1 HENRY VI.—PART IV.

MEMORANDUM 32.

Jan. 26. The like of letters patent, dated 15 September, 1 Henry V, inspecting and confirming letters patent, dated 7 October, 1 Henry IV, inspecting and confirming:

(1) Letters patent, dated 12 July, 15 Richard II, for Thomas Armer to be under-parker of the park of Chiltermelangley.

(2) Letters patent, dated 17 May, 15 Richard II, in favour of the same, being a yeoman of the chamber.

(3) The like letters patent, dated 28 February, 20 Richard II.

By p.s.

Dec. 16. The like of letters patent, dated 27 November, 3 Henry V, being a grant to John Sancky, yeoman of the hall, and Walter Kendale, yeoman of the buttery, of 10l a year.

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1423.

May 14. A certain John Forster was seised in his demesne as of fee of the manor of Newenham, co. Oxford, held in chief, and granted it in fee simple to Isabel, then wife of John Drayton, knight, with the assent of the said John Drayton, and to Thomas Chaucers, John Golafe, William Mandeney and John Gysbourne, clerk. Thomas Chaucers and John Golafe released all their right and title to the said John Gysbourne, and the said William Makeney died, whereby his share in the said manor accrued to the said Isabel and John Gysbourne. Then the said Isabel put out the said John Gysbourne from his share, and received a release from him of all his right and title in the same, all this being done without royal licence. On the death of the said John Drayton the manor was taken into the hands of Henry V, and it has remained in the king's hands; but he now, for 40 marks paid in the hanaper, pardons these trespasses, and licences one Stephen Hayfild and the said Isabel, now his wife, to hold the said manor to them and her heirs.

May 18. Presentation of Master John Stafford, king's clerk, to the church of Alcaninge, in the diocese of Salisbury.

May 12. Signification to the pope of the king's assent to the election of John Fulford, doctor of divinity, to the see of Llandaff, in succession to John Zouche, deceased. [Fitdiera.]

May 5. William Nesfeld was lately seised in his demesne as of fee of the manor of Srenton, co. York, and charged the same manor with an annual payment of 20l to William, sometime abbot of St. Mary's, York, and his successors, in return for which charge the said abbot and the convent, for him and his successors, bound themselves to give 3d every day for ever to 3 poor men to pray for the soul of the said William Nesfeld in the church of the said abbey, at his tomb, and to keep a yearly obit for his soul, and also to find one monk and one clerk yearly in an university of students, and to pay every year to the said monk and clerk 20 marks for ever; every monk of the abbey at the time of his profession being sworn to keep these charges. The manor is now held in tail by Thomas, duke of Exeter, with remainder in tail to John, late earl of Somerset, with remainder in tail to Joan, countess of Westmoreland, with remainder to Henry, bishop of Winchester, for life, with remainder in fee to John, late duke of Lancaster, the king's great-grandfather, whose heir the king is under-