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workmen for the king's works in the manor of Henle, and stone, timber, tiles, lime and other necessaries, as well as carriage for the same to the manor; and to arrest all whom they find contrariant or rebellious herein and detain them in prison in Wyndesore Castle until they be willing to serve in the said works.

By K.

June 16.
Westminster.

Grant to the abbot and convent of Pippewell, who have granted to the king and his heirs the pasture and grass of the lawn of Banefeld in Rokyngham forest and all other things pertaining to them in the lawn, of the advowson of the church of Geytyngton, co. Northampton, held in chief, which Queen Isabel has surrendered into the king's hands; and licence for them to appropriate the church.

By K.

July 20.
Westminster.

Protection with clause rogamus, for one year, for the master and brethren of the house and order of the brethren of the kinighthood of St. Mary of Bethlehem without Bisshopegate in the suburb of London, who depend on charity for their subsistence, and their attorneys and proctors, collecting for alms in England, Ireland and Wales.

July 20.
Westminster.

On the petition of Richard, archbishop of Armagh, praying that, whereas the pope by bull has granted licence for him and his successors to acquire for their table churches having cures, with glebes and other appurtenances, not exceeding the taxation of 100 marks a year and to appropriate the churches, he may acquire advowsons of such churches and one or two acres of land by the name of glebe for each advowson in case those advowsons pertain to land, and priories and cells subject to houses of alien religious in Ireland of the power of France with churches appropriated to such priories and cells, not exceeding the said taxation, and appropriate the same, the king, in consideration of the good bearing of the archbishop about the direction of the king's business in Ireland and his good rule of the said land for the preservation of the king's honour, as well as the poverty of the archbishopric, which is for the most part among the king's Irish enemies, has granted him the licence prayed for, notwithstanding the statute of mortmain and any mandate of the king addressed to the justiciary or other ministers in Ireland, to the contrary. He has granted licence also for them to sell lands and rents of the archbishopric held of him or others in frank almoin or other manner for as much as the said advowsons etc. can be acquired for. Saving always to the king the farms, issues and profits of the said priories and cells and of the lands and possessions thereof, and the fees and advowsons pertaining to them during the war with France, and at all times when such houses and priories be taken into the king's hands on account of such war.

By K.

July 26.
Westminster.

Pardon to the abbot and convent of Vale Royal, co. Chester, in aid of the fabric of their church begun there, of 15d. of their portion of the tenth last granted to the king by the clergy.

By p.s.

July 26.
Westminster.

Appointment, during pleasure, of William de Nessefeld as steward, keeper and surveyor of all lands late of Roger Barent now in the king's hands, which are ordained for the use of the new house founded by the king for the habitation of nuns of the order of the Preachers at Dertford, and of all other lands and tenements in the city of