peace: to grant, under the great seal and under the testimony of the said Leo or his deputy, to suitable persons, loyal, faithful and obedient, in fee simple, fee tail, or for term of life or lives or years, lands lost for want of defence, lands of Irish enemies and any other lands, rents, services, knights' fees, advowsons and benefices forfeited or to be forfeited to the king or his predecessors; to grant to tenants willing to pay a yearly rent or farm for them lands abandoned by Englishmen through war, except church lands, for like terms, by advice of the council, provided always that due proclamation be made before such grant that if any Englishman will claim the lands and his claim be found sufficient, he shall have the land before any other person; and further to grant any void vicarage, parsonage, prebend, chapel, dignity, archdeaconry or other benefice in the king's gift, and ratify the estates of those in possession of such, and confirm, by advice of the council, franchises and privileges granted by the king's predecessors and progenitors or others; and further to take in the king's name the realties and renunciations of archbishops and bishops ordained and constituted in the past or the future and to deliver to them their temporalities; also to survey the homages of all and singular the tenants in Ireland, to remove useless persons from office and appoint others in their places, the chancellor, treasurer and king's chief justice in Ireland alone excepted: to locate the Common Bench and the Exchequer of Ireland by writs under the great seal of the land, at his pleasure, and as shall be to the greatest profit of the people; to have purveyance of victuals for his household and soldiers; to summon and hold in the king's name Parliaments and councils of the said land as often as necessary and where he shall judge best, and make statutes and ordinances in the same for the good of the land, and continue, prorogue, adjourn or dissolve such parliaments and councils according to the custom of the land; to issue proclamations, whenever necessary, for those holding any annuity or fee by royal gift in that country to be ready to ride and labour with him to resist the king's enemies and rebels there; to give protections and safe-conducts for enemies and rebels desirous to go to Ireland to traffic or treat for peace, provided always that the proper customs be paid on the things and merchandise of such, and that, while under protection, they behave as good subjects; and finally, after he has visited the county and taken order for its defence and government, to absent himself from it for good cause, leaving a deputy behind him, who shall have full powers in the absence of his principal; and if he, or his deputy, do anything unlawful, the council in England shall correct and reform the matter.

By p.s.

Grant, for life, to Philip Parker, of the office of making the king's bows within the Tower of London, with 6s. 8d. a day wages out of the issues of the counties of Surrey and Sussex and a robe yearly at Christmas by the hands of the keeper of the great wardrobe, of the suit of the yeomen of the chamber, and the chamber in the Tower, which belongs to the same office: in lieu of a grant thereof, during pleasure, surrendered. By p.s.

Grant, for life, to William Heryot, for good service, of the office of being one of the king's messengers of the Exchequer, with 4s. a day at the Exchequer, notwithstanding that he has the office of keeper of the warren of Kirtlington.

By p.s.

Grant, during pleasure, from Michaelmas last to William Paynell, one of the king's minstrels, of 100s. a year at the Exchequer.

By p.s.