Membrane 22—cont.

1336.

April 15.

Grant to Robert de Denton, in enlargement of his late appointment to the custody of the smaller piece of the seal for recognisances of debts in the town of Kyngeston-upon-Hull, during pleasure, that he shall hold the office during good behaviour, so that he shall not be removed therefrom without reasonable cause of which the king is to be certified. By p.s.

April 15.

Grant to Richard de la Pole and William de la Pole, his brother, reciting a grant for life by Edward II. to Robert de Hastang, now deceased, of the custody of the manor of Kyngeston-upon-Hull, and of the town of Kyngeston-upon-Hull, and a grant for life on 9 March, 4 Edward III. to the said Richard and William of the reversion of the custody of the said town; reciting further that the king afterwards commanded the mayor, bailiffs and good men of the said town, when by charter on 6 May, in the fifth year of his reign, he granted to them and their successors the borough of Kyngeston-upon-Hull, at a fee farm of 70l., to answer to the said Robert for such farm, and that as it was the intention of the king when he granted to the said Richard and William the reversion of the custody of the town, that they also should have for life the said farm, it is his will that there should be no doubt as to the grant whereby in future they might be hindered in receiving the farm—that they are to have the farm of 70l. with any arrears from the death of the said Robert.

Writ de intendendo in pursuance directed to the mayor, bailiffs and good men of the town.

By K. & C.

April 16.

Grant to the prior and convent of Christ Church, Canterbury, on account of the king's devotion to St. Thomas whose body is in their church, and his sincere affection for John, archbishop of Canterbury, that grants of pensions, corrodies and sustenances from their house, made at any time at the request of the king's progenitors or of the king, shall not prejudice their house as precedents; saving always any right of the king in this behalf.

By K.

April 15.

Exemption for life of Benedict de Hagham of Hakethorpe from being put on assizes, juries or recognisances, and from appointment as mayor, sheriff, coroner, eschentor or other bailiff or minister of the king, against his will.

The like of Roger de Aisterby.

April 18.

Writ of aid for one year for Robert Danhurst appointed a purveyor for the household of queen Isabella.

By bill of the treasurer of the said queen.

The like for the following purveyors for the same:

Alexander de Tyhle. Walter de Lodelowe.
Walter de Molton. Richard de Kynebelle.
Simon Costantyn. Thomas de Norhampton.
William atte Putte. Peter de Ellerker.
Nicholas de Walcote. Walter de Hinkele.

By the same bill.

Afterwards under date of 28 July, the king being then at St. John's Town, William de Stanefeld was appointed in the place of the said Walter de Lodelowe.