1379.

July 11. Westminster. Pardon, at the supplication of the abbot of Waltham, to Nicholas Lyes, for the death of Reginald Hervy, killed on the feast of the translation of St. Thomas of Canterbury, 2 Richard II. By p.s.

July 11. Westminster. Inskipinus and confirmation, in favour of the king’s squire, Edmund Noon, of letters patent (in French) of the king when prince, dated Kennington manor, 25 February, 51 Edward III., inspecting and confirming letters patent (also in French) of Edward, prince of Wales, dated Kennington manor, 1 October, 49 Edward III., being a grant, for life, to the said Edmund, esquire of his chamber, of the water-ballivick of Wygenhale. By p.s.

July 10. Westminster. Licence, for 100s. paid to the king by John de Cobham, for John de Kirkeby and Alice, late the wife of John de Kirkeby, knight, to grant in perpetuity to the master and chaplains of the chantry of Cobham, newly founded by the said John de Cobham, 216 acres of land, 12 acres of meadow, 80 acres of pasture, 2 acres of wood, 28s. 3d. in rent, and the rent of three cocks in Horton Kirkeby, Faukham, Freyngham and Sutton by Dertford, not held in chief, and for the said master and chaplains, after possession had, to grant the premises to the said John de Kirkeby and Alice, and the heirs of the said John, on this condition, viz. that if a virgate of land in Horton Kirkeby and the advowson of the church thereof, acquired in fee by the said John de Cobham, Reginald de Cobham and William Makenhade from the said John de Kirkeby, and now held by the said master and chaplains by grant of the said John de Cobham by licence of the king, or any parcel thereof, be recovered from them (before coming into their hands) by any person entitled thereto, or if the said 216 acres of land, or the aforesaid meadow pasture, wood or rent, or any parcel thereof, be alienated for term of life or in fee by the said John de Kirkeby or any of his heirs, it shall be lawful for the master and chaplains immediately thereafter to re-enter upon the whole of the premises and hold them in perpetuity, notwithstanding the statute of mortmain.

July 19. Westminster. Presentation of the king’s clerk, John de Searle, parson of the church of Holn by the sea, in the diocese of Norwich, to the church of St. Mary, South Kellescy, in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king’s gift by reason of the priory of Wygenhale being in his hands on account of the war with France; on an exchange of benefices with Alexander Massynygham.

Membrane 39.

July 6. Westminster. Grant, until Michaelmas 1380, to Cosmas Gentilis, papal collector, for the use of the pope, of the fruits of benefices belonging to cardinals who have rebelled against him. [Federa.] By K. and C.

July 8. Westminster. Exemption, for life, at the supplication of the bishop of St. Asaph, of Thomas de Erdlyngton, knight, from being put on assizes, juries, attaints or recognisances, and from being made sheriff, escheator, coroner, justice, arrayer, commissioner, collector of tenths or fifteenths, or other minister or officer of the king against his will. By p.s.

July 11. Westminster. Grant, for life, to Edmund Noon, king’s squire, that he may receive from the manery of Cornwall, as well as from that of Devon, payment of the 40 marks a year granted to him from the latter by letters patent dated 11 August, 48 Edward III., confirmed by the king when prince, which with the said confirmations he has now surrendered. By p.s. Vacated by surrender and cancellation, because the king granted that sum to him for life, thus:—13l. 10s. 1d. from the hundred of Depeware, and the residue, viz. 20 marks 9s. 11d., from the farm of the hundreds of Loddon and Claveying, 25 November, 7 Richard II.