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Dec. 1. Westminster. *Inspeximus* and confirmation of letters patent of Edward, prince of Wales, duke of Cornwall and earl of Chester, dated at Westminster, on 8 November, 21 Edward III, granting for life to John de Moveroun, his yeoman, the office of controller of the stannary, surrendered into his hands by Peter de Gildesburgh, his clerk, to whom he had granted the same for life.

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Dec. 10. Westminster. Ratification of the estate of Thomas Botiller as prebendary of the prebend of Wygyngton and Cumberford, in the collegiate church of Tamworth.

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Dec. 9. Westminster. Whereas the king by letters patent lately granted to Robert de Meuros that the office of the forestership of Ingelwode, which Randolf le Forester holds for life, should come to him at the death of Randolf to hold for life with the accustomed wages and fees, and whereas he has surrendered the said letters patent: the king at his request has granted that the office shall come to Thomas de Lespicerie of Penreth, if he survive Randolf, to hold for his life as above.

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Nov. 18. Langley. Whereas Peter de Grandissuno lately granted to Roger de Bello Campo and Sibyl, his wife, in tail male, the reversion of the manor of Lidyyard Tregoz, co. Wilts, the advowson of the church thereof excepted, which is held in chief, expectant on the demise of Agnes de Northwode, the present tenant, without licence, the king has pardoned the trespass in this behalf and granted that Roger and Sibyl may enter upon the same after the death of Agnes and hold the manor in tail male on condition that if they die without heir male of their bodies, the manor shall revert to the grantor and his heirs.

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Dec. 15. Westminster. Protection, for such time as the last truce entered into at Calais shall endure, for the merchants and other men of Amiens trading within the realm, that their merchandise and goods be not arrested by pretext of arrest on merchants, strangers and their goods at the suit of merchants and others of England on account of trespasses against them by strangers.

By K. & C.

Dec. 16. Westminster. Whereas the king has ordained that certain of his merchants shall carry the wool, which he commanded to be collected and levied in divers counties of the 20,000 sacks of wool granted to him by magnates and others of the realm in the council held at Westminster on 8 March last for the saving of the realm and the expedition of the war with France, to divers ports and thence to parts beyond the seas to make his profit of; he has assigned John Iperlyng and Nicholas de Eothum to do this for the wool collected in the counties of Cumberland and Westmoreland.

By C.

Dec. 15. Iver. Promise, for good service in the war in parts beyond the seas, to William de Clynton, earl of Huntingdon, of 823L. 12s. 4d. as a gift.

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Dec. 20. Iver. Protection, during pleasure, for Peter le Monyer, born of Amiens, now a burgess of the town of Welles, having there a wife, children and permanent domicile, and making continual stay within the realm, whom the king wishes to be held for a denizen and inhabitant of the realm, and for his goods, merchandise and possessions.

By K.

Dec. 26. Guildford. Presentation of John Seys to the church of Shaldeflete, in the Isle of Wight, in the king's gift by reason of his custody of the lands and heir of William de Monte Acuto, earl of Salisbury; directed to W. bishop of Winchester.

By p.s.