

Membrane 20—cont.

1405.

May 20.
Westminster.

Grant to Thomas Prestbury, the abbot, and the convent of Shrewsbury, in consideration of a great part of their maintenance having been destroyed by the Welsh rebels, that during the life of the said Thomas they shall be quit of the collection or levying of tenths granted to the king in convocations of the clergy, except tenths in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, in which the abbey is situated and founded.

By p.s.

June 24.
Westminster.

Grant to Roger Walden, to whom the pope lately made a provision of the cathedral church of London, but who is unwilling to accept the said benefice without the king's assent and licence, that he may accept the said church as true pastor and bishop.

By p.s.

March 28.
St. Albans.

Grant of denization to Louis Recouchez, the king's physician.

By K.

June 11.
Ripon.

Grant that the king's esquire John Norbury, captain of the castle of Guynes, shall be held blameless if any damage, treason or peril happen to the castle in his absence; as although lately by a writ under the great seal the king ordered him to go in person to the castle for its safe-custody, the king afterwards ordered him by word of mouth to attend him, considering that his presence would be necessary for good counsel and advice on the king's actions touching the governance of Wales and otherwise.

By p.s.

June 12.
Ripon.

Grant for life to Nicholas Saxton, on the surrender by him of letters patent dated 25 March, 3 Henry IV (*see Vol. II, p. 56*), of all lands late of Henry Acclum, who made forfeiture to the king, in the counties of York and Lincoln, with all profits, commodities and emoluments belonging to them to the value of 40*l.* yearly, so that he answer at the Exchequer for any surplus.

By K.

Presentation of Thomas Pannall to the church of St. Cross, York.

By K.

June 30.
Westminster.

Grant for life to William Stodard of Helperby of the office of forester of the wood of Donlond by Thresk with wages of 2*d.* daily at the hands of the receiver of Thresk and the due profits and commodities; the office having come into the king's hands because one Ekok who had it lately rose against the king's royal majesty in the company of Thomas, earl Marshal.

By p.s.

MEMBRANE 19.

May 18.
Westminster.

Exemplification, at the request of brother Andrew de Alice, proctor in England of the abbot and canons of Vercelli in Lombardy, of the tenour of the enrolment of letters patent dated 28 September, 22 Edward III, granting that they shall be treated as denizen in the payment of tenths and other charges touching their church of Chesterton.

May 18.
Westminster.

Licence, for 10*l.* paid by John Coumbe of London the elder in the hanaper, for him to found a chantry of one chaplain to celebrate divine service daily at the altar of St. Katharine the Virgin in the church of St. Michael le Quern, London, for the good estate of the king and the said John and for their souls after death and the soul of Alice late the wife of the said John, and to grant in mortmain to the chaplain two shops in the parish of St. Michael le Quern, held of the king in free burgage.