Memorandum 43.

June 23. Westminster.

Revocation of letters patent* dated 14 June granting, as from Easter, to John de Stratton, monk of Westminster abbey, and John Breton, usher of the chamber, at the yearly rent of 10l. and 40s. in addition, the custody of the alien priory of Bernestaple, which, by letters patent* dated 20 November, 5 Richard II, the king committed, as from the preceding Michaelmas, to Edward Courtenay, earl of Devon, and Ralph Chelfham, prior thereof, at the yearly rent of 10l., which letters last recited for reasons proposed to the king and council he wills to remain in force, the said Ralph having been instituted and inducted prior at the nomination of the late king.

June 22. Westminster.

Grant, with the assent of the Council, to the mayor and burgesses of Saltash, co. Cornwall, that after the death of Nigel Loryng, knight, they have the profits and revenues of a 'fribote' in that place for thirty years at the yearly rent of 10l., being 40s. a year more than the 12 marks of old rendered therefor.


Revocation of protection with clause volumus for one year, granted 6 July last to William Cheveley, citizen and tailor of London, as going on the king's service to Calais, there to stay with Simon de Burgh, treasurer of Calais, because he has not gone, as the said Simon has testified.

June 22. Westminster.

General pardon, at the supplication of the citizens of London, in order to produce peace and concord among them and remove the dissension between divers people of certain arts and mysteries in the city, to them and the whole communally of the city, except those who are convicted thereof, and those who have withdrawn and refuse to return, whose names are exhibited in Chancery to be entered of record, of suit of the king's peace for all treasons, felonies, insurrections, trespasses, conspiracies and other misprisions in London, and of any consequent outlawries.

By signet letter.

Memorandum that the names of those excepted are on the Chancery files among the king's writs of the present year.

June 24. Westminster.

Appointment of Robert de Ketyngton, bailiff, Roger Roos, alderman, of Bury, Edmund Fitz Lucas, James Marnham, John Osbarn, Thomas Fornham, John Toller, Adam Waterward, Geoffrey Daniel, Richard Wyte, Geoffrey Wullemann, Henry Wrotham, Edmund Heryng, Thomas Bernyngham, Thomas atte Perie, John Rery, John Calf, John Rokel, John Eremonger and Bartholomew Coteler, good men of Bury, who with other good men and the commonalty of that town have made a fine of 2,000 marks with the king for his charter of pardon of all treasons and felonies, by reason whereof 200 marks are, by ancient and approved custom, due to queen Anne for her gold, to assess themselves and the rest of the town, each in proportion to his estate, possessions and means, for payment of the same to the queen, and to levy and collect the amount, compelling, by distress and other means if necessary, those who refuse.

June 22. Westminster.

Licence for the warden and scholars of 'Seinte Marie college of Wynchestre,' founded near that city by William de Wykeham, bishop of Winchester, to acquire in frank almoyn lands, tenements and rents to the yearly value of 100l.

By p.s.

* Not found enrolled at that date, nor in the series of Privy Seals.