Membrane 3—cont.

1380. Westminster. 
April 5. Inspeccimus and confirmation, in favour of William de Harpele, king's squire, of letters patent of the king when prince, under his Chester exchequer seal, dated Chester, 26 February, 51 Edward III., inspecting and confirming letters patent of his father Edward, prince of Wales, similarly sealed, dated Chester, 3 April, 39 Edward III., being a grant to the said William, his yeoman, of 100 marks yearly, for life, from the issues of the county of Chester. This grant is confirmed, notwithstanding any assign-ment of dower to the king's mother or any other yearly rents or charges upon the said issues. By p.s. Mandate to the chamberlain of Chester for payment in pursuance.

Westminster. 
March 21. Exemption, for life, of Robert de Swynbourne, knight, from being put on assizes, juries or recognisances, and from being made mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner, justice of the peace or of labourers, arrayer of men-at-arms, hobelers or archers, collector of tenths, fifteenths or other subsidies, or other bailiff or minister of the king against his will. By p.s.

Westminster. 
April 7. Exemption, for life, of Thomas Griffyn, knight, of the county of Northampton, from being put on assizes, juries, attaints, inquisitions or recogni-sances, and from being made mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner, justice of assizes, of the peace or of labourers, or any other justice, collector of tenths, fifteenths or other subsidies, arrayer, leader or trier of men-at-arms, hobelers or archers, or other minister of the king against his will. By p.s. The like of Nicholas Lylyng, knight, of the same county. By p.s.

Westminster. 
April 9. Writ of aid for William de Topclyf, John Roper of Canterbury and the bailiffs of that city, appointed to take masons, carpenters and other labourers for the works at the cathedral and walls and dykes of the city, and to set them thereon at wages to be paid by them.

Westminster. 
April 9. Exemption, for life, of John Lucy from being put on assizes, juries, in-quisitions or recognisances, and from being made mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner, inquisitor, assessor, collector of tenths, fifteenths, tallages or other subsidies, or other bailiff or minister of the king against his will. By p.s.

Westminster. 
Feb. 27. Pardon, at the supplication of Agnes de Corby, one of the damsels of the chamber of the king's mother, to Edith, late the wife of Richard Heymis of Hasele, for aiding and abetting the death of the said Richard, who was killed by John Croke of Olveston and John Forester, the younger, 1 Richard II.; the king being informed that she was not guilty thereof, nor of aiding and abetting the same. By p.s.

Westminster. 

Westminster. 
May 5. Protection with clause volumus, for one year, for John Marcays, going to Ireland on the king's service with Henry de Percy son of Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, in the company of Edmund de Mortuo Mari, earl of March, supplying the place of the king in Ireland. By bill of p.s.

Membrane 2.

April 10. Westminster. Inspeccimus and confirmation, in favour of the abbot and convent of Stratford, of two charters dated Westminster, 12 June, 13 Edward I. [Charter Roll, 13 Edward I., Nos. 42 and 44], the one inspecting and confirming (1) a charter of king John dated Pont de l'Arche, 3 June, 5 John [Rotuli Chartarum, p. 104b.], and (2) a charter dated Westminster,