Membranes 12 and 11—cont.

Wolveston, late of Richard de Wolveston, chaplain; held of the said prior in chief, of the yearly value of 20l. 13s. 4d., as appears by inquisition of John de Hyndeley, eschewer in the county of Durham, in full satisfaction of lands to the value of 20l. yearly, which they had licence from Richard de Bery, late bishop, to acquire, and in part satisfaction of a similar licence from the present bishop to acquire lands of the yearly value of 40l.

7. Letters patent of the same of the same date, being a licence for the alienation in mortmain to them by the said John of a messuage, 24 acres of land and a half of meadow, called 'Dryngesland,' 32 acres of land and one of meadow, called 'Bellasisland,' seven acres of land, called 'Steresland,' and three parts of a plot, called 'le Orcheard,' all in Wolveston, late of Geoffrey Hunter; a third part of a capital messuage, 22 acres of land and an acre and a rood of meadow, formerly of William son of William de Herle, in Billinghams; a yearly rent of 20s., from the lands which Alexander de Pittyngton held, called 'Southwilland,' in Northpittyngton, and a messuage and twelve acres of land, formerly his, in Moreslawe, all which are held of the said prior in chief, and are of the value of 4l. 9s. yearly, as appears by inquisition of John de Hyndeley, eschewer in the county of Durham, in part satisfaction of lands to the value of 100s. yearly, which they had licence by letters patent of the bishop to acquire for the maintenance of a light before the altar of SS. Nicholas and Giles in their church, and a chaplain to celebrate divine service for the souls of himself, John Fossor, late prior, and all faithful departed.

8. Letters patent dated 26 June, 11 Edward III., inspecting and confirming, with additions, letters patent dated 16 September, 24 Edward I., granting to them 10s. yearly at the exchequer of Berwick on Tweed. [Monasticon vol. i., p. 244.]

9. Letters patent of Thomas, bishop of Durham, dated Durham, by the hand of William de Ethedon, his chancellor, 1 November, in the 36th year of his pontificate, being a licence for the alienation in mortmain to them by William de Graystanes and John de Letham, chaplains, and John de Baumburgh, clerk, of the manor of Henknoll, held of the bishop in chief, of the yearly value of 100s., as appears by inquisition of William del Bowes, eschewer in the county of Durham, and the grant by them of the same to John de Belasis in fee, in exchange for seven messuages, 160 acres of land and eight of meadow in Wolveston, of the yearly value of 100s., granted to them in frank almoin.

10. An indenture, between them and the said John de Belasis, dated Durham, Monday after St. Andrew, 1380, witnesses the said exchange.

Membrane 10.

1380.
Nov. 4.
Northampton.

Licence for Thomas de Middelton, king’s clerk, prebendary of Crosspatrik, with the church of Roscclare and the chapel of Belymore annexed, in Ferns cathedral in Ireland, to absent himself from Ireland during his stay on the king’s service as a clerk commourer in Chancery, and to receive the fruits of his prebend, without being obliged to send men there for its defence, notwithstanding the late ordinance in Parliament.

By K. and C.

The like for Thomas de Thelwall, prebendary of Typerkevyn in the church of St. Patrick, Dublin.