

paier devant la main p^r lui et ses dites gens de sa retenu p^rprie gages de guerre et regard p^r demy an lequel demy an comencera le p^rmer jo^r qil viendra a la mier ovesq^r ses dites gentz p^r son passage et a la fin de cel demy an il s'a paiee des gages et regard p^r lui et ses dites gentz p^r un autre demy an devant la main en cas qil plest au roi qil demoera plus avant en celles p^ties &c. Et a cel faire le duc de Lancastre les Countes de North' Arundell de la Marche et Stafford ount p^rmis loialem^t et done leur foiz de mettre leide et conseil &c. Don^a a Westm^r le x jour de Juyl lan &c. xxix [1355].

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Extracts from the Journal of Expenses of Edward prince of Wales during his residence at Bordeaux in 1355-1356, remaining amongst the records of the Duchy of Cornwall.

The journal is entitled "Jornale de Solut' fcis in p^rtib's Vasconie de temp^e Joh'is Henxeworth contrarot' dñi principis Wall' ;" commences at Bordeaux on Sunday the 20th September, 29 Edw. III, 1355, and ends on 30th June 1356. The monies in the hands of Henry de Blakeburne, treasurer of the Prince's household, on the 7th of the said month of September, amounted to £2197. 7s. 6d.

1355.

- Sept. 20.—dño principi ad ludend. ad tales,¹ p^r man^s dñi Joh'is Chandois
—dño Joh'i de Wyngfeld lxs—p^r feretro dñe Joh'e sororis
dñi²—in p^rcio vi scut' de Joh'e—xvij^s.
— 27.—Will'o de Siton p^r expen' fcis die cōmemorac' dñe Joh'e so-
roris dñi lxs. iiijd.—p^r oblac' dñi et alior' de familia sua
p'dcō die cōmemorac' xv^s. iiijd.
Oct. 1.—Will'o de Scōne cissori dñi de p^rcio x panni et dim. nigr'
emp. p^r cōmemor. dñe Joh'e sororis dñi principis xxxvj li.
iijs.—Cl'ico spec' p^r xvj botell' de stanno emp. p^r medicina
dñi Card.³ xix^s.—dño Joh'i Sully p^r man^s Rici Bakere
scut' sui.⁴
— 5.—dño Will'o Walsyngham p^r uno equo sorello emp' et ded. p^r
dñum dñio Petro de Brumpton lxs.
— 6.—in denar' p^r dñum principem oblat' ap^d Plancham⁵ die nativ.
b'e Marie p^r man^s Joh'is Cl'ici ijs. vjd.—Keyser ministrallo
dñi de dono dñi sibi dato p^r manus ipsius xx^s.—Will'o Brigan

¹ The game of "odd and even."² Joan, affianced to the infante don Pedro, and died 1348.³ Probably Tallerand de Périgord, cardinal, bishop of Auxerre, who, in the following year, endeavoured to prevent

the conflict at Poitiers; and, after the battle, came to England to negotiate a peace.

⁴ See p. 145.⁵ Plaisance.

- de consimili dono dñi in recompens. domus sue combuste
iiij li. xs.—duobus vallettis ductoribus dñi in viam rectam
 de Andotte¹ usque Bezat² de dono dñi *xxij s. vj d.*
- Nov. 28.—Apud Meysin³—Petro Arnald compen' de dono dñi in rest'
 ij eq' p' ip'm capt' de duobus servantib's venient' cū lr̄is
 de dñā Joh'a⁴ sorore dñi de Mountfort p' man^s Reg' Gil-
 bert valletti dicti Petri apud Tarbon in p'cio xxx leopard'
 auri—*vili. xs.*—Arnald' Bernard ductori dñi princ' in
 p'tib's Vascon' de dono dñi apud Ornound in p'cio xl leop'
 auri *ix/i.*
- Jan. 18.—Will'o St Omer p' denar' dat. de dono dñi marinar' navi-
 gant' dñium principem inter Loremond et Burdeux—
xxvij s.
- 19.—Ap^d Leybourne—Offō Aule p' m^s Ricī Est'me de Colchestrē
 navigant' dñum princ' inter Gensak et Leyborne *xvij s.*—oblat'
 in eccl'ia frūm minor' de Leybourne *xij s. vj d.*
- 24.—dño Joh'i Mohoun—dño principi ad ludend' *xij s. vj d.*
- ult.—Cl'icis coquē p' *xxix* porc' *xili. vs.*
- Feb. 12.—p' xij lampr' empt. et miss. dñis Joh'i Chaundos et Jacobo
 daudele *xxij s.*—p' panneis canabo et cordis emp. p' dcis
 lampr' mittendis *xs. vj d.*
- Mar. 13.—dño principi ad ludend. ad tales *iij s. vj d.*
- Dec. 23.—Orchaun Heraldo Comitis de Savoye de dono dñi sibi dato
 p' manus Wyngefild *vli. xv s.*
- 24.—Off. Aule p' f'ctura unius cabani in navi p' dño Ricō Staf-
 ford *xxxij s. vj d.*
- 27.—dño Barth^o de Burghersh—dño Jacobo daudele.
- 30.—dño Antonio capell'o Capitisse de Busch defer' dño principi
 novi anni donum ex p'te dcē Capitisse *iiij li. xs.*—Joh'i
 Robert scutifero dñi Jacobi daudelegh p' div^s operib's p'
 ip'm fcis p'cepto dñi Joh'is Chaundos tam in villa de Castel-
 secret q^m alibi *lxv s. ij d.*
- Jan. 8.—den' p' dñū oblat' in capella Sc̄i Thome infra hospie' dñi
 ap^d Burdeux die ejusdem *xxvij s.*
- Mar. 17.—Rob'to de Cant'brijs p' ij collaks ijs.—Cl'ico coq. p' *xliij*
 lampr' et *xxxix* collaks et p' i salmonē recent' *cxijs.*—Joh'i
 Welles scutifero dñi Jacobi daudelegh p' div^s operib's p'
 ip'm fcis p'cepto dñi Joh'is Chaundos tam in villa de Castel-
 secret q^m alibi *lxv s. ij d.*
- Apr. 9.—dño Rainfredo dño de Montepesaco de dono dñi in auxilium
 garniture castr' suor' viz. de Montepesaco et de Semardo
 p' man^s mag'ri Joh'is de Stretele const. Burdegall' p' acq.
 dat. isto die *xij li.*

¹ Villandraut.² Bazas.³ Castelnau de Mesme.⁴ Joan of Britanny, afterwards wife
 of Ralph lord Basset, K.G.

- Junii 22.—Cl'ico coq. p' ccxv best' empt' de preda dñi Joh'is Chaundos et soc' suor' cccccxxij leopd cxvij li. xvjs.
 — 24.—Ricō Pate aurifabro de Burdeux p' quadam zona ab eo emp. et de dono dñi dat. Senescallo de Berne nuncio comitis de Ffoix manu dñi Joh'is de Wingfelde xxxij li. — Jacobo Greyling aurifabro Burdegall' p' una cupa argent' et deaurata ab eo emp. et de cons' dono dñi data dño Ingelb'to Sobbe militi Alemanñ recedenti v'sus p'tes suas xvij li. xs.
 — Offō Butl' p' xxxvij dol' vini empt' apud San Makaire in p'c' cccij xx leopd—iiij xx vi li.
 — 29.—dño Principi p' oblacione sua in eccl'ia sc̄i Andr. de Burdeux p' manus Ricī camer' dñi Barth'i de Burghersh in iiij nob. —xxvjs. viij d.
 — ult.—mag'ro Reymundo de Guaco Jocatori de pt's Vascon' ludenti coram dño de dono dñi xxij leopd et xij d.— c^s

V.

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Stowe relates¹ that the Black Prince sailed from Sutton haven (now Plymouth) in the beginning of October 1355; landed, after a prosperous voyage, at Bordeaux on the first Sunday in that month; and commenced his march, on the day following, towards the territory of the count of Armagnac.

The departure, however, from the English coast must have taken place in the preceding month; for the first Sunday in October fell on the 4th; and the voyage, landing, and preparations for the destructive expedition into the interior of France, could not have been completed between the 1st and the 5th; on which latter day the prince certainly left Bordeaux, and halted for the night at the castle of Ornon, two miles from that city.

The Household Book in the possession of Mr. Philpot, and the Journal of Expenses in the Duchy of Cornwall office, have solved the difficulty arising from a comparison of the dates. By the former it appears that the Prince was still at Plymouth on the 7th of September,² preparing to embark; and it is proved by the journal that he was at Bordeaux on the 20th of that month; and, on that day, amusing himself with the game of "odd and even," in company with sir John Chandos.³

¹ Chron. p. 256.² See antea, p. 387.³ See p. 390.