Membrane 18—cont.

and assign to the master or warden of the same and the brethren and sisters to be established therein, twenty virgates of land in the town of Seintpierporth and 80 quarters of wheat yearly from lands in that town. The said place is held in chief by the service of rendering to the king yearly two hens of the price of 2 sterlings, 4 deniers de Paris for a rent called 'ferme,' and 10 sheaves of the common crops, called 'chaumpert,' worth 3 sterlings, and ½ a bushel of wheat, worth 1 sterling, and the twenty virgates and the lands from which the 80 quarters of wheat come, are held of the king in chief by a service called 'chaumpert,' to wit the eleventh sheaf to be paid to him yearly by the hands of the tenants of the lands, and the twenty virgates are worth yearly 40s. and each quarter of the said wheat 2s. and the king according to the laws and customs of those islands does not have wards or marriages by pretext of any land held of him there and cannot require anything except the rents and services due.

By p.s.


The like, after inquisition ad quod damnum made by William de Middelton, escheator in the county of Suffolk, in consideration of 20l. to be paid to the king by the prior of Ixeworth, and at the request of Robert de Ufford, earl of Suffolk, for Boesia late the wife of Edmund de Pakenham, to enfeoff the said prior and the convent of Ixeworth and their successors of a moiety of the manor of Ixeworth (1/2 of rent therein and the advowson of a mediety of the priory of Ixeworth excepted) which manor is held in chief, for the sustenance of two canons, chaplains to be admitted beyond the number of chaplains ordained therein in the beginning, to celebrate divine service daily in the priory church for the souls of the faithful departed; and for the prior and convent to regrant the same to her for life with remainder to Hervey her son for life.

And the 20l. have been paid in the hanaper.

July 12. Rotherhithe.

Grant, during pleasure, to William de Rossyngton, of the office of chief sergeant of Offelen and Omurthy, in the county of Kildare, Ireland, with all the profits pertaining to the office.

By C.


Presentation of Alexander de Newerk, parson of the church of St. Peter the Little, York, in the diocese of York, to the vicarage of the church of Blyth, in the same diocese, in the king's gift by reason of the priory of Blyth being in his hands on account of the war with France; on an exchange of benefices with Richard de Bekyngham.


Grant to Thomas de Thweng of the wardship of the lands and the marriage of William son and heir of William de Sancto Quintino of Harpeham if this pertain to the king, and remission to him of that which pertains to the king of the wardship and marriage for this turn; and so from heir to heir.

By letter of griffon.


Presentation of John son of Richard Goce of Hallestede, parson of the church of Calverton, in the diocese of Lincoln, to the church of Pontelowe, in the diocese of London, in the king's gift by reason of the keeping of the lands and heir of Roger Norman, tenant in chief, being in his hands; on an exchange of benefices with Henry de Undell.

July 12. Rotherhithe.

On the supplication of the mayor, bailiffs and commonalty of the king's city of Cork in Ireland shewing that on account of the last pestilence in those parts, as well as by destruction and waste done daily by the king's Irish enemies dwelling near their city, as also by fires occurring there by mischance and various other causes they are brought to such great need and poverty that they cannot satisfy him of their farms of 80 marks for