Membrane 7—cont.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Bradley, the king’s esquire, of the office of ranger of ‘Clivebaillie,’ co. Northampton, with the accustomed wages, fees and profits, to hold himself or by deputy: provided that it is an office of old time established and has not been granted by letters patent to any other person.

By p.s.

July 15.

Windsor

Sheen Manor.

Grant, for life, to the earl of Suffolk, and Alice his wife, for their solace, of the keeping of the park of Cornebury, called ‘Cornebury pare,’ co. Oxford; to hold themselves or by deputy, with 3d. a day wages out of the issues of the manor of Wodestok and its hamlets, and with all the accustomed fees and profits, as fully as William Wileotes or any other keeper had the same; with the profits of the meadows within the same park to feed the king’s deer there, and for enclosing the said meadows from the wood, and with all profit of underwood within the same park without waste [see p. 309].

By p.s. [4948.]

MEMBRANE 6

Whereas the possessions of the collegiate church of St. Mary, Leicester, are not of sufficient value to support the incumbent charges, as appears by a petition of the dean, canons, vicars, clerks and choristers of the said church, and of the hundred poor men and women of the almonry there and of the ten poor women who serve them: and further the said dean and canons have surrendered into the chancery of the duchy of Lancaster the letters patent whereby 50 marks a year were granted to them out of the revenues of that duchy for the new works on their church, and also other letters patent whereby Henry, cardinal of England, Henry, archbishop of Canterbury, Thomas, bishop of Durham, deceased, and Walter, lord of Hungerford, feoffees of Henry VIII in certain lands of the said duchy, granted them in frank almoin 50 marks a year out of such lands for the same works, such surrenders being to the intent that the said surviving feoffees, with the king’s permission, might grant the said dean and canons 100 marks a year in frank almoin out of the manors, lordships, wapentakes and sokages of Wyresworth and Essexburn, with the hamlets of Irton, Mattelok, Underwode, Bradlowe, Bentley, Thorp, Mapulton, Ayton, Hunsyndon, Alsop, Penerwiz, Hodnastone, Cladlowe, Carsyngton, Cromford, Snyterton, Wedneslee, Hopton, Middleton and Upper Bountsall, co. Derby;—the king, considering these matters and that his grandmother and other progenitors are buried in the said church, grants licence to the said cardinal, archbishop and lord to grant in frank almoin the said 100 marks a year charged on the premises to the said dean and canons.

By p.s.

July 2.

Windsor

Castle.

Grant to William Riche, the king’s tenant, of the goods to the value of 20l., which he has found while digging in the plot of ground in the parish of Andover, which he purchased from John Bray, ‘gentilman,’ with the object of building thereon, the plot having been unbuilt on since a fire took place there.

By p.s.

May 27.

Kempton

Manor.

Grant, for life, to the king’s serjeant, Thomas Bradfeld, yeoman of the crown, of 8 marks a year, concealed from the king in Thorvaston, co. Derby [see p. 296].

By p.s.


Westminster.

Licence, for 50l. paid in the hanaper, for Richard Lestraunge, knight, to enfeoff William Selman, John Corneys, clerk, and Edward Ellesmere