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June 8. Westminster. Revocation of the protection with clause volumus, for one year, lately granted to John Hammyngherst, staying on the king’s service in the company of the king’s knight John Dabriggecourt, captain of the castle of Calais, on the safe-custody of the same, because he delays in the county of Kent, as the sheriff has certified.

June 6. Westminster. Licence, for 5 marks paid in the hanaper by John Bell of Doncastre and Robert Swaluhill, for them to grant in mortmain two messuages, two gardens, 20 acres of land, 6 acres of meadow, a cucking-stool (scabellum) and 8s. rent in Doncastre and Whayltay, co. York, not held in chief, to William Lower, chaplain of the chantry in the chapel of St. Mary Magdalen, Doncastre, to celebrate divine service daily in the chapel for the good estate of the king and for his soul after death and the souls of the founders and supporters of the chantry.

June 8. Westminster. Exemplification, at the request of the men and tenants of the town of Witloft, of a certificate sent into Chancery by the treasurer and chamberlains of an entry in Domesday Book under the title of the land of Gislebert son of Richer in the county of Surrey. [Domesday Book, fol. 36 b.]

June 12. Westminster. Commission, during pleasure, to John Lassy the younger of the office of tronage and pesage of wools in the port of Newcastle on Tyne, receiving the accustomed wages and fees. By bill of the treasurer.

June 7. Westminster. Grant for life to the king’s esquire Roger Elmham and Elizabeth his wife of 20l. yearly from Michaelmas, 1 Henry IV, from the issues of the county of Norfolk in addition to the 10l. yearly which he has of the grant of Richard II and the king’s confirmation; in lieu of a like grant to them by letters patent dated 29 March, 1 Henry IV (see p. 245), which are invalid because no mention is made of the said 10l. yearly; and pardon to them of the trespass. By p.s.

June 14. Westminster. Commission to Master Thomas Stowe, dean of the church of St. Paul, London, Master John Barnet, clerk, Master John Prophete, clerk, John Cheyn, knight, Hugh Waterton, knight, John Frome, esquire, and John Durward, esquire, to hear and determine an appeal by Geoffrey Wynkeley, chaplain, of the diocese of Exeter, in a maritime case concerning the unjust detention of 12 marks, the fourth part of a crayer called le Wolfaire of Portelemonth and 2 marks 2s. 6d. formage between the said Geoffrey, plaintiff, and Walter Brogge of Kyngesbruge in the same diocese, defendant. John Hauley, late lieutenant of Thomas Percy, earl of Worcester, late admiral of England, gave judgement for Geoffrey and against Walter and the latter appealed and Richard Cradok, knight, and Master Simon Sidenham, doctor of laws, late lieutenants of the said admiral, dismissed the appeal with costs, and afterwards Thomas Organ, lieutenant of Thomas Rameston, admiral of the west, without calling on or warning Geoffrey upset the said judgement and dismissal and condemned him in a sum of money for expenses.