Membrane 28—cont.

Elizabeth his wife and for their souls after death and the souls of the king's progenitors and the ancestors, heirs and benefactors of William and Elizabeth; and to grant in mortmain to the chaplain lands and rents not held in chief to the value of 6l. a year.

By p.s. etc. and for 6l. paid in the hanaper.

Membrane 27.


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

June 13. Westminster. Grant in frank almoine to the abbess and nuns alias sisters minories of the monastery of Denney of the order of St. Clare of 10 acres of land in the fields of Chesterton, co. Cambridge, which the king had of late of the gift of Robert Wodelarke, William Millington, Nicholas Cloos, clergke, and William Ruskyn, as appears in their charter dated 22 May last; in exchange for a tenement in Cambridge in 'Plutes-lane' alias 'Nuttelane' between the tenement late of Agnes Jacob, now of the college of St. Mary and St. Nicholas, Cambridge, on the west, and the tenement of the master and scholars of the house or college of Corpus Christi and St. Mary, Cambridge, on the east, which tenement the abbess and nuns granted to the king of late for the enlargement of the site of the former college. By K. etc.

June 10. Westminster. Grant for life to Thomas Belgrave of the office of being one of the king's serjeants at arms, with the wages of 12l. a day from Michaelmas last from the issues of the counties of London and Middlesex, with a gown of the king's livery yearly against Christmas of the same suit and cloth as other such serjeants have, and all other appurtenant fees and profits; in lieu of a grant to him thereof by letters patent surrendered as invalid because the counties of Somerset and Dorset, from the issues whereof his wages were granted, are so charged in other ways that they cannot pay the same. By p.s. etc.

1447. Oct. 29. Westminster. Grant to Henry Werkeworth, prior of the church of St. Mary, Suthwerk, co. Surrey, and the convent of that place, of the parish church of Kedebroke, co. Kent, of their patronage and insufficient in all its commodities, which do not exceed 40s. a year, to support a parson, and no parishioner now dwells there; and licence for them to appropriate the same.

By p.s. etc.

1448. July 1. Westminster. Licence, for 20s. paid in the hanaper, for John Langeley to grant to John Gereys, Thomas Cheddeworth and Thomas Brown, clerk, the manor of Oversodyngton, co. Gloucester, held in chief, and for them to regrant the same to John Langeley and Joan White for her life, with remainder to John Vampage, Thomas Mille, Thomas Bisle, Thomas Lane, clerk, and William Perley and their heirs on condition that after the death of the said John and Joan within two years they sell the manor for money in hand as dearly as possible and deliver the same to the executors of John Langeley to dispose of for the souls of John his father, Joan his mother, himself and his ancestors, parents and benefactor; and all men alive and dead, in