1416.    Membrane 20—cont.

m. 23], inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 25 July,
22 Richard II [Gascon Roll, 21 and 22 Richard II, m. 9.]
    By K. & for 20s. paid in the hanaper.

April 10.    Grant in frank almon in to the prioress and convent of St. Mary de
Westminster. Pratis by St. Albans, co. Hertford, of the alien priory and manor of
Wenge, co. Buckingham, pertaining to the abbey of St. Nicholas by
Angers in Normandy, after the death of Joan, queen of England, or
sooner if they can acquire it, with all hundreds, manors, lands, rents,
services and possessions, knights' fees, advowsons, portions, pensions,
tithes, obventions, liberties, franchises and other emoluments and
profits; and licence for them to acquire the same from the abbot
and convent; and grant that they shall be quit of tenths, fifteenths
and other quota and tallages granted to the king from the same.
    By K.

July 22.    Commission, during the king's present voyage to the king's brother
Southampton. John, duke of Bedford, to be the king's lieutenant at sea and leader of
the men at arms and archers going with him to sea for the resistance
of the king's enemies, with full powers. [Fædera.]
    By K.

July 29.    Presentation of Richard Peuels, vicar of the church of Peyngton,
Guilford, in the diocese of Exeter, to the church of Morton, in the same diocese,
in the king's gift by reason of the minority of Philip Courtenay,
on an exchange of benefices with William Bruter.
    By K.

July 20.    Commission to William Soper, Nicholas Trymenell, John Emory,
Southampton. John Hogekyn, John Hykele and Henry Sayte to take boards, iron
and other necessaries for a great ship of the king and a balinger
to be made at the town of Southampton and carriage for the same
and carpenters, ironmakers and other workmen.
    By K.

Membrane 19.

July 1.    Inspeiximus and confirmation of letters patent (French) of the king's
mother Joan, queen of England, dated at London, 7 June, 4 Henry V,
granting for her life to her esquire Richard Bitterley, one of the ushers
of her chamber, 100s. yearly from the issues of the manor of Chiltern-
langley and the office of the keeping of the houses of the mansion
of the manor with 4d. daily for his wages and 2d. daily also from the
issues of the manor, and the fees of the office and a robe of the suit of
her esquires yearly at her great wardrobe, in lieu of like grants to
William Lynne and Margaret his wife by letters patent of Henry IV
[Calendar, 1401-1405, p. 223; 1408-1413, p. 468], surrendered; and
grant that he shall have the office and money for life with a robe of the
suit of the king's esquires yearly at the great wardrobe after the death
of the queen.
    By p.s. & for 40s. paid in the hanaper.

May 11.    Inspeiximus and confirmation to the men of St. Ouen, Rouen, of a
Westminster. charter of Henry I. [Fædera.]
    For 20s. paid in the hanaper.

June 29.    Inspeiximus and confirmation to Thomas Seyvile of Thornhill of
Westminster. letters patent (French) of the king's kinsman Edward, late duke of
York, earl of Rutland and Cork and lord of Wight, dated at Leicester,
22 May, 2 Henry V, appointing his esquire the said Thomas master,