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Membrane 41—cont.

1378.

20 October, 8 Edward III., inspecting and confirming, for a fine made with the king by the said Robert Clement, divers charters and letters patent. [Charter Roll, 8 Edward III., No. 4.]

By p.s., and for 20s. paid in the hanaper.

July 26. Presentation of William Oucepe to the church of Strete in the diocese of Chichester.

July 24. Ratification of the estate of William Bray in the vicarage of Preston, co. Gloucester, which is of the advowson of the abbot of Gloucester.

July 20. Writ of aid for Walter Elys of Dover, deputed by Walter Rauf, bailiff of that place, to hold that office for him, according to the terms of the letters patent granting the same to him, during the pleasure of the king and of the said Rauf.

Aug. 6. Licent, at his supplication, for Richard Wiltshire, the king's esquire, to sell or otherwise dispose of his interest under letters patent dated 17 November, 50 Edward III., granting to him the custody, during the minority of the heir, of two thirds of the lands in Hareford in Wales, late of John de la Roche, knight, tenant in chief.

By p.s.

Membrane 40.

July 6. Licent for the alienation in mortmain to the abbot and canons of Thornton-upon-umber by John, vicar of Thornton, William, vicar of Wolton and Robert de Frothyngham, clerk, of two messuages, 144 acres of land, 52 acres of meadow, 4s. 10½d. of rent and the rent of half a pound of cumin in Goushill and Thornton, and by William de Lymb-bergh of Brocklesby, chaplain, and Henry de Crossby, of four messuages and 80 acres of land in Great Lymb-bergh, all which together are of the yearly value of 106s. 4½d., as found by inquisition taken by John Poucher, escheator in the county of Lincoln: in part satisfaction of land and rent to the yearly value of 20½, which they had licence from the late king to acquire in mortmain.

July 12. Pardon, for half a mark paid to the king by William de Willemere son of Walter de Willemere son of Ralph de Willemere, of the trespasses of the said Ralph in acquiring four acres of land in Barnestaple from Walter Lesson and Elena his wife, tenants in chief, and in entering thereon without licence, and restitution thereof to the said William, in fee simple; licence also for him to grant the same to Walter Lane and Thomasia, his wife, in fee tail.

July 15. Presentation of Richard Pedifer, chaplain, to the church of Cunshby in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king's gift by reason of his custody of the land and heir of John de Orreby, knight, tenant in chief.

July 16. Presentation of Richard de Ecton to the church of Pilham in the diocese of Lincoln.

July 11. Presentation to Richard Strange, chaplain, to the chantry in the church of Charleton Makerelle, in the diocese of Bath and Wells.

July 20. Exemplification, at the request of the minister of Holy Trinity, Adder, Ireland, of letters patent dated 19 May, 32 Edward III., being a licence for the said minister and convent to acquire in mortmain lands, rents and advowsons of churches, not held in chief, to the yearly value of 20½.

July 3. Inspection and confirmation, in favour of the burgesses of Graumpoint in Cornwall, of letters patent dated 28 September, 8 Edward III., being a confirmation of their charter of indenture from John, earl of Cornwall.

For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.