1323.
July 81.
Cowick.
Mandate to the justiciary of Ireland, or his lieutenant, to deliver the
temporalties of the archbishopric of Armagh to Stephen, preferred to be
archbishop thereof by J. the Pope, as appears by a papal bull directed to the
king, the said Stephen having renounced all words contained in the said
bull prejudicial to the king and the right of his crown, and the king having
accepted the said preferment and taken the fealty of the said Stephen.
[Fader.] By p.s.
Writ de intendendo directed to the tenants. [Fader.]

July 25.
Faxxeet.
Mandate to the justiciary of Ireland to cause the justices of the Bench or
the barons of the Exchequer of Dublin, or others of the Council there, to
extend the lands and wardships now in the king’s hands or which shall fall
in hereafter and which ought to be demised at farm, and with the counsel
and advice of the chancellor and treasurer of Ireland or of others of the
Council there to demise the same at farm, if they ought to be so demised;
and if any lands, or tenements, or wardships have been demised improvi-
dently by eschentors or ministers, the same are to be resumed into the
king’s hands, and new extents made; and further any marriages that are
in or may hereafter fall into the king’s hands are to be sold. By K.

July 28.
Cowick.
Mandate to the justiciary and chancellor of Ireland together with any of
the Council, whom they may wish to associate with them, to view the state
of the Exchequer and Treasury of Dublin twice in every year, once at
Michaelmas and once at Easter, and to correct any defects they may find
therein; the treasurer, barons and chamberlains are to be attendant upon
them therein.

July 25.
Cowick.
Mandate to the treasurer of Ireland to observe henceforth the ordinance
in making payments out of the Treasury, viz. that all payments to be made
by him and the chamberlains of the Exchequer, Dublin, are to be made with
the advice and consent of the said justiciary and chancellor, except pay-
ments of the fees of the ministers of that land, which they are to continue
to make as heretofore.

July 30.
Cowick.
Mandate to the justiciary of Ireland, with respect to cathedral, conventual
and collegiate churches in Ireland of the king’s patronage, that he is
henceforth not to give the royal assent to elections, take fealties from or
restore the temporalties to the elect in the king’s name without special
mandate, as the king wills that licence to elect shall be sought of him before
election, and the royal assent shall be given by him and no other, and that
the elect, when they have obtained confirmation, shall come to the king to
do their fealty for the restitution of their temporalties, unless the king
grant them his special grace, which he intends shall be granted as it used
to be in the times of his progenitors; with mandate to the chancellor of
Ireland to make no letters under the seal of Ireland of licence to elect, royal
assent, taking of fealty or restitution of temporalties without the king’s
special mandate to him under the great seal of England. By K. & C.

Aug. 6.
Kirkham.
Protection with clause nolumus for one year for John, bishop of Ely,
staying beyond the seas on the king’s service. By K.

Aug. 22.
Pickering.
The like for one year for William de Shotesham, parson of the church of
Rotherfeld.

Aug. 12.
Pickering.
Grant for life to John Darcy or until the king shall provide him for life
with lands elsewhere to the value of 30l. a year, of the manors of Eghefeld
and Walecote, co. Norfolk, which are extended at 32l. 7s. 9d. late of
Thomas Rocelyn, a rebel, and are in the king’s hands.
Mandate to the keeper of the said manors to deliver them.