Membrane 22—cont.

1417.

Grant to the same of full power to hold Parliaments and councils within the realm and summon prelates, magnates and nobles and the commons of the realm and do things necessary for the king and the realm with the assent of such Parliaments and councils, to grant licences for elections to chapters of cathedral and conventual churches and give assent to such elections and receive fealties from minor prelates and restore temporalities to them, though he shall not receive fealties from major prelates or restore temporalities to them until he has consulted the king or had orders from him, and to receive fealties due for any lands or inheritances and deliver these to those to whom they pertain, reserving homages until the king’s return. He shall do all things with the assent of the council. [Fædera.]

By K.

July 13. Grant for life to Wymslowe Dorsteynour, knight, for his good service to the king’s grandfather the duke of Lancaster, the king’s father and the king’s brother the duke of Bedford, of the office of constable of the castle of Berkhamstede with the accustomed wages, fees, profits and commodities, as Robert Corbet, ‘chivaler,’ had while he lived.

By p.s.

July 12. Pardon to William de Ayrton of Downom alias Doun of the county of Lancaster, ‘yoman,’ alias ‘housbond,’ indicted of having on Sunday, St. Thomas the Martyr, 3 Henry V, at Downom lain in ambush and assaulted one John del Croke of Penhill and also of having on Sunday after Christmas, 3 Henry V, at Doun received one Richard de Clogh of Doun, knowing him to have killed one John del Croke at Doun, for these and all other felonies, trespasses, offences and misprisions committed by him; and grant to him of all his goods forfeited on this account.

By p.s.

July 17. Grant to the king’s brother Thomas, duke of Clarence, and his heirs of all lands, rents and services with all goods late of Nicholas Stokes of Ireland, ‘gentilman,’ traitor, in England and Ireland.

By K.

July 27. Grant to the prior and convent of the cathedral church of St. Mary, Coventre, of the king’s patronage, who have shown the king how the temporalities of the priory at each vacancy have been taken in the hands of the king’s progenitors and the escheators have entered on and occupied the same, making waste by fishcry of the stanks, cutting down of the woods and agistment of the grass and pastures, that the sub-prior and convent shall have the keeping of the priory and all its temporalities and possessions, rendering to the king at the rate of 200l. for one year.

By p.s.

July 12. Pardon to William de Ayrton (as above). By p.s.

Vacated because elsewh ere above.

Aug. 7. Mandate to the escheator in the county of Lincoln for the restitution of the temporalities of the abbey of Welhowe by Grymesby, of the order of St. Augustine, to John Grymesby, canon of the house, whose election as abbot P. bishop of Lincoln has confirmed and whose fealty the king has taken.

Writ de intiendo in pursuance to the tenants.