1398.
Jan. 6. Coventry.

*Inipeximus* and confirmation of letters patent (French) of the king's brother Edward, duke of Albemarle, earl of Rutland and Cork, constable and admiral of England, dated at Coventry, 4 January in the twenty-first year, being a grant, as feoffment of all the late queen Anne's possessions, to John Littelbury, for life, of the office of seneschal, receiver and bailiff of franchise, of all the said queen's lordships of the Richardomond fee in the county of Lincoln and of Kyrtone in Lyndesay.

By p.s. For 40s. paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 11.
Clifton Campville.

Jan. 29.
Shrewsbury.

Grant to the bailiffs and good men of Gloucester of paviour for three years.

Grant, by mainprise of Robert Rotyngton of Cumberland and John Lakun of the county of Nottingham, for 80l. to be paid to the king by the prior and convent of St. Mary's abbey, York, to the said prior and convent of the custody of the abbey for two months from the date of its voidance by the death of Thomas Stayngrove, the last abbot, saving to the king knights' fees, advowsons, wardships, marriages and reliefs arising during that period, and if the abbey be void longer, then at the same rate.

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**MEMBRANE 8.**

Feb. 19.
Westminster.

Philippa, countess of Arundell and Pembroke, staying in England, has letters nominating Hugh Rocheford and John Cheuer her attorneys in Ireland for one year.

Simon Gaunstede, clerk, received the attorneys until the arrival in Ireland of the person appointing, by licence of Thomas Stanley, clerk.

Feb. 4.
Shrewsbury.

Thomas Yve of Shrewsbury having in his will bequeathed certain lands, tenements and rents there, held of the king in burgage, to the abbot and convent of Lilleshull, founded by the king's progenitors, in ease his sons and daughters should die without heirs tute, which event has happened, and the said abbot and convent having accordingly, by fine made with the king in Chancery, entered on 30 acres of land and 4 acres of meadow in Shrewsbury, part of the said bequest, and petitioned that they may receive, enter on and hold the remainder in mortmain, viz. a messuage in Merceres-rewe, formerly held by [the said] Thomas Yve, and a shop or stall there of the yearly value of 44s. and 4 marks of rent issuing out of a messuage in Chepyng-strete, formerly held by Agnes Yve—the king hereby grants licence accordingly, provided that the messages and shop do not exceed the said yearly value of 44s.; and further grants them licence to appropriate in mortmain the church of Holme next the Sea, co. Norfolk, which is of their own advowson.

By p.s. and for 2l. paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 2.
Shrewsbury.

The king having by recent letters patent granted to his brother John de Holand, duke of Exeter, the office of chamberlain for life, and Aubrey de Veer, earl of Oxford, uncle and heir of Robert, late earl of Oxford, who was the king's chamberlain in fee, having for him and his heirs released all right in the said office, the king hereby grants it to the said duke and the heirs male of his body, as fully as the said earl had it or any of his ancestors.

By p.s. [11890.]

Feb. 5.
Shrewsbury.

Presentation of John Ikelyngton to the church of Switlyngton in the diocese of Lincoln.