Ralph de Norwyco, then chancellor of Ireland and the barons and chamberlains of Dublin, to pay out of the issues of the archbishopric of Dublin, and the void bishoprics of Ireland to Amauvin de Varreys 631/2d., arrears of his fee and wages and for losses of horses and other losses in the time of the war of Gascony, and that mandate has not been executed, as the king is moved to hear, as the said issues were sufficient for a greater payment, they are to pay without further delay to the said Amauvin, or to Raymond leFraunceys his attorney, what remains due to him before making any other payments out of the said issues by pretext of any other mandate. And upon payment they are to receive from him these letters and the former letters with letters of the said attorney testifying such payment, and the king will cause the amount to be allowed in the said issues.

Membrane 6.

June 15. Bond by the king, Queen Eleanor and Edward their first-born son, to Maynettus Spine, Rustikellus Cambii, Hugucio Simonetti called Macee, Hugettus, brothers (Fritius), Deuteycttus Gwillemi, and their fellows, citizens and merchants of Florence, in 10000 marks of good, new and lawful sterlings, counting 13s. 4d. to the mark, which money they acknowledge have been paid to them renouncing all exceptions, with promise, singly and jointly, to pay the same before Midsummer, 1258, at the New Temple, London. If however it be not paid fully by them at that term they promise to pay every two months 1 mark for every 10 marks as compensation for losses, interest and expenses in the recovery of the same. They will believe the amount of such losses on the simple oath of them, or each of them or their proctor, and they will not retain the said debt under pretext of such compensation beyond the term aforesaid. And for the payment of this they bind themselves, the realm, their heirs and all their goods, to wit, more particularly the fruits, rents and profits arising from void archbishoprics, bishoprics, abbeys and priories in England, wardships (de wardis pupillorum), sale of woods or forests and marriages of women except the marriage granted to Sir Robert Waleraund, the escheats of the Jewry and the money (moneda) which the king has now or shall have hereafter, the obventions arising from the tenth of ecclesiastical revenues and from the fruits of void benefices, and from certain other apostolic graces (gratiae apostolicæ) granted to the king for the prosecution of his vow, of all which they cannot make any grant to any other purpose until the said merchants are fully paid, except wardships under the value of 50 marks and escheats of inheritances which the king has promised to William de Valencia his brother and to Simon de Monte Forti earl of Leicester, and 3000 marks which ought to be paid out of the sale of woods to certain other of the king's creditors, and except also the void churches of Ely and Carlisle, and the monastery of St. Edmunds. And this done, the said merchants shall, out of the said money received up to next All Saints, first satisfy the king's envoys to the court of Rome to the amount of 10000 marks. And the king and his son Edward swear on the gospels that nothing shall prevent this from being done, and if the said money be not then paid, the bishops of London, Salisbury and Worcester shall place the king and his chapels under an ecclesiastical interdict when they receive a papal mandate for this, and they shall not revoke such sentence until the money is fully paid with the expenses, interest and damages; they renounce all exceptions