1248.

Grant, during pleasure, to Meredec ap Richard, who for his service to the king has lost his lands in Wales, of 20l. a year out of the issues of the counties of Salop and Stafford, for his maintenance in the king’s service.

Aug. 22. Woodstock.

Presentation of Thomas Pascelewe to the church of Lakesford, in the diocese of Norwich, in the king’s gift by reason of the voidance of the abbey of St. Edmund.

Request to Clarus Hugelini to let Master Peter de Vinea have 40 marks, Master John de Cap[us] his nephew, 20 marks, and Master Walter de Ocra 40 marks, wherein the king is bound to them for their fee of Easter term last; and the king will repay him in England on receipt of his letters thereof.


To the barons of London. The king has taken into his hands the whole liberty of their city and has committed it until further order to the keeping of William de Haverhull and Edward de Westmonasterio; and therefore he commands them to be intendant to them in all that pertains to that liberty.

Mandate to them to be intendant to the keeping of the same liberties until further order [altered from ‘at least until the quinzaine of Michaelmas’] and to keep the profits arising therefrom to the king’s use, not permitting the mayor or sheriffs to use their offices. And if the citizens next Michaelmas, as usual, wish to create new sheriffs, the barons are by no means to admit them.

Grant to S. de Monteforti, earl of Leicester, that if the lot of mankind befall him at any time of the year, whether beyond or this side the seas, he shall have for eight years from the day of his death all the issues of all his land in England of the honor of Leicester for the discharge of his debts and the execution of his will.

Pardon to Roger de Radesford of his flight and outlawry for the death of Thomas de Longa Mora, whom he killed by misadventure, as appears by the inquisition at Creulefeld; on the usual condition.

MEMBRANE 2.

Sept. 1. Marlborough.

Grant to Henry le Peytevin of the marriage of Bametha late the wife of Eborard le Tyes, if she will accept him as her husband. Grant to him also that if, without his assent and will, she marry another, he shall have whatever would fall to the king if she married without the king’s licence.

Grant to Nicholas de Lenham that he be quit of the fine of 400 marks, which he made with the king for the land of Redhale, which the king claimed from him as his escheat of the lands of Normans, on condition that he stay in the king’s service in Gascony with three knights for one year at his own expense.

Exemption, for life, of Auda de Boelles, the queen’s damsel, for her and her villains of Bulewell, from suits of counties, hundreds orwapentakes, view of frank pledge and sheriffs’ aid.

Sept. 7. Marlborough.

Bond to Raymond Arnaldi, vicomte of Tartas, in 140 marks, because he adhered to the king and delivered his castles to the seneschal of Gascony in the king’s war against Gaston de Byern, to be paid at Easter next.