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Membrane 10—cont.

Nov. 25. Westminster.

Pardon and release to the king's lieges of Northumberland, upon their petition alleging that before the king's coming into those parts the chief part of the county was destroyed by invasions of the Scots and was afterwards by the king's army very greatly impoverished, and that the rest is afresh devastated by the Scots, so that they must leave it unless they are pardoned the moneys in demand for debts, fines, issues and amercements, called 'green wax,' and for tenths, fifteenths and other taxes and subsidies heretofore granted to the king, the levying whereof would complete the destruction of the country, of all sums so due, and acquittance therefrom.

By p.s.

Nov. 27. Westminster.

Grant, for life, to the king's clerk, John de Scarle, for his service to the king and the late king, of a tun or two pipes of Gascon wine yearly in London or Kyngeston upon Hull.

By K.

Nov. 23. Westminster.

The like to Nicholas de Audeley, knight, of the right prise of wines coming to the ports of Kermerdy and Cardigan in Wales.

By signet letter.

Nov. 28. Westminster.

William de Outeby, clerk, staying in England, has letters nominating Thomas Bache, archdeacon of Meath, and John de Shryglegh his attorneys in Ireland for one year.

Henry de Codyngton, clerk, received the attorneys.

Dec. 3. Westminster.

Special mandate to R. bishop of London, before whom by their own confession John Brugges, chaplain, and John Wyghton, of London, tailor, stand convicted of the practice of the prohibited art of magic, that he do what he deems fit for their imprisonment until they submit to judgment and satisfy Holy Church for their disobedience herein.

By K.

Nov. 30. Westminster.

Ratification of the estate of John Bateman as parson of Berkyng, co. Suffolk.

By signet letter.

Nov. 30. Palace of Westminster.

Exemption, for life, of Thomas de Hemgrave, knight, from being put on assizes, juries, attaints or inquisitions, and from being made mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner, justice of the peace or of labourers, collector, controller or taxer of tenths, fifteenths or other subsidy or tallage, arrayer, leader or tricer of men-at-arms or hobelers, bailiff or minister of the king, against his will.

The like of Thomas Berneye, knight.

By signet letter.


Grant to the abbot and convent of Waltham Holy Cross that neither they nor their successors shall in future be charged with any corrobory, notwithstanding the possession which the king or his progenitors have had of a correody successively held by David Onond, Nicholas Wyght, John Kent, Roger Loggore and Edmund Fauconer, the present holder; on condition that they celebrate in their abbey every year for ever the king's father's anniversary and after the king's decease his anniversary and that of his progenitor, Richard I, reserving to the Crown the right to grant a pension to one of the king's clerks upon the creation of an abbot at every voidance and saving to the said Edmund his estate for life.

By p.s.


Exemplification, at the request of Hugh Burnell, knight, and Edward Botiller, of (1) a writ directed to the sheriff of Salop, dated 28 March, 8 Richard II, to make reasonable bounds between the land of the said