Membrane 6—cont.

1349. by John de Vaux, escheator in the counties of Notyngham and Derby, to hold as of the value of 61 marks in part satisfaction of the 10l. yearly of land and rent which the late king granted licence for John Notebroun, chaplain, late warden of the chapel, to acquire in mortmain.

Grant for life to the king's yeoman, John de Merlowe, of the office of marshal in the common bench of Dublin, with the usual fees; and grant that, as he is in constant attendance at the king's side, he may have a deputy in the office.

By p.s.

Jan. 28. Westminster. Mandate to the justices of the said bench to permit William Bette to discharge the office as his deputy.

Jan. 20. Westminster. Grant to the king's clerk, Master Godfrey de Fromound, his physician, for good service rendered to the king as well within the seas as beyond and because by his order he is many times attending upon Queen Philippa as well as divers others without the household, that he shall take the wages pertaining to him by reason of the office, to wit 12d. daily and 8 marks yearly of his robes by the hands of the keeper of the king's wardrobe, for the time when he be absent from the household as well as when present in it, so long as he be of the king's retinue or until fitting order be made for his estate elsewhere.

By p.s.

Exemption for life, at the request of Michael de Ponynges, of Thomas de Passele, knight, from being put on assizes, juries or recognitions, and from appointment as mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner or other bailiff or minister of the king, against his will.

By p.s.

Licence for John de Grauntsete to found a chapel in honour of the Virgin Mary on the stone bridge of the city of Dublin, ordain two chaplains to celebrate divine service therein daily for the good estate of the king and Queen Philippa, and the said John, for their souls when they are dead, and for the souls of their progenitors and heirs and of all those to whom John alive or dead is bound, as well as for the mayor and commonalty of the city, and to charge certain tenements in the city, held of the king in burgage, with 100s. of rent to the mayor and commonalty for the sustenance of the chaplains.

Changed because sealed at another time by p.s.

Licence for John Fitz Johan to enfeoff Thomas Frysel and John de Bledelowe of two messuages, a carucate and 60 acres of land, 8 acres of meadow, 4 acres of pasture, 8 acres of wood and 60s. of rent in Edelesburgh and Tychefeld, held in chief, and for them to re-grant the same to him and Agnes his wife, daughter of James Frysel, in tail, with remainder to the right heirs of the said John.

Changed because sealed at another time by fine of 5l. 3s.

Whereas the king by letters patent lately granted for life to Robert de Holte the keeping of the smaller piece of the seal for the recognisances of debts at Suthampton on condition of his discharging the office in person; at the request of some of his secretaries he has granted to him for life that he may discharge the office by a clerk, and that whenever he shall see fit to nominate one a commission thereof, during the pleasure of the king and of him, shall be made out under the great seal to such clerk.

By p.s.

Grant for life to the king's clerk, Matthew de Assheton, of the free chapel of St. Thomas uppe Grene, Shireburn, in the king's gift by reason of the voidance of the abbey of Shireburn.

By p.s.