

Manor History File

Manor Name	TWEEDMOUTH
Alias	Tweedmouth & Spital, Tweedmouth & Spittle
Honour/Lordship	
Ownership	<p>Tweedmouth and Spital adjoin each other, Spital, which in reality is a part of Tweedmouth, derives its name from the old hospital which used to be located in that area.</p> <p>Since the beginning of its recorded history Tweedmouth was a portion of the patrimony of St Cuthbert and belonged to the Bishops of Durham. This ownership continued up until the time of Elizabeth I. When the See of Durham was divided Tweedmouth fell to the earl of Suffolk from whom it passed by sale in 1657 to the Corporation of Berwick which are still recorded as owners in 1921.</p>
Courts	Court Baron and Court Leet
Sources	<p>Raine's North Durham, pp.241-247</p> <p>Kelly, E., (1921) Kelly's Directory of Northumberland. p.3</p>
Records Held By Northumberland Archives	<p>BA/M/1 - Manor Court books, extracts from guild minutes and manor court records, Steward's letter books, Steward's correspondence, Steward's cost books, court rolls, suit rolls, fine and fees book, receipt books, admittances and surrenders, enfranchisements, letters of attorney, appointments of constables, jury lists and other records, 1612-1944.</p> <p>NRO 00558 – surrenders, 1914.</p>
Time period covered by records	1612-1944



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MAF 20/184, MAF 9/241 enfranchisements, 1875-1876.



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