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To all Trwe Crystynd peepple vnto qwom y^{is} present wrytyng schall com seyng or heeryng J Thomas Oyttes off y^e leeghs y^e son@ off willam Oyttes of schypd<ill><1-2 chars></ill> latt decessyd sendes a greetying in our lord god euerlastyng And in Als muche as hytt is meritorye & medf<?>ll to record & wittnes y^o trawthe in euere mater quiche bee possybilitee <exp>may</exp> is lyk to cause greett to<?>byll & varyans J y^e forsayd Thomas Oyttes os J Am requyryd by y^e waye off Ryghtt & Conscious for to certefie howe manye 3erys y^t J bee off Agge Reco<ill><2 chars></ill>ys & wyttnes os J wyll Answer~ Afor y^e heghe Jugge off hevyn@ & herthe Als far~ furthe os J knawe or euer knew<ill><2 chars?></ill> by y^e knowleggehyng off my fathyr~ & modyr~<?> As y^{ai} sayd & tellyd mee qwen@ J was Att 3erys off discrecyon qwatt age J was off And euer sythyn@ J have rekynnyd yer-apon@ soo y^t & J y^e forsayd Thomas Oyttes is Att y^e datt off y^{is} present wrytyng off y^e Age off Lxvj 3erys compleet & mor~ als myche os sythy@ y^e fest off wyttsondaye last passyd Afor y^e datt off y^{is} present wrytyng And Apon@ y^{is} Age J will rest & Abyd euer qwylst J lyve & tak<ill><?></ill> hytt Apon mye sawll qwen@ J depart w^t y^{is} present lyve Mor . ouer qwer~ hitt is sayd & opynd y^t willam Oyttes mye fadyr~ qwos sawll god keeppe suld have mad A Chartyr~ in Tayll off certan landes & tenementes qwyche hee had in schypden~ in y^e Tonschypp off southonrom@ y^e qwiche Chartyr~ specyfyes & to y^e heerys mall in y^e qwiche Chartyr~ J y^e forsayd Thomas Oyttes schuld bee specyfied in And Alsoo in A wyll off y^e forsayd willam Oyttes y^t is Annexyd to y^e forsayd Chartyr by y^e qwiche will J . y^e forsayd Thomas Oyttes suld have certan gwdes beewytt y^e qwyche Chartyr~ nor wyll J y^e forsayd Thomas Oyttes neuer knawe nor herd tell off nawthyr~ in my fadyr~ lyve nor sythyn@ vn-to nowe off latt nor off non othyr grawnt <ill><2-3 chars></ill> gyfft y^t y^e sayd willam Oyttes my fadyr~ suld have mad Exept on@ Chartyr~ & statt y^t hee mad vn-to Jenkyn@ Ekclysleye & To Thomas Oyttes hys brodyr~ And os for y^t statt J mynd & thynkys Apon@ ryghtt well For all y^t Tym J was betwyx vij 3er~ & viij off Age os my fadyr~ & modyr~ tellyd mee And And Att all y^{es} premissys Abovyn@ wrytyn@ Ar~ lell & trwe w^t-out feynyng or frawd nawthyr~ sayd for meed ne for



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