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July 10.  
Westminster.  

Revocation of letters patent dated 4 November granting for life to William Clerk of the county of Devon, esquire, the office of 'la water-bailiff' of the town of Dartmouth: as Richard II by letters patent which the king confirmed on 25 October granted the same for life to William Asshe, and at the suit of the latter the king directed the sheriff of the said county to summon the said William Clerk to appear before him in Chancery at a certain day to show cause why the letters should not be revoked, and the sheriff returned that he had summoned the said William Clerk by Richard Harry, John More, Richard Carpenter and John Bonde, and at the said day the said William Asshe appeared by John Asplon his attorney and the said William Clerk did not appear and judgement was given that the said William Asshe should be restored to possession from the said 25 October.

July 15.  
Westminster.  

Appointment, during pleasure, of William Stokes as steward of the manor of Crokam, co. Berks, the manor of Kersyngton, co. Oxford, and the hundred of Assheruge, co. Wilts, receiving the accustomed fees.  

By bill of the treasurer.

MEMBRANE 33.

June 1.  
Westminster.  

Inspeiximus and confirmation of letters patent dated 31 January, 22 Richard II, inspecting and confirming a composition (French) concerning the governance of the town of Shrewsbury made on Monday after the Assumption, 13 Richard II. For 5 marks paid in the hanaper.

July 4.  
Westminster.  

Grant to the mayor, burgesses and commons of the town of Norhampton, in aid of the repair of the walls of the town, of 40l. yearly for six years from the fee-farm of the town of Kyngesthorpe, co. Northampton.  

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because on 27 January, in the 5th year the king granted to them 10 marks yearly from Michaelmas their last past from the fee-farm of the town of Norhampton.

July 14.  
Westminster.  

Presentation of John Stowe, chaplain, to the vicarage of the prebend of Cormayle in the cathedral church of Hereford, of the jurisdiction of the dean and chapter and in the king's gift, by reason of the temporalities of the alien abbey of Cormayle being in his hands on account of the war with France.

July 1.  
Westminster.  

Inspeiximus and confirmation to the prioress and convent of St. Mary de Pratis by Derby of the following:—

1. A charter dated at Westminster, 10 October, 13 Henry III.  
   [Charta Tal. 13. Henry III. m. 2.]

2. A charter dated at Westminster, 23 October, 19 Henry III.  
   [Monasticon, IV. 309.]  
   By p.s. and for 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

July 2.  
Westminster.  

Grant to the same of 100s. yearly from the fee-farm of the town of Notyngham, as Henry III. granted to them in frank almoyn by letters patent, since burned by accident, to pray for the soul of his father king John.  

By p.s.

MEMBRANE 32.

July 3.  
Westminster.  

Inspeiximus and confirmation to the burgesses of Liskeret of letters patent dated 4 April, 6 Richard II, inspecting and confirming the following:—