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Inspeximus and confirmation to the abbot and convent of St. Mary Graces by the Tower of London of the following:

1. Letters patent dated 7 July, 21 Richard II, being an exemplification of letters patent dated 5 October, 50 Edward III.

2. Letters patent dated 9 March, 20 Richard II, being an exemplification of the enrolment of an indenture (Frensh) dated the feast of St. George the Martyr, 6 Richard II.

3. Letters patent dated 8 March, 20 Richard II, granting licence for them to grant the manor of Retherhithe to the prior and convent of Bermudesseye.

4. Letters patent dated 12 April, 21 Richard II, inspecting and confirming an indenture dated 6 May, 20 Richard II, between William, then abbot, and the convent of St. Mary Graces and John, then prior, and the convent of St. Saviour, Bermudesseye.

5. Letters patent dated 3 July, 22 Richard II. [Monasticon, V. 718.]

6. Letters patent (Frensh) of the king's father John, king of Castile and Leon and duke of Lancaster, John, bishop of Lincoln, Henry, bishop of Worcester, John de Ipres, 'chivaler,' and Nicholas Carreu the elder, dated at London, Michaelmas, 10 Richard II, granting to them in frank almon a messuage by the town of Retherhithe with a dovecote, gardens, meadows and pastures with appurtenances in Bermoundssey, Little Greenewiche and Retherhithe, co. Surrey, which Edward III had of the grant of Walter Forster, formerly citizen of London, and the reversion of the manor of Gomshulf, co. Surrey, on the death of Thomas de Stanes.

7. Letters patent of John de Sokyngham, late bishop of Lincoln, dated at Canterbury in his inn there, 1 March, 22 Richard II, sealed with his seal and also, because that is unknown to many, with the seal of the prior of Christ Church, Canterbury, releasing to them, as the sole survivor of the feeffees appointed by letters patent dated 5 October, 50 Edward III, all his right in the manors of Gravenese, Lenches, Leybourne, Wateryngbury, Gore, Parroch and Bykenmore with the advowsons of the churches of Gravenese, Leybourne and Bykenmore, co. Kent, the manor of Retherhithe, co. Surrey, with the messuage called 'le Graunge' there late of Walter Forster and the reversion of the manor of Gomshulf, co. Surrey.


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MEMBRANES 22—21.

Nov. 4.

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Inspeximus and confirmation to the same of the following:

1. Letters patent of Edward III inspecting the following:
   (1) Letters patent dated 20 March, 24 Edward III. [Monasticon.]

* The ending to these letters is omitted on the roll.