1426.

Dec. 18. In specimin and confirmation, by advice and assent of the lords spiritual and temporal in the Parliament held at Westminster in the king's first year, to the bishop of Ely of a charter dated 23 October, 13 Edward II [Charter Roll, 13 Edward II, No. 22], being a grant to John de Hotum, then bishop, and his successors, of Somersham, co. Huntingdon, and Brandon Ferye, co. Suffolk, also of an annual fair lasting four days at each place, beginning at Somersham on the vigil of Midsummer day and at Brandon Ferye on the vigil of SS. Peter and Paul.

By p.s.

1427.

Jan. 27. License, by advice of the council, for John Bernewell, Edmund Westby, and Matthew Repset, to grant in mortmain and for the abbot and convent of St. Alban's to accept, a messuage called 'Newelane,' 3 tofts, 169 acres of land, 3 acres of wood and 10s. 3d. of rent in Sandrugga, Childewyke, and the town of St. Alban's of the yearly value of 6 marks; the said abbot and convent and their successors to pray for the good estate of the king during his life and for his soul after death.

By p.s. and for 20 marks paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 6. Ratification of the estate of Roland Bieres as parson of the church of All Saints, Oxford, in the diocese of Lincoln.

The like of the following:

May 12. Simon Morley in the hospital or free chapel of the Holy Rood by Winchelsea.

June 20. Richard Horre, clerk, in the parish church of Lagharn, alias Tallagharn.

July 10. Master Richard Tone, doctor in decrees, as prebendary of the prebend of the first portion of the collegiate church of Bromyard.

By p.s.

1426.

Dec. 15. Grant, on the nomination of Joan, queen of England, to whom the nomination belongs in right of her dower, to John Bernyngham, prebendary of the prebend of Wetwang in the cathedral church of York, of the prebend of Shipton in the cathedral church of Salisbury, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the bishopric of Salisbury being in his hands, on an exchange of benefices with Robert Rolleston.

By p.s.

Mandates in pursuance to the dean and chapter of the cathedral church and to the guardian of the spirituality of the bishopric.

1427.

Feb. 7. Presentation of Thomas Burwell to the prebend which Walter Birochmore, chaplain, held when alive in the king's free chapel of Hastynges in the diocese of Chichester.

By p.s.

Jan. 29. Presentation of Robert Broun, parson of the church of Pepircharwe in the diocese of Winchester to the church of Byflete in the same diocese, on an exchange of benefices with Richard atte Water.

By p.s.

Jan. 12. Pardon, for 40 marks paid in the hanaper, to John Stafford, late treasurer of England, now bishop of Bath and Wells, Master Walter Bullok, clerk, Master Thomas Barton, clerk, Hugh Stanford, Richard Allesbury and John Brocton for trespasses by them done as follows. They acquired to themselves and their heirs from Thomas Stafford,