

*Membrane 19—cont.*

1348.

'hermitage of Stratfeldsay,' co. Berks, and other lands of the value of 80*l.* yearly, he rendering to the king during wars with France as much as the abbot and convent should render, he and his heirs shall retain the same quit of all manner of farm to the king. By p.s.

Nov. 18.  
Westminster.

Signification to R. bishop of Chichester, of the royal assent to the election of brother Nicholas de Stanlygh, monk of the house of Boxgrave, the advowson whereof pertains to the king for this turn by reason of the knights' fees and advowsons of churches of Hugh de Sancto Johanne, deceased, tenant in chief, being in his hands, to be prior of that place.

Nov. 18.  
Westminster.

Licence for Maud late the wife of John de Marmyoun, knight, to crenellate the manor of Westtanfeld, co. York. By p.s.

Nov. 21.  
Sandwich.

Whereas Robert de Holte, to whom the king lately granted the keeping of the smaller piece of the seal for the recognisances of debts in the town of Suthampton, stays assiduously in the company of some continually assisting the king, whereby he cannot be attendant to the office in person as required by the statute, the king has committed the keeping to Thomas de Abyndon, clerk, during the pleasure of him and the said Robert.

By p.s.

Nov. 14.  
Sandwich.

Grant to John de la Chaumbre, king's clerk, of the wardenship of the chapel in the castle of Wyndesore, with all its rights and appurtenances.

By p.s.

Nov. 5.  
Sandwich.

Presentation of John de Brigham to the church of Mep'am, in the diocese of Rochester and of the immediate jurisdiction of Canterbury, in the king's gift by reason of the voidance of the archbishopric of Canterbury.

By p.s.

Nov. 20.  
Westminster.

Presentation of Robert de Billyng of Cugeho, king's clerk, parson of the church of Knottyng, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the vicarage of the church of Braunfeld, in the same diocese, in the king's gift by reason of the priory of St. Andrew, Northampton, being in his hands on account of the war with France; on an exchange of benefices with Richard de Tissynton, king's clerk.

Nov. 19.  
Westminster.

Whereas the king by letters patent on 14 November, in his twenty-first year, in satisfaction of 10*l.* yearly of rent promised for life to John Touk, Queen Isabella's butler, granted him the manor of Savoie as of that value, he answering at the exchequer for any surplus; as a more abundant grace the king has granted to him for life the manor, as well as a parcel of that manor called 'Whithcok,' to hold as of the value of 10*l.* yearly without rendering anything to the king either from the said 14 November or from now, notwithstanding that the king's grandfather, and father or any other of his progenitors was answered of a larger sum at the exchequer for the same.

By p.s.

Oct. 15.  
Westminster.

Whereas Nicholas de Bokelond, king's clerk, and William de Berkhamptede by the king's order and by commission under his seal called the 'griffoun,' sold to divers merchants all the great wood in the parks, out-woods, hays, orchards and elsewhere in the manors and lands late of Margery late the wife of Nicholas de la Beche, now wife of John de Dalton, knight, in his hands on account of the forfeiture of the said John, now outlawed for felonies and seditions in the county of Wilts by process before William de Thorpe and his fellows, justices appointed to hear and determine the same, as by the record and process of the indictment and