1364. Membrane 3—cont.

Jan. 7. Pardon of special grace to Henry le Mort, servant of Ellis de Entwysil, of the king's suit for the death of Robert son of Robert de Cundeclyf of the county of Lancaster, killed before 1 July last, whereof he is indicted or appealed, and of any consequent outlawry. By p.s.
And the said Henry found before the king in the chancery mainpernors for his good behaviour, as appears in a memorandum on the dorse of the Close Roll of this year.


Jan. 24. Licence, for 200l. of which John Bele, otherwise called John Fleccher, has paid 100l. into the chamber by the hands of the king's yeoman Helming Leget, receiver of the said chamber, and is bound with Nicholas de Tamworth by a recognisance made in the chancery to pay the residue on the morrow of the Ascension, for the abbess and convent of Fontevrault to grant to the said John and Joan, his wife, for life, the manor of Grovesbury, held of the king in chief, and of the value of 120 marks yearly (fees and advowsons excepted); on condition that they and the survivor of them find for life two chaplains to celebrate divine service daily in the manor for the good estate of the king and Queen Philippa and their children, for their souls when they are departed this life. By p.s.
Memorandum that the recognisance of the said 100l. of which mention is made in the letters is enrolled on the dorse of the Close Roll of this year.

Membrane 2.

Jan. 10. Licence for the alienation in mortmain by Benedict Zely, Henry Zely and William Taillour to the prior provincial and friars of St. Augustine in England of a place containing 2 acres of land in the town of La Rye within the liberty of the Cinque Ports, whereon there used to be five messuages held of the king in chief by a service of 2s. 10d. yearly, which messuages are now destroyed by the sea whereby the place is at present worth nothing, as has been found by inquisition taken by Robert de Herle, warden of the said Ports, to build thereon an oratory and manse for friars of the order to augment the divine cult and to celebrate divine service for the good estate of the king and the said Benedict, Henry and William, and for their souls, when they are departed this life, and for the souls of their progenitors and heirs. By p.s.

Jan. 15. Grant, for life or until other order, to Henry Balle, late one of the keepers of the king's destriers, for long service and because he cannot labour longer in the king's service by reason of infirmity, of an annuity of 5 marks at the exchequer. By p.s.