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Roll *c. Nov 1506*

N.B. This Roll is not extant. The following is from Roll F1 [previously E1] (back), II. 19-28, for 15 Dec 1519, which refers to a transaction of this earlier date :

At This Court it is testified by the Steward that a certain surrender was made to him, outside the Court, by Henry Knyghte & Thomas Knyghte, of two acres of land lying at the Nappes, which was[sic] lately Ellis Godsone's, & one Field of land alled Frenchefelde, & two acres of wood lying in the Napse, sometime Walter Knyghte's, as appears in the Roll of the Court bearing date in the 22nd year of Henry VII [i.e. 22/8/1506 – 21/8/1507], to the benefit of Henry Knyghte, which said Henry is present in Court, & seeks to be admitted to the aforesaid two acres of land, & the Field aforesaid, & the aforesaid two acres of wood, To whom the lord, by his Steward there, conceded seisin thereof to him, to have & to hold the aforesaid two acres of land, & the Field aforesaid, & the aforesaid two acres of wood, to himself, [his] heirs & assigns, at the will of the lord, according to the Custom of the manor, by the rent & services thereof owed & by Law accustomed, & he made fealty to the lord, & Thus he was admitted tenant, & he gave the lord for a fine for having such entry [---blank]

[After the opening 'At this Cou..', the whole of this paragraph in Roll F1 [previously E1] (back) has evidently been erased and then over-written in black ink. Although illegible, traces of the original text may still be seen.]