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Membrane 7—cont.

Westminster, Jan. 18.

Grant in survivorship to the king's servants Bartholomew Halley and Thomas Scargil, yeomen of the crown, of a tun of red Gascon wine yearly at the Purification in the port of London.

By p.s. etc.

Feb. 8.

Westminster.

Exemption, for life, of John Treuthale from being put on assizes, juries, recognitions, attainders or inquisitions and from being made mayor, bailiff, sheriff, escheator, coroner, constable, collector of tenths or fifteenths, tallages or other subsidies, or other officer or minister of the king.

By p.s. etc.

Feb. 11.

Westminster.

Grant, for life, to William Meryng, king's esquire, of the offices of the constableship of the castle of Flynt and of sheriff and the raglawry of the county immediately after the death of Thomas Rempston, 'chivaler,' who holds the offices by grant of Henry V, with the usual fees, wages and profits, as Thomas now has.

By p.s. etc.

Feb. 17.

Westminster

On the petition of Henry, abbot of Basynghwerk, co. Flynt, and the convent of that place, setting forth that divers tenths and subsidies in divers deaneries in the county were granted, whereof they were assigned collectors, and 43l. 13s. 4d. have been paid as appears by divers tallies made and delivered into the Exchequer, and they have been unable to collect the residue on account of insurrections, riots and other inconveniences, whence divers processes without the Exchequer have issued against them, whereby they have lost many goods and are bound in a fine:—the king has pardoned them all accounts and arrears of tenths, subsidies, fines and attempts.

By p.s. etc.

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Dec. 16.

Westminster.

Insuperimus and confirmation to Ralph Belliers, esquire, (1) of a writing of John, cardinal priest of St. Balbina, archbishop of York, legate of the apostolic see, dated in his inn near Westminster, 18 October, 1441, setting forth that the said archbishop has granted to the said Ralph, marshal of his household, the keeping of the park of Hokerwode by Suthwell, co. Notyngham, with the survey and keeping of 60 acres of demesne meadow on the north of the park called 'Hokerwomededewe,' for twenty years, and if he survive that term, for life, taking yearly as wages the profits of all the herbage of the park and the profits of the pannage of swine there with the aftermath of the 60 acres of meadow between the feasts of St. James the Apostle and the Purification, except the residue of the herbage of the 60 acres of meadow between the feasts of the Purification and St. James the Apostle; and granting also to him that he may cut down or uproot all the underwood except oaks, ashes, 'holyn' and 'crabbetre' within the park and meadow and keep the same in recompense of his