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Aug. 18.
Westminster. Licence, for a fine of 40 marks to be paid at the Receipt of the Exchequer at Easter next, for the king's knight, William Lucy, son and heir of Eleanor late the wife of Walter Lucy, knight, tenant in chief on the day of her death, for his good service in France and Normandy at his own costs, to enter all the possessions and hereditaments in England, Wales and the march of Wales, whereof Eleanor died seised, in the king's hands by her death, without suing livery out of the king's hands.

By p.s. etc.

July 30.
Westminster. Grant for life to the king's serjeant, Richard Savage, yeoman-harbinger of the king, immediately after the death of John Watford, king's serjeant at arms, now of great age and infirmity, that he be such a serjeant in place of John, taking 12d. a day from the farm and issues of the counties of London and Middlesex and a livery of vesture and fur, as John has.

By K. etc.

July 30.
Westminster. Grant to Richard, duke of York, of the keeping of Henry, son and heir of John, duke of Exeter, from the said John's death, Henry having taken to wife the daughter of the said Richard. By K. etc.

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May 29.
Westminster. Grant to John Lematon, as above. [p. 54.] By K. etc.

July 7.
Westminster. Grant for life to John Holme, baron of the Exchequer, of the remainder of the manor of Bondeby, co. Lincoln, which Thomas Cumberworth, knight, holds for life of the king's grant. By p.s. etc.

July 7.
Westminster. Exemption of the abbess and convent of the abbey of Lacok, of the king's foundation as of the duchy of Lancaster, on their petition shewing that the bell-tower and bells, the bakery and brewery of the abbey and two great barns with corn therein and all their buildings within the site of the manor of Chitterne were struck and burnt by lightning, from all tenths and other subsidies, quotas, aids and contributions whatsoever for a term of forty years. By p.s. etc.

July 20.
Westminster. Licence for John Tiptot, lord Tiptot and Powys, son and heir of John, lord Tiptot and Powys, and Joyce his wife, deceased,—he having obtained his estate in the castles, lordships and lands, the keeping whereof was granted by letters patent dated 30 March, 24 Henry VI, to the provost and college of Eton and the provost and scholars of the king's college of St. Mary and St. Nicholas, Cambridge, and having made satisfaction to them for the said keeping and marriage, and desiring to serve about the king's person at his own costs,—to enter all the possessions and hereditaments in England, Wales and the march of Wales, whereof his said father and mother died seised, which came into the king's hands by their death and his minority, without suing livery out of the king's hands.

By K. etc.

June 12.
Westminster. Grant for life to the king's serjeant, Thomas Johnson, of the office of chief serjeant of the county of Kyldare in Ireland, to hold himself or by deputies, taking the usual fees, wages and rewards. By p.s. etc.