1418. Membrane 2—cont.

to Janico because of the opinions of the barons of the exchequer that
the letters patent were purchased by him by false suggestion and
so vacant in law, and at his instance the commons of the realm in
the last Parliament at Westminster unanimously supplicated the
king's brother John, duke of Bedford, keeper of England, and the
lords in the same Parliament that they do grace to him, and the said
letters patent and the enrolment of the same were inspected before
the said keeper and lords with the justices of England called in and
they were found sufficient; the king, because he is certain that all
the grants made by his said father to the said Janico proceeded from
certain knowledge and mature deliberation, and so emanated lawfully
out of chancery, declares the letters patent valid and confirms the
grants and all that was done in the said Parliament in this, and grants
that the said Janico shall have the said annuities, offices, fees and
wages for life, with all arrears, and the chancellor of England shall
make necessary writs from time to time.  

By K.

1419. March 1. Grant for life to the king's esquire Walter Stirkland of 10l. yearly
Rouen Castle. from the ulnage of cloths in the city of York as Thomas Toky, esquire,
deceased, had, and 10l. yearly from the fee-farm of the city of London,
as William Halton, esquire, deceased, had.

By K.

Nov. 2. Grant to the king's knight William Talbot of the keeping of the
Mantes. manor and lordship of Wrokwardyn, co. Salop, not exceeding the
value of 40l. yearly, from the death of Thomas Talbot, knight, his
brother, so long as it is in the king's hands by reason of the minority
of Ankeret Talbot, daughter and heiress of Gilbert Talbot, deceased,
or any of her heirs, rendering to the king 4d. yearly.  

By K.

Aug. 9. Grant for life to the king's servant Thomas Swanton of 5 marks
Pontoise. yearly at the hands of the bailiffs of the town of Northampton, as
William Tregold, deceased, had.

The like to the king's servant William Hille, yeoman of the larder,
of 100s. yearly at the hands of the sheriff of Nottingham and Derby,
as William Tregold had.  

By p.s.

March 31. Grant for life to the king's servant John Hall, one of the yeomen
Evreux. of the crown, of 6d. daily from the issues of the county of Lincoln.

By p.s.

1420. March 10. Pardon to Richard, bishop of London, of all escapes from his prison
Rouen Castle. of Stortford of John Blakburn, Walter Punchard, John Appilby,
John Bore, Robert Bowyk, Stephen West, John Sherman, John
Fraunce, Edmund Goldsmith, William Broune, Henry Gerborre and
John Bocher, clerks convicted of larceny and felony before the justices
of Henry IV and the king and delivered to his keeping as ordinary,
as found by an inquisition taken before John Leventhorpe and his
fellows, justices appointed to enquire about escapes from prison in
the county of Hertford, and all fines and forfeitures incurred by him
on that account.  

By K.

Jan. 10. Grant for life to the king's esquire Thomas Beauchamp of 20l.
Rouen Castle. yearly from the issues of the county of Wilts from the old farms falling