Membrane 25—cont.

Roger de Praell, William his brother, Roger son of Renfrew, Alan de Valmer, dated at Canterbury, 4 December by the hand of William de Longo Campo, elect of Ely, in the first year of the king; and a confirmation of these in fee to Matthew de Lovayne, kinsman and heir of the said William son of Robert, Henry and Delicia. This exemplification is granted at the request of Thomas de Lovayne, kinsman and heir of the said Matthew, because the original charter has been accidentally lost.

Membrane 24.

Whereas the king by letters patent lately granted for life to Mary, late the wife of Aymer de Valencia, earl of Pembroke, for a release by her of her right in the castles and towns of Hertford and Haverford, and the manors of Houghton Fers, Monemuth and Houenak, the manor of Deneye, co. Cambridge, with other lands; he has, for her good service and for 250£, received from her by the hands of Henry bishop of Lincoln, the treasurer, granted the manor to her and her heirs, with the knight's fees, liberties and all other appurtenances.

By p.s.

Grant to the mayor, bailiffs, and good men of the town of Leycestre of paving for six years.

By p.s.

Licence for John de Ryvers to enfeoff William de Havering of the hundred of Aungre, held in chief, as it has been found by inquisition ad quod damnum taken by William Trussel, escheator on this side Trent, that this is not to the prejudice of any one or the diminution of the farm of the county of Essex.

By fine of 5 marks.

Licence, in consideration of a fine made by Robert de Sadyngton, for the alienation in mortmain by Master Walter de Staner, Simon de Islep, John de Haryngton, and William Bachiler to the chapter of the church of St. Mary, Lincoln, of a messuage in Thorpe 'on the Hill' by Lincoln, and the advowson of the church of that town, which are said to be held in chief.

Vacated because the sum of the fine is not settled.

Whereas the king by letters patent on 25 November in the second year of his reign granted to Henry, bishop of Lincoln, the custody of the lands, late of Paulinus Peyvre, tenant in chief, with the marriage of the heir, and on 7 February following, accepted a grant thereof by the bishop to Robert de Arderne; and now a petition has been presented to the king and council in the present Parliament on behalf of Thomas Wale and Nichoala his wife, executrix of the will of the said Robert, setting forth that the latter by his will bequeathed the custody to the said Nichoala, then his wife, that Thomas Wakelyn, her co-executor, because certain lands, which Mary, late the wife of John Peyvre, held for life of the inheritance of Nicholas, son and heir of the said Paulinus, and which by virtue of the bequest should have remained to the petitioners, had been taken into the king's hands by the escheator after her death, made a fine of 200 marks in their name and his own for the custody of these lands, while Thomas Wale was on the king's service in Scotland and wholly ignorant of this, and that of this fine they have paid 50 marks, and the balance is now required of them and Thomas Wakelyn by summons of the Exchequer, and praying for a discharge of the demand for 150 marks: the king, having regard to the said grant and acceptance and on proof before him and the council of the truth of the statements in the petition, has pardoned the said sum.

By pet. of C. and p.s.

Confirmation with the assent of the prelates, earls, barons, and nobles of the realm in the Parliament last assembled at Westminster, of the late grant to John de Pulleneye, citizen of London, and his heirs of the reversion of the manors of Ditton Camoys, co. Cambridge, and Sheule, co.