1440.
Oct. 31.
Westminster.

Licence, for 10 marks paid in the hanaper, for William Brocas and John atte Berwe to grant to Thomas Payn and Joan, his wife, daughter and heir of Thomas Romsey, knight, and the heirs of their bodies, the manor of Rokeburn and a moiety of the manor of Fernham, co. Southampton, held in chief, except an acre of land in the said moiety, with successive remainders to the heirs of the body of the same Thomas, and to her right heirs; licence also for the said Thomas and Joan to grant a moiety of the manor of Combe Byset, co. Wilts, held in chief, to John Payn and Henry Champneys, and the heirs of the said John Payn, and for them to grant again the same moiety to the said Thomas and Joan, in tail as above.

Oct. 28.
Westminster.

Grant for life, to William Phelip, knight, lord Bardolf, the king's chamberlain, with remainder to John, viscount Beaumont, in tail, and reversion to the king, of the tenement called 'Newe Inne,' in the parish of St. Benet, Thysmeestrete, London, which came into the hands of Henry IV by the forfeiture of John Montagu, late earl of Salisbury; in lieu of a grant thereof for life, surrendered.

MEMBRANE 28.

Oct. 23.
Westminster.

Grant, for life, to William Philip or Phelip, knight, of the keeping of the manor of Horsted, co. Norfolk, parcel of the possessions of the alien priory of Caen in Normandy, rendering nothing therefor; in lieu of a grant thereof by letters patent dated 14 February, 15 Henry VI, whereby he was to render 20l. for the same keeping; and by letters patent of Henry IV, confirmed by the king's father and the king, vacated so far as relates to 20l. of the 40l. a year at the Exchequer therein granted to him, then an esquire, and to Richard de la March, deceased.

Letters of denization for Robert Gobert of Marlborough, 'baker,' born in Normandy; provided he do liege homage, and that he and his heirs contribute to lot and scot like other lieges and pay customs and subsidy on merchandize as foreigners.

By p.s. and for ½ mark paid in the hanaper.

Oct. 8.
Sheen Manor.

Grant to Richard, duke of York, for ten years, for his good service as the king's lieutenant in the realm of France and in the parts of Normandy, that no purveyor or other officer of the household shall take any beees, muttons, poultry, wheat, malt, barley, beans, peas, oats, hay, litter, fuel or other victuals or materials for his office, nor any carriage from the said duke's men or tenants or any other persons within the parishes and towns of Yerith and Swannescombe, co. Kent, Stendon and Ansty, co. Hertford, and Stratford Mortemer, co. Berks, and that no harbinger appointed for the household shall take up any lodgings in the same places.

By p.s.

Westminster.

Pardon to Henry, archbishop of Canterbury, of two sums charged on him in the Memoranda and rolls of the Exchequer from Michaelmas in the eighth year to Michaelmas in the nineteenth year, to wit, the sum of 41l. 9s. for divers issues, fines and amencements of divers of the king's ministers and officers in the county of Kent on accounts rendered at the Exchequer by the archbishop, his stewards, attorneys, bailiffs or deputy, and the sum of 4l. 12s. 4d. arising in like manner in the counties of Surrey and Sussex.

By p.s.