MEMBRANE 15—cont.

April 10. Havering-atte-Bower.

Protection and safe conduct, until Midsummer Day, for the king's merchants, Gerard Bonenseigne, Dinus Forcetti, Peter Byne and their fellows, merchants of the society of the Bardi, and John Baronecelli, Thomas de Peruche and their fellows, merchants of the society of the Peruzzi, who have lent the king, for the furtherance of some difficult business in parts beyond the seas and for the defence of the realm, 2,000 sacks of wool which were theirs before the ordinance lately made for taking up wool for his use, and are charged by him to bring the same with speed to the city of London and the towns of Boston, Southampton, Kyngeston-upon-Hull and Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

By fine of 1 mark. Kent.

April 16.

Tower of London.

Presentation of Roger de Brom, parson of the church of Gunby in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Cretyng St. Mary in the diocese of Norwich, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the priory of Cretyng being in his hands by reason of the war with France; on an exchange of benefices with John Caspe.

MEMBRANE 14.

March 12.

Writ de intendendo in favour of John de Poynton under the following circumstances. By letters patent of 19 March, 7 Edward III., the king gave to his son Edward, now duke of Cornwall and earl of Chester, all debts and arrears of accounts and other services due to him in the said county or elsewhere in right of the earldom and of the castles of Chester, Rotherlan and Flynt and the lands which he had there; and afterwards, wishing to be certified what debts were due before the said day, he caused a certificate of them by the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer to be exemplified under the Great Seal; and the duke has deputed the said John during his pleasure to levy all these debts and arrears for his use. By p.s.

March 12.

Writ of aid, until Midsummer Day, for Reymund Seguini and Richard de Mereworth deputed by William de Monte Acuto, earl of Salisbury, to make purveyances of wheat, flour, wines, deals, fish, salt, charcoal, hay, litter, oats and other things for him for his passage to parts beyond the seas in the king's company.

March 25.

Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

Writ of aid, until Midsummer Day, for Reymund Seguini and Richard de Mereworth deputed by William de Monte Acuto, earl of Salisbury, to make purveyances of wheat, flour, wines, deals, fish, salt, charcoal, hay, litter, oats and other things for him for his passage to parts beyond the seas in the king's company.

March 12.

Tower of London.

Licence for the alienation in mortmain by John Thomas of Asshewelle, vicar of the church of Waterbech, and William Bryan, clerk, to the prior and convent of Bernewelle, in satisfaction of 100s. of the 10l. yearly of land and rent which the king, at the request of queen Philippa, has granted them licence to acquire, of a messuage, 10s. of rent and 3 roods and a moiety of a carucate of land, in Comberton, Drayton, Brune, Bernewell and the suburb of Cambridge, of the yearly value of 40s. 8d., as appears by

April 15.

Havering-atte-Bower.

Licence for the alienation in mortmain by William le Frenshe and John atte Brome of Canterbury to the prior and Friars Preachers of Canterbury of a messuage for the enlargement of their dwelling-place.

By fine of 1 mark. Kent.