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MEMBRANE 25—cont.

May 25. Westminster. Grant to the king's servants falconers William Taunt, William Contryyere, Peter Brene, Hankyn Maselyne and Hankyn Mewes of 10l. pertaining to the king because John Bewle alias Goldanayth alias Botille of Skerbeke, co. Lincoln, and John Perle of Northmerston, taken on suspicion of felony and detained in the king's prison of Bedeford, escaped from the same as was presented by an inquisition taken before John Cokayn and his fellows, justices appointed for the delivery of Bedeford gaol, on Thursday before Easter last. Vacated because below.

June 1. Westminster. Grant to the abbot and convent of Brunne, in consideration of their great expenses in suing for letters patent of Richard II and of the king (see Vol. I., p. 155), which are not yet fully executed, of the alien priory of Wyllesford, co. Lincoln, which they and John Oudeby, clerk, now hold of the king at farm at a rent of 20 marks yearly, to hold with all lands, rents, services, knights' fees, advowsons, pensions, portions, possessions, profits and commodities during the war with France without rendering anything to the king. By K.

May 9. Westminster. Pardon, out of reverence for Good Friday, to Joan Houghes, late the wife of Richard Spere of Estchynyomok, who was condemned to death on Tuesday, 16 March, 7 Henry IV, for having killed the said Richard on the feast of SS. Simon and Jude, 7 Henry IV, at Estchynyomok. By p.s.

May 25. Westminster. Whereas the king lately granted licence for his servitor Roger Wodehele to obtain benefices from the pope, and these letters cannot be available because before they were granted the pope made certain graces and provisions to him of a canony and prebend in the church of Wells and a benefice at the disposal of the abbot and convent of Glantenbury, the king pardons the trespass in this and grants licence for the execution of the bulls. By p.s.

May 22. Westminster. Whereas the pope has granted to John Snapp, doctor of decrees, a grace of provision of a canony and a prebend in the cathedral church of Wells and a dignity, parsonage or office in the said church, the king pardons the trespass in this and grants licence for the execution of the bulls. By p.s.

June 6. Westminster. Pardon to William Lanes son of Gilbert Lanes, in consideration of his labours for the king in the wars in Wales, for all treasons, insurrections, rebellions, arsons, murders, adhesions to the king's Irish enemies, depredations, robberies, extortions, misprisions, conspiracies, confederacies, champerties, ambidexterities, felonies, contempts and trespasses committed by him in the time of Richard II and the king. By p.s.