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Membrane 6d—cont.

Feb. 29. Westminster. Commission to Simon Blakbourne, serjeant at arms, to take all ships and vessels of the portage of 24 tuns and more from the mouth of the Thames to the port of London and in the same port and mariners for their governance, unless they have been taken already by the king’s command, and bring them to the port of Suthampton before 1 April next for the crossing of the king’s brother John, duke of Bedford, and his soldiers to the duchy of Normandy. By C.

Membrane 5d.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Commission to Oliver Groos, sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk, and Peter Gerveys, esquire, to take 20 ships of the portage of 60 tuns and more in any ports in the said counties and mariners for their governance, and bring them to the port of Suthampton before 1 April next to serve the king for the crossing of his brother John, duke of Bedford, to the duchy of Normandy. By C.

Membrane 4d.

Feb. 26. Westminster. Commission to Peter Gerveys, esquire, to take horses for his ride by the king’s command from the city of London to the sacrosanct places of devotion of Bridlyngton and Beverley and thence back to the said city and thence to Hayles on business of the king. By C.

Feb. 24. Westminster. Commission to John Drax, serjeant at arms, and John Hexham to take all ships of the portage of 24 tuns and more in the port of Bristol and thence in all ports to the port of Suthampton and in the same port and mariners for them, and bring them to the said port of Suthampton before 1 April next for the crossing of the king’s brother John, duke of Bedford, and his soldiers to the duchy of Normandy, provided that they are not already taken to serve the king by his command. By C.

Feb. 28. Westminster. Commission to Oliver Groos and Peter Gerves (as above). By C.

Feb. 26. Rouen. Commission to John Henbury, one of the king’s officers of North Wales, to arrest John Bolton, clerk, and John Salesbury with their receivers and imprison them until further orders. [Teste rege.] By p.s.

March 14. Westminster. Commission to John Steleman, master of a ‘passager’ called le Nicholas, which he has to take to the duchy of Normandy with oxen, horses and other victuals bought in the realm for the expenses of the household, to take mariners for its governance.

The like to the following:—

Thomas Boner, master of a ‘passager’ called le Leonard.

Simon Page, master of a ‘passager’ called le James of Dover.

Jan. 3. Westminster. Commission of oyer and terminer, pursuant to the ordinance in Parliament of Richard II at Westminster, to John Cokayn, James Strangways, Roger Hunt, Henry Hethe, John Burgoyne, William Mullysworth and Robert Waldesshef, on information that the bondmen and tenants in bondage of John de Styuence, lord of the manor of Wolle, co. Huntingdon, have leagued together at the town of Wolle, co. Huntingdon, to refuse their due customs and services.