1347.

charter of the chapter granting the same, which they had of the grant of Geoffrey, sometime bishop of Coutances, in return for 400l. of sterlings or an equivalent in other money, dated 4 December, 1336; and (3) the record and process of an assize of novel disseisin taken at Dorchester before John de Stouford and his fellows, justices assigned to take the assizes in the said county, on Thursday after 29 August, 15 Edward III, between Richard, abbot of Middelton, and Richard le Yonge, William Fitz Waryn, Nicholas Daubeneye and Henry Parys, by Ralph atte Cros, their bailiff, of the manor and advowson aforesaid, wherein it was adjudged that the abbot recover his seisin of the premises by view of the recognitors; and confirmation of the same that the abbot and convent be not disturbed in their possession by colour of the taking of the lands of the alien priories into the king’s hand on account of the war with France or of any imposition or tribute reserved to the king thereon in times of war or because the premises are held in chief.

By p.s. and for 5 marks, which he will pay to the king. Dorset.

Sept. 24.

Grant, with the assent of Henry de Percy to whom the king by letters patent lately granted the keeping of the king’s castle of Scardeburgh for his life with a fee of 40 marks yearly, that Richard Tempest shall hold the same for the remainder of the term.

By p.s.

Mandate to the said Henry for livery to him of the castle, with the armour, victuals and other things therein.

Oct. 1.

Grant for life to Christiana late the wife of John Swerd, which John died in the king’s service, of 100s. yearly out of the manor of Brustwyk, towards the sustenance of her and her children.

By letter of the seal called the ‘griffon.’

Oct. 12.

Protection with clause volumus, until the octaves of Hilary, for Robert son of John de Bilkemor, staying in Ireland on the king’s service in the company of John Morice. Renewed by testimony of John himself.

The like for him, under the name of Robert de Bilkemor, ‘chivaler.’

The same Robert, under the name of Robert de Bilkemor, ‘chivaler,’ son of John de Bilkemor, has letters nominating John de Insula Bona and Robert de Pullokeshull as his attorneys for the same time.

James Huse received the attorneys by writ.

Oct. 5.

Presentation of Richard de Adeneye, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Estchynnok, in the diocese of Bath and Wells, in the king’s gift by reason of the nonage of William de Monte Acuto, son and heir of William de Monte Acuto, earl of Salisbury.

Oct. 12.

Presentation of Robert son of Simon de Assheburn, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Mathelfeld, in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, in the king’s gift by reason of the priory of Tuttebury being in his hands on account of the war with France.

Oct. 8.

Grant to Peter de Brugge of the office of clerk and surveyor of the king’s works in the palace of Westminster and the Tower of London, during pleasure.

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Oct. 9.

Presentation of Walter Holm, chaplain, to the vicarage of the church of Horsford, in the diocese of Norwich, in the king’s gift by reason of the priory of St. Faith being in his hands on account of the war with France.