1448.
Westminster.
March 28. Grant to the king's servants, Master Thomas Kent, clerk of the council, and William Essex, of £l. 6s. 8d. from Michaelmas last yearly till the end of a term of ten years from Michaelmas, 21 Henry VI, by the hands of Thomas Palmer, to whom the keeping of the manor of Little Weldon, co. Northampton, was granted for the said term by letters patent dated 12 February, 21 Henry VI, at the said rent, or by the hands of the receiver of the duchy of Cornwall; and grant to the same in survivorship of the manor after the said term at a rent of 40d. By p.s. etc. 

Vacated because otherwise in the twenty-fifth year.

March 8. Westminster.
Appointment of William Wetnale, Richard Hakedy and Thomas Gibbes, wardens of the mistrey of grocerry of London, and their successors, to garble spices and merchandise in Suthampton and Sandwich and all other places within the realm, the city of London excepted, to hold the said occupation themselves or by deputys with the common assent of the mistrey; and if any merchant expose for sale such spices and merchandise not so garbled, the same shall be forfeit to the said wardens, who are charged to answer yearly touching all such forfeitures at the Exchequer and shall receive a moiety thereof. By p.s. etc.

1447.
Westminster.
Sept. 12. Ratification to John Stourton and his heirs as above [p. 103].

Grant in survivorship to the king's esquires, Thomas Burnehy and Edmund Hampden, of the office of sheriff of the county of Meryonneth, in North Wales, to hold themselves or by deputies with the appurtenant wages, fees and profits, as John Hampton esquire, had the same, rendering due account at the Exchequer of Caernarvan; in lieu of a grant thereof for life to the former by letters patent, surrendered. By K. etc.

Nov. 6. Westminster.
Revocation of the protection with clause volumus for one year granted of late to Henry Coventre, 'gentilman,' alias of London, esquire, as staying in the company of the king's esquire, William Pyrton, lieutenant of the castle of Guysnes, on the safe keeping and victualling thereof; because he tarries at the parish of St. Clement Danes without the bar of the New Temple of London, co. Middlesex, as the sheriff of the county has certified.

Nov. 8. Westminster.
Pardon to Dan John Bredon, prior of the house of St. Giles, Canewall, co. Stafford, alias late of Coventre, monk, of all felonies hitherto and any consequent outlawry, because, though he was accused of the death of John Wodebury, slain in the twenty-fourth year, and before the coroner in the county on view of the said body not indicted but acquitted by a jury of twelve men, his enemies have imagined a new indictment for the death of John by the name of William Wodebury, supposing the time of his death to be nine weeks after he died, whereupon the said prior has been imprisoned for fourteen weeks and put to intollerable costs and has come to such poverty that he has not wherewithal to sue common law for his delivery herein. By p.s. etc.