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Membrane 21—cont.

Grant for life to Peter le Porter, for his long service to queen Eleanor, of the keeping of the gate of the castle of Winchester; taking from the king 4d. a day for his maintenance.

Mandate to Martin de Roches, constable of the said castle, to deliver the keeping of the gate to him.

Pardon to Richard de Hywis for the death of Reynold de la Shapele; on testimony by Gilbert de Preston and his fellows, justices in eyre in the county of Devon, that he killed him in self defence.

To Master Ralph de Freningham. In view of the fact that he is continually attendant to the business of the king's son Edward, and cannot conveniently attend to the keeping of the priory of Hecham which the king lately committed to him during pleasure, the king has committed that to Gilbert, dean of Sorham, to keep during pleasure, and commands him to deliver it into his keeping.

Writ de intendendo to the tenants.

Inspectimus and confirmation of letters patent of Master Constantine, archdeacon of Subiry, and Peter de Wintonia, keeper of the wardrobe, appointed by the king and O. cardinal deacon of St. Adrian's to audit the account of the tenth granted to the king by the pope in divers dioceses of the province of Canterbury, dated at Westminster, Wednesday before St. Peter's Chair, in the fifty-fourth year, notifying that R. bishop of Norwich made fine with the king as well for his tenth of temporalities and spiritualities as for the tenth of the rents, benefices, manors, pensions, portions and other ecclesiastical profits temporal and spiritual of the city and diocese of Norwich, and the temporalities and spiritualities as well of the abbot and convent of St. Edmunds, within the said diocese, for the second and third years of the grant and rendered account before them by Richard de Gislingham, his clerk, of 6,000 marks for such fine of the said two years, deducting reasonable expenses; and acquitting him of the said sum.

Ratification of a lease by John de Brittannia, earl of Richmund, to Ralph son of Randolph of the town of Beynebrugg, for six years.

Because the king desires that the business of the cross, on account of which Edward his son and G. de Clare, earl of Gloucester, are going to the king of France, should be promoted with all desires (tolis desideriis) and the said earl has requested the king to give licence for William de Monte Canisio to cross to the king of France with him; the king by these presents gives licence to the said William as prayed.

Feb. 20. Grant, at the instance of Edmund the king's son, to his burgesses of Kardigan, that neither they nor their goods shall be arrested for any debts whereof they were not principal debtors or sureties.

Ratification of the grant which Edward the king's son has made by letters patent to Robert de Tybetot of the manor of Strahale, late of John le Berners, which the said Edward claims to have of the king's grant by occasion of the trespasses of the said John against the king in the time of the disturbance in the realm.