

1386.

## MEMBRANE 34.

Aug. 10.  
Witney.

Exemption, for life, of Richard Salyng of Essex, from being put on assizes, juries, attaints, inquisitions or recognisances, and from being made mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner, collector, assessor, taxer or controller of tenths, fifteenths, taxes or other subsidies, arrayer of men-at-arms, hobelers or archers, or other bailiff or minister of the king, against his will. By signet letter.

Aug. 8.  
Osenev  
Abbey.

Grant to John Fitz Nichol, esquire—who joined 4 July, 47 Edward III, with John, duke of Brittany, earl of Montford and Richmond, Robert de Nevill, Thomas Bradewelle, Thomas de Morewelle, John Cornewaille, knight, and Richard Roter, parson of Quikham, in a recognisance before William de Walworth, late mayor of the staple at Westminster, acknowledging their indebtedness to the said king in the sum of 9,000*l.* on account of a loan pure and simple, to be repaid to the king at Easter following, and to whom with the rest 9,000*l.* were delivered 13 July following, by way of advance at the receipt of the Exchequer for restitution the following Easter—that, as the above sums are one and the same sum, and as the recognisance was made to secure repayment of the 9,000*l.* delivered as above and for no other reason, and most of all as the king knows that it was for the benefit of the said duke alone, he (the said Fitz Nichol) is to have stay of execution in the proceedings current at the Exchequer against him in respect both of the recognisance and the advance, until the said duke has paid that sum to the king or shown cause at the Exchequer why he should not pay it. By signet letter.

Aug. 15.  
Westminster.

Grant, with the same recitals as above (last entry but two), in favour of Walter Fitz Wauter, that if it be hereafter decided that the 1,000*l.* rightly belongs to the king as forfeited on account of the judgment against Alice Perreres, he is to have livery and restitution of the castle and lordship of Egremont, and pay 100*l.* a year at the Exchequer or elsewhere until the 1,000*l.* be repaid. By K.

*Vacated because otherwise above.*

Aug. 15.  
Westminster.

Licence, for 4*l.* paid to the king by Thomas de Howom, citizen and merchant of York, for the alienation in mortmain by him of a messuage in York, held of the king in burgage as parcel of that city, to Robert del Hill and Henry de Barneby, chaplains of a chantry, founded by him, of two chaplains at the altar in the lady chapel in the church of St. Mary, Castelgate, York, in augmentation of their maintenance.

Aug. 8.  
Witney.

Grant, during good behaviour, to William Bret of the county of Lincoln, of the office, granted to him by the late king, of bailiff of Yordburgh in that county, at the same yearly rent, viz. 12 marks.

By signet letter.

July 25.  
Bristol  
Castle.

Ratification of the late king's grant to Richard Hembrigg, one of the king's serjeants-at-arms, of 12*d.* a day and one robe a year for life.

By signet letter.

*Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because in deduction of the said wages the king granted to him, for life, the 23*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* yearly payable to the king by John de Newenton, knight, keeper of the castle of Roucestre, for the castle and town of Roucestre, 7 October, 16 Richard II.*

Aug. 12.  
Westminster.

Presentation of John Mason, chaplain, to the vicarage of Pereton in the diocese of Bath and Wells, in the king's gift by reason of the alien priory of Goldclif being in his hands on account of the war with France,