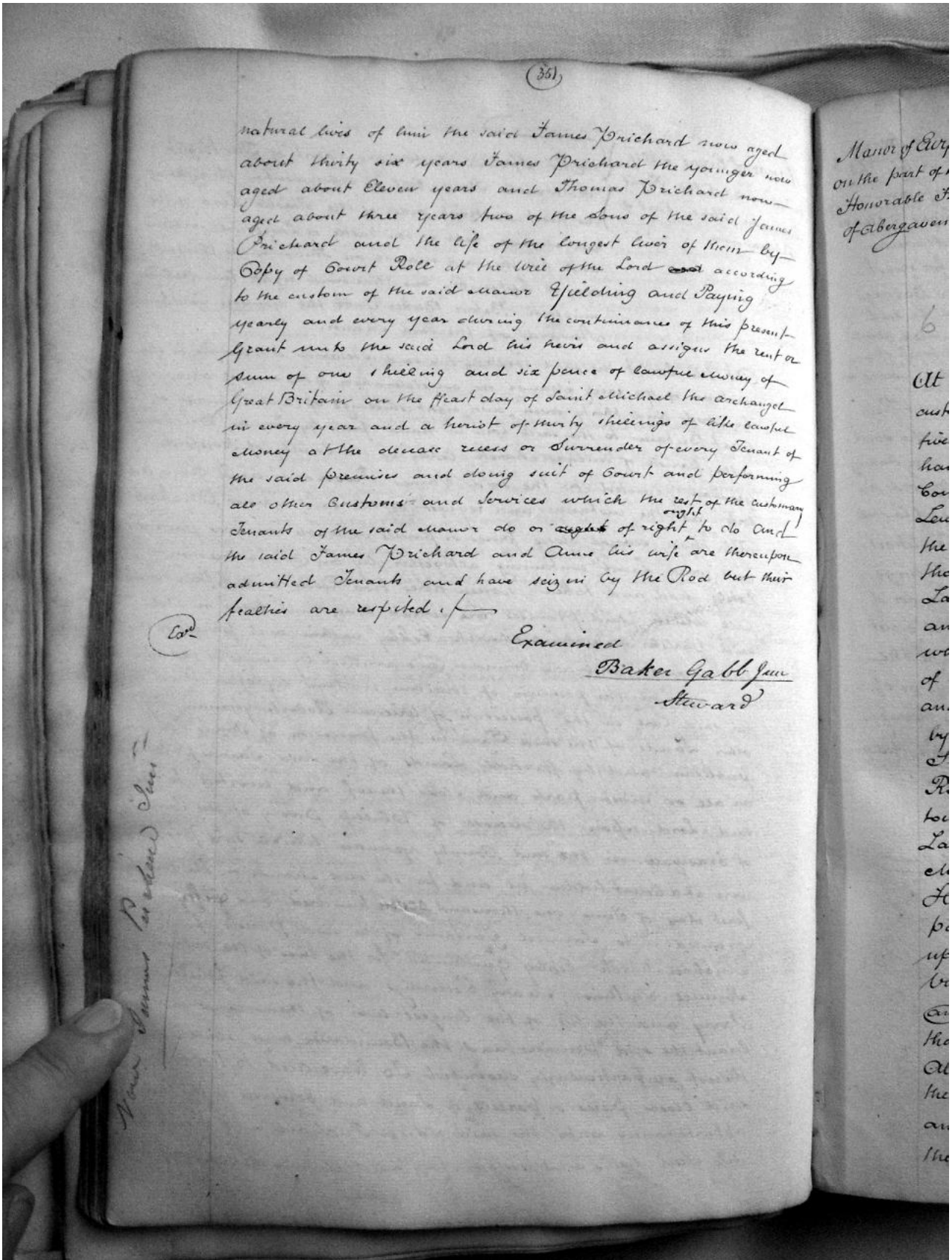
The Special Customary Court of The Right  
Honourable Henry Earl of Abergavenny Knight of  
the most ancient order of the Thistle Lord of the  
said manor held at the Castle of Longtown within  
and for the said manor on Thursday the thirteenth  
day of September one thousand eight hundred and  
nineteen Before Baker Gabb the younger Gentleman  
Steward of the said manor.

At this Court the said Lord by his said Steward according to the  
custom of the said manor in consideration of the sum of one  
hundred and thirty seven <sup>pounds</sup> and eight shillings of lawful money of  
Great Britain to the said Lord in hand paid by James Pritchard  
of the parish of Michaelchurch Eskley in the County of Hereford  
yeoman granted to the said James Pritchard and Anne his  
wife at the instance and request of the said James Pritchard  
All those several closes pieces or parcels of arable meadow pasture  
and wood Land containing altogether by an @measurement  
lately had and taken sixteen acres two Roods and fifteen perches  
All which said premises are situate lying and being in the  
said parish of Michaelchurch Eskley within and parcel of the  
said manor and are bounded @ and abutted by Lands of the said  
Earl now in the possession of William Watkins by other Lands of  
the said Earl in the possession of William Roberts yeoman by  
other Lands of the said Earl in the possession of James Johnson  
publican and by freehold Lands of the said James Pritchard  
on all or most parts and sides thereof and reverted to the  
said Lord upon the decease of Philip Parry of the Township  
of Braswall in the said County yeoman which said premises  
were at a Court holden in and for the said manor on the twenty  
first day of June one thousand seven hundred and fifty  
granted unto Samuel Jenkins of the said parish of  
Michaelchurch Eskley Gentleman for the lives of the said  
Samuel Jenkins Mary Jennings and the said Philip  
Parry and the life of the longest liver of them and in which  
Grant the said premises and the Boundaries and abutments  
thereof are particularly described To have and to hold the  
said closes pieces or parcels of Land and premises with their  
appurtenances unto the said James Pritchard and Anne his  
wife their heirs and assigns for and during the respective

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natural lives of him the said James Prichard now aged  
 about thirty six years James Prichard the younger now  
 aged about eleven years and Thomas Prichard now  
 aged about three years two of the sons of the said James  
 Prichard and the life of the longest liver of them by  
 Copy of Court Roll at the will of the Lord ~~and~~ according  
 to the custom of the said manor of yielding and paying  
 yearly and every year during the continuance of this present  
 Grant unto the said Lord his heirs and assigns the rent or  
 sum of one shilling and six pence of lawful money of  
 Great Britain on the feast day of Saint Michael the Archangel  
 in every year and a tenth of thirty shillings of like lawful  
 money at the decore recess or Surrender of every Tenant of  
 the said premises and doing suit of Court and performing  
 all other Customs and Services which the rest of the customary  
 Tenants of the said manor do or <sup>ought</sup> of right to do and  
 the said James Prichard and Anne his wife are thereupon  
 admitted Tenants and have seized by the Rod but their  
 fealties are respited.

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Examined

Baker Galt Jun  
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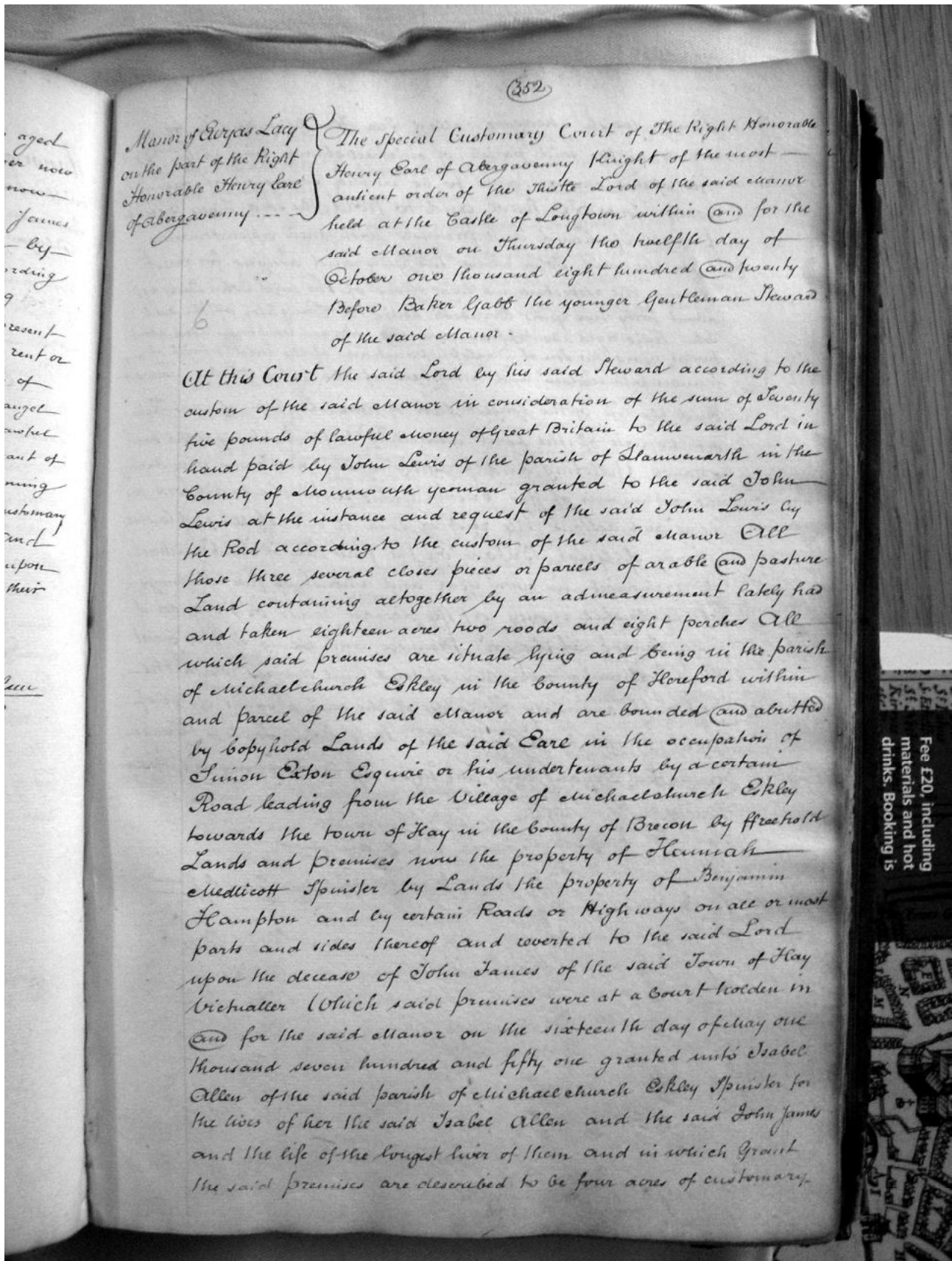
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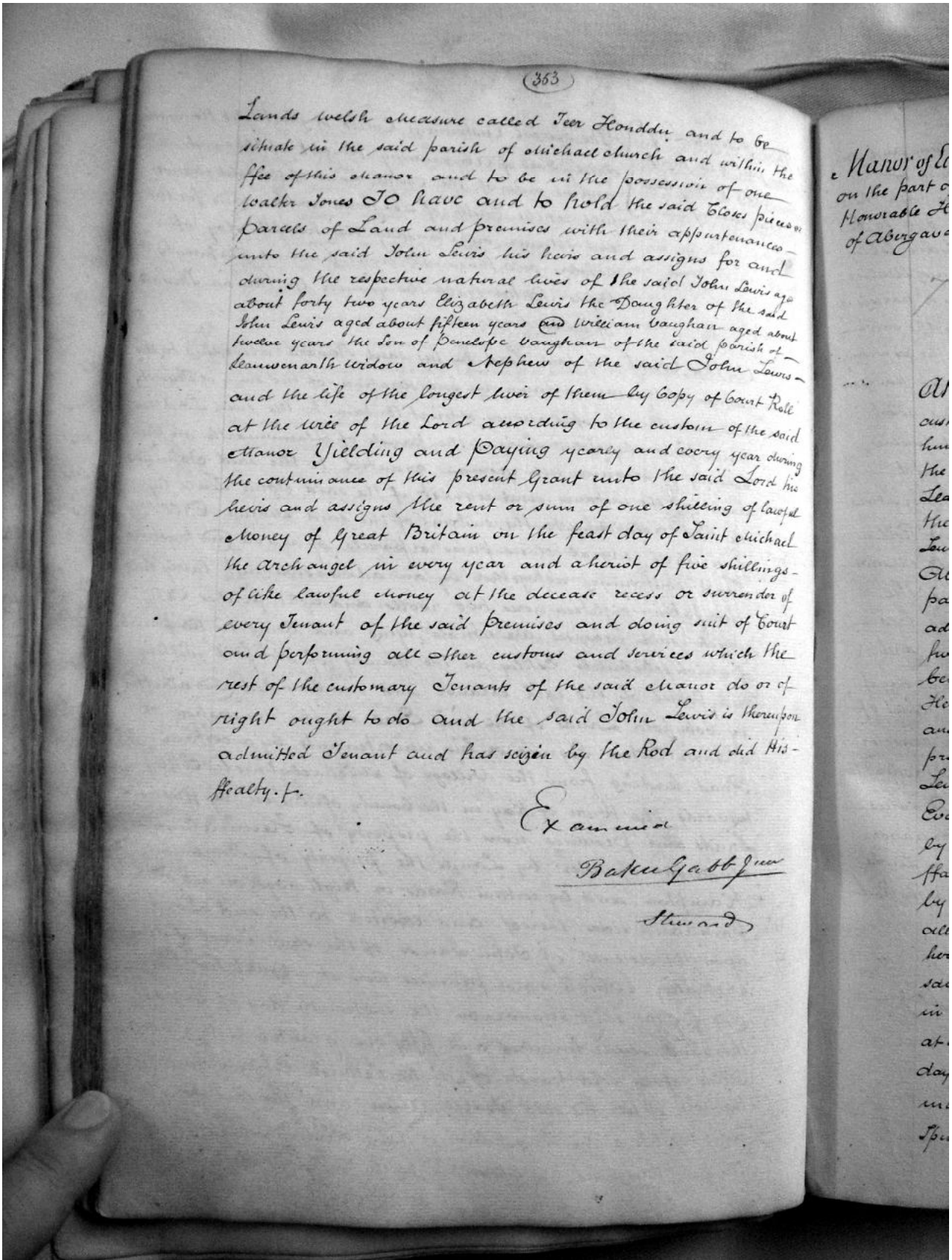
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Lands welsh measure called Ter Honddu and to be  
situate in the said parish of stichael church and within the  
fee of this manor and to be in the possession of one  
walter Jones TO HAVE and to hold the said Cloes p[re]s[ent]  
parcels of Land and premises with their appurtenances  
unto the said John Lewis his heirs and assigns for and  
during the respective natural lives of the said John Lewis age  
about forty two years Elizabeth Lewis the Daughter of the said  
John Lewis aged about fifteen years and William Vaughan aged about  
twelve years the son of Penelope Vaughan of the said parish of  
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and the life of the longest liver of them by Copy of Court Roll  
at the will of the Lord according to the custom of the said  
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the continuance of this present Grant unto the said Lord his  
heirs and assigns the rent or sum of one shilling of lawful  
money of Great Britain on the feast day of Saint Michael  
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of like lawful money at the decease recess or surrender of  
every Tenant of the said premises and doing suit of Court  
and performing all other customs and services which the  
rest of the customary Tenants of the said manor do or of  
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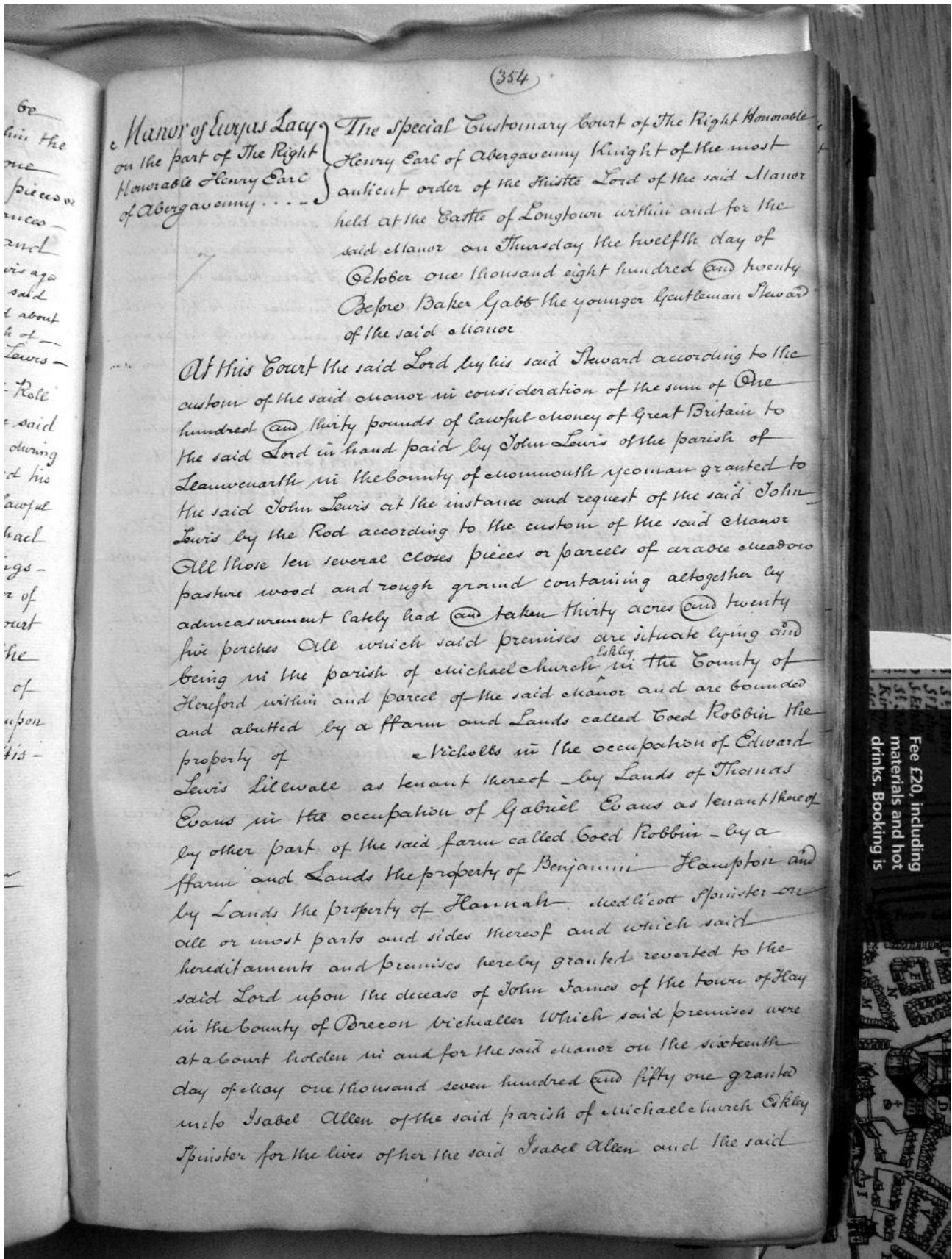
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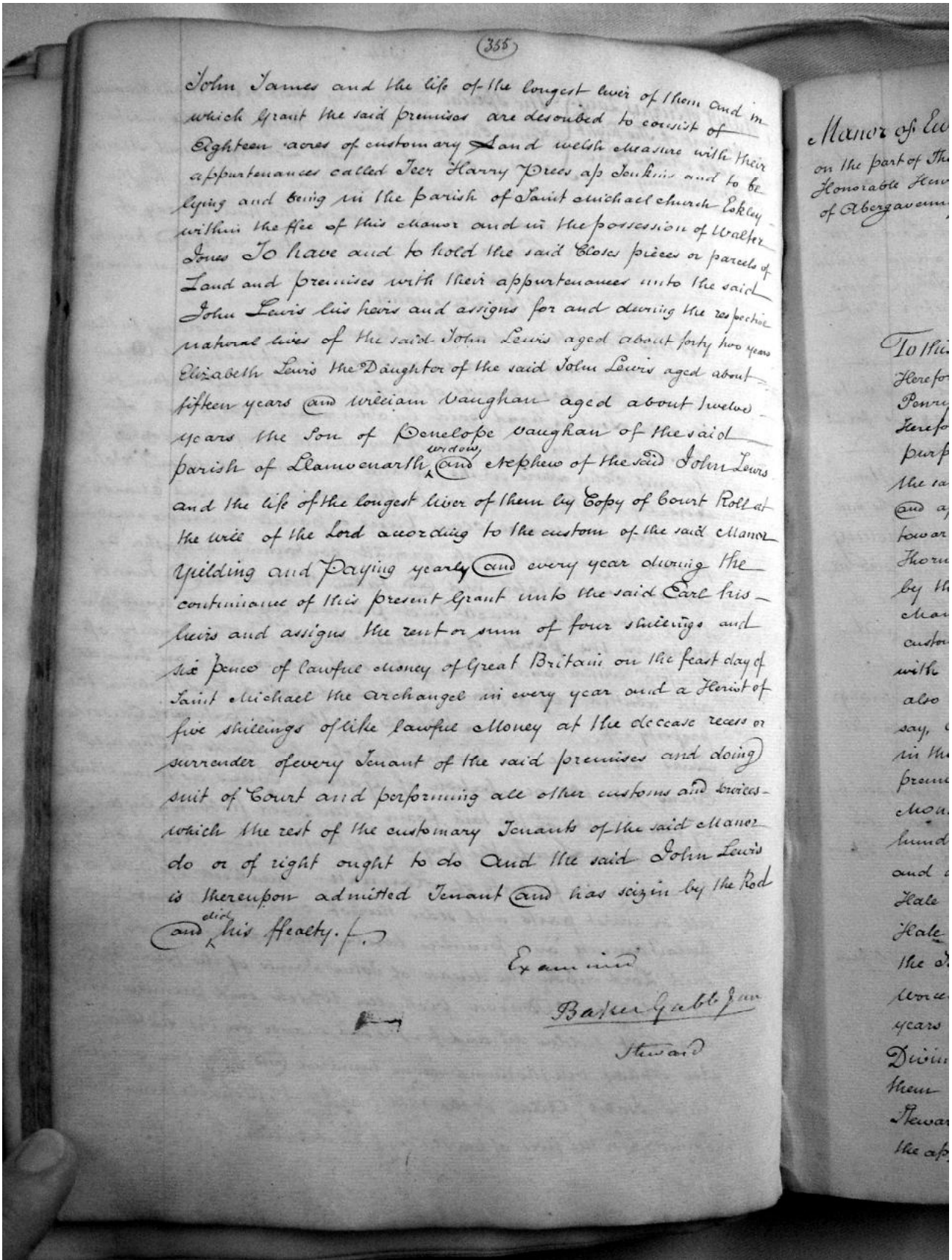
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John Lewis and the life of the longest liver of them and in  
 which grant the said premises are descended to consist of  
 Eighteen acres of customary Land with the measure with their  
 appurtenances called Teer Harry Pries as Joukins and to be  
 lying and being in the parish of Saint Michael church Lelley  
 within the fee of this manor and in the possession of Walter  
 Lewis To have and to hold the said Close pieces or parcels of  
 Land and premises with their appurtenances unto the said  
 John Lewis his heirs and assigns for and during the respective  
 natural lives of the said John Lewis aged about forty two years  
 Elizabeth Lewis the Daughter of the said John Lewis aged about  
 fifteen years and William Vaughan aged about twelve  
 years the Son of Penelope Vaughan of the said  
 parish of Llanwernarth <sup>widow</sup> and stepson of the said John Lewis  
 and the life of the longest liver of them by Copy of Court Roll at  
 the will of the Lord according to the custom of the said manor  
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 continuance of this present grant unto the said Carl his  
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 six pence of lawful money of Great Britain on the feast day of  
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 suit of Court and performing all other customs and services  
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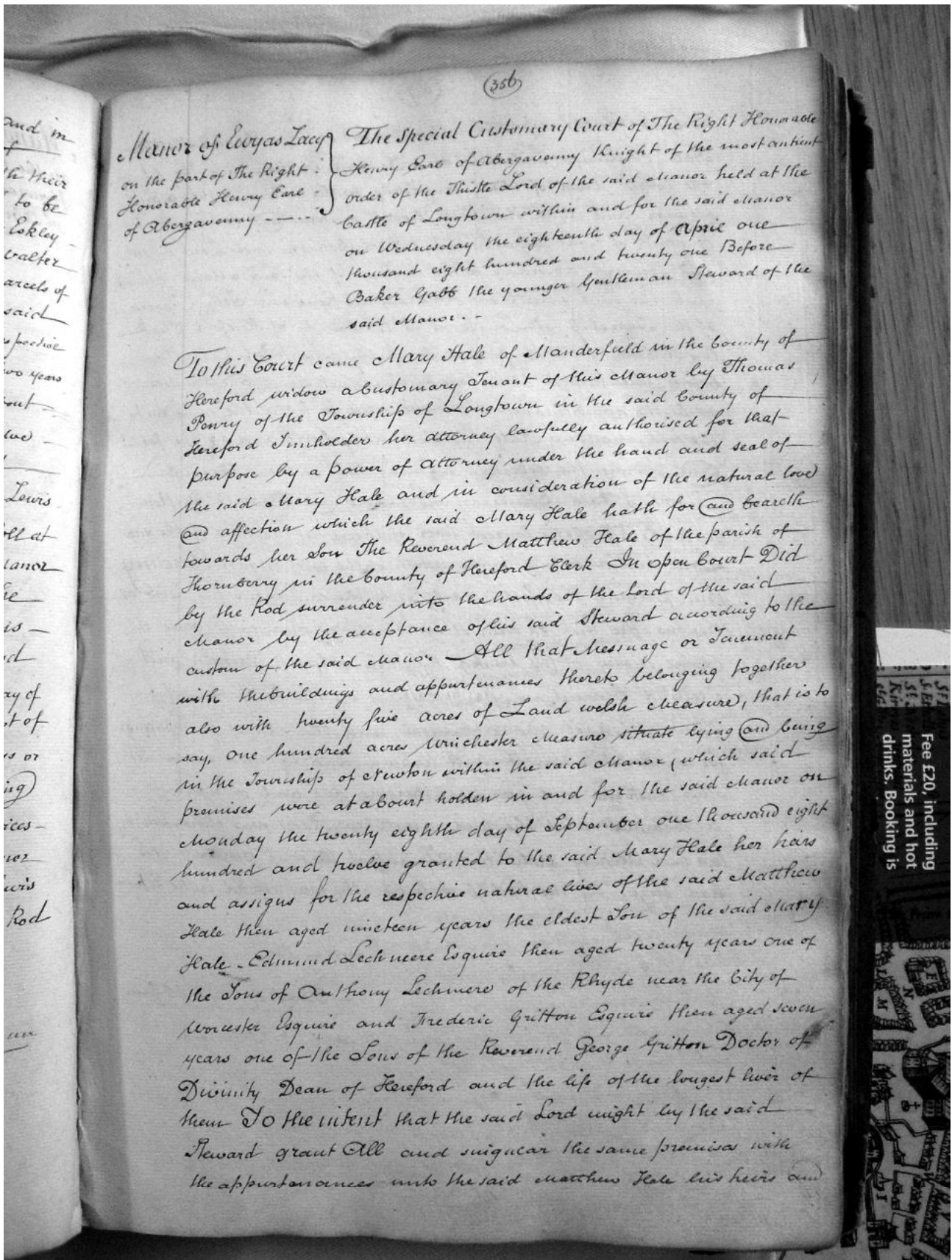
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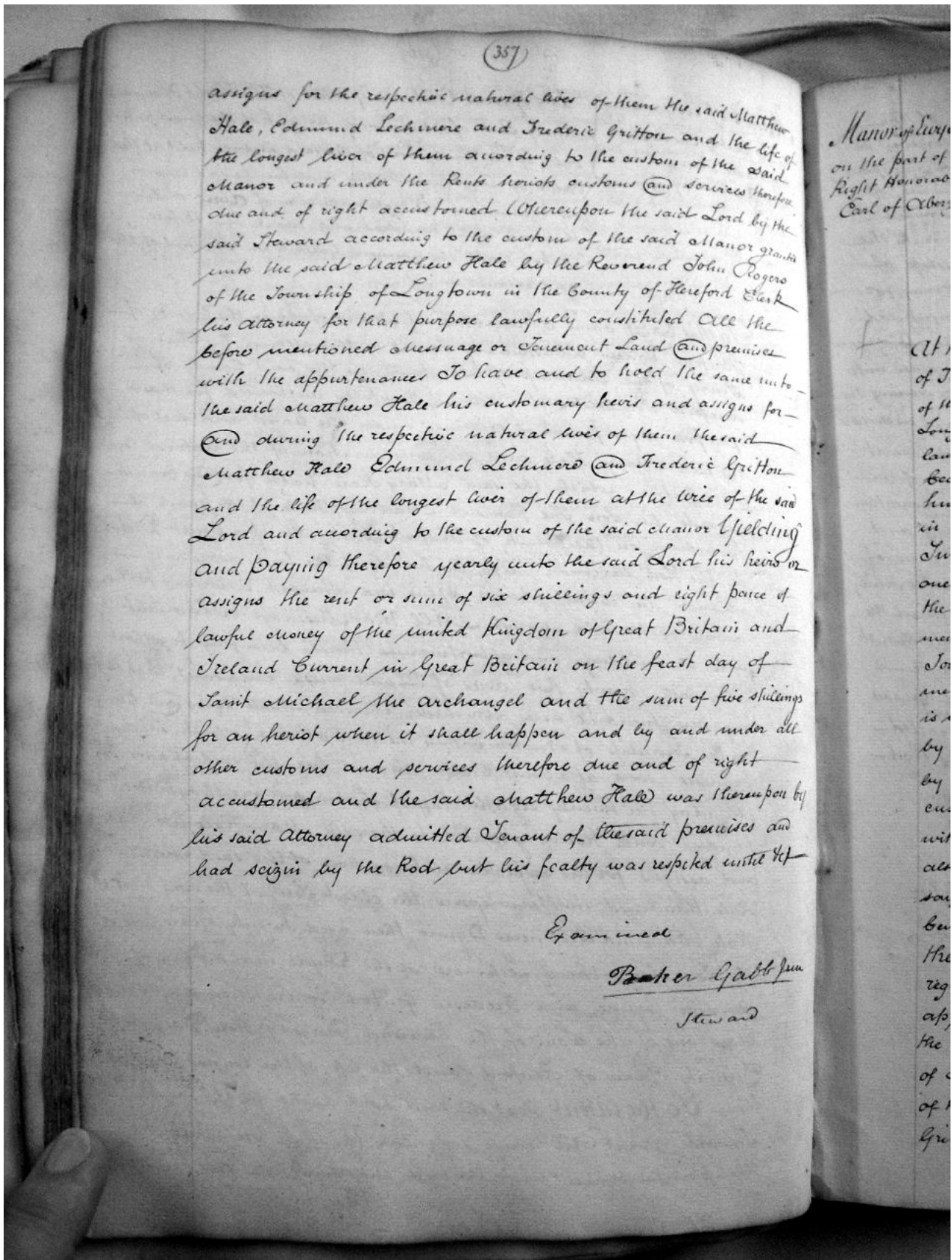


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assignis for the respective natural lives of them the said Matthew Hale, Edmund Lechmore and Frederic Gritton and the life of the longest liver of them according to the custom of the said manor and under the Rents heriots customs and services therefore due and of right accustomed. Whereupon the said Lord by the said Steward according to the custom of the said manor grants unto the said Matthew Hale by the Reverend John Rogers of the Township of Longtown in the County of Hereford Esq. his Attorney for that purpose lawfully constituted all the before mentioned messuage or Tenement Land and premises with the appurtenances To have and to hold the same unto the said Matthew Hale his customary heirs and assigns for and during the respective natural lives of them the said Matthew Hale Edmund Lechmore and Frederic Gritton and the life of the longest liver of them at the will of the said Lord and according to the custom of the said manor Yielding and paying therefore yearly unto the said Lord his heirs or assigns the rent or sum of six shillings and eight pence of lawful money of the united Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Current in Great Britain on the feast day of Saint Michael the archangel and the sum of five shillings for an heriot when it shall happen and by and under all other customs and services therefore due and of right accustomed and the said Matthew Hale was thereupon by his said Attorney admitted Tenant of the said premises and had seisin by the Rod but his fealty was respected until it

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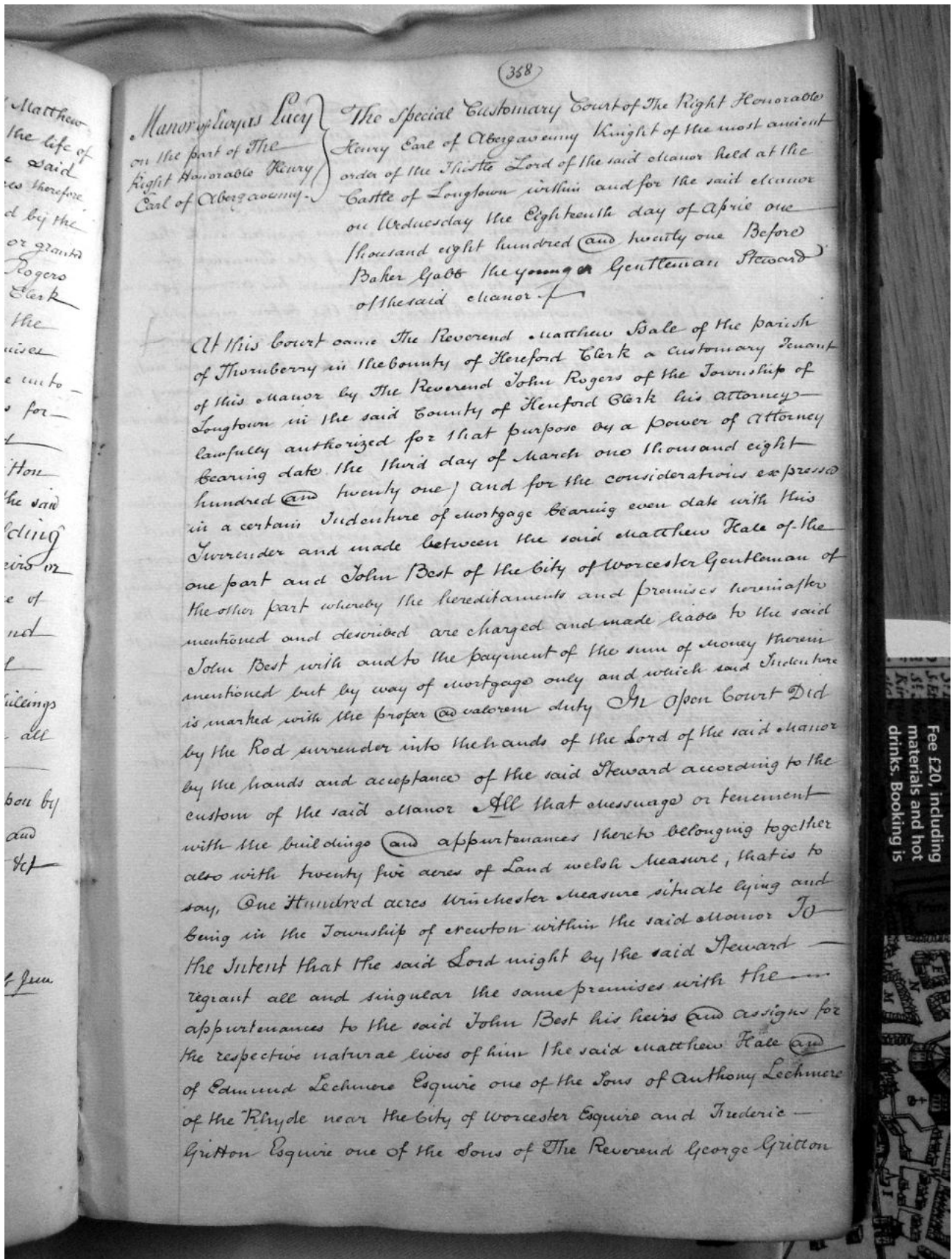
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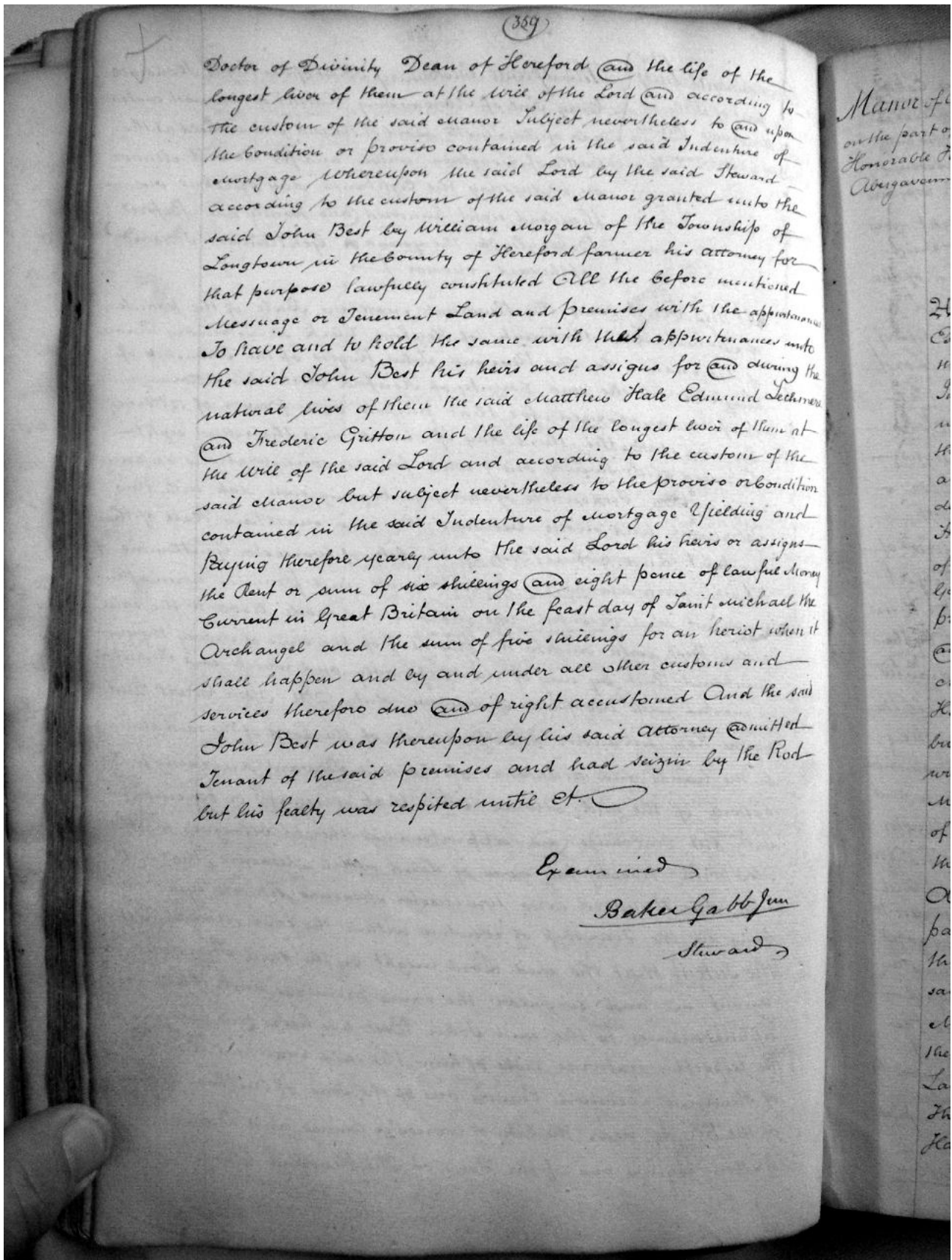


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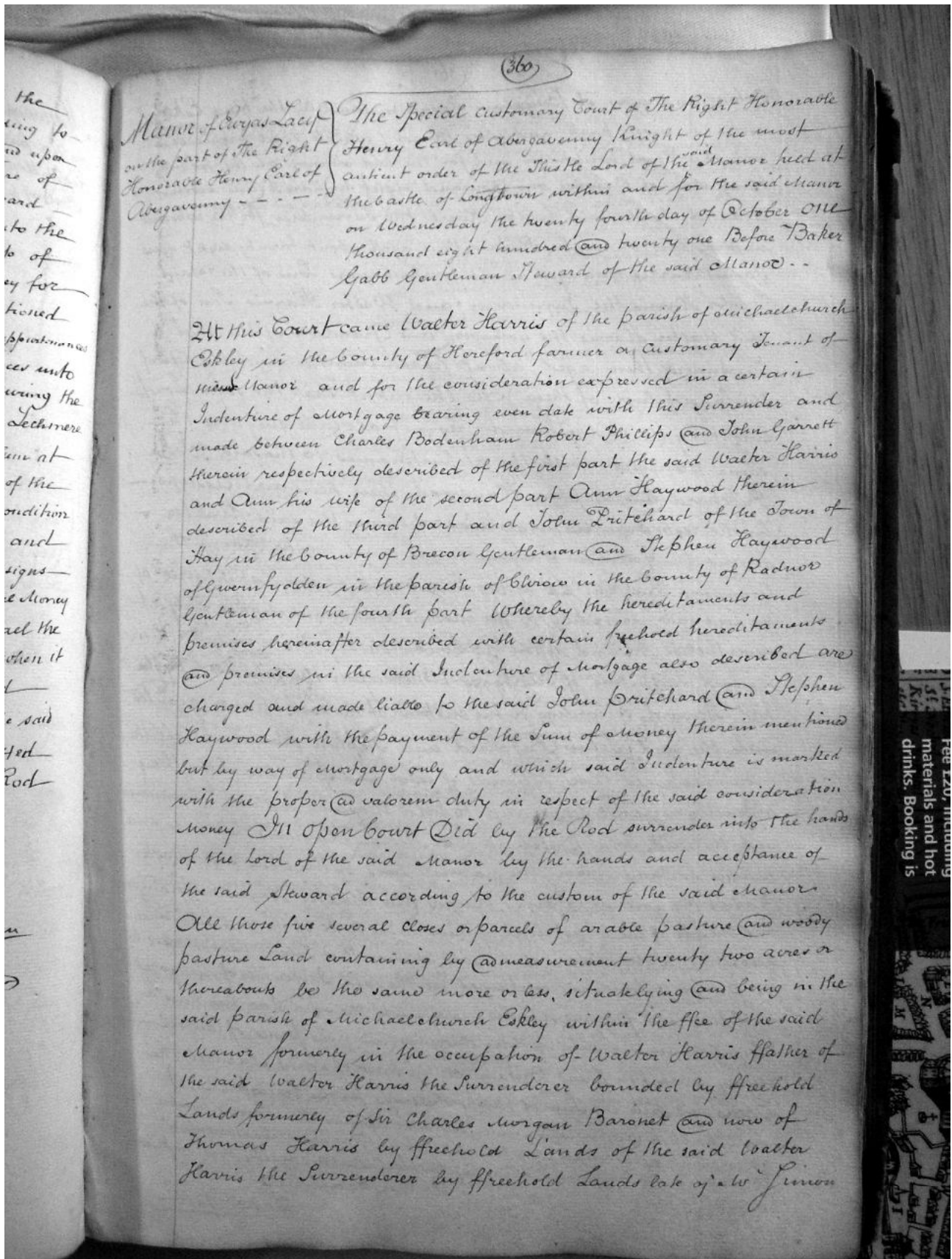
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