**1435.**

Dec. 5. Westminster.

*Insipeximus 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 prior and convent of Kermerdyn of letters patent dated 1 June, 1 Henry V, inspecting and confirming letters patent dated 16 February, 5 Henry IV.*

Nov. 20. Westminster.

John Dykeman, the younger, lately acquired in fee from John Stafford, bishop of Bath and Wells and chancellor of England, and Richard Mayn of Kyvele, 8 messuages, and 3 tofts, 100 acres of land, 10 acres of meadow, 100 acres of pasture and 10 acres of wood in Wycheford, co. Wilts, and the office of forester of the forest of Grevely, held of the king in chief, and entered into the premises without licence, and the said bishop and Richard Mayn afterwards released to him all their right and title in the same. The king's licence was not obtained but, for 20s. paid in the hanaper, he has pardoned these trespasses.


Appointment of William Borley to be the king's steward of all the castles, manors and lands in the lordship of Powys in the march of Wales, which are in the king's hands by reason of the nonage of Henry Grey, son and heir of Joan, late one of the ladies of Powys, who held of the king in chief by knight service; to be discharged by the said Borley or his deputy during the nonage of the said Henry Grey he taking the accustomed fees and wages by the hands of the receiver.

By bill of the treasurer.


The like of Robert Trevor to be receiver general of the said castles, &c.

By like bill.


Appointment of the said Borley and Trevor to receive the attornment of the tenants and residents there.

By like bill.

Nov. 18. Westminster.

Commission to Walter Hungerford, 'chivaler,' John Coppleston, Nicholas Ayshetont and Thomas Beer of Bryn the younger of the custody and marriage of John Arundell son and heir of John Arundell of Bydeford and of Margaret his wife, and kinsman and heir of John Arundell, knight, the said Margaret having been a tenant in chief: for 1,000 marks paid at the Receipt of the Exchequer.


Presentation of Roger Clerk, chaplain, to the vicarage of the parish church of Romney, in the diocese of Canterbury.


Revocation of the protection with clause *columnus*, for one year which on 14 July last was granted to Owen Down, in the belief that he was going to France to join the company of John, lord of Talbot; because he tarries in the city of London and its suburbs as Thomas Catworth and Robert Clopton, the sheriffs, have certified.

Dec. 15. Westminster.

Licence, by advice of the council, for the mayor and commonalty of the town of Bristol to acquire in mortmain lands, reversions and rents within the town and its suburb, whether held of the king in burgage or of others, to the value of 100l. a year; considering their great charges in repairing the quays, walls and pavement of the town, and especially its bridge, which is liable to damage as well from the swift set of the tide under it as by the constant traffic of sumpter horses, carts and other carriages over it.

By K. & C. in Parl.

**1436.**

Jan. 10. Westminster.

Licence for the sub-prior and convent of Newenham by Bedeford to elect a prior in the room of William Woketon, deceased, the house being of the foundation of the ancestors of John, duke of Norfolk, the king's ward.