1359.  
Aug. 18.  Grant for life to the king's sergeant at arms John Mayn, for long service, of his accustomed wages, to wit 12d. a day at the exchequer, as well when he be absent from the household as when present.  
          By p.s.

Aug. 22.  Licence for Edward Lovetot to enfeoff Ellis, parson of the church of Southo, and Richard Moigne, chaplain, of a messuage, a carucate of land and 10l. of rent, in Southo, Bouton and Overton Waterville, held in chief, on condition that beyond these other lands or tenements remain to him in fee which are likewise held of the king in chief; and for them to grant the same to him, Joan, his wife, and his heirs.  
          By p.s.

July 12.  Protection and safe conduct, for fifteen years, for merchants of the realm and power of the king of Aragon, their servants, ships and mariners and all other subjects of the said king trading in England, the cities of Bordeaux and Bayonne, and all other lands and places of the king's dominion. They and their goods are not to be arrested for debts whereof they are not sureties or principal debtors or for robbery or trespass done on land or sea unless they are the trespassers. In the event of war, they shall have sixty days in which to collect their debts, sell their merchandise and finish their business, and if delayed by contrary winds or other unavoidable cause the king grants them another sixty days or more if necessary.  
          By K. & C.

MEMBRANE 12.

July 28.  To the sheriff of York, the mayor and bailiffs of the city of York and all other bailiffs and lieges. The king has learned from the guardian and Friars Minors of the said city that they or some of them and many, by their authority or order or at any rate under cover of these, have often wickedly made ambushes against felons fleeing for sanctuary to the friars' hospice and church and watches by day and night within their fences (septa), and sometimes nefariously entering the enclosures and rushing upon the fugitives and laying hands and blows upon them have sacrilegiously expelled and dragged them forth in contempt of the friars and their ecclesiastical liberty, breaking their houses and walls and treading down their gardens; whereby their liberty is violated, celebrations of divine service are disturbed, the peace and quiet of the people are injured and the friars dare not come forth from their close; and therefore he has taken the friars and their church, all things within the fences of their habitation and the enclosures themselves into his special protection and inhibits all persons under a heavy forfeiture from entering from this time forth the said fences or disturbing the guardian and friars in the celebration of divine service or doing other things required by their rule from following fugitives to the hospice for defence after they are within the fences of the habitation, laying violent and sacrilegious hand on them, setting watches on them, making ambushes within the fences, or doing violence in any way to the warden and friars, their households and servants.  
          By letter of secret seal.

July 29.  Grant to John Chandos who now is to stay with the king for life, for service done in the office of under-chamberlain in which the king has newly put him as well as in other ways, of an annuity of 100l. at the exchequer, for life or until the king cause him to be provided for in an equivalent of land and rent.  
          By p.s.