

Membrane 28—cont.

1390.

Aug. 29.
Windsor
Castle.

Exemption, for life, in consideration of his being the king's mason and surveyor of works within the palace of Westminster, Tower of London and castle of Canterbury, and of his great age, of Henry Yevele, from being put on assizes, juries, inquisitions, attaints or other recognitions, and from being made sheriff, alderman, escheator, coroner, constable, trier, taxor, controller, collector of tenths, fifteenths or other taxes, tallages, customs, subsidies or quotas, bailiff, officer or other minister of the king, against his will. By p.s.

Aug. 27.
Windsor
Castle.

Grant, for life, to John Hunt, for his good service to the late king for more than twenty years and to the king in the office of 'berner' of his buckhounds (*berner canum suorum pro damis*) and because he is too old and blind to serve, of 1½*d.* a day, payable by the sheriff of the county of Southampton. By p.s. [6535.]

Sept. 6.
Westminster.

Presentation of William Sutton of Farndon, parson of Kirkeby in Clyveland in the diocese of York, to the church of Stamburn in the diocese of London, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the alien priory of Stoke being in his hand on account of the war with France; on an exchange with William Sturmynster.

MEMBRANE 27.

July 21.
Westminster.

Presentation of the king's clerk, John Pygot the younger, to the church of Whinebergh in the diocese of Norwich, void by the resignation of John Asplion.

July 22.
Westminster.

Restitution, giving effect to a decision in Chancery, of John Drieu, prior of Tikford priory, co. Buckingham, to the custody thereof, in accordance with letters patent dated 19 November, 1 Richard II, and their ratification by other letters patent on account of his having entertained the king when on his expedition to Scotland; notwithstanding his expulsion by Thomas de Frodesham, chaplain, and William Frodesham, esquire, by virtue of letters patent dated 11 March, 8 Richard II, granting the custody to them, which were subsequently revoked, the original grant being found to be made after the ordinance of Parliament of the year 1 Richard II touching alien priories and in accordance therewith, and notwithstanding also his recent expulsion by John Beltoft, knight, and Roger Westwode, clerk, by virtue of letters patent granting the custody to them, the said John Drieu having been instituted and inducted by his exempt abbot before the schism, thus complying with the provisions of the ordinance of the late Parliament, and the sheriff making this return to the king's writ, viz. that by Richard Tours, John Pounfreyt and Ralph Deysterre he summoned the said John Beltoft and Roger Westwode, who appearing in Chancery by Robert Brayton, their attorney, the prior in person, and both parties having been heard, it seemed to the justices, serjeants-at-law and others of the council, that Drieu has been unjustly expelled, whereupon it was decided that he should have restitution of the custody and the issues and profits from the time of the grant to the said John and Roger.

July 24.
Westminster.

Presentation of William Carleton, vicar of Prumhill in the diocese of Canterbury, to the church of Little Bykenore in the diocese of Hereford, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the alien priory of Monemouth being in his hand on account of the war with France; on an exchange with Ralph Gardener.