Nov. 10. Westminster. Appointment, during pleasure, of Peter Haddele of Excestre to the office of controller of customs and subsidy there, on condition that he write the rolls with his own hand and execute the office in person and not by a substitute, the coket seal to remain in his keeping.

By bill of treasurer.

The like, during good behaviour, of Robert Botemond to that office in Berwick-upon-Tweed.

By bill of treasurer.

Nov. 11. Westminster. Presentation of John Clifford, chaplain, to the church of Whatcote in the diocese of Worcester.


The like to William Swetenham for the same.

By signet letter.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Exemption, for life, of John de Wyngefeld, knight, from being put on assizes, juries, attaints, inquisitions or recognisances, and from being made mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner, justice of the peace or of labourers, collector of tenths, fifteenths, subsidies, taxes, tallages or other quotas, or assessor, surveyor or controller thereof, or other officer, commissioner, bailiff or minister of the king, against his will.

By p.s.

Nov. 10. Westminster. Revocation of protection with clause *volumus* granted for a certain time to John Fraunceys of Templebarre, citizen and draper of London, as going on the king’s service to Portugal in the company of Fernandes, master of the order of St. James of Portugal, on testimony that he is not preparing to go.

Nov. 12. Westminster. Licence, for 10l. paid to the king by the abbot and convent of Burton-upon-Trent, for the alienation to them in mortmain by Oliver de Barton, John Cokayn, Thomas de Wombewell, and John Warram, chaplain, of 34 messuages, 11 acres and 3 roods of land, 1 acres of meadow, and a moiety of a messuage in Burton-upon-Trent, Hornyngeowe and Brundeston, and, by the three first named persons, of two messuages, two virgates and twelve acres of land and a moiety of an acre of meadow in Stapunhull and Wyshull, all held of the said abbot and convent, for finding a taper to burn before the high altar at high mass in the abbey church daily for ever.

Nov. 15. Westminster. Grant to John de Huderesfeld, upon his petition for licence to collect a subsidy for the completion of a harbour which he has begun at Bridport, co. Dorset, where there was previously none, and which he cannot finish without help, that for three years from St. Andrew's day next he may levy and collect a halfpenny on every horseload of saleable things coming to the said port over the water or exported thence, and apply the moneys arising therefrom to the construction of the harbour.

Nov. 17. Westminster. Licence for the alienation in mortmain by Richard Holdyche and John Clenchewarton of the manor called 'Beletes' in Marham and 160 acres of land, 40 acres of meadow and 10s. of rent there, not held in chief and of the yearly value of 40s., as found by inquisition taken by William Cursoun of Billyngford, escheator in Norfolk, to the abbess and nuns of Marham, in reversion upon the death of Matilda, late the wife of John de Denham, tenant for life, in part satisfaction, viz. 10 marks, of lands and rents of the yearly value of 10l. which they had licence from Edward II to acquire in mortmain.