Membrane 11—cont.

Presentation of Edmund ap Tud’ to the church of Eglwyseyl in the diocese of Bangor.

Presentation of William de Egmanton to the vicarage of Axemouthe in the diocese of Exeter.

Writ of aid directed to all deans, sheriffs, mayors, bailiffs, constables, ministers and other subjects of the king, for the abbot of Leicester and his deputies, appointed by John, bishop of Lincoln, to levy and collect a moiety of the tenth last granted by the clergy of the province of Canterbury and payable at the feast of the translation of St. Thomas, in the counties of Leicester, Rutland and Northampton, which the said abbot complains he cannot collect because of the resistance of certain ecclesiastics.

Presentation of John Kermerdyyn to the church of St. Florence in the diocese of St. Davids.

June 10. Westminster.
Revocation of protection with clause volumus until Michaelmas granted to William de Bryntyngham, esquire, of the county of Northampton, in the belief that he was staying on the king’s service in Calais for making provision against the king’s coming; because he has tarried in London since 8 May last, as is certified by the sheriffs.

Membrane 10.

April 28. Westminster.
Licence, for 40l. paid in the hanaper by William Stretehay, Thomas Thikenes, Philip Stretehay and Richard Snede, for Roger Hillary and Margaret, his wife, to grant to them and the heirs of Thomas Thikenes the reversion of a moiety of the castle, manor, town, commote and lordship of Neuport in Kemneys in South Wales, and of the manors of Netherstowey, Dounende and Puryton, co. Somerset, and a third part of the castle, manor and hundred of Llanandevery and of the commotes of Perneth and Hyvvryn in South Wales, held in chief, after the death of Elizabeth, late the wife of Nicholas de Audeley, knight, to hold to them and the said heirs for the life of the said Margaret, with remainder to John Tochet, son of John Tochet of Marketon, knight, Thomas Tochet, parson of Makeworth, John Cokayn ‘lancel,’ John Tochet, son of Richard Tochet of Makeworth, and William Pakenan and the heirs of the said John, son of John Tochet.

Licence, with the assent of the Council, reciting that king John granted by letters patent to the bailiffs and commonyot of Great Yarmouth that town with its port at the fee farm of 55l. a year, and that subsequently, because it was so narrowed by the rising of the sand and mud of the sea that ships and boats could not hold their course thereto, many of the commons withdrew their abode beyond it, to the point of its destruction, and that on that account the late king, by advice of his council, in aid of the town and port and the great charges they sustained towards the king and his heirs, granted to them a place called ‘Kirkelerode’ adjacent to the port, at the rent of 100s. a year in addition to the farm aforesaid, and that so it is that the port is daily becoming as narrow as ever, so that ships and boats are more frequently wrecked and citizens have razed and sold their dwellings and withdrawn outside and the town is again at the point of destruction—the commonyot being unable to support the charges of the farm or the repair of the walls or the tenths and fifteenths as they arise, amounting every time to 100l. for one