Membrane 23—cont.

and heir of Thomas, last earl of Stafford, it shall be in the king's hand, provided that neither the said earl nor his father has granted the same to another.

By p.s.

July 28.
Windsor
Castle.

Presentation of Thomas Basforth, parson of Bradeley in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, to the [mastership of the] hospital of St. John the Baptist, Lutterworth, in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king's gift by reason of the minority of William, son and heir of Henry, lord Ferrers, tenant in chief; on an exchange with Robert Leche.

By p.s.

July 21.
Windsor
Castle.

Grant, for life or until promoted by the king to a church benefice within the realm of England of the yearly value of 40l. to the king's clerk John Pygot the elder, of 10 marks a year at the Exchequer.

By p.s.

July 23.
Windsor
Castle.

Grant to John de Sutton of Wyweno, knight, and Baldwin Veer of all the goods and chattels forfeited to the king on account of any outlawries promulgated against John Preston of Preston, Robert Veer of Thrarston, John Joce, John Scot Jonesservant Preston, John Fleschere Jonesservant Preston, William Fullere of Bresyngham, John Pummy of Chedbury, William Salmon Jonesservant Preston and John Bradenham of Redgrave, 'baillif.'

By p.s. [8283.]

July 20.
Windsor
Castle.

Grant to the king's servant John Morvyle of 100s. for the escape of William Spicer, a felon, arrested in Coueham, co. Berks.

By p.s.

MEMBRANE 22.

Grant, for life, to the king's esquire John Cray of the office of usher of the chapel within Windsor castle for carrying a rod before the king and the college of the said chapel on festival days when the king is present, with 12l. a day wages from the fee farm of the king's manor of Cestreton, payable by the prior and convent of Bernewell, also of the house within the castle which Walter Whithors, a former holder of the office, had; and grant that notwithstanding the present grant he may hold the constableship of Norwych and receive his wages within the household as heretofore; upon his surrender of letters patent dated 21 May, 14 Richard II, and others granted to him by the king's father, under which he received 100s. a year in Cornwall.

By p.s.

July 22.
Windsor
Castle.

Appointment, during pleasure, by the assent and advice of the Great Council, of the king's knight Baldwin de Radyngton to be keeper of the city of London, the liberties of which have been by due process seized into the king's hand; with power to rule and govern the city and people thereof and all coming to it, and to execute all things therefor, according to the laws and customs heretofore in use therein, until further order.

By K. & C.

July 22.
Windsor.

Licence for the alienation in mortmain by John Cherteseye of a messuage in Coggeshale, by John Rokele of a messuage there, and by Roger Keterych and Adam Cook, of 20s. of rent in Spryngefeld, not held in chief, to the abbot and convent of Coggeshale, in full satisfaction of a licence granted to them by Edward II to acquire lands, tenements and rents of the yearly value of 100s.

For 20s. paid in the hanaper.

July 21.
Windsor.

Licence for the appropriation in mortmain by the prior, convent and nuns of Sempyngham of the church of Hacumby, in aid of the clothing of the nuns, for finding a chantry in the priory according to the ordinance.