1394.
Jan. 12.
Westminster.

Grant, for life, to queen Anne—on her complaint that notwithstanding the grant to her by letters patent that all the manors and lands assigned to her in dower should be held with the wardships and marriages of tenants of the same, certain ministers of the king of the county of Chester prevent her having a moiety of the manor of Cheddle upon the death of Richard de Balkelegh, who held it of the manor and hundred of Mackesfield, assigned to her as part of her dower by exchange, with the king's kinswoman lady de Mahum, and the marriage of the heirs under age, and other ministers of the king similarly prevent her from having 'des Frithes' which Laurence de Dutton, knight, held for life within the commune of Nancewray, given to her for life by the king, because no mention is made in the letters patent of her having the said commune together with the reversions when they shall fall in of the custody of the lands and tenements lately the said Richard's in Cheddle together with the issues from the time of his death, and the marriage of his heirs, and also of 'des Frithes' aforesaid with the profits since the death of the said Laurence, but this is not to be a precedent in future.

By p.s. [9228.]

Jan. 10.
Westminster.

1393
Dec. 13
Westminster.

Pardon to John Stephyn alias Hankyn Mason, 'Flemyng', for the death of Outre Jonnysson, killed in Picardy in the lordship of Oye the fifteenth day after Easter in the eighth year.

By p.s.

1394
Jan. 9
Westminster.

Pardon, at the supplication of the king's esquire Walter Biterley, to John Jekkes of Pokethorp, Tanner, for the death of Thomas Agas of Pokethorp, Tanner, killed at Westwyk on Thursday before the feast of the Invention of the Cross in the fifteenth year.

By p.s.

Jan. 18
Westminster.

Pardon, for 2 marks paid the king by Richard de Weston, to him for acquiring in fee simple from Alice Coulde, kinswoman and heir of Joan, late the wife of John Leyntheyde, a fourth part of a carucate of land in Worfeld, co. Salop, and a moiety of the forestership of Morf in the same county, held in chief, and entering thereon without licence.

By p.s.

Jan. 18
Westminster.

Licence for the king's brother John de Holland, earl of Huntington, to go beyond the sea and there remain for two years.

By p.s.

Jan. 20
Westminster.

Grant, for life, to the king's esquire, John Arblaster, so long as he remains within the household, of the wages of the household, viz. £24 a day and 10s. a year for his robes from the keeper of the wardrobe; and further, with the assent of the Council, because for certain reasons he cannot stay continuously within the household, grant to him of 10l. a year for life at the Exchequer.

By p.s.

Jan. 21
Westminster.

Appointment of John Godneston, clerk, to cause the great hall in the palace of Westminster to be repaired, taking the necessary masons, carpenters and labourers; therefor, wherever found except in the fee of the church, with power to arrest and imprison contrariants until further order and also to take stone, timber, tiles and other materials and carriages for the same at the king's charges, and to sell branches, bark and other remnants of trees provided for the said hall, as well as the old timber from