Membrane 20—cont.

approvements of assarts, wastes and purprestures, vert, venison, swans, peacocks, fisheries in stews, ponds, lakes and dykes, marshes and marlepits, royal liberties, forfeitures, chattels of felons and fugitives, and all other profits not falling in the extent of the manor, also herbage and pannage in Savernake forest over and above the pasture and pannage for the said animals; with covenants as to paying the porter's wages, and as to repairs.

By the Great Council.

March 4. Westminster. The like, in favour of the same, of letters patent dated 20 June, 12 Edward III., being a grant to him and his heirs, in perpetuity, he rendering nothing and his heirs the usual fee-farm rent, of the reversion, after the death of John de Weston, tenant for life, of the manor of Bloxham, co. Oxford.

By the Great Council.

March 11. Westminster. The like, in favour of John de Roche, knight, servant of the late king, retained, of letters patent dated 30 April, 51 Edward III., being a grant to him, for life, of 100 marks yearly at the Exchequer.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because he had other letters patent granting to him the said sum out of the subsidy on cloth in the county of Wilts, dated 20 March, 4 Richard II.

March 9. Westminster. The like, in favour of Walter Highte, whom the king has retained, of letters patent dated 22 October, 46 Edward III., inspecting and confirming letters patent (in French) of Roger de Beauchamp, granting to the said Walter the office of porter of the castle of Devizes for the term of the grantor’s life, which the king enlarges into a grant for the term of the grantee’s life.

By the Great Council.

March 9. Westminster. The like, in favour of John Rukwyk, chamberlain of Sir Roger de Beauchamp, knight, of letters patent dated 3 November, 50 Edward III., inspecting and confirming letters patent of William de Whappelode, constable of the castle of Okham in the county of Rutland, dated Havering atte Bower, 1 November, 50 Edward III., granting all his interest in the said office of constable, to the said John, which grant is enlarged into a grant for life.

By the Great Council.

Membrane 19.

March 9. Westminster. Inspeximus and confirmation, in favour of Roger de Sheffield, of letters patent dated 22 October, 46 Edward III., inspecting and confirming letters patent (in French) of Roger de Beauchamp, dated Devizes, 4 May, 46 Edward III., being a grant to the said Roger de Sheffield of the custody of the parks and woods belonging to the castle of Devizes.

By the Great Council.

March 9. Westminster. The like, in favour of Thomas de Comberton, of letters patent dated 26 April, 39 Edward III., being a grant to him, for life, of 100s. yearly at the Exchequer.

By the Great Council.

March 9. Westminster. The like, in favour of John de la Ryvere, groom of the spicery of the late king, of letters patent dated 23 September, 50 Edward III., being a like grant to him of 100s. yearly at the Exchequer.

By the Great Council.

March 17. Westminster. The like, in favour of Richard Vigerous, yeoman of the late king, of letters patent dated 20 May, 29 Edward III., being a like grant to him of 100s. yearly out of the issues of the counties of Oxford and Berks.

By the Great Council.