Letters of denization for Gertrude, the wife of William de Limes, citizen and merchant of London. She is to be a native and the king's liegewoman, capable of having dower, and she and her heirs may inherit as well in England as elsewhere within the king's dominions. She is to be regarded in all causes, matters and disputes, spiritual or temporal, as the king's true liegewoman, born in England, and not otherwise, she is to have all privileges, liberties, franchises and customs of a liege born in the king's dominions, and she may purchase lands, rents, services, rights, and possessions, in fee or fee tail or for term of life or years and alienate the same according to the law of England, and she may sue and be sued in any court within the king's dominions. Provided always that she do liege homage, and that she and her heirs contribute to lot and scot with the native born of the realm.

By p.s.

Signification to Th. bishop of Worcester of the royal assent to the election of brother John Tawnton, canon of the house of St. Mary, Cirencestre, [to be abbot].

By p.s.

Grant, for life, to William Tresham, for good service to the king's father and to the king, of 40l. a year from Michaelmas last out of the issues of the manor and town of Clyve, otherwise called Kyngesclyve, co. Northampton.

By p.s.

Exemplification of the advice (English) given by Humphrey, duke of Gloucester, to the king and council against the release of the duke of Orleans. [Proveda.]

By K. and C.

Grant in tail male to the king's knight, Lewis John, 'chivaler,' of the reversion of the manor of Dounton alias Dounton Weylale, co. Essex, and the advowson of Dunton church, worth 24l. a year, with all lands, tenements, reversions, rents and services, profits, portions, easements and dependencies to the same belonging, at the yearly rent of a red rose at Midsummer, after the end of the term of 60 years from Christmas, 20 Richard II., for which the premises were granted to Robert Braybrooke, late bishop of London, by William, late prior of the alien priory of Okebourne and farmer of the possessions thereof, and confirmed to the said bishop and his assigns by letters patent dated 2 August, 22 Richard II., and 8 April, 3 Henry IV; in lieu of a grant by Henry IV of 12l. a day for life out of the issues of the county of Oxford, confirmed by the king's father and the king and surrendered; notwithstanding that he has the offices of steward of the possessions of the duchy of Cornwall in the county of Devon, of warden of the stannaries in the said county and of steward of the manor of Haveryng at Bourc, co. Essex.

By K.

Licence for the mayor and escheator of the town of Kyngeston upon Hull and for any other burgess who shall be mayor and escheator there, to have an upright sword borne in the king's name within the said town and its liberty except in the king's presence and that the mayor and remaining aldermen may use gowns, hoods and tabards (colobii) of one suit and livery with suitable fur and lining to the tabards, in the same manner as the mayor and aldermen of the city of London.

By K.