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Membrane 8—cont.

Nov. 19. Grant, for life, to the king’s yeoman William de la Marche, the king’s cook, for good service to the king’s father and to the king of the office of the serjeantry of the Marshalsea before the king, tinct of keeping the prisoners in the same marshalsea pursuant to the statute thereof, which office is in the king’s hands for certain causes, to hold in such manner as Walter de Mauny held the office. By K. on the information of the treasurer.

Mandate in pursuance to William de Shareshull and his fellows, justices appointed to hold the pleas before the king.

Nov. 6. Licence, for 20s. to be paid to the king by John de Derby, clerk, for the alienation in mortmain by him to the prior and convent of Tuttebury of two messuages, two cottages and two bovates of land in Doubrigge, not held of the king, and of the reversion of a messuage, 27 acres of land, 3 acres of meadow and 3s. of rent, in the same town, likewise not held of the king, held in survivorship by Agnes late the wife of John le Parker, and William le Parker and Felicia, his wife, to hold in aid of the sustenance of a chaplain to celebrate divine service daily in the church of St. Mary, Tuttebury, for the soul of Henry de Hambury and the souls of the faithful departed. The said lands beyond the rent aforesaid and the services due from them, are of the value of 5s. yearly, as has been found by inquisition made by John Waleys, escheator in the county of Derby.

Nov. 28. On the petition of the good men exercising the mystery of shoemaking in the city of Carlisle shewing that the tanners who stay without the city within the lordship of the bishop of Carlisle and the prior of the same place serve the city with leather (corio tannato) and over the sale thereof shew themselves so dear and difficult, because they are not liable to be chastised in the city for their excesses, that because of the dearness of the leather the petitioners dwelling in the city cannot serve the king’s people there from their mystery, make the accustomed watches, and contribute with others of the city to tallages, taxations and other charges, without great depression of their estate, the king has granted that from now they may use both the mystery of the tanner and the mystery of the shoemaker, during pleasure.

Dec. 1. Presentation of Robert de Segbrok to a mediety of the church of Segbrok, in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king’s gift by reason of the priory of Eye being in his hands on account of the war with France.

Dec. 1. Ratification of the estate of the provost and chaplains of the chantry of Cotherstok in the church of Barneby super Done, which they hold as appropriated. By K. on the information of Thomas de Brembre.

Nov. 30. Licence for John de Stouford to found a house at Stoke in Tynhide, co. Devon, in honour of God, the Virgin Mary, His mother, and St. Andrew the Apostle, to constitute a chaplain there to be called the warden of the house of St. Andrew of Stoke, and to assign the manor of Stoke and the advowson of the church of the said manor to the said warden and the chaplains in mortmain, to celebrate divine