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Counties from incursions of the king’s enemies and to punish rebels. The sheriffs of those counties are to render them every assistance with horses, arms and the entire posse, whenever called upon to do so.

The like to Roger Herun and Simon Warde for the county of Northumberland and the liberty of Tyndale.

Mandate to John de Wygeton and Richard le Brun to take the necessary oaths of office before John de Sancto Johanne and the prior of St. Mary’s, York, or either of them.

Mandate in pursuance to John de Sancto Johanne and the prior of St. Mary’s.

Mandate to Roger Herun and Simon Warde to take their oaths before Robert de Hilton.

Mandate to Roger Herun and Simon Warde and to the men of the county of Northumberland and liberty of Tyndale to assist, whenever called upon, John de Britannia, earl of Richmond, the keeper of Scotland, in all matters tending to the safety of those parts and to the confusion of Robert de Brus and his accomplices.

The like to John de Wygeton and Richard le Brun and the men of their counties.

Oct. 2. Appointment, during pleasure, of John de Arcadia, to be sheriff of Argyll and Inchegall and keeper of those parts, and to protect the same against the aggression of the king’s enemies and to repress rebellion.

Writ de intendendo directed to the knights and other lieges of Argyll and Inchegall.

Oct. 3. Presentation of Henry de Ingelby to the church of Cuberleye, in the diocese of Worcester, in the king’s gift by reason of his custody of the lands and heir of Giles de Berkeleye, who held from John Walraund, tenant in chief, an idiot in the king’s custody.

Mandate to John de Britannia, earl of Richmond, keeper of Scotland, to state whether he approves of his letters of appointment, now that he understands their tenor, or deems any alteration necessary, in which case he is to return them to the king who will cause others, under the seal of Scotland, to be sent to him.

Sept. 4. Exemption, for life, at the instance of Guy de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick, for Godfrey de Melsa from being placed on juries, assizes or recognisances, and from being made sheriff, coroner, bailiff, &c. By p.s.

Sept. 30. Mandate to the justiciary of Ireland to deliver the temporalities of the archbishopric of Armagh to Walter Jorz, preferred to that see by the Pope upon the death of archbishop John, he having renounced the papal letters, so far as the same may be to the prejudice of the king’s crown and dignity, and paid a fine of 1,000l. in consideration of which fine, and not on account of the Pope’s letters, the king accepted fealty from and restored the temporalities to him.

Writ de intendendo directed to the knights and other tenants of the archbishopric.

Sept. 12. Protection, for one year, for Joan de Vivonia, going beyond seas.

Oct. 6. William de Sancta Elena and Richard de Morcestre, canons of the church of St. Peter, Exeter, bringing news of the death of Thomas, the late bishop, have letters to the dean and chapter of licence to elect.

Oct. 3. Appointment, until further order, of Robert de Dovor, clerk, to take and account to the Exchequer for the issues of the mine at Wyrkesworth.