Whereas by letters patent under the great seal, the king, by advice of the council, assigned to John de Radclyf, knight, all revenues and temporalities of the counties of Carnarvon and Merioneth in North Wales, by the hands of the chamberlain, until from such revenues and from Chirk and Chirklandes, the said John should be fully paid a certain sum due to him: the king, considering the said John's good service done to the last two kings and to himself, by advice of his council, has granted to him, during pleasure, the office of chamberlain of North Wales, any gage thereof to Richard Walkestede, knight, notwithstanding; provided always that he do not have the usual fees or rewards of the same, viz. 60l. a year, and that he answer to the king yearly 727l. 10s. 2d. for the revenues and profits of the said counties and of that sum he shall every year have allowance in deduction of his debts contained in the said letters, and if the said revenues amount to more, he shall account for such surplus and the amount thereof shall be allowed in deduction of his said debts, but if the said revenues amount to less than the said sum of 727l. 10s. 2d, the loss shall fall on him and not on the king. He shall also pay the fees and wages which have been usually paid to the auditors for North Wales, and other charges on the same revenues, amounting to 22l. 15s. wherewith the king has usually been charged. On the other hand the king will discharge the additional soldiers recently sent into North Wales, whose wages amount to 352l. 16s. 8d. yearly. The said John is to be charged in his accounts with all temporalities of bishoprics, abbey's and priories, during voidances, and wardships, marriages, fees and advowsons falling in, also with all customs and subsidies granted to the king. There will thus be a profit from the office for the king of 167l. 11s. 8d. yearly.

Protection, by advice of the council, for five years, for the abbot and convent of St. Osyth, co. Essex, and commission of that monastery, with his possessions, which have been wasted by misrule, to the keeping of Robert Fitz Hugh, bishop of London, William, abbot of St. John's, Colchester, John Dorward of the county of Essex, esquire, Robert Darcey of the same county, esquire, and William Petworth, clerk.

Grant, by advice of the council, to John Bekson of the free chapel of St. Mary Magdalen, by Berwick.

Protection with clause volumus, for one year, for Thomas Seyson, of Gloucester, 'bocher,' going to Ireland, to abide there in the king's service in the company of Thomas Stanley, king's knight, lieutenant of Ireland.

Licence for the prior and convent of Malmebury to elect an abbot in the room of Roger Perschore, deceased.

John Prentys of Coventre, 'mercer,' staying in England, has letters nominating Robert Downdale and John Skirton his attorneys in Ireland for one year.

Appointment, during pleasure, of William Teell to be controller and surveyor of the search in the ports of Lenne, Yernemuth and Ipswich, at the usual fees and wages, with power to arrest goods found not customed or cocketed or whereon the subsidy has not been paid, accounting for the same at the Exchequer.

Mandate to the dean and chapter of the free chapel of Hastynges to admit Alexander Browne to the prebend of Wrotllyng, Nenfeld and Hoo to which he has been instituted by Simoun bishop of Chichester, on the king's presentation, and to assign him a stall in the choir and a place in the chapter.