Membrane 5—cont.

1335.

Revocation of the late grant to Master Richard de Bynteworth, king's clerk, of the archdeaconry of Ely, which was made by the king in the belief that the temporalities of the see were in his hands by the death of John, bishop of Ely, whereas the said John was then and is now alive; and ratification of the estate of Master John de Offord, king's clerk, as archdeacon by collation of the bishop.

By K.

Dec. 27. Writ of aid, until Easter, for Thomas de Furnham, appointed by John archbishop of Canterbury, the chancellor, a purveyor for his household.

By K.

Dec. 21. Protection and safe conduct, for one year, for Thomas de Melcheburn and William de Melcheburn, merchants, trading about the realm.

By K.

Dec. 28. Writ of aid, until Easter, for John de Thorpe charged by William de Northwell, king's clerk, clerk of the Great Wardrobe, to provide carriage for things purchased for his office.

By bill of the said William.

Dec. 28. Licence for Thomas de la Walle of Lodebrok in the forest of Dene to enfeoff William, Jordan and Walter Prest, chaplain, of two mills and 4 acres of land in Lodebrok, with the water of Lodebrok, held in chief as is said, and for them to re-grant these for life to him and Alice his wife, with remainder in fee to Richard Talbot.

By p.s.

Dec. 23. Whereas the king, by charter, lately granted in fee to John de Denton of Newcastle-upon-Tyne two parts of the manor of Ponteland, with the hamlets of Little Eland and Hegcalverdon, the moor and stone-quarry of Merdisfen and all other appurtenances in the county of Northumberland, then mortgaged to him for a period of five years by David de Strabolgi, earl of Athol, as escheats by the forfeiture of the earl who was said to be an adherent of the Scots in their rebellion, and afterwards restored these to the earl; and whereas he by another charter granted in fee to him the reversion of the manor of Wodchorn, held for life by Mary, countess of Pembroke: the king having regard to the fact that he will have no profit of the manor for the life of the countess, and of the loss which he would sustain from the first grant, in recompense whereof the reversion was granted to him if the said term of five years should lapse in the lifetime of the countess, has granted to him and his executors that if after the lapse of the term the said two parts with the appurtenances should come to the king by the name of a custody by reason of the minority of the heir of the said earl, he or they shall have the custody with all the appurtenances until he obtain the manor of Wodchorn.

By K.

Dec. 31. Appointment of William de Daubeneye, knight, and John Coupegorge to make agreement in the king's name with John, duke of Brittany, the king's kinsman, for an alliance between them; and for a marriage between John, earl of Cornwall, the king's brother, and the daughter of Guy de Britannia, niece and heir of the duke.

[Facdava.]

Dec. 27. Appointment of William Fitz Waryn and John de Shordich to make agreement with Otto, duke of Austria, for a marriage between Frederick, the duke's first-born son, and Joan, the king's daughter.

[Facdava.]

1336.

Jan. 1. Grant to Master Richard le Mareschal, king's yeoman, that whereas he is hindered in obtaining the rent of 6s. in Huntingdon which Thomas de Corbrigg, deceased, held by grant of Edward II, lately granted to him for life by the king's letters patent, for this reason that Eleanor, late the wife of Robert de Brus, held one third part thereof in dower, and the said Thomas died before he had come into such third part pursuant to the late king's grant of the reversion thereof, he shall have as well the said