1411.

Membrane 15—cont.

Worcester has appointed him to collect a moiety of the tenth last granted to the king within the bishopric, that he and his successors shall not be charged with collecting any tenth or other subsidy granted to the king by the pope or the clergy of the realm.       By K.


*InspeXimus* and confirmation of letters patent of Thomas, prior, and the convent of the cathedral church of St. Swithin, Winchester, dated in their chapter-house, 5 April, 1409, inspecting and confirming letters patent of Henry, bishop of Winchester, witnessed by John Arches, knight, Edmund Hamdene, Bernard Saunderton, Thomas Derham, Nicholas Bagenale and others, dated in his manor of Southwerk, 27 February, 10 Henry IV, granting to John Compton all those lands within the lordship of Morton, co. Buckingham, which John Pymme and John Pycot held by the service of 16s. yearly, to hold as his severalty all time of the year to himself and his heirs and assigns, rendering to the bishop 16s. yearly.

For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.


Whereas Henry, late bishop of Norwich, with the assent of William Ermeger, patron of the church of St. Andrew in Norton, and Robert de Brome, patron of the church of St. Margaret in the same town, by letters patent united the church of St. Margaret to the church of St. Andrew, and pope Boniface IX confirmed the union by bull, and John de Bynham, parson of the church of St. Andrew, entered into the church of St. Margaret on the death of John Wither, late parson, without the king's licence; the king, at the supplication of the said John de Bynham, confirms the union and his estate in the churches.

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


Whereas the king is informed by his liege William de Worth of Wynchelse that on Sunday after St. Denis last a ship of his called *le Leonard* of Wynchelse and the masters, mariners and merchants of it were captured by the king's French enemies and put to great ransom, to his loss of 1400 marks and more, and after payment of their ransom on their return to England they captured certain French persons at sea and took them to Wynchelse and delivered them into the possession of the said William; the king, at the supplication of his mother the countess of Hereford, grants to him the said persons as his prisoners in part recompense of his losses.

By p.s.


Pardon to Robert Brighame for all felonies, robberies, trespasses and misprisions committed by him, except treason, murder and rape.

The like to the following:—

Thomas Geffrayson.

John Geffrayson.

John Ullayke.

By the same writ.


Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas de la Croix of the 50 marks yearly which the abbot, prior and convent of St. Augustine, Canterbury, are bound to pay to the king for the release made to them by Richard II of a greater sum which they used to pay at each vacancy of the abbey, as William Asshe, deceased, had of the grant of the said late king and the king's confirmation.

By p.s.