Membrane 4—cont.

1396.

Writ de intendo for Richard Patesle, appointed by Thomas de Brounfilet, chief butler, his deputy in Kent, both within the liberty of the Cinque Ports and elsewhere in that county, to provide wines for the household whilst the king sojourns in that county and also carriage therefor. By bill of the said butler.

Exemption, for 20 years, with the assent of the Council, of the mayor, bailiffs, burgesses and commonalty of Walford, from the payment of half their fee farm of 42l. a year, on their petition alleging they are too impoverished to pay, owing to the late queen's death and pestilences and other misfortunes. By p.s.

June 18.

Westminster.

Revocation of protection with clause columnas for one year granted to Thomas Leyestre, spicer, as going to stay on the king's service in the company of Thomas Stanley, treasurer of Calais, because he tarry in London on his own affairs, as is certified by the sheriffs.

June 19.

Westminster.

Revocation of the like protection granted 18 October last to Thomas Stokkes, the king's attorney in Ireland, as going to stay there on the king's service, because he tarry in the county of Oxford on his own affairs, as is certified by the sheriff.

June 17.

Westminster.

Presentation of John Appilton, vicar of the parish church of Wonersh in the diocese of Winchester, to the church of Chipstede in the same diocese, in the king's gift by reason of his custody of the land and heir of Thomas, earl of Stafford, tenant in chief; on an exchange with Henry Greene. By p.s.

May 16.

Westminster.

Grant, for life, with the assent of the Council, to John de Oldeon, one of the clerks of the Exchequer, of 20 marks a year at the Exchequer. By p.s.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king on 21 July in his twenty-first year granted that sum to him from the fee farm of the city of Worcester.

June 5.

Westminster.

Pardon to Robert Drayton of Coventry, 'barbour,' alias Robert Barbour of Coventry, the elder, indicted for stealing at Coventry on Friday after the close of Easter in the eighteenth year divers pieces of woollen cloth of William de Sibletenham of Coventry of various colours, viz. russet, red and scarlet, value 10s. and also for that he assembled with other barbers on Monday before Midsommer in the twelfth year in unlawful assemblies at Coventry, and conspired with them that no barber should shave any stranger or workman or servant on feast days, making the cost of that art so much dearer to the damage of the whole people, and because John Wilnhal, a barber, shaved both strangers and workmen and servants on the ordinary feast days the said Robert with others on Monday before St. James the Apostle in the eighteenth year maliciously harassed the said John at Coventry before the usual of the bishop of Chester to his damage of 100s. and threatened to mutilate his members. By p.s. [10599.]

June 20.

Westminster.

Grant, for life, to the king's esquire Robert Thorley of 22l. 18s. 6d. from the issues or farm of the manor of Cornwall, on the surrender by Aubrey de Vero, earl of Oxford, of letters patent granting the said sum to him for life from the said manor until it should be assigned to him from some other source. By p.s.

April 26.

Westminster.

Grant to the king's servants of the pantry Richard Lancestre and John Langrugg of the money due to the king from the bailiffs of the town of Windsor for the escape from their custody of John Say, John Tyler and John Heldere, committed for felony. By p.s.