Membrane 26—cont.

1384.

king's confirmation thereof, which rent by the death without heir of Thomas de Alberton, tenant in chief, escheated to the late king. By signet letter.

Mandate in pursuance to the tenants or farmers of the wapentake.

And it was patent.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted the said rent to Roger Elmham and Elizabeth Vancourt, in survivorship, 6 December, 15 Richard II.


Appointment, during pleasure, of Simon de Grymesby to the office of controller of customs in Kyngeston upon Hull, on condition that he write the rolls with his own hand and abide therein continually without substitute. By C.

Sept. 20. Westminster.

Licence, by mainprise of Gerard Lomelino and Matthew Gentilis, Genoese merchants, to Segur anus de Gotereriis and Melianus de Mari, Genoese merchants, who recently brought certain wines from Rochelle (Rupell) to the city of London and have paid customs and subsidy due therefor, but cannot sell the same to their advantage, to ship 100 tuns thereof to any part of the realm. By C.


Release to John Clopton, citizen and vintner of London, formerly a man of honour, now so poor by losses at sea and on land (in particular of goods in a vessel captured last year by the king's enemies) that he, his wife and five children have nothing to live upon, and that he dare not go abroad for fear of arrest for debts, especially for one due to John Norhampton, late clothier of London, and to his pledges and sureties, in respect of the sum of 117l. in which he and they are bound to the said Norhampton, and now, on account of the judgment against the latter, to the king. By signet letter.

Sept. 27. Westminster.

Presentation of John de Bermyngeham, parson of Westwykham in the diocese of Rochester to the church of Weston by Bekellis in the diocese of Norwich; on an exchange with William de Bedeford.

Membrane 25.


Inspectiam and confirmation, in favour of William atte Lee of the county of Suffolk, her esquire, of letters patent (in French) of Margaret Mareschal, countess of Norfolk, dated at her castle of Framlingham, 10 May, 5 Richard II. being a grant to him for life, for his service to her and her son Sir John de Hastynge, earl of Pembroke, of the offices of constable of the said castle, chief parker of the great park of Framlingham and the parks of Saham and Kelleshale, and of the custody of her woods of Oldefrith, Botenhagh, Bradelhagh and Neuhagh, and that he have four under servants of his own choosing, viz. a porter of the castle, an under-parker of the great park, another of Saham and another of Kelleshale, each with 2d. daily wages and clothing yearly of the suit of her yeomen, but Thomas Stok' to keep the park of Kelleshale for life as granted to him by her. Further grant to him of 20l. yearly for the said office of constable, with power to distrain for the same if in arrear. For 5 marks paid in the hanaper.


The like of the like, dated as above, 29 May, 5 Richard II. being a grant, for life, to her servant Richard Melbourne, of the office of warrener of her manor of Hanworth, clothing yearly of the suit of her yeomen de mester or 10s. a year in lieu thereof, and ½d. daily wages.

For ½ mark paid in the hanaper.


Grant, for life, to Joan late the wife of Walter Partriche, of the annuities of 60s. and 5 marks at the Exchequer, which the late king granted to the said Walter for his life. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because she had other letters patent granting to her 9 marks, 15 February, 9 Richard II.