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Membrane 42—cont.

Yarmouth, Wynchelsea and Dertmuth at Midlent last to go thence on the king's service as should be ordered. By p.s.

May 10. Westminster.

Pardon to John Wagge of his outlawry in the county of Lincoln for non-appearance before the king to answer touching a plea of trespass of the abbot of Swyneshed and Thomas de Algerkirk, his fellow-monk, he having now surrendered to the Marshalsea prison on account of such outlawry.

May 1. Westminster.

Grant to Thomas de Rokeby that, whereas the king lately granted to him the bailiwick of the wapentake of Yuccrosse at will, and afterwards for life, he shall receive in fee 10s. yearly of land or rent if the bailiwick be for any cause taken from him without his fault. By K.

MEMBRANE 41.


Prohibition to all ecclesiastical persons from proceedings in derogation of the king's right to present to the church of Foston in the diocese of Lincoln, by reason of the priory of Lenton being in his hands on account of the war with France, and of his presentation of David de Wolloure, king's clerk, to the same.


Notification to the bailiffs and commonalty of the city of Norwich that, whereas in certain letters of confederacy between the king and the burgomasters, échevins and consuls of Bruges, Ypres and Ghent, it is agreed among other things that the common seals of the city of London and other cities and boroughs of the realm shall be set to the same, the king is sending to them Robert de Scardeburgh and Thomas de Gairgrave to obtain their common seal to the same. He requests that they will make no difficulty about affixing their seal, promising that they and their successors shall not be prejudiced thereby. By K. & C.

The like to the following:

The mayor, bailiffs and commonalty of the city of Lincoln.

The mayor, bailiffs and commonalty of the city of York.

April 28. Westminster.

Commission to J. archbishop of Canterbury, Richard, earl of Arundel, and William de Clynton, earl of Huntingdon, reciting that many collectors and controllers of customs and troners of wool are stated to have been negligent in their offices, especially while the king was beyond the seas and that for this reason he has ordained in the present Parliament that all such whether holding office for life or during pleasure shall be removed, and appointing them to remove these in the port of London and the ports of Sandwich, Chichester, Southampton, Exeter and Bristol and in any other places towards the west where customs are collected, notwithstanding any letters of the king they may have of the said offices for life, term of years or during good behaviour, and to substitute others in their places, certifying the king of the names of these that letters patent may be made to them in the customary manner and they may enter upon office after taking the usual oath. By K. & C.

The like to the following:

R. bishop of Durham
Henry de Percy
Ralph de Nevill
Geoffrey le Scrope
H. bishop of Lincoln
Henry de Ferraris
John Darcy 'le cousyn'
Robert de Sadyngton

in the ports of Kyngeston-upon-Hull, York, Hertilpole, Newcastle-upon-Tyne and Berwick-on-Tweed.

in the ports of Boston, Lynn, Great Yarmouth and Ipswich.