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England, to sue and defend pleas and quarrels for or against the said Thomas in Ireland, for two years.

Nicholas de Carren, keeper of the king's privy seal, admitted the guardian with the chancellor's licence.

Aug. 10. Grant to the king's kinsman Philip de Courteneye of the keeping of the forest of Dortmore with the herbage there, late of the king's son the prince and now in the king's hand by his son's death, with the fees and profits pertaining to the keeping; to hold for such time as these shall be in the king's hand without anything to be rendered to the king; provided always that he make prompt payment to John de Sully, 'chivaler,' of the yearly sum granted to him for life by the prince out of the profit of the said herbage. By p.s.

Aug. 13. Grant, during pleasure, to William Robert of the office of king's plumber, taking in the office such wages and in such manner as Robert Horerwood, late king's plumber, took in his lifetime. By p.s.

Aug. 12. Whereas the king's son, the late prince, by letters patent granted to Bernard Zedeletz, 'chivaler,' for life, 100 marks yearly out of his chamber at Michaelmas; the king, in consideration of such grant being no longer effective by occasion of his son's death, has granted him for life 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.


Geoffrey Martyn received the attorneys with the licence of William de Burstall, clerk.

Aug. 12. Grant for life to Robert de Assheton of the king's manor of Berton Bristol, rendering at farm for the same 110l. yearly, out of which he shall take the 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer granted to him for life at another time by other letters patent. If the manor be at any time put out of his hands he shall take the said 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer again while the manor be so out of his hands.

Vacated and surrendered, on the ground that on 5 October in this year the king granted him the manor for life without rendering anything. By p.s.

Aug. 12. In consideration of the destruction and damage inflicted on the prior and convent of the house of the order of the Preachers, Oxford, by the king's river or water of Thames running on the south side of their habitation, the king, in order that they may be the better able to preserve their habitation against the said water, has granted to them 20ft. in breadth of the said river from any part along their soil which the river touches, to be measured towards the thread of the stream, to hold in mortmain for the enlargement and defence of their habitation. By p.s.

July 15. Grant, for life or until other order, to William Wymere, whom the king has made one of the yeomen of his household, of 100s. yearly at the Exchequer. By p.s.