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MEMBRANE 49.

May 24. Presentation of William de Feriby, king's clerk, prebendary of the prebend of Sharhowe in the church of St. Wilfrid, Ripon, in the diocese of York, to the prebend of Malvepast in the free chapel of Hastynge in the diocese of Chichester, on an exchange of benefices with Master William de Alberwyk, king's clerk. By p.s. Grant to the said Master William of the same prebend of Sharhowe, in the king's gift by reason of the voidance of the see of York. Mandate in pursuance to the keeper of the spirituality of the said see.

May 29. Assignment to Thomas de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick, in satisfaction of 200L lent to the king in his great necessity at Sluys in Flanders on his last passage there on his way towards England, of that sum out of moneys arising from fines before the king's justices in the county of Warwick, appointed to hear and determine divers oppressions against the king and people, as well as out of the issues and amercements of that county, by the hands of the sheriff; and it is the king's will that William de Cusancia, king's clerk, keeper of his wardrobe, shall be charged with the said 200L. By p.s. Mandate in pursuance to the sheriff of Warwick.

May 30. Presentation of Thomas Flemyn, parson of the church of Hagham in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Berughby in the same diocese, in the king's gift by reason of the priory of Eye being in his hands on account of the war with France; on an exchange of benefices with Robert Flemyn. By p.s.

May 19. By letters patent the king lately granted to Robert Bertram, in lieu of 100L. of ransom due for Henry Litel, a Scot, taken by him in war in Scotland, whom the king retained in his own power, the 10L. yearly of land in Lourbotel, which he was said to hold of him at farm, for a certain time, and the said Robert has now made supplication that, whereas the king holds no land in Lourbotel but only 10L. of rent out of lands which he, in right of his wife Margaret, and other tenants, hold at the rent of 4d. for each acre, which rent Thomas de Stratton used to render at the exchequer by the hands of the sheriff of Northumberland for 232. 6s. of land of one serjeanty of Matfen, in Naffrenton and Matfen, in that county, the king will grant to him and his heirs for ever the said rent of 10L. in lieu of said 10L. yearly of land. The king, in consideration of his good and gratuitous service, has released to the said Robert, Margaret his wife and their heirs all that they are bound to pay him of the rent and granted that they shall have the residue of the rent which the tenants of the said towns are bound to pay for their lands, by the hands of the said tenants. By p.s. Mandate in pursuance to the tenants of Lourbotel, Matfen and Naffrenton.

June 2. Assignment to the duke of Gueldres, the king's brother, in part satisfaction of debts of the king, the said duke and others to Simon de Hale, as well as of sums wherein the king is bound to the duke