Membrane 19—cont.

Jan. 30. Grant to the burgesses and good men of Beverley, because of the devotion which the king bears to the glorious confessor St. John of Beverley, whose body rests in the church of Beverley, of pavage for two years to be expended by the supervision and ordinance of Robert Tirwhit, Simon Gaunstede, clerk, John Clerk of Preston, Nicholas Ryse and Thomas son of Stephen Coppelndale of Beverley.

Membrane 18.

Dec. 8. Pardon to the king's lieges of the county of Cumberland of all tenths, fifteenths and taxes granted to the king in the present Parliament (as on p. 28).

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The like for the county of Northumberland.

Apr. 1. Inspectimus and confirmation to Gerard Salvayn of letters patent dated 7 November, 1 Henry IV, granting to him for life two tuns of wine yearly; so that he be not retained with anyone else. For 2 marks paid in the hanaper.


By p.s.

Jan. 18. Grant for life from Michaelmas last to the king's esquire John Spenser of the king's pourparty of 'le Tolboth' of Lynne, parcel of the duchy of Cornwall, with all profits and commodities pertaining to it, retaining an annuity of 20l. granted to him for life by letters patent and rendering 60s. yearly at the Exchequer.


Jan. 25. Licence, for 40 marks paid in the hanaper, for John atte Vyse and Thomas his son and William atte Crouche to grant in mortmain a messuage, 92 acres of land, 126 acres of pasture and 22 acres of wood in Bradegare and Wormesell, not held of the king, to the chaplain and scholars of the college of Holy Trinity, Bradegare, in aid of their maintenance.

Jan. 30. Pardon to Edmund Cornhill, who has shewn the king how one William Cole of Winchester lately murdered a man of the parts of Calais and robbed him of his goods, for which murder by the law of the town before the mayor and aldermen he was condemned to be drawn and hung so long as the cord should last, and he hung until the arrival of the bishop of Norwich at Calais, and the bishop asked the mayor and aldermen to permit his body to be buried, and Edmund supposing that they had granted the petition foolishly went and cut the cord by which the felon hung and caused his body to be buried, for which he was arrested and imprisoned and condemned to death.

By p.s.

Jan. 9. Grant for life to the king's servant John Asshal of 4 marks yearly from the profits of the lordship of Berkhamstede, in recompense of