Membrane 5—cont.

Exemplification, at the request of David Holbache, of the tenours of a petition (French) by the commons of the realm in the last Parliament that he and his heirs be considered true English and the answer of the king 'Le Roy le vost.' [Jolls of Parliament, III. 600.]

Commission, during pleasure, to John Wroth, knight, of the office of controller of the great custom and the subsidy of woolls, hides and woolfells in the port of London and all ports and places adjacent, receiving the accustomed fee, so that he execute the office in person, with the keeping of one part of the coket seal.

By bill of the treasurer and by C.

The like to Richard Duffeld of the office of controller of the petty custom and the subsidy of the 3s. on each tun of wine and 12d, on the pound in the port of Lenn and all ports and places adjacent.

By bill of the treasurer and by C.

The like to the following in the ports named and all ports and places adjacent:

March 11.
Westminster.

Henry Raftam in the port of Great Jernemuth.

By bill of the treasurer and by C.

Richard Cliderowe the elder in the port of Sandwich.

By bill of the treasurer and by C.

Signification to P. bishop of Lincoln of the royal assent to the election of Katharine Wotton, nun of the monastery of St. Mary de Pratis by Northampton, of the order of St. Benedict, as abbes of that place.

Grant of denization to the king's knight John Habriggacourt, who from the time of his youth has dwelt within the realm and done good service to Edward III. and the king's father, deceased, and to the king and his son Thomas on this side of and beyond the sea and who has done homage to the king.

By p.s. and for 20 marks paid in the hanaper.

MEMBRANE 4.

Order, at the petition and with the assent of the lords and commons in Parliament, that letters patent (see p. 192) made in accordance with an earlier petition shall be cancelled, and that the inheritance of the crown and the kingdoms of England and France and all other lordships of the king beyond the sea resides in the king and the heirs of his body and that the king's first born son Henry is the king's heir apparent with remainder to the heirs of his body and successive remainders to the king's sons Thomas, John and Humphrey and the heirs of their bodies; provided that the castles, honours, manors, lands and other lordships and possessions of the king's inheritance of Lancaster shall remain in the same nature, state, governance and condition as they were before the present Parliament. Sealed by Thomas, archbishop of Canterbury, and other named. [Jolls of Parliament, III, 580-582.]

Signification to Th. archbishop of Canterbury of the royal assent to the election of Roger Kyntom, brother of the House of God, Dover, as master of that place on the death of Valentine de Beere.

Pardon to Richard Cokeden for having on Thursday before Holy Trinity, 6 Henry IV, killed John Couper with an axe at Morethwait in self-defence.

By p.s.