Membrane 9—cont.

March 24. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of Robert Busshey and Lucy his wife and Alice late the wife of John Bukelsmyth, tenants of certain tenements in London, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 10 November, 40 Edward 111, granting the same to Matilda the mother of John Beverle and her heirs.

March 29. Westminster. Mandate to the escheator in the county of Derby for the restitution of the temporalities of the abbey of Derley by Derby to Simon de Repyngdon, canon of the house, whose election as abbot John, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield has confirmed and whose fealty the king has taken.

The like to the escheator in the county of Nottingham.

Writ de intendendo in pursuance to the tenants.

Membrane 8.

March 1. Westminster. Grant for life to the king’s servant Henry Nottyngham of 100s. yearly from the issues of the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk. By p.s.

March 3. Westminster. Grant to the king’s brother John, earl of Somerset, and his heirs of the manors of Sandford Peverell and Aller Peverell, co. Devon, late of William Asthorp, ‘chivaler,’ by acquisition, held in chief and in the king’s hands by reason of escheat because the latter was a bastard and died without heir, not exceeding the value of 40l. yearly, with all lands, rents, services, fees, advowsons, franchises, liberties, wards, marriages, reliefs, escheats, forfeitures, parks, warrens, woods and other profits and commodities, provided that he answer for any surplus, notwithstanding other grants made to him. By p.s.

March 9. Westminster. Licence for John Prene, dean of the cathedral church of St. Patrick, Dublin, to absent himself from Ireland from Christmas last for three years and in the meantime to receive all issues from his said benefice, notwithstanding the statute. By K.

March 10. Westminster. Protection with clause volumus, for one year, for John Holme, staying on the king’s service in the company of the king’s knight John Stanley, lieutenant of Ireland, on the defence of the same land. By bill of p.s.

March 10. Westminster. Grant to John Hertshorne, one of the king’s serjeants at arms, of the 40l. in which the alien prior of Modbury was bound to the earl of Huntyngrdon, deceased, and which pertain to the king by the forfeiture of the earl, for the payment of the 40l. in which he is indebted to divers workmen for the works of the household of the said earl within the city of London.


March 7. Westminster. Grant to the bailiffs and good men of Scardorgh of quayage for ten years.