EDW. III. land and others at sea, of wools, &c., being averse to detaining them longer. Westminster. [Close, 49 Edw. III. m. 16, dorso.]

1375. **228.** The K. for the long service of the late Sir Godfrey de Roos Dec. 10. of Scotland, for which he lost the greater part of his heritage in Scotland, and as a special favour to Thomas de Roos his son, grants to Anabilla, Godfrey's widow, and Thomas, an annuity of 100 marks, until the latter recovers his heritage. Westminster. [Patent, 49 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 8.]

[1375.] *Circa* Dec. 229. The executors of Johanna widow of John of Coupland, pray the K. and Council for the arrears of the last four years of their joint annuity of 190l. 5s.  $3\frac{3}{4}d$ . on the customs of . . . ., granted for the capture of the late David Bruce K. of Scotland, at the battle of Durham, the balance whereof amounts to 540 marks, and that they may have judgment against Richard Lyouns for the same, in like manner as the executors of the 'Dame de Ravenshome' had against 'le Sire de Neville,' that they may perform the will and pay her debts. [No date.] [Parliamentary Petitions, No. 1336.]

The deliverance endorsed is torn off, and the document is much damaged.

1375–76. Jan. 18. 230. Commission to Sir Henry Percy, Sir Thomas de Musgrave, [and five others,] to inquire as to the complaint of Roger de Clifford that Sir Hugh de Dacre, and others [Alexander of Craweford, Robert Cowehirdson among them] assaulted Naward castle and carried off 100 oxen, 80 mares, 700 cows, 90 bullocks, 100 calves, 80 colts, 3300 sheep, value 2000l., there, and at Brampton, Hayton, Castel Kayrok, Irthington, Cumrewe, Comquynton, Kirkcroglyn, Kirkoswald, Laysingby, Askerton, and Dacre. Westminster. [Patent, 49 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 1, dorso.]

1376. May 1.

231. Compotus of William Henrison senior, chamberlain of Loghmaban castle, in the K.'s hands by ward of the heirs of the late Humfrey de Bohun earl of Hereford, from 16th January 48 Edw. III. (1374–75) till 1st May 50 Edw. III. (1376), viz., 1 year 3 months and 15 days, by view and testimony of William of Stapleton the warden.

Receipts:—From the half of the vill of Anande and pertinents, 7s. and no more, as no tenants would hold it from the devastations of the Scots. From the half of the vill of Loghmaban, &c., leased for a year, 53s. 4d. From the vill of Hetathe, nichil, as the tenants were completely ruined by the Earl of March of Scotland. 'But' 53s. 4d. from the water mill there leased ut supra. From the half of the fishing of Anande water leased ut supra, 108s. 8d. From half the vill of Raynpatryk, demesne lands and mill, leased ut supra, 10l. Nothing from the vill of Smalham, as the tenants were ruined by the aforesaid Earl of March. Nor from the half of the vills of Gretenhowe, Calfhirst, and Kyrkpatryk and its mill, as the tenants

- - 1376. Payments:—Wages of 3 carpenters working 13 weeks at the new front called 'la Pele,' 4l. 15s. 4d. Sawing 11 roods 'planchours' for same, 66s. A mason working on the 'stanworke' of the castle for 4 weeks, 13s. 4d.; making 40 'scalis, flekes, and barows,' 6s.; thatching houses, &c. Total, 10l. 0s. 4d.

Fees:—John Rothour ditcher, for a year 40s. The chamberlain, 12l. 18s.  $2\frac{1}{2}d$ . at 10l. per annum. Total, 14l. 18s.  $2\frac{1}{2}d$ . Total expenses, 24l. 18s.  $2\frac{1}{2}d$ . Surplus, 78s.  $2\frac{1}{2}d$ . [Exchequer, Q. R. Ancient Miscellanea, No.  $6\frac{8}{5}6$ .]

- July 1. 232. Commission to Gilbert de Umfraville earl of Angus, Henry Percy, Henry le Scrope, [and three others,] to inquire into the extortions of Richard Lyons of London, farmer of the subsidy of 2s. on each cask of wine, and 6d. per lb. on certain other goods, which was only to apply to such articles shipped out of the realm, whereas he and his deputies are levying it on merchandise taken to Berwick, Roxburgh, Jedworde, and elsewhere on the March of Scotland, within the K.'s own dominion and regal power, to the oppression and loss of his subjects there. Westminster. [Patent, 50 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 8, dorso.]
- July 18. **233**. The K. for 500*l*. releases Sir William Heron of 2000*l*., for which he is bound with Sir John de Stryvelyn, Roger of Wyderyngton, Henry de la Vale, Robert de Euer, Sir Bertram Monboucher, Sir Thomas Surteys, Robert of Fenwyk, Sir William of Tyndale, and Sir Robert de Umfraville, who are also released. Westminster. [*Patent*, 50 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 6.]
- July 30. 234. Pardon to Sir Adomar of Athol for entailing without leave the manor of Felton, granted to him and his heirs by David of Strabolgi earl of Athol, held by Maria de St Pol countess of Pembroke, for life, on himself and his wife Maria and the heirs male of their bodies, whom failing on Ralph de Euer and Isabella his wife, Adomar's daughter, and the heirs male of their bodies, whom failing by Ralph's death without such heir male, on Isabella and the heirs male of her body, whom failing on Robert del Isle and Maria his wife and the heirs male of their bodies, whom failing one half of the manor on the heirs of the bodies of Ralph and Isabella, and the other on the heirs of the bodies of Ralph (sic) and Maria, by reasonable partition, whom all failing to revert to the right heirs of said Sir Adomar; and for a fine of 20l. confirming the said settlement after the death of the said countess. Westminster. [Patent, 50 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 4.]
- Sept. 12. 235. The K. to Thomas bishop of Durham. Notwithstanding his late order to keep Adam of Crail (Karale) monk of Dunfermline in

- EDW. III. Scotland, and his fellow monk, made prisoners by Richard Tempest,
  in safe custody, he commands him to deliver them to Henry
  1376. Percy and the other wardens of the Scottish March, to be dealt
  with under the truce. Westminster. [Close, 50 Edw. III. p. 2, m.
  17.]
- Oct. 20. 236. The K. commands payment to Thomas of Ilderton sheriff of Northumberland, of his expenses coming from York to London for a letter of acquittance of 4000 marks paid at Midsummer by Robert K. of Scotland, and returning with the same to York. Westminster. [Close, 50 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 9.]
- 1376-77. **237**. Fiat for protection for a year for Sir Thomas Ughtred Jan. 30. knight, going to take charge of Loghmaban castle. Westminster. [Chanery Files, Bundle No. 323.]
- March 5. **238**. Commission to Alan del Strother bailiff of the Liberty of Tyndale, [and two others,] to hold an inquiry how the manor del Ley, and a place called Eslyngham in Tyndale, of which the Abbot and convent of St Mary of Jeddeworth have been seised for time beyond memory, have been taken in the K.'s hands, &c. Westminster. [Patent, 51 Edw. III. m. 34, dorso.]
- 1377. **239.** Fiat for protection for a year for Nicholas Steward (Sene-March 31. schall), in the garrison of Calais under the Treasurer. Westminster. [Chanery Files, Bundle No. 323.]

#### RICHARD II.

- June 27. **240.** Writ to the Mayor of Newcastle-on-Tyne and the K.'s escheator there, to see that a rent of 90l. 16s. 8d. from the farm of the town, which had been granted by the late K. on 16th July 1352 to Ralph de Neville, in part satisfaction of 120 librates of land given to him in exchange for the castle and manor of Ermytage in Scotland, is paid to John de Neville, who has been found by inquisition to be his son and heir, as the rival claimants have failed to appear. Westminster. [Close, 1 Ric. II. m. 41.]
- July 20. **241.** The K. commands Thomas bishop of Durham, to go with Forders, iv. 11. his household to his lands nearest the Scottish March, and dwell there for the defence of the same. Westminster. [Close, 1 Rio. II. m. 42.]
- [Circa 242. [Copy letter the Earl of Northumberland to the K. of Oct. 14.] Scotland.]

Begins 'High and puissant prince.' Refers to a letter he had written to the Earl of Douglas, one of the wardens of the March, respecting violence attempted at Roxburgh . . . . by the Earl

RIC. II. of March, of which he had warned the wardens for Scotland
———— [but apparently having had no redress, signifies the same to the K.

1377. Very indistinct].

#### [Reply.]

The K. addressing the Earl as 'Dearest cousin,' acknowledges the above and expresses his willingness to make reparation under the conditions of truce. Has appointed the Earl of Douglas and Archibald of Douglas and Master John of Peebles archdeacon of St Andrews, his chancellor, commissioners to meet him on the business. Under his Privy seal at Stirling, 4th September.

[Copy Indenture made the last day of March between the Earl of Northumberland and the Scottish commissioners.]

Indenture made at Farnydon Cragges 14th September [13]77, between Henry of Percy earl of Northumberland, for the K. of England, and William earl of Douglas and Marre, Archibald of Douglas lord of Gal[lo]way, and Meistre John of Pebles chancellor of Scotland, archdeacon of St Andrews, for the K. of Scotland, agreeing that in reparation of the attempts on the March, a day shall be held at 'Lillyat-Cros' the 18th January thereafter, and seeing that the dispute is between the Earls of Northumberland and of March, it is fitting that greater lords of the realms should then attend, viz., for England the Duke of Lancaster, and for Scotland the Earl of Carrick, and declare the truce in force till said day. That the K. of England should certify by letter to the Abbot of Melros, and the K. of Scotland to the Abbot of Kelkow, within a month after 14th September, their approval thereof. [The same by the K. of Scots follows.] [Tower Miscellaneous Rolls, No. 459.]

- Oct. 14. **243.** Fiat for protection till Easter for Philip Steward (Seneschalle) of London esquire, going on the K.'s service beyond sea with Gilbert Talbot esquire. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 360.]
- Oct. 18. **244.** The K. commands his clerk Richard of Ravenser to deliver John Mercere of Scotland and his son, lately made prisoners, and at Grymesby, to Henry Percy earl of Northumberland, for safe custody. Westminster. [Close, 1 Ric. II. m. 32.] Similar to the Earl to receive them.
- Oct. 28. **245**. Licence for 20 marks paid to the K., to Gilbert Umfraville earl of Angus, to assign an annualrent of 5 marks from his watermills in the vill of Shirmondesdene in Cokdale to the chaplain of the chantry of the B.M. in 'la peleyerde' of Prudhowe, in augmentation of his stipend. Westminster. [Patent, 1 Ric. II. m. 1.]
- Oct. 29. 246. Fiat for protection for a year for Sir Robert of Bointon,

- RIC. II. alio nomine vocato 'Robert de Boyton,' constable of the castle of
  Berwick-on-Tweed. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 360.]
- [1377.] **247.** The Earl of Northumberland signifies that, having been Nov. 9. required by the bearer Adam of Heburn to grant letters of passage for him and 10 horsemen, he has taken security from him in presence of the Bishop of Hereford. Written at Berwick 9th November. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 10.]
- 1377. 248. The K. to Henry Percy earl of Northumberland, one of Nov. 24. the wardens of the March. Signifies that the costs of bringing John Mercer, a Scotsman, and his son and their servants from Grymesby to London, are to be defrayed out of the Scottish goods, &c. captured there and at Hull, which are to be delivered to the Earl by indenture, with the merchants, mariners, and others in the vessels. Westminster. [Close, 1 Ric. II. m. 19.]
- Nov. 24. **249.** Fiat for protection for Walter Carlel 'leche,' till Easter next, going with Friar Robert de Hales prior of the Hospital of St John of Jerusalem, admiral of the west seas. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 360.]
- Nov. 26. **250**. The K. signifies to Henry Percy earl of Northumberland, and the other wardens of the March, that as Walter de Wele, late mayor of Grymesby, whose 'craiera,' with a cargo of merchandise worth 200l., was lately captured at sea during the truce by the Scots, and the crew killed, has as yet had no redress on a March day, therefore his losses are to be replaced from the Scottish merchants' goods, &c. lately captured at Grymesby and Hull, as a mark or reprise, and orders them to hear his case and do justice. Westminster. [Close, 1 Ric. II. m. 19.]
- Dec. 1. **251.** Fiat for protection for a year for William Byset in the garrison of Berwick-on-Tweed under Henry Percy earl of North-umberland. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 360.]
- Dec. 1. **252.** Compotus of Henry Percy earl of Northumberland, warden of the castle of Berwick-on-Tweed, for his garrison and for the fee of Thomas Percy warden of Roxburgh castle.

## [Extracts.]

Receipt:—From Exchequer by the hands of Thomas de Moderby esquire [in three sums]—366l. 13s. 4d.

Discharge:—He asks allowance of his fee from 12th April last till 1st December following, or 233 days, at 100 marks a year in peace time—42l. 11s.  $6\frac{3}{4}d$ •

He also asks allowance of a 'rewarda' for keeping the castle for that time, at the rate of 50 marks *per annum*, by the present

- RIC. II. K.'s grant, as there was no peace or truce between the realms duly kept at that time—21l. 5s.  $6\frac{3}{4}d$ . Disallowed, as without warrant.

  —He also asks the wages of a knight at 2s., 29 esquires, each at 12d., 40 archers each at 4d., and 20 watchmen each at 3d., keeping the town from 27th August, the day on which Thomas de Musgrave warden of the town of Berwick was captured by the Scots, till 1st December—96 days, 236l. 16s. He also asks Sir Thomas Percy's fee for keeping Roxburgh castle from Midsummer last till said 1st December—160 days, at 300l. per annum, 131l. 8s.  $0\frac{3}{4}d$ . Total pay, &c. 410l. 15s.  $7\frac{1}{2}d$ . 'Superplus,' 44l. 2s.  $3\frac{1}{2}d$ . [Exchequer, Q. R. Miscellanea (Army), No.  $5\frac{5}{2}$ .]
- [1377.] **253.** Fiat for a safe conduct for Sir Patrick de Grame knight, Master Simon of Catnes clerk, and John Mercer of St John's town, Scots, to come before the Council and return, till 1st May, on the affairs of the kingdoms. That the same shall not prejudice the re-entrance of John Mercer to the castle of Alnwyk at Pentecost next, nor the obligation by the Earl of Douglas and other magnates of Scotland for said John.

(At top) This bill delivered in Chancery by the Earl of Northumberland ex parte consilii. [Tower Miscellaneous Rolls, No. 459.]

- 1377. **254.** Warrant for safe conducts till the last day of April next Dec. 31. for John lord of Swinton (Swyngton) of Scotland, with 60 men, and for John Sibbald (Seball) of Scotland knight, with 40 men, presently in France, to pass through Normandy, take ship at Hunfleu, and Harfleu, or Dieppe, for Southampton, Portsmouth, [or four other ports,] thence to the K.'s presence, and thereafter to Scotland by land. Westminster. [Privy Scals (Tower), 1 Ric. II. File 10.]
- 1377-78. **255.** Fiat for protection till Easter for John of Appelby dean of Feb. 3. St Paul's, going in the K.'s service to Scotland. Westminster.

  Another on 21st May following till 1st August, for the Dean in Scotland. *Ibid.* [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 360.]
- Mar. 4. **256.** Exemplification by the K. of letters patent by his grandfather K. Edward, granting an annuity of 100 marks to Anabille widow, and Thomas de Roos son, of the late Sir Godfrey de Roos of Scotland knight, who for his obedience to the K. had lost the greater part of his lands in Scotland, till the same were recovered. Westminster 10th Dec. anno xlix° (1375). Westminster. [Patent, 1 Ric. II. p. 3, m. 33.]

Similar exemplification of a grant by the late K. to Sibilla Lybaud, who is at his allegiance and has nothing to live on, of 60s. yearly for life. Teste Edward duke of Cornwall and earl of Chester, guardian. Eastry, 6 Oct. anno xiv° (1340). Ibid. [m. 37.]

- 257. Exemplification by the K. of letters patent by his grand-RIC. II. father K. Edward, granting his esquire Alexander Merle of Scotland 1377–78. an annuity of 12d. per diem for his good service in his wars. Brokenhurst, 6th Aug. anno xl° (1366). In the Great Council. Mar. 8. Westminster. [Patent, 1 Ric. II. p. 3, m. 31.]
- 258. Exemplification by the K. of an inspeximus by himself Mar. 22. while Prince of Wales, of letters patent by his father Edward Prince of Wales, duke of Cornwall, &c. to his beloved esquire Adam Ramseye, granting him 10 marks sterling in increase of his annuity of 20l., from his stannary of Devonshire, granted to him on 8th December 'lan quarrant cinq' (1371). Under his Privy seal at his house of Assherugge, 11th Aug. 'lan quarrant oet' (1374). Inspeximus dated at Richard's manor of Kenyngton, 25th Feb. 'lan cynquantism primer' (1376-77). Westminster. [Patent, 1 Ric. II. p. 5, m. 28.]
- Mar. 23. 259. Exemplification by the K. of letters patent by his grandfather K. Edward, to Patrick Macolaghe, for his long service and total loss of his lands in Scotland, of an annuity of 100 marks till Westminster, 12th March anno xxxv° (1360-61). he recovers them. The K. confirms these, as he has retained Patrick about his person. Westminster. [Patent, 1 Ric. II. p. 5, m. 17.]
- 260. The Earl of Northumberland reports to the Council the 1378 dangerous state of the Marches, on which account the warden of April 2. Lochmaben castle will remain there no longer, and the Earl has therefore entrusted the charge of it to Amand de Mounceux, an esquire of Cumberland, by indenture. Also that the Earls of March and Douglas, and the latter's cousin Sir Archibald, are harassing the English borderers by imprisonment, ransoms, and otherwise. Werkworthe. [National MSS. of England, Pt. 1.]

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April 5. 261. Letters patent by Robert [II.] K. of Scots, ratifying an indenture executed on the March day at 'Lylyot Croys,' on 18th January last, between the deputies of his eldest son John earl of Carrick, in his name, and Henry Percy earl of Northumberland, and John de Neville of Raby, for Richard K. of England, agreeing to hold a March day at same place on 14th June following, and approving the names of the commissioners therein; which was to be signified by both Kings hinc et inde in writing at the Monastery of Kelcow before Easter instant. Under his Great seal at Perth, 5th April 8th of his reign. [Tower Miscellaneous Rolls, No. 459.]

No seal. On paper.

262. Warrant to the Chancellor to issue letters in favour of April 13. Johane widow of Sir Edward of Letham, now wife of Sir Robert de

- Ric. II. Claveryng, for payment of the arrears of her dower, viz., one-third of 65 marks from the issues of the county of Berwick, and of two-thirds of the remainder granted for the support of Edward of Letham son and heir of Sir Edward, a minor, and their other children, under a grant by the late K. on 12th March 50th of his reign, since confirmed by the K. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 1 Ric. II. File 3.]
- April 27. **263.** Warrant for safe conduct for 20 days for John Ramesey esquire of Scotland, with 1 servant, now in England, to return to his own country. Westminster. [*Privy Seals (Tower)*, 1 Ric. II. File 4.]
- 264. Petition to the K. and his Parliament, by the Lord of [1378.] Neville, John Heron knight, Aleyn del Strothere, Robert of before Hagreston, and Robert Gray, shewing that on the March day held May 29. at Lyliotcrosse between the English and Scottish commissioners in January in the King's 1st year, it was agreed that the persons of Sir Thomas de Musgrave and John Marcere should be repledged on special securities to re-enter their prisons on the day of Pentecost next following, each under a penalty of 10,000 marks, for which the petitioners were Sir Thomas's pledges. And because Sir Thomas did not surrender himself on the said day, but on the Friday following, the Earl of the March of Scotland, with whom Sir Thomas was imprisoned, and to whom they were bound for the penalty of 10,000 marks, demands the same, or threatens to take a distraint on the inhabitants of the March, which will ruin the country, as the people are not able for the amount. And they beg the K. and Council to order remedy, for the whole country is in such fear that they will remove their goods, as they have only respite till 8 days before this Pentecost. [No date or endorsement.] [Parliamentary Petitions, No. 6058.]
- 1378. **265.** Richard K. of England and France, acknowledges receipt of June 26. 4000 marks sterling 'English money,' due at Midsummer from his cousin Robert K. of Scotland, to account of 24,000 marks still due of 56,000 marks, the ransom of the late David de Bruys. Palace of Westminster. [Tower Miscellancous Rolls, No. 459.]

Similar for 4000 marks on each of the 2 succeeding years 1379-80 at Midsummer.

(All endorsed)—' Void, as they were restored and nothing done.'
No seals.

June 28. **266.** Warrant for licence for a half-year for a ship of the K.'s brother, John duke of Brittany (?) called 'le Antoyne,' William Chamberlain master, with 30 mariners, and for a safe conduct for half-year for John le Mercer vallet of Sir Robert Ventadour,

- RIC. II. knight of France, prisoner of 'our said brother,' to come and go between France and England regarding his master's deliverance.

  1378. Westminster. [Privy Scals (Tower), 2 Ric. II. File 5.]
- July 28. **267.** Fiat for protection till the Feast of the Invention of the Holy Cross next, for Sir Thomas Ughtred knight, about to set out for Scotland to remain in charge of the K.'s castle of Loghmaban. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 360.]
- July 30. **268.** The K. orders the Mayor and bailiffs of Newcastle-on-Tyne and the collectors of customs there, to make public proclamation of the late agreement between his commissioners and those of Robert K. of Scotland on 20th June last, that from the Monday thereafter till 1st December following, no Scottish or English vessel should be arrested or detained for any infraction of the laws of the March. Westminster. Similar to 10 other ports from Berwick to Southampton. [Close, 2 Ric. II. m. 33, dorso.]
- Aug. 2. **269.** Warrant to the Chancellor to command the chamberlain of Berwick to pay John Iseham the annuity of 26 marks from the half of the manor of Edenham in Roxburghshire in Scotland, which half had been given him by the late K., but resumed by the present K. on 13th April last for certain reasons. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 2 Ric. II. File 5.]
- Oct. 7. **270**. Warrant on the Treasury to hold count and reckoning with Ingelram de Umfraville constable of Scarborough castle, and repay him the money laid out on its repair. Westminster. [Close, 2 Ric. II. m. 28.]
- Oct. 30. **271**. The K. grants licence to Margaret widow of Sir Thomas Graye knight, to give the half of the vill of Clifton and a carucate therein, within Tevydale in Scotland, said to be held of him in capite, to his liege Sir John Lilburne knight, for life. Gloucester. [Patent, 2 Ric. II. p. 1, m. 17.]
- 1378-79. 272. Writ commanding the sheriff of York to imprison Nicholas Feb. 6. Knout for his debt of 500 marks to Thomas of Rydell burgess of Berwick-on-Tweed, which the debtor recognosced before John del Chambre mayor of the Staple of Newcastle-on-Tyne, on 30th October 1360, and to appraise his goods and chattels, and extend his lands for the creditors' benefit. Westminster.

(Endorsed) Certificate by Robert Neville of Horneby sheriff, that Nicholas is in prison at York castle, and his lands and goods are extended and seized.

(Attached) (1) Appraisement and extent of his lands and goods in Yorkshire since 30th October 1360, made at Kepwyk on Friday next after Michaelmas 3 Ric. II. by the sheriff and a jury of 12. He had a bay horse worth 10s., a chief messuage and 10 oxgates of

- (2) Defeasance by Thomas of Rydell, dated Newcastle 1st November 1360, declaring that if Nicholas or his heirs pay him 250 marks in the church of St Nicholas, Newcastle-on-Tyne, during the year 1361, or if he or his heirs or assigns are deprived of the lands of Synlawes and Litil Neuton-on-Edyn in Scotland, mortgaged to him by Nicholas, or if the latter or his heirs lose the same through the final peace between the kingdoms, then the latter's bond for 500 marks shall be of no force or effect into whose hand soever it comes. [Seal lost.]
- (3) Memorandum:—That there be no execution done under the extent by reason of the 'defesance' making mention that the statute 'de lestaple' should not be enforced till 250 marks were in arrear after the first year, seeing that Nicholas and his heirs were disinherited of the manors of Synlawes and Litil Neuton as within, and Thomas despoiled through no fault of the debtor; and Thomas has sued execution harshly before his term, wherefore the said poor man Nicholas has suffered long and pitiful imprisonment. [Inq. p. m., 3 Ric. II. No. 89.]

# [Extracts.]

Oct. 1— 273. October 9:—To Alexander Merle, an esquire of Scotland, to April 6. whom K. Edward the K.'s grandfather gave an annuity of 12d. daily for his good service, confirmed by the K. on 8th March last, arrears to 30th September, 206 days—10l. 6s.

October 12:—Sir Patrick Macolaghe knight of Scotland for his annuity from the late K. of 100 marks, in part of Michaelmas term of 50 marks—6l. 13s. 4d.

To Anabilla widow of Sir Godfrey de Roos of Scotland knight and Thomas his son, for their annuity of 100 marks from the late K. for Thomas's good service, till he recover his lands in Scotland, in part of Easter term last past, by said Thomas Roos's hands—61. 13s. 4d.

December 4:—To John Lambe an esquire of Scotland, for lately killing Oweyn of Wales a rebel and the K.'s enemy in France, and coming to explain certain matters to the K. and Council, by his own hands in money, of the K.'s gift—201.

March 6:—To said John for a further service to the K., and to help in discharging his debts, beyond the above 20*l*. by his own hands—40*l*. [Issue Roll (Pells), 2 Ric. II.]

- RIC. II. 274. Warrant to Richard le Scrope the chancellor to transfer the annuity of 40 marks granted to Adam de Ramesay esquire by the 1379. K.'s father on 11th August 1374, from the issues of the Stannary of April 10. Devonshire to those of the Stannary of Cornwall. Eltham. [Privy Seals (Tower), 2 Ric. II. File 3.]
- May 12. 275. The K. commands John of Beverley of Yarmouth to give William Fauconer and William Adamson, Scottish merchants, 10l. out of their goods, &c. lately arrested there, and to attend in person before the Council at Westminster on the morrow of Trinity to explain some matters. Westminster. [Close, 2 Rie, II. m., 1.]
- May 24. 276. Indenture by Sir Thomas of Ildretone and Sir John Heron 'le filz' knights, undertaking the ward of Berwick-on-Tweed from Trinity Sunday for a year, for 1000 marks sterling per annum. One or other to be constantly in the town living or dead. If war break out, a new agreement to be made. Append their seals at Westminster 24th May 2nd year. [Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt Miscellanea, No. 46 .]

Two small seals, red wax, on tag. (1) A shield within tracery, charged with three swine, 2 and 1, within an engrailed bordure: 'SIGILLUM WALTERI DE SWYNHOW.' (2) A shield hung from a tree, charged with a chevron between 3 herons: 'SIGILLUM....'

- May 26. 277. Warrant to the Chancellor to issue letters in favour of William of Shrouesbury clerk, to the prebend of Auld Roxburgh in the Cathedral church of Glasgow, vacant and in the K.'s gift. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 2 Ric. II. File 3.]
- May 27. 278. Warrant for letters in favour of Richard Clifford clerk, to the custody of the K.'s free chapel of Segden for life. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 2 Ric. II. File 3.]
- June 14. 279. Warrant to the Chancellor to issue a ratification of the grant by the K.'s grandfather, on 7th February 33rd of his reign, of 20 marks and 20l. to Sir Robert de Colville knight of Scotland, who lost the most part of his lands there for his allegiance, from the customs of Hull. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 2 Ric. II. File 4.]
- Oct. 12. 280. Fiat for protection for a year for Adam of Corry in the garrison of Loghmaban castle in Scotland under Sir Thomas of Rokeby knight, the warden. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 373.]
- Oct. 27. 281. Warrant authorising the Exchequer to accept the acquittances of Henry Percy earl of Northumberland, in accounting with the collectors of custom at Berwick, for the 500 marks per annum granted to his grandfather Henry de Percy, in part exchange

- RIC. II. for the castle and pele of Loghmaban and valley of Annan, given him by Edward de Balliol, late K. of Scotland, but surrendered by 1379. Henry to the K.'s grandfather. Westminster. [Close, 3 Ric. II. m. 30.]
- Nov. 30. 282. Discharge and quit-claim by Nicholas Knout of Kepewyk near Upsale in the county of York, in favour of Thomas Rydelle burgess of Berwick-on-Tweed, of all his hereditary right of succession to his late father Ingelram Knout in the lands of Synlawes and Little Newton upon Edyn within Scotland, or any parcel of the same. Appends his seal. Wednesday last of November 3 Ric. II. Recognisance of same by Nicholas in the Chancery at Westminster on 2nd December. [Close, 3 Ric. II. m. 26, dorso.]
- Dec. 3. 283. The K. commands his bailiffs of Great Yarmouth, on the petition of John of Beverle and other burgesses of their port, to apply the cargo of a Flemish vessel freighted for Scotland with linen and woollen cloths, swords, knives, &c., worth 200l., lately driven ashore at Kirkelerode, in part satisfaction of their late shipment of 90 lasts of 'Skoone' herrings, value 400l., freighted at 'le Skoone' in an Estland vessel, which had been driven on shore on the Earl of Moray's territory, where some of his merchants and retainers had plundered the herrings, and still keep them, though often required to give them up, notwithstanding the truce. Westminster. [Close, 3 Ric. II. m. 25.]
- 1379-80. **284.** Licence to Sir Gilbert Culwen knight, to fortify and March 4. kernel with a stone wall his house at his manor of Wirkynton, next the March of Scotland. Westminster. [Patent, 3 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 15.]
- March 4. **285**. Recognisance by Sir Adomar of Athol knight, to Sir William de Murrers knight, for 120*l*. payable at Pentecost next, &c. Westminster.

Sir William grants that, if Sir Adomar keeps the conditions in an indenture between them, the above shall be void; if not, it shall stand. Sir Adomar paid, and is discharged. [Close, 3 Ric. II. m. 15, dorso.]

March 12. 286. The K. appoints Henry Percy earl of Northumberland and Ralph baron of Graystok, to compel all laymen holding 100 marks or more of land or rent in Northumberland and the Liberty of Durham, to reside constantly in defence of the Marches; and to see that all castles and fortalices within three or four leagues of the Border be well fortified and provided with men and stores to resist the Scots; and that all captains, lords, wardens of castles, mayors, and other officers obey their orders. Westminster.

Similar to Roger Clifford and Mathew Redman for Cumberland and Westmoreland. [Patent, 3 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 5.]

- RIC. II. **287.** Indenture by Piers de Maulay banneret, to keep the town of Berwick-on-Tweed for a year from Midsummer for 1000 marks 1380. sterling. Westminster, 20th May 3 Ric. II. [Exchequer, Treasury May 28. of Receipt Miscellanea, No. 4-6.]
- Fine seal, red wax, on tag. A shield, with bend dexter. Crest, a wyvern,

Fine seal, red wax, on tag. A shield, with bend dexter. Crest, a wyvern, tongue protruded. Supporters, two lions: 'SIGILLUM PETRI DE MAULAY, B'RETTI.'

- May 28. 288. Fiat for protection for a year for Peter de Maulay sextus, setting out as warden of the town of Berwick-on-Tweed., Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 373.]
- June 16. 289. Fiat for protection for a year for James Rydale esquire, going beyond seas in the K.'s service with William de Wyndsore. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 273.]
  - 290. Compotus of Sir Thomas Percy knight, warden of Roxburgh castle, under indenture between the late K. and on him 21st April 1377.
- June 24. Receipts:—At Exchequer [in three sums] up to 17th March last—375l.

Discharge:—His fixed yearly fee under the indenture both in peace and war time from 1st December 1377 till 24th June 1380, viz., 2 whole years a half (*sic*) and 23 days—768l. 11s.  $11\frac{1}{4}d$ . Superplus, 393l. 11s.  $11\frac{1}{4}d$ .

The indenture between the late K. and Sir Thomas attached, for 3 years from its date, 21st April 1377. [Exchequer, Q. R. Miscellanea (Army), No.  $\frac{5.0}{4}$ .]

Fragment of the Privy seal appended.

- July 22. **291.** Warrant to the Chancellor to issue letters permitting the Prior and convent of St Cuthbert of Durham to receive restitution from the K. of Scotland of the Priory of Coldyngham, a cell of their house, which has been long held by the Scots,—on their petition, shewing that the K. of Scotland, moved by conscience, is willing to restore it if they receive it from his hands,—provided it shall always be governed by a prior appointed by the Prior of St Cuthbert of Durham. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 4 Ric. II. File 8.]
- Aug. 21.

  292. Inquisition [under writ dated 12th July preceding] taken at Penrith in Cumberland on Tuesday next before the Feast of St Bartholomew 4 Ric. II., before John of Derwentwatre the K.'s escheator in the county by . . . Gilbert of Suthayk, Patrick of Suthayk [and 10 others] jurors, who find that Blanchia widow of Thomas Wake of Lydell was seised for life of the heritage of Johanna princess of Wales, the K.'s mother, in the barony of Lydell, held in capite by homage and fealty, and service of 56s. yearly of cornage at the Carlisle exchequer at the Assumption of the B.M. The barony

RIC. II. with its members, vills, hamlets and parcels, is worth nothing at present, because utterly ravaged by the Scots. She died on Wednesday next after the Translation of St Thomas Martyr last past. Henry earl of Derby is her cousin and next heir, and 18 years of age. [No seals.] [Inq. p. m. 4 Ric. II. No. 59.]

Aug. 25. 293. Fiat for protections for a year for Sir Thomas of Rokeby knight warden of Loghmaban castle, and Adam del More of Carlisle in garrison there. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 373.]

Circa Oct. 1.

294. Memorandum of copies sent to 'Monseigneur Despaigne' and other royal commissioners about to hold a March day on 1st October, in the 4th year.

(1) Copy of David de Bruys's letter at Edinburgh 20th October 1357, to pay 100,000 marks in 10 years, and keep the truce for same time. (2) Copy of letter by the 'Seigneurs Descoce' to same effect, Berwick-on-Tweed 5th Oct. same year. (3) Copy of said David's letter of 20th June 1369, agreeing to a 14 years' truce from Candlemas next, and to pay 56,000 marks during same, by instalments of 4000 marks at Candlemas. (4) Copy of the Lords' letters to same effect. (5) Copy of said David's letter promising to pay these 4000 marks yearly at Midsummer instead of Candlemas. (6) Copy of memorandum found with these, touching the bounds of certain lands appertaining to our lord the K. and his friends, at present occupied by the Scots. [Chapter House (Scots Docts.), Box 100, No. 73.]

Somewhat faded and defaced.

[1380.] Circa Oct. 1. 295. [Memorandum (No. 6) referred to in the preceding document.]

'These are the boundes of Goldyngham schire and the Marche which we demand for our lord the K. of England.'

From Colbrandespathe to the river Boune, and from the Boune following the Ledre water running into the Twede, with the Abbot of Melros's lands to Galow water.

These are the parcels of land within the sheriffdom of Roxburgh taken (purprises) from our lord the K. since 'la grant triewe.'

The barony of Cavers:—The 'demeinz' of Cavers entirely and the advowson of the church, in the K.'s gift. *Item*, the 'demeinz' of the Denum, with cotiers, and 'la Baliol hag' and Denumdeen, and the 'demeinz' of Charles-set with the park; the 'demeinz' of Canelynge, lands of Blakpoul, and office of serjeantie, Stenhoushope, Tilloly, Pencriz, Caldeclues 'Oure and Nethere,' Penangoshope, Fawehope 'Estree and Westree,' 'les Neeses,' les Langebyre and Luneshope, Godwynesclu, le Morylawe, the lands of Hameleknolles, Belmonddeschawes, the half of Colyfordland, 'les Welles,' which

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> John of Gaunt.

Ric. II. were William Rothrestone's. Item, 'le Estpart' of Grundieston within the barony of Chamberlein-Neuton. Item, the lands of Flex which were Alexander Flex's, with his lands in Hawyk. Item, [1380.] Two parts of the barony of Myntehowe and advowson of the church, which were John Turnebole's. Item, The entire barony of Farnyndon. Item, The lands of Little Neuton next Roxburgh which were in the hands of Thomas Ridelle. Item, The lands of Naithanthurne within the constabulary of Lauder (Lauwer). Item, A parcel of the Hospital of Rothurford, which was in the hands of Richard of Hyndmeres. Item, The Valley of Lydel entirely. [No date.] [Chapter House (Scots Docts.), Box 95, No. 4.]

On good stout paper. No watermark.

- 1380. 296. Indenture by Henry Percy earl of Northumberland, Dec. 10. undertaking the ward of Berwick and the whole east March of Scotland for 2 years from 11th April next, 'at his peril,' receiving 'en groos' during war, 5000l., and during peace or truce, 2500l. 'par an.' If besieged and not relieved on six weeks' notice to the K. his responsibility to cease. Appends his seal at Westminster 10th Dec. 4th year. [Seals lost.] [Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt Miscellanea, No. 46.]
- 297. Indenture between John K. of Castille and Leon, duke of Nov. 1. Foedera, iv. 101. Lancaster, lieutenant of the K. of England in the Marches, and the commissioners of the K. of Scotland, agreeing to a truce from its date till St Andrew's day 1381, specifying the places in the March where March 'requisitions' hine et inde were to be made, and appointing a March day at Ayton on 12th June 1381, between the K. of Castille for England, and John earl of Carrick for Scotland. Berwick. [Chapter House (Scots Docts.), Box 95, No. 13.]

In good condition. Three round seals, red wax, appended to tags cut out of parchment. (1) 13 in. diameter. Couché shield quarterly; 1st and 4th, a human heart, on a chief 3 mullets (Douglas); 2nd and 3rd, a bend dexter between 6 cross-crosslets fitchés (Mar). Crest, on a tilting helmet, a panache of feathers. Supporter, a lion sejant, his head inside of the helmet, a tree on either side, and background richly diapered: '. . . . COMITIS DE DOUGLAS ET DE MARRE.' (2) Broken. 1½ in. diameter. Couché shield, a lion rampant within a bordure charged with 8 roses (March). Crest, the armed head and neck of a charger bridled, issuing from a coronet on a tilting helmet. Supporters, 2 lions sejant, a tree on either side, background diapered: '.... AR COMITIS MAR ....' (3) Slightly broken. 1½ in. diameter. Couché shield, ermine, a human heart, on a chief 3 mullets. Supporters, 2 salvage men. Crest, on a helmet, a tower with turrets from which a peacock's head and neck issues, with a scroll in its bill, 'What tyde.' 'SIGILLUM . . . DE DOUGLAS.'

298. Inquisition [under writ of diem clausit extremum, dated 1380--81. Jan. 30. Westminster 14th of same month] taken before the escheator of Northumberland at Morpathe on Wednesday next before the Puri-VOL. IV.

Ten other writs and inquisitions of his lands in England attached.

- Feb. 8. 299. The K. to his uncle John K. of Castille and Leon, duke of Lancaster, or his Baron of Exchequer. Commands that a sum of 551. which the wardens of the Marches adjudged against Sir Peter Gerard and Sir Robert Standysshe knights, William Tunstall and Robert del Evese and others, for damages done by them to the Earl of Douglas and his tenants in Scotland, in violation of the truce, which had been paid by Henry Percy earl of Northumberland, to the earl of Douglas before Christmas last, under his letters to that effect, be forthwith levied and repaid to the Earl of Northumberland. Westminster. [Close, 4 Ric. II. m. 21.]
- 300. Warrant on Exchequer to surcease the demand on Thomas Feb. 12. son of Godfrey de Roos and Peter Torold of London, skynner, for 100l. penalty, under which they were bound to produce Finalay Ussher a Scottish merchant, to answer to any Englishman laying claim to a cargo of 16 lasts 2 barrels herring and 2 chests of cloth, shipped by him in the parts of Scone in a Seland vessel for Flanders. which was driven out of her course to the mouth of the Humber, and there arrested by Thomas Percy admiral of the northern fleet, in violation of the late truce with Robert K. of Scotland, and to said merchant's damage and loss; and it having been attested by word of mouth of John K. of Castile and Leon, duke of Lancaster, and the Prior of St John of Jerusalem in England the treasurer, and by letters of Henry Percy earl of Northumberland, one of the wardens of the March, that Finalay personally attended before them on different March days to answer to any claimants, but none appeared, and he now demands the herrings, &c. as his property, and has further taken his 'corporal oath' in Chancery that he will be present next March day to answer, the K. has released his manucaptors as he demands. Westminster. [Close, 4 Ric. II. m. 18, dorso.]
- Feb. 27. 301. The K. commands the escheator in Northumberland to deliver the castle of Herbotill and manor of Otterburne belonging

- Ric. II. to the late Gilbert de Umfraville earl of Angus, to Thomas de Umfraville his second brother, the heir of entail, as the Earl and Sir 1380-81. Robert his next brother have died without heirs male of their bodies, and the K. has taken Thomas's homage and fealty. Westminster. [Close, 4 Ric. II. m. 20.]
- March 7. **302.** Fiat for protection for a year for John Gregory of Molynton chaplain, going to Scotland in the K.'s service under Mathew de Redemane warden of the castle of Roxburgh. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 376.]
- 1381.

  303. Warrant for licence for 40 days to 'Leon Heraud' of the April 8.

  K. of Scots, to take with him a complete suit of armour which he has bought in London to array for the 'listes' Robert Mercer esquire of Scotland, who is to fight with John Gille esquire of Scotland, with 2 pairs of gloves of plate, and 2 pair of harness for the thighs. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 4 Rie. II. File 4.]
- May 14. 304. The K. considering the state of poverty, desolation of their churches, and waste condition of their lands, caused by the Scottish invasions, and slaughter and captivity of their parishioners and tenants, sustained by the clergy and religious of Northumberland, respites their proportion of the subsidy by the province of York till Michaelmas next. Westminster. [Close, 4 Ric. II. m. 9.]
- Dec. 17.

  305. Indenture by John Heron and Thomas of Ilderton chivalers, agreeing, in terms of another between the K.'s uncle John K. of Castille and Leon, duke of Lancaster, lieutenant on the March of Scotland, and themselves, to keep Berwick-on-Tweed for a year from St Hilary's day next, for 1000 marks drawn from the subsidy of wool, leather, and skins of the ports of Kyngeston on Hull and Newcastle-on-Tyne. One of them to be constantly in the town. London, 17th December 5th year. [Seals lost.] [Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt Miscellanea, No. 416.]
- 1381-82. 306. Compotus of Sir Mathew de Redman knight, late warden of the King's castle of Roxburgh, from 1st May 1381, when he received it from the Earl of Northumberland, till the Feast of the Purification following 1381-82, when he delivered it under indenture to Thomas Blenkansope.

Receipts:—From Exchequer by tallies on 9th March, 600l.; at Michaelmas last, 250l. Also 25l. 8s. 4d. in the compotus of Thomas of Ilderton chamberlain of Berwick, for the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th years, viz., from the grazing and profits of the vill of Makeswelle and other revenues, as the castle-ward, the vill and toll of Roxburgh, leased to him on 6th March last, from the said 1st of May, viz., 75s. from the vill and mill of Makeswelle, 60s. of the castle-ward, and

- RIC. II. 18l. 13s. 4d. of the farms and profits of the vill of Roxburgh within the time of this compotus. Total receipt, 776l. 8s. 4d.
- 1381-82. Discharge:—His own pay at 2s., 30 men-at-arms at 12d., and 50 mounted archers at 6d. per diem; 57 sergeants of his own retinue whose names and quality (more) are in a muster roll taken by Henry earl of Northumberland, and his deputies, for the period of this compotus, viz., three quarters of a year and 4 days, or 277 days—789l. 9s. Superplus, 13l. 0s. 8d. [Exchequer, Q. R. Miscellanea (Army), No.  $\frac{52}{1}$ .]
- Feb. 25. **307.** The K. commands the sheriff of Northumberland to pay Adomar of Athol (Dastelle) and Ralph de Euer knights, of the county, the sum of 41*l*. 12*s*. for their expenses attending the late Parliament at Westminster on the morrow of All Souls, at 4*s*. per diem each. Westminster. [Close, 5 Ric. II. m. 22, dorso.]
- March 5. 308. Warrant to the Chancellor to issue a writ commanding the sheriff of Westmoreland to levy from the lands and chattels of Sir Thomas de Musgrave knight, and Thomas son of Thomas de Musgrave, 1000 marks lately paid by John lord of Neville, to the Earl of March of Scotland, as ransom for them from his prison, and also to arrest them till full repayment of the amount is made to the Lord Neville. Windsor Castle. [Privy Seals (Tower), 5 Rie. II. File 3.]

## [Extracts.]

Oct. 1— 309. December 10:—To Sir William Faryndone knight, sent to March 25. the North by order of the Council, to make preparations for a duel on the March between England and Scotland, between an esquire of England and an esquire of Scotland, for his expenses—20l.

February 5:—To Mathew Redman warden of Roxburgh castle, by the hands of Sir Richard Redman knight, to account of the 100*l*. granted him beyond his pay, to defray necessary expenses incurred by his personally keeping the castle—10*l*.

March 4:—Further to account of same gift—15l. [Issue Roll (Pells), Michaelmas, 5 Rie. II.]

1382. 310. England:—As to exonerating John K. of Castile and Easter Leon, duke of Lancaster, from divers prests and compoti required Term. from him. [Exchequer, Q. R. Memoranda, Repertory No. 3, anno 5°.]

At Michaelmas anno  $9^{\circ}$  (1385), he is exonerated from moneys received by him for his two journeys in the K.'s service to the North and also to Flanders. [*Ibid.*]

Aug. 27. **311**. Warrant to the keepers of the Great seal for letters committing the Priory of Meresey and its possessions, in the K.'s ward by the war with France, to Adam Rameseye his esquire, and

- Ric. II. John Rameseye his brother, a monk, who has laid out much expense in repairing it, so long as the war lasts, they paying 100 marks yearly. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 6 Ric. II. File 7.]
- Nov. 6. **312.** The K. having granted John of Cressewelle esquire 40*l.*, the sum fixed by the Scots for his ransom when lately taken prisoner with the Baron of Greystoke during the truce, permits him to take 40 marks of the Scottish goods captured at sea during the truce by his lieges of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, now in their hands, he finding security to the Mayor and bailiffs to restore them or their value if it is decided that the Scots have restitution. Westminster. [Patent, 6 Ric. II. p. 1, m. 11; Privy Seals (Tower), ib. File 11.]
- Nov. 16. **313**. Fiat for protection for Henry of Boynton of York till Midsummer next, in the garrison of Roxburgh castle under Thomas of Blenkansop the warden. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 386.]
- Nov. 30. **314.** Warrant to the Chancellor for letters in favour of John of Bentele clerk, whom the K. has appointed warden of the chapel of St Thomas next the castle of Roxburgh for life, vacant by the resignation of Richard Clifford, last warden. Westminster. [Privy Scals (Tower), 6 Ric. II. File 11.]
- [1382.] 315. Ralph baron of Graistok complains to the K. of Castile and Leon, duke of Lancaster, that having been lately appointed one of the wardens of the March with the Earl of Northumberland, with the keeping of Roxburgh castle, while on his way there to take command, he was made prisoner on the English side by the Earl of the March of Scotland and put to heavy ransom, which he cannot pay without being totally ruined for the rest of his life. Wherefore he prays the Duke to aid him, having regard to the fact that he was made prisoner within the realm of England, while doing nothing against the great truce, and has done no harm to the Scots either within their own country or in England. [No date.] [Parliamentary Petitions, No. 3858.]
- 1382. **316.** Fiat for protection for John Gemel 'esquier,' going in the Dec. 13. K.'s service beyond seas under Bertrucatus de Lebret. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 386.]
- 1383. 317. Warrant to the officers of Exchequer to surcease onerating April 26. Sir Adomar of Athol knight, late sheriff of Northumberland, in his compotus, with such rents and profits as he has been unable to levy, as he says, on account of the destructions by the Scottish inroads, on the same being shewn to their satisfaction. Westminster. [Close, 6 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 8.]

RIC. II.

318. Indenture between John duke of Lancaster, as commissioner of England, and John earl of Carrick, eldest son of the K. of Scots, commissioner for Scotland, agreeing that the damages July 12. done by the Scots to the buildings and walls of Werk castle should be valued by 12 notable esquires (six of each country), with the advice of masons and carpenters, and the amount paid in three months to the Chamberlain of England in Roxburgh castle; that due amends should be made for the 'attempts' since the truce, by the Earl of March on the east March, at Bilymyre on the morrow of St Bartholomew's day next; and as to other matters on the Marches. Morehouslawe. [Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt Misc. (Placita, &c.), No. 46.]

One seal, in red wax, much damaged, appended. Equestrian figure in full armour, sword in hand, shield on left arm. Scottish lion within double tressure on shield, surcoat and housings. An estoile under right elbow:
'....OHAN.... SCO.... COELT' SCOCIE.'

Dec. 6. 319. Indenture attesting the delivery from Exchequer to Henry earl of Northumberland, and John lord of Neville, of seven documents touching the redemption of David, formerly K. of Scotland, to be given up to the commissioners of Robert K. of Scotland, on full payment of same, viz. (1) Indenture at Berwick-on-Tweed on 3rd October 1357; (2) Letters patent of K. David confirming the same, Berwick, 5th October same year; (3) Letters patent by said K. confirming the indenture, Scone, 6th November same year; (4) Letters patent by the Bishops of St Andrews, Caithness, and Brechin, threatening the censures of the church against K. David if he does not keep the treaty, Berwick, 6th October same year; (5) Procuratory of the Bishops and Chapters of Scotland binding themselves for the ransom, 26th September year foresaid; (6) Procuratory of the Burghs, Edinburgh 26th September year foresaid; (7) Letters patent of the procurators of said burgesses reciting the indentures, and binding themselves in payment, Berwick, 5th October year foresaid. The seal of Exchequer appended to the part remaining with the Earl and Neville, and their seals to that remaining in the Treasury. London, 6th Dec. 7 Ric. II. [Chapter House (Scots Docts.), Box 91, No. 10.]

Small signet, red wax, appended by tag. The King's head crowned affronté, a key in pale on each side: '.... ILLYM THES....REG...'

Dec. 11. 320. Indenture by Amand Monceux 'esquier,' for himself and Thomas Blenkensop 'esquier,' agreeing to hold Carlisle castle with 50 men-at-arms and 100 mounted archers from 1st January next till the Feast of 'la Chandeleure' thereafter. Appends his seal at Westminster 11th Dec. 7th year. [Seal lost.] [Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt Miscellanea, No. 416.]

1383-84. **321**. Warrant to Michael de la Pole chancellor, to issue letters

Ric. II. in favour of Thomas Prendregest for life, of the forfeited lands of Sir Robert Colvylle knight, who has joined the Scots, worth 40l. 1383-84. sterling yearly, as Thomas has lost his own heritage in the sheriff-March 2. dom of Berwick during the wars between England and Scotland, saving the K.'s right to resume them, if a truce occurs, or if Sir Robert returns to his allegiance. Westminster. [Privy Scals (Tower), 7 Ric. II. File 3.]

March 19. 322. John of Peblys confirmed of Dunkeld, and chancellor of Scotland, asks 'his friend' the chancellor for a safe conduct for the bearer Thomas Leche merchant burgess of Lynlythcu, to last for a year or thereabouts. Written at Lynlythcu. (Signed) 'Vester si placet Johannes de Peblys, confirmatus Ecclesie Dunkeldensis, Cancellarius Scocie.'

(Addressed on back) 'Magnifico viro et potenti domino Ricardo Scrupe Cancellario Anglie.' [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 198.]

On paper, somewhat dilapidated.

1384. March 30. 323. Compotus of John prior of Drax, for his predecessor Thomas, late prior, who was sent, by letters patent on 3rd August last, to hold a March day in the north along with Thomas Percy, and also to provide wheat, 'bords,' honey, 'gunpoudre,' and other victuals and 'artellar' for the castles of Berwick and Roxburgh, between 15th September 1382 and 30th March 1384.

# [Extracts.]

Receipt:—Moneys advanced to the late prior for his journey and above purposes [at various dates], and value of divers 'guns' bought by John Phelippote, late citizen of London, for the munition of Roxburgh castle. Total, 202l. 13s. 4d.

Discharge:—Expenses going to keep the aforesaid March day from 16th September last to . . . . , 37 days at 20s. per diem—37l. [Cancelled, and the sum of 13l. 6s. 8d. substituted.] Paid to Constantine del Da[lmai]ne (?) of York for 100 lb. 'pulveris de gunnes,' bought of him at York for Berwick, at 2s. 6d. per lb.—12l. 10s. [Other purchases follow of bords called 'rygholt' at Kingston upon Hull, 'waynscot' there, oak 'sparres' at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, nails, a pipe of honey, salt &c.] Total, 122l. 18s. 4d. [Exchequer, Q. R. Miseellanea (Army), No.  $\frac{5}{3}$ .]

Much faded in parts.

[1384.] **324.** The Earl of Fife and Menteth to the Chancellor. Begs a safe March 31. conduct for a year for the bearer his merchant John of Bondyngton and his 'quatreeme,' their merchandise, horses, &c. to cross the seas. Stirling Castle, 'le darrain jour de Mars.' 'Par le Conte de Fife de Menetethe.'

Ric. II. (Addressed) 'A honourable homme Sire Richard le Scrope chanceller
—— Dangletre.' [Seal on back lost.] [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 198.]

On paper, dilapidated. Water mark, a hunting horn, stringed.

May 1. 325. Compotus of Henry Percy earl of Northumberland, and one of the wardens of the east March of Scotland, for his forces keeping the same between the 1st January 7 Ric. II. (1383–84) and 1st May following, under his indenture of 12th December previous.

Charge:—Receipts from Exchequer [in two sums] in the 7th year, 3578l. 14s.  $3\frac{1}{2}d$ .

Discharge:—Pay of himself at 6s. 8d., 3 baneretts at 4s. each, 20 knights at 2s., 116 esquires at 12d., and 280 mounted archers at 6d. per diem, from 1st January till 1st February following, 30 days, 472l. 'Regarda' to these 140 men-at-arms, at 100 marks per quarter for each 30, in lieu of the value of their horses, 100l. 12s. 6d. His own pay, 4 baneretts, 40 knights, 235 esquires, and 560 mounted archers, ut supra, keeping the March from 1st February till 1st May thereafter, viz. 91 days, deducting 60l. 9s. for wages of absentees as in the muster roll herewith delivered, 2749l. 18s. 8d. 'Regarda' to these 280 men-at-arms ut supra, for a quarter, deducting 15l. 16\frac{3}{4}d. for absentees, 607l. 3s. 11\frac{1}{2}d. Total, 3929l. 14s. 2\frac{1}{2}d. 'Superplus,' 300l. 19s. 11d.

To be paid or satisfied him aliunde by the K.'s writ of Privy seal issued on 15th December following. [Exchequer, Q. R. Miscellanea (Army), No.  $\frac{5}{7}$ 2.]

May 2. **326.** Westmoreland:—Compotus of Thomas son of the late lord of Clifford and Robert lord of Haryngton, for pay of their retinue in the K.'s service at the town of Carlisle while keeping the west March towards Scotland from 1st February 7 Ric. II. (1383–84) till 2nd May following—91 days.

Receipt:—Moneys received from Exchequer [in two sums], 400l.

Discharge:—Pay of themselves, as baneretts, at 3s. each, and two knights at 2s. each, in the muster-roll, and 36 esquires at 12d. each, in same roll, . . .

The accustomed 'regard' to the men-at-arms at the rate of 200 marks *per annum*, in lieu of valuing their horses [has been 88l. 17s. 9d., but the excess beyond the sum received is deducted], . . . .

yond the sum received is deducted], . . . . 17l. 16s. Pay of 80 archers at 6d. per diem, . . . . 182l.

36*l*. 8*s*.

163*l*. 16*s*.

Total pay and 'regard,' . . . 400l. So balanced. [Exchequer, Q. R. Miscellanca (Army), No.  $\frac{5\cdot 2}{9}$ .]

- RIC. II. 327. The K. commands Simon de Burley constable of Windsor castle, to deliver Alexander de Fetherstonhalgh to Henry Percy 1384. earl of Northumberland, who has become security in 500 marks Aug. 18. that he will appear before the K. and Council on a month's warning to answer any charges. Redyng. [Close, 8 Ric. II. m. 42.]
- Dec. 14. 328. Fiat for protection for a year for Henry Somerville [and another] of Staffordshire, going in the K.'s service with Fernando master of the military order of St James, to Portugal. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 395.]
- Dec. 30. 329. Warrant to Nicholas Brembre mayor of the city of London, to discharge Robert Blakwode a native of Scotland, from prison, to which he had been committed on the assertion of same that he was an enemy, whereas it was shewn to the K. in his petition that he had been for long his liegeman, and five citizens of London and one of Derby had became his securities body for body, and in 40l. each for his conduct. Westminster. [Close, 8 Ric. II. m. 25, dorso.]
- [1383-84.] **330.** Fiat for letters patent to William Byset of the custody of a cell in Yorkshire called Grantmont, pertaining to the alien Abbey of Grantmont, from Easter last, while the war with France lasts, paying 10*l.* yearly at Exchequer and keeping up the houses and buildings. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 390.]
- 1384-85. 331. 'Contrarotulus' of expenses, &c. laid out by Amand Mounceux, late sheriff of Cumberland, for victuals for Loghmaban castle, and repairing Carlisle castle between the 10th of June 7th year (1384) and 23rd of January following, at sight of John lord of Neville, late warden of said castle, and William prior of Carlisle, surveyor of the works.

#### [Extracts.]

For 13 qrs. malt bought at Carlisle at half a mark each, 4*l*. 6*s*. 8*d*., and carriage from Carlisle to Lochmaben castle, 24 leagues, by agreement, 13*s*. 4*d*.; which malt was duly delivered there while Alexander de Fetherstanhalgh was captain, and before it was taken by the Scots.

(Attached) (1) Indenture between the sheriff and Alexander de Fetherstanhalgh, in which the latter acknowledges receipt of the malt. Loghmaban, 4th January 7 Ric. II. (1383–84).

One seal, red wax, appended on tag. Damaged. Perhaps a bend dexter between 2 feathers (Fetherstonhaugh).

(2) Particulars of expenses of Amand Mounceux sheriff of Cumberland and his men escorting the person of Alexander de Fetherstonhalgh, a prisoner in Carlisle castle for misprisions against the K., to Windsor castle and returning thence to Carlisle, under the K.'s writ, dated 5th of March 1383–84 (7 Ric. II.).

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Pay of himself, Robert Mounceux and eight other [named] menat-arms at 12d., and 20 mounted archers [named] at 6d., from 27th April when they started from Carlisle, till 30th of same month, when they reached the town of Pountfreyt, viz., 4 days, for greater security, as the said sheriff was warned that Alexander's friends would attempt a rescue on the way, as he declares on his oath; and for 5 of the men-at-arms and 10 of the archers sent back from Pountfreyt to Carlisle on said day, till 4th May, when they arrived, viz. 4 days, 6l.; and pay of himself and the remaining 4 esquires, and 10 archers, from Pountfreyt between 30th April and 6th May, on which day Amand delivered his prisoner to Robert Herteley lieutenant of Sir Simon de Burley knight, constable of Windsor castle, and from thence returning to Carlisle, which they reached on 14th May, viz. 14 days, 7l. Total, 13l.

[The compotus, on two long membranes, for the repairs of Carlisle eastle follows. The second of these embraces the period from 23rd January 1384-85 to Michaelmas 1385. 'Hanghoushille' next the outer bailey named—William Kernour, carpenter, woodwork for 2 great 'gunnes' placed on the great tower, and a lesser one in the angle of the outer bailey, 23s. 10d. Paid Richard Potter casting three brass 'guns,' 26s. 8d. Robert Dalmane for iron and 'ligature' of two of these, 32s. Also for 'ligature' of a smaller 'gun' with his own iron, 10s. 12 lbs. powder of 'saltpetre' for them, bought at York at 16d. per lb., 16s.; 8 lb. of live 'sulfur' for them, at 8d. per 1b., 5s. 4d. Carriage from York to Carlisle, 3s. 4d. To a mason polishing ('seapulanti') 120 stones for the guns, 5 weeks at 3s. 4d. a week, 16s. 8d. Carriage of the stones from the quarry to the eastle, 2s. 2d. Robert Dalmane making a new iron gate of his own iron next the postern of the outer bailey, 9l. 6s. 8d. . . . . Robert Waterygg and John Grene, masons, making a new stone postern next the eastle mill, 30 feet in height, and part of the eastle wall quite east down in the outer bailey next Langhoushille (sic), with the 'kernels' of same, 14l. . . . . John Grene repairing a piece of the wall within the prison, and blocking up an old postern within the eastle garden, 20s. . . . . 80 qrs. lime from Bolton Fell, at 12d. per qr., 4l., from John Wilson, and paid him earriage to the castle, 12 leagues, 10s. Sir Robert Parnyng knight, for hire of his quarry of Blakale to dig stones for repairs aforesaid, 18s. John Herriman and others searching, &c. stone there, 43s.; 3 men working same there, 10s. for 10 days. 69 wagons of stones from the quarry to the eastle, 4 leagues at 9d. each, 51s. 9d. Alexander Emson and his men felling 24 'stubbes' in Inglewood forest for 2000 'palys' and 'rayles' for the eastle, 4l. 10s. Carriage of 120 'fothirs' of these palys and rayles to make 'garettis,' from Morton Scogh' to the castle, 8 leagues at 18d. per fothir, 9l. 2 carpenters enclosing the castle garden with the rayles and 80 roods of enclosure at 6d.

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per rood, 40s. . . . . 120 'fothirs' of earth to heighten the mount of the castle garden, brought from 'Fyssher gate' in Carlisle to the 1384-85. castle, viz. \(\frac{1}{4}\) of a league, at 3d. per 'fothir,' 30s. . . . . 4 'fothirs' of lead bought in Wenslawdale to cover the houses of the castle at 4l. 6s. 8d. per 'fothir,' 17l. 6s. 8d. Carriage from Wenslawdale to St Mary's Abbey, Carlisle, viz. 72 leagues, 4l. 13s. 4d. To John of Wenslawe going from Carlisle to buy the lead at Wenslawe and back, 7 days, 3s. 6d. . . . . Paid 40 men making a great fosse de novo next the new tower on the east side of the castle, 12 days at 4d. each, 8l. Paid other 40 men working on the mount of said castle cleaning and 'parant' 'same on the north part of the castle, 12 days, 106s. 8d. [Many other entries for cleaning fosses, 'dowbing' and 'scouring' walls, &c.]

> Expenses on repairs between 23rd January and Michaelmas following:-

> Paid 20 labourers 3 days at 4d. each per diem for the 'purgation, paration, and reparation of the castle mount, 20s. Also 40 men 6 days on same, 4l. [Many similar follow, and making 2000 'pyles' in Blesfelle in Inglewood Forest, carrying them 14 leagues to the castle, men cutting 'ryse' in Cumbersdale to make a 'hegge' round said mount, a great iron 'drynelle' to drive the stakes and piles, 18d., a barn bought on the Caldewe to take down and build a stable within the castle 4l.; 30 wagon loads of timber from it to the castle, 'bords' from Blesfelle to make 'lowpis' for the doors of the watch towers '(garetta)' in the castle; making a new 'garetta' within the castle garden on the east side of the castle, logs and 'tabula' for same; 1000 laths for the houses from Hoton in Inglewood, mowing 'thak' at Blakforthe for the roof of the new 'camera,' and bringing it 4 leagues; also 2000 'flaughtys' and 'wylys' from Cumbersdale for roofs and walls, and bringing them 3 leagues, &c. &c.1

> (Attached) (1) Indenture between the K. and Amand Monceux 'esquier' for himself and Thomas Blenkensop 'esquier,' whereby the latter agree to keep Carlisle castle with 50 men-at-arms and 100 mounted archers from 1st January till Candlemas following, at usual pay, and a 'regard' to the men-at-arms instead of valuing their horses. Westminster, 6th December 7 Ric. II. (1383). P.S. --The K. does not intend the said 'regard' given for this present necessity and a sudden attack threatened by the Scots against the castle, to form a precedent hereafter. [Fragment of Great seal on tag.]

> (2) Writ to Amand Monceux commanding him to expend the balance of the 200l. lately sent for its repair and partly expended, on the further repair of Carlisle castle, at sight of the prior of Carlisle and the K.'s cousin the lord of Neville, appointed warden from the 25th instant for the next quarter. Westminster, 10th June 7 Ric. II. (1384).

- Ric. II. (3) Indenture whereby Amand Monceux delivers to John of

  Thirlwalle lieutenant of the Earl of Northumberland, warden of
- 1384-85. Carlisle castle, three brass cannon mounted on 'bochez de fuistez' bound with iron, 12 lbs. 'poweder de saltpetre,' and 8 lbs. 'powder de sulphur vive,' and 120 stones prepared for said cannon. Carlisle, 4th December 8 Ric. II. (1384). [Seal lost.] [Exchequer, Q. R. Miscellanea (Army), No.  $\frac{5}{10}$ .]
- Jan. 28. **332**. The K. commands all sheriffs and other officials to supply John Lyghtfot, who is about to go to Scotland on urgent public business, with fit horses to expedite his journey. Westminster. [Patent, 8 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 39.]
- Feb. 17. **333.** Warrant to the Chancellor for a pardon to the Earl of Northumberland for twice letting Berwick castle fall into the hands of the Scots since the K.'s coronation. Westminster. [*Privy Seals (Tower)*, 8 Ric. II. File 1.]
- Feb. 18. **334.** Fiat for protection for a year for Sir William de Hilton knight, baron of Hilton, about to join Henry Percy earl of North-umberland, warden of Berwick, in garrison there. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 395.]
- March 10. 335. Fiat for protection for a year for Richard Savage glasyer going to the garrison of Roxburgh eastle under Sir Thomas of Swynburne and Sir Richard Tempest knights, the wardens. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 395.]
- 1385. 336. Warrant for safe conduct during the K.'s pleasure for John June 11. Cristalle with six servants and his vessel (bateue) to cross the east March of Scotland into the K.'s dominions and buy victuals for the K.'s dear and beloved George son of his dear cousin the Earl of Dunbarre, and his garrison of Colbranspathe. Westminster. [Privy Scals (Tower), 8 Ric. II. File 4.]
- June 24. 337. The K. hearing that John Lambe is making ready to go in his service to Scotland, but cannot leave London as he owes 100 marks, permits him to draw his annuity of 100 marks in advance for a year, whether he survives it or not. Shene. [Patent, 9 Ric. II. p. 1, m. 38.]
- June 23338. Fiat for protection for half a year for Richard Hereford the
  28. K.'s herald going with him to Scotland. Westminster. [Chancery
  Files, Bundle No. 395.]
  Similar for John of Bokyngham 'clarioner.'
- July 28. 339. Warrant to the Chancellor, as John lord Neville is to accompany the K. on this present war in Scotland, to issue letters ordaining Sir Clement of Skelton knight, [and five others,] to hold the castle and city of Carlisle during his absence with 90 men-at-

340. Indenture whereby the Earl of Northumberland, John 'sire 1385. de Neville,' Roger 'sire de Clifford,' Henry Percy warden of Aug. 21. Berwick-on-Tweed, and Sirs Thomas Swynburne and Richard Tempest, wardens of Roxburgh castle, agree to attend the K. for 29 days from Friday following, viz. the Earl with 260 men-at-arms and 520 archers, on the east March, Sir Henry Percy with 100 menat-arms and 200 archers beyond his garrison, Thomas and Richard with 40 men-at-arms and 80 archers beyond their garrison, and Neville and Clifford on the west March with 200 men-at-arms and 400 archers (half of whom to be in Carlisle, besides the garrison). and with Clifford at Brougham (Burgham) 30 men-at-arms and 60 archers besides its usual garrison. The pay to be two parts in money and the third in victuals at a fair price. Two-thirds of the force shall be strangers to the Marches. Newcastle-on-Tyne, 21st Aug. the 9th year. [Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt Miscellanea, No.  $\frac{4.6}{1}$ .

Two tags and fragments of 3 seals, red wax. (1) Upper part of an armed figure holding a lance erect in his right hand (Northumberland). (2) Red wax; lion rampant charged with a label; shield held by a lion's paw from clouds. Inscription broken. (Henry Percy.) (3) Brown wax; shield couché, with saltire. Crest, a bear's or bull's head on tilting helmet; letters 'h b' at sides: '... RABI' (Neville).

#### [Extracts.]

April 11- 341. June 9:—To William Strikland parson of Roubury, who Sept. 20. came from the March of Scotland with letters from the Earl of Northumberland and other lords there, to the K. and Council, with certain important matters touching the March and the array of the Scots, and returning with their reply, in aid of his expenses—66s. 8d.

July 24:—Alexander Merle esquire, cost and expenses in the safe carriage of 2000 marks brought by him from London to the Scottish March for the pay of the army invading Scotland, 53s. 4d., and a horse hired to carry the money, by John Nousele messenger, who accompanied him, &c., 26s. 8d.—80s.

September 18:—To the Mayor and good men of Newcastle-on-Tyne, part repayment of loan of 230l. made by them to the K in his need for his voyage (viagio) to Scotland on 17th August last—150l. [Issue Roll (Pells), Easter, 8 Ric. II.]

Oct. 17. 342. Warrant on Exchequer to pay Amand Mounceux, late sheriff of Cumberland, the expenses which he had laid out at his own cost in conducting Alexander Fetherstanhalgh a prisoner, from Carlisle to Windsor castles by the K.'s command. Westminster. [Close, 9 Ric. II. m. 31.]

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343. Petition to the K. by the Abbot and convent of Our Lady of Holmcoltram in Cumberland, shewing how they ransomed their church and abbey from the Scots for a year for 200l. or it would have been burned by the Earl of Douglas and his forces, and as they dare not pay without the K.'s sanction, asking him to allow them to pay the money to Sir Archibald of Douglas, notwithstanding the common law statute forbidding such. [No date.]

(Endorsed) As they did it under necessity, the K. has granted his charter of pardon. [Parliamentary Petitions, No. 4165.]

- 1385. **344.** The K. pardons the Abbot and convent their contempt as Nov. 6. above. Westminster. [Patent, 9 Ric. II. p. 1, m. 5.]
- Nov. 15. **345**. Warrant for letters of naturalisation in favour of John of Hille, a native of Scotland, 60 years of age, who has dwelt in England for 12 years or thereabouts, and wishes to remain as the K.'s liege. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 9 Ric. II. File 5.]
- Dec. 1. 346. Warrant to Exchequer to exonerate John Thirlewalle, late sheriff of Cumberland, of certain issues, &c. of the K.'s demesne lands and others in that county, which he says he was unable to levy through their being wasted and destroyed by the Scots and French, and spent on the fortifications of the city of Carlisle against their attacks, as attested by John Nevylle of Raby in Chancery. Westminster.

Similar warrant for Amand Mounceux sheriff of the county, on the testimony of said John Nevylle and Richard le Scrope, on 26th November. *Ibid.* [Close, 9 Ric. II. m. 31.]

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347. Petition to the K. and Council by the Mayor and citizens of Carlisle that [he would take note of the report of ?] the lords of Percy and Clifford, marchers, and others who were lately there on a March day, as to the state of their city. Their walls are in part fallen, and great part on the point of falling from weakness, the fosses [filled up?....the gates] cannot be shut without difficulty. They have neither 'pount leve, portcolys, barmecan, bretage, bareres, ne garetts' . . . . The inhabitants are now so few they cannot resist the Scottish attacks. The seigneurs of the county around, who used to repair to the city in war time, have raised castles of their own on account of its weakness, and many knights, esquires, and others no longer come to the city for same reason, and the castle, which is the K.'s, is open on the side next the city, and utterly destroyed, as the above-named lords can attest. Wherefore they beg the K. and Council to take order for remedy of these defects which have been laid before every Parliament these 10 years and nothing done. [No date.] [Parliamentary Petitions, No. 4682.]

Damaged at right side, and no endorsement visible.

- RIC. II. 348. Fiat for letters patent granting Alan of Horsle the custody of certain lands in Tevydale in Scotland called Maxwelle and Soft-[1385.] lowe, in the K.'s hands by reason of the Scots war, for 10 years from Easter last past, paying yearly to the K. 40d. at Exchequer; and if the truce with the Scots hold beyond two years, then Alan shall pay as may be agreed with the council, by mainprise of John of Waltham of Lincolnshire and John Koo Dartasso. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 470.]
  - **349.** Fiat for letters patent granting Sir Thomas Grey of Heton knight, the custody for 10 years from Easter next to come, of the K.'s fisheries in the water of Tweed, viz. Crabbewater, la Lawe, Northyarowe, Eddremouth, Totynford and Hondwatre, at the yearly rent of 201. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 470.]
- 1385-86. **350.** The K, remits to his cousin the Earl of Northumberland Feb. 5. the customs, &c. on divers wools and other merchandise, the cargo of a Scottish vessel lately taken by John of Rysby. Castle of Windsor. [Patent, 9 Rie. II. p. 2, m. 29.]
- Feb. 8. **351.** Fiat for protection for a year for Thomas of Howm going with John of Derby the chamberlain of Berwick-on-Tweed. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 399.]
- Feb. 28— **352.** Fiat for protections for a year for Sir Thomas Swynbourne March 8. knight, warden of Roxburgh eastle, sitting out to take command there, and Duncan of Felton going with him. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 399.]
- Feb. 18. **353.** The K. commands his escheator in Northumberland to cease intromitting with the two parts of Eslyngton manor and two parts of the half of the vills of Whityngham and others, settled by the late Sir Donald of Hesilrigge knight, on himself and Johanna now his widow, in conjunct fee, and their heirs, notwithstanding the late K.'s licence had not been obtained, as appeared by inquisition on 12th July last, and to restore the issues to her. Westminster. [Close, 9 Ric. II. m. 18.]
- March 22. **354.** Fiat for protections for a year for John Paxton, John Craweford, and three others, going to Spain in the K.'s service with his uncle John K. of Castile and duke of Lancaster. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 399.]
- March 23. 355. Indenture whereby John 'sire de Neville' undertakes the ward of the east March of Scotland for a year from the 1st April next for 800l. if the war lasts so long, to include all March days and parlances with the Scots and all costs attending his office, with a reasonable abatement during a truce. With power to survey the garrisons of Berwick-on-Tweed and Roxburgh, and to give orders

- RIC. II. with advice of the treasurer at Berwick, Richard le Scrope, and
  Maiheu Redeman, as to the issue of 4000 marks in hands of the
  1385-86. former for pay of the forces. If the French or Scots enter the
  Marches in force he is to be strengthened by the K. as need requires.
  The Sire de Clifford and the Baron of Graystok, with his (Neville's)
  son and the son of the Sire de Clifford, which latter are at present
  wardens of Carlisle, shall be wardens of the west March, this
  being considered by the K., and giving such 'suppouaill' to Neville
  as he requires on his side of the March, receiving the like from
  him. He appends his seal at Westminster 23rd March 9th year.
  [Seal lost.] [Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt Miscellanea, No. 46.]
  - 1386. 356. Northumberland:—As to Henry Percy earl of North-Easter umberland, John de Nevylle of Raby and others, being communicated with, about 24,000 marks of the ransom of David de Bruys. [Exchequer, Q. R. Memoranda, Repertory No. 3, anno 9°.]
- May 10. **357.** Warrant to Thomas Murreux constable of the Tower to release Alan Scot and William Sadelere, on mainprise and a penalty of 500l. Westminster. The manucaptors were afterwards all discharged by the K. on the information of Thomas duke of Gloucester, in the Chancellor's presence. [Close, 9 Ric. II. m. 6, dorso.]
- May 25. **358.** Warrant to the Earl of Suffolk chancellor, at the request of the Earl of Northumberland, to issue a licence to the Earl of March of Scotland, to take away at the cost of two Englishmen esquires, his prisoners, in aid of their deliverance, 400 qrs. of malt from England, to be purchased either at Berwick-on-Tweed or at Dunbarre in Scotland. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 9 Ric. II. File 3.]
- June 5-15. **359.** Fiat for protections for John Cauchon parson of Warton in Kendale, John Swan son of Henry Swan of Mertouk in Somerset, and Richard Plummer, for a year, about to go to Roxburgh castle under Sir Thomas of Swynburne knight, captain there. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 398.]
- July 18. 360. Indenture bearing that, whereas Messires Richard Tempest and Thomas Talbot chivalers, were lately appointed wardens of Berwick-on-Tweed on the Marches of Scotland, from the 18th April last till the Feast of Pentecost thereafter, and therefrom till the next Pentecost at 7000l. per annum by reason of the war, with a garrison of 100 men-at-arms 'a chival,' 60 'a pee,' 200 archers 'a chival,' and 129 'a pee,' all well arrayed as effeirs, all to be strangers from the south side of the county of Richmond and Craven, except 20 men-at-arms and 20 archers only, and had received in hand half of their first quarter; since which a truce with the Scots had been agreed to, from 27th June last till the last of May following, their pay

- Ric. II. and garrison should be reduced one half, but on the expiry of the truce, or if war broke out during its existence, and the town chanced to be assailed by the Scots or French, the wardens are empowered to increase their force as they see expedient, and the previous agreement revives in full force. Append their seals at Westminster 18th July 10th year. [Tags and seals gone.] [Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt Miscellanca, No. 46.]
- Dec. 14. 361. The K. in exoneration of his father's soul, and discharge of a debt. of 340l. 'guieneas,' arrears of the annuity of 40l. 'guieneas' due by him to the late John of Creswelle, who was in his service for life, in the castle of Bordeaux, grants to John of Creswelle his son (inter alia), 10 acres of land in Marchenley and parcels of a toft, and 15 acres of land which were the Abbot of Kelso's in Scotland, an annual rent of 2s. from an acre in Bamburgh, which was the Prioress and nuns of Caldestreme's in Scotland. To be held for his life, if the K. or his heirs retain them, for a white greyhound yearly in full of all services. Westminster. [Patent, 10 Rie. II. p. 2, m. 18.]
- Dec. 15. **362.** Warrant for letters in favour of Sir Robert de Claveryng knight, whom the king has appointed chancellor and chamberlain of Berwick-on-Tweed and his other lands in Scotland, clerk of works and keeper of provisions and artillery in said town, exercising these offices in propria persona, unless compelled to meet the Scots in battle on the Marches, or to make a foray in Scotland by the K.'s leave, drawing 40l. as his yearly fee. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 10 Ric. II. File 7.]
- 1386-87. **363.** Warrant to the K.'s cousin the Bishop of Ely chancellor, to March 1. issue letters under the Great seal in favour of Adam del Spens, one of the K.'s Scottish enemies, who has humbly submitted himself and become his liege man, for 5 marks yearly for life. Westminster. [Privy Scals (Tower), 10 Ric. II. File 2.]
- March 1. **364.** The K. grants Adam del Spence, lately one of his messengers, the pension *ut supra* during his good behaviour. Westminster. [Patent, 10 Rie. II. p. 2, m. 20.]
- 1387. **365.** Indenture by Sir Rauf de Lomeley undertaking the ward May 22. of Berwick-on-Tweed for a year, for 2500 marks 'par an,' and in time of war for 5000. Westminster, 22nd May 10th year.

Appended is an order that he shall obey John lord of Neville, warden of the east March. [Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt Miscellanca, No. 46.]

Fine seal, in red wax, on tag. A shield couché, field diapered with annulets, a fesse between 3 parroquets, background of seal, foliage. Crest, on a tilting helmet between 2 bulls' horns, a parroquet perched on the tips of latter: 'S' RANULPHI DE LUMLEYE.'

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366. Inquisition [under writ dated Westminster 25th May RIC. II. preceding] taken at Corbryg before Peter Tylliolle escheator of Northumberland, on Tuesday next after the Feast of the Nativity 1387. of St John Baptist 11 Ric. II., by Sir Robert del Isle and Sir June 25. Walter Heron knights, [and 10 others,] jurors, who found that the late Thomas Umfraville was seised in fee under entail of the castle of Herbottel and two-thirds of the manor of Otyrburne, held of the K. in chief, worth . . . . under the old extent, but in these years only 100s. by the destructions and burnings of the Scots. [Other lands are specified.] He died on Tuesday next before Whitsunday last, and Thomas Umfraville is his son and next heir, and 24 years of age and upwards. [No seals.] [Inq. p. m., 10 Ric. II. No. 43.]

Inquisition of lands in Yorkshire attached.

- Aug. 3. 367. The K. appoints John lord Neville, Sir Richard le Scrope knight, and the captains of Carlisle, Berwick, and Roxburgh to make strict inquiry into the practice of merchants and others in the North carrying gold and silver in coin, ore, or plate across the Border into Scotland, and when found to seize it, one half going to the K., the other to the discoverer. Westminster. [Patent, 11 Ric. II. p. 1, m. 26, dorso.]
- Oct. 16.

  368. The K. commands his brother Thomas de Holand earl of Kent, constable of the Tower, to receive Paton Heryng of Scotland, a prisoner lately delivered by Henry Percy earl of Northumberland, and keep him there. Westminster. [Close, 11 Ric. II. m. 34.]

  On 1st July previous a writ to the Earl of Northumberland to

On 1st July previous a writ to the Earl of Northumberland to send the prisoner to the Tower. [m. 45.]

Oct. 26–29. **369**. Fiat for protection for a year for Richard Sprot of Bryset going to the garrison of Roxburgh under Sir Thomas Swynburne warden. Westminster.

And for John Sterlyng of Blychene in Essex going to the garrison of Calais under William de Beauchamp captain. *Ibid.* [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 408.]

- Nov. 7. 370. The K. on his petition grants leave to Thomas Swynburne warden of Roxburgh castle, to ship for the livery of the soldiers and his retinue there, 12 short cloths in 2 packs, 2 cloths of Raye, 16 pieces of cloths 'strutor' of Essex, and a piece of cloth of Raye of Candelwykstrete, also 2 'worsted' beds in a 'clothsek,' and a barrel with 2 of his saddles, in a vessel from the port of London to Newcastle-on-Tyne, and thence by land to the castle, free of custom or subsidy. Westminster. [Closc, 11 Ric. II. m. 32.]
- Nov. 24. 371. The K. commands Henry Percy earl of Northumberland, and John Neville of Raby, to survey certain works lately done by

- Ric. II. John Lewyn mason, on the castles of Carlisle and Roxburgh beyond those in the agreement between the K. and him, and report how much was necessary, and the cost. Westminster. [Patent, 11 Ric. II. p. 1, m. 10.]
- Dec. 12. 372. Warrant to the Chancellor to send a safe conduct for half a year to the lord of Neville, for George of Dunbarre earl of March, with 100 other Scots on horseback to come to England, and buy in the counties of York, Northumberland, or the bishopric of Durham, 100 chalders of flour and as many of malt, and ship them in English vessels to victual his castle of Dunbar. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 11 Ric. II. File 10.]
- 1387-88. **373.** Fiat for protections for Thomas Pysore alias Turvyle, Feb. 18. Gryffon pursuivant alias Salisbury herald, and another, for a year, going to the garrison of Roxburgh castle under Sir Thomas of Swynbourne knight, warden. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 408.]
- Feb. 23. 374. Warrant to recall the protection lately issued to Meredith ap Jevan Goghe going to join the garrison of Roxburgh castle, as the lieutenant of the Sire de Audley justice of South Wales, attests that he has never left Carmarthen. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 11 Rie. II. File 7.]
- March 9. 375. Commission to Peter Tilliolle sheriff of Cumberland, and Thomas of Askome, to levy by distraint, imprisonment, or otherwise, and repay to Henry Percy earl of Northumberland, 7l. 10s. 4d. paid by him while conservator of the truce at Lullyngham to Simon Boner of Scotland, for March offences done by John of Levyngton and 7 other Englishmen; and 28l. 17s. to William Haliday of Scotland for the like by Sir Thomas Swynburne knight, and 8 others. Westminster. [Patent, 11 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 30.]
- 1388. **376.** Fiat for safe conduct for half a year for Sir James Douglas April 3. of Roberton knight, with 10 companions, to pass between England and Scotland. Westminster. [Privy Scals (Tower), 11 Ric. II. File 3.]
- April 12. 377. Indenture whereby Henry Percy eldest son of the Earl of Northumberland, undertakes the keeping of the east March of Scotland and the town of Berwick-on-Tweed for 3 years from 19th June at 12,000l. per annum, reduced to 3000l. during a truce or peace. [Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt Miscellanea, No. 46.]

Seal with lion rampant and label of 3 points, on a shield suspended by a lion's paw in clouds: 's' HENRICI DE PERCI FILLI.'

- RIC. II. 378. Fiat for safe conduct for a year for Friar John of Benyng chaplain, governor of the lands and possessions of the Hospital of St John of Jerusalem in Scotland, to come and go at pleasure
- April 26. between England and Scotland with 4 mounted attendants, on the affairs of the Order. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 11 Ric. II. File 3.]
- April 30. 379. The K. grants to John Sothron the ward and marriage of Margaret a daughter and co-heir of Sir Simon de Cusak knight, formerly granted to Richard Comyn, who had restored the letters to be cancelled. Westminster. [Patent, 11 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 17.]
- May 4. 380. The K. confirms the contract of marriage between Robert Savage of Ulster and a daughter of John of Yle, lord of the Isles, for the good service of said Robert. Westminster. [Patent, 11 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 17.]
- June 8. 381. The K. commands Stephen Hales, one of his justices of peace for Norfolk, and others, to cause restitution to be made to Nicholas Abel the master, John Bonere, and John Kede, Scotsmen, of the cargo of wool, hides, and blankets, 21 pieces of gold in 2 locked chests, a basenett, a bed, and 2 barrels of meat, in a vessel 'le Clement,' of St Andrews in Scotland, driven on shore by stress of weather at Holkham in le Depes of Stotmouthehavene, and all the cargo plundered, except 12 pieces of gold in the said Scots' hands. Westminster. [Close, 11 Ric. II. m. 7.]
- June 13. 382. Fiat for protection for a year for Sir William de Dacre knight, lord of Gillesland, setting out for the garrison of Berwick under Henry Percy son of the earl of Northumberland, the warden. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 408.]
- July 22. 383. The K. commands the sheriff of Lincoln and the mayor of Grimesby, as he understands that a previous writ authorising them to restore the goods in a Scottish vessel wrecked off Lyndesey during the truce, has not been executed through the refusal of the possessors to surrender them—to recover these, or their value if non-existent, and deliver them to John Neville of Raby, imprisoning those who hold them till they surrender. Westminster. [Close, 12 Ric II. m. 41.]
- Sept. 25. 384. The K. expressly forbids Henry Percy earl of Northumber-Forders, vii. 607. land, to release Sir James de Lyndesey of Scotland, lately made prisoner in battle, until the K. and Great Council shall give directions regarding him. Cambridge. [Close, 12 Ric. II. m. 35.]
  - Nov. 20. 385. The K. on the supplication of his esquire Adam Ramesey,

- Ric. II. lately appointed keeper of his hounds called 'heriers' at the usual fee, grants him for his good and gratuitous service to his late father 1388. 12d. a day for life independent of his office, from the issues of Bedford and Buckingham, deducting the 7½d. received for his service in the household. Westminster. [Patent, 12 Ric. II. p. 1, m. 10.]
- Dec. 1. 386. Warrant to the Archbishop of York chancellor, for letters in favour of Rankyn Scote, whom the K. has appointed keeper of his ploughs (carues). Windsor castle. [Privy Seals (Tower), 12 Ric. II. File 8.]
- [1388.] **387.** [Conditions of truce between the Kings of England and Scotland.]
  - (1) The truce to be both on land and sea, and though both K.s or one of them die, to subsist in force.
  - (2) Any debated point to be submitted in the last resort to the K. of France as 'medne ami.'
  - (3) No fortress to be built of new or repaired, in the counties of Northumberland or Cumberland, or those of Berwick, Roxburgh, or Dumfries—saving those in progress at this date.
  - (4) That no subject of either realm commune with the other, except in trade, nor enter any castle or enclosed town without special leave of the authorities there.
  - (5) That vessels wrecked on the coasts of either realm, with cargos and crews, be rescued and delivered, as in peace.
  - (6) Complainants to have safe conduct in going before the guardians of the truce.
    - (7) Matters touching March law to be settled as of old time.
  - (8) The K. of England to cancel all processes, denunciations, &c. if any, made by the Pope against the K. of Scotland, his clergy, or his people.
  - (9) No person shall make war on either K., or advise or reset
  - (10) The K. of Scotland shall have full power to send ambas-sadors abroad during truce.
  - (11) The ambassadors sent by one K. to the other shall shew their commission to the wardens.
  - (12) The truce to be ratified by writing and oaths on the K.s' souls, prelates, earls and barons of the realms, confirmed by the Pope, and attested by the K. of France as 'medne ami.' [Tower Miscellaneous Rolls, No. 459.]

In a hand of the latter part of the 14th century.

1388-89. 388. The K. charges the sheriff of Bedford and Buckingham to Jan. 24. pay Adam Ramesey the K.'s esquire his annuity of 12d. per diem,

RIC. II. since 20th November last, granted to him ut supra, No. 385.

Westminster. [Close, 12 Ric. II. m. 23.]

1388-89. 389. Indenture whereby Thomas earl Mareschal and Nottingham March 2. undertakes to keep the east March of Scotland and Berwick-on-Tweed for a year from 1st June following for 12,000*l. per annum*, receiving 3000*l.* the first quarter, six weeks in advance, retaining 400 men-at-arms and 800 archers during June and July. Westminster. [Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt Miscellanea, No. 46.]

Seal, red wax. Shield couché, a lion rampant. Crest, on a ducal cap above a tilting helmet, a lion statant. Much broken.

- 1389. **390.** The K. signifies that he has taken the fealty of Robert of May 18. Benham of Scotland chaplain, who has sworn allegiance on the Holy Evangels to him and his successors Kings of England, for life, and gives him leave to remain in England as his liege. Westminster. [Patent, 12 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 7.]
- June 19. **391.** Special protection for half a year for Sir Malcolm of Dromond knight, and all his lands and possessions, viz., Lydelysdale, Jedworth forest, the barony of Cavris, the vill and lordship of Selkirke, Ednam, the baronies of Drumlangryk in [N]iddisdale, of Strethord, of Cargyl, of Oughtrardor, of Neel Douny in Boughhan, of Kyncardyn, the vill of Galwhollaght, Deskfor, Thernmor, Cashle, Aughanghiak, Fenwyk, Aughynlawyk Kylqwat, Thonne, Gamseny, Goltycaldy, Kyndelough, Letoref, Ardgayth, the vill of Smethy, le Pokmylle, forest of Ederyk, the castle of Douglas and Douglasdale, Lawedyrdale, Esdale, the baronies of Bethouroil, of Wastyrkyr, of Kyrcandrys, the farm of Rouglyn, castle of Teintalon, and barony of Northberwick; warranting him therein. Westminster, 19th June

Similar for Sir Malcolm to come to the K. in England with a retinue of 40 men armed or unarmed. And the like for Sir James of Sandilands knight, with 40 men, '&c.'

Special protection and warrandice for Sir James's lands, viz., Sondirland and 'le Fallyneshe,' Haldyncrawe, Paxton, Caldor, Dalyel, the barony of Erthe, 'Kyngore en Fyffe,' the baronies of Glamys, 'Balhelvy en Boughan,' and of Clony, 'les Sandylans,' Polfek, 'le Vestoun de Dunsier,' and the church of Neweton with the parson's manor there.

Similar for Sir John Halyburton knight, and his lands and possessions, viz., the vill of Halyburton and the whole lordship, the vill of Lambdene, 'le Shirresbygyng,' 'le Fawenys,' and 'le Melvstanys,' the vill of Dalcov, 'le Flas,' and Ifly, Wethirle, Raughburn, Nathirthern, barony of Bolton, castle and barony of Drylton, Langnodry, Nethir Carlowry, the baronies of Segyn, Sawlyforgan, and Russy in Strethern, the castle and barony of Ballygyrnowe, and barony of Abyrnuyt.

- Ric. II. Item, a safe conduct for him with 40 men, ut supra. Also a safe conduct for William Halyburton son of Sir Alexander Haly1389. burton knight, with 20 men in his retinue, coming to the K.

  [Tower Miscellaneous Rolls, No. 459.]
- July 12. **392.** Warrant to the Chancellor, at the request of Henry le Percy 'le filz,' to issue a safe conduct to the Countess of March of Scotland for 1000 sheep and two Scottish shepherds, to pasture at Colbrandespath and 5 leagues around at the Countess's pleasure for 3 years; also one to Lady Marie Heryng, for 600 sheep and two Scottish shepherds, to pasture there or within 5 leagues at her pleasure, for same period. If the K. enters Scotland in person with his army within the three years, the safe conducts to be void. Westminster. [Privy Scals (Tower), 13 Ric. II. File 14.]
- July 15. 393. The K. to the Chancellor. Having at the petition of his cousin the Earl of Northumberland lately granted to his well-beloved Aleyn Horsle esquire, and his heirs, the vills of Maxwelle and Softelawe in the land of Tevydale on the March of Scotland, which grant was not executed by letters patent, and as the said Aleyn was lately made prisoner by the Scots in battle in the company of Henry le Percy 'le filz,' he of special favour renews the grant of these lands to him and his heirs, as they are forfeited by the rebellion of the inhabitants of Tevydale, to be held by Aleyn and his heirs as of the K.'s castle of Roxburgh, by castle guard and other services accustomed of old, and commands letters patent in his favour in due form. Westminster. [Privy Scals (Tower), 13 Ric. II. File 13.]
- July 20. 394. Warrant to the Chancellor for safe conduct to last till 'Noel' for Alisandre Allirdas of Scotland with five servants to come to England and return to Scotland between this and the said feast. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 13 Ric. II. File 13.]

## [Extracts.]

May 2— 395. July 15:—To Henry Percy son and heir of the Earl of Aug. 28. Northumberland, in part payment of 1000l. lately agreed to be paid of the K.'s gift towards his ransom when lately taken in the Scots war—500l.

July 17:—To the same, as late warden of Berwick-on-Tweed and the east March of Scotland, in two payments—1200*l*.

To same farther towards his ransom from the Scots—500l.

August 23:—To Master Peter, a French notary and two esquires of the K. of the French, lately passing through England to Scotland to ratify the truce between England and France, value of 3 silver cups with gilt covers bought from John Fraunceys citizen and goldsmith, London, 2 cloths of silk called

- RIC. II. baudekyns, bought from Richard Whytyngton, and a whole cloth of 'vyolet' bought from John Hende citizen and clothier, London, 1389. given by the K. to them by the hands of the Bishop of Durham in their return. [Issue Roll (Pells), Easter, 12 Ric. II.]
- Oct. 2. 396. Safe conduct for Sir Thomas of Erskyn knight, Master Duncan Petit canon of Glasgow, and Adam Forster esquire of Scotland, with 40 horsemen, to pass through England to France in the affairs of Scotland, each and all of the company making oath before the sheriff of Northumberland, Sir Thomas Grey, Mathew Redman, Gerard Heron and Thomas Rednesse, knights, to do nothing prejudicial to England in transit. Westminster.

Writ to the sheriff and others to take their oaths. [French and Roman Roll, 13 Ric. II. m. 18.]

- Oct. 15. 397. Warrant to the Chancellor to issue letters allowing the Abbot and convent of Melrose an abatement of 2s. a 'saak' on the custom of wool of Scotch growth sent by them to Berwick-on-Tweed to the number of 1000 'saaks,' as an alms from the K. for the destruction and burning sustained by the abbey when he was there with his army. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 13 Rie. II. File 19.]
- Oct. 18. 398. Warrant to the Chancellor for letters of protection during the three years' truce for the Abbot and convent of Melrose, the 'converses' of their house and their servants dwelling within their bounds, from robbery or pillage of themselves or arson of their dwellings, and leave for the Abbot, his monks or 'converses' to the number of 12 on horseback, to sell their beasts and chattels in Northumberland and Cumberland, and buy victuals, wine, and other lawful merchandise there for same period. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 13 Ric. II. File 21.]
- Oct. 19.

  399. Indenture whereby Thomas earl Mareschal and of Nottingham, undertakes the ward of the east March of Scotland and the town of Berwick-on-Tweed for five years from 1st June next for 3000l. per annum, viz., 2000l. for the town, and 1000l. for the March, in time of peace or truce; and 12,000l. in time of war, making forays in Scotland during war, as he sees fit; and after the present truce with the Scots for three years expires, if it please the K. to renew the same, the Earl shall receive six weeks' notice. He may make short truces with the Scots at his discretion; and if the French arrive in force he shall increase his garrison by 80 men-at-arms and 160 archers in the K.'s pay. Appends his seal at Westminster 19th Oct. 13th year. [Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt Miscellanea, No. \(\frac{4}{1}\)6.]

Seal perished. The crest, a lion statant, only remains.

- RIC. II. 400. Warrant to the Chancellor for safe conduct for half a year to Andrew Balgarny esquire of Scotland, and Elizabeth his wife, with a gentleman and four vallets in their company, to come to Cot. 27 England and remain there if the truce lasts so long. Westminster
- Oct. 27. England and remain there if the truce lasts so long. Westminster. [Privy Scals (Tower), 13 Ric. II. File 19.]
- Oct. 20. 401. The K. commands the collectors of customs and examiner in the port of Orewelle to release the goods of William Passelay and other merchants of Scotland, freighted in 'la Marie ship' of Sluys, Heyn Rote master, driven by stress of weather into their port on Saturday next before St Peter and St Jude's day last, and seized by the examiner as enemies' property, against the truce. Westminster. [Close, 13 Ric. II. m. 7.]
- Nov. 19. 402. Grant to Nicholas Adam one of the K.'s sergeants-at-arms, in reward of his service of 33 years and more to the K.'s father, and carrying the royal standard of St Edward, at the K.'s command, on his late expedition to Scotland in propria persona, of his full pay for life. Westminster. [Cancelled, as the K. granted him 12d. per diem for life on 28th September 1391.] [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 475.]
- Nov. 26. 403. Warrant to the Chancellor for safe conduct till Midsummer next for Sir John Halyburton knight of Scotland, with 20 persons in his company on horseback, Scots or English, not outlaws or banished men, to come and go between England and Scotland, if war does not break out meanwhile. Westminster. [Privy Scals (Tower), 13 Ric. II. File 21.]
- 1389-90. 404. Fiat for safe conduct for two months from 1st April next Jan. 22. for Sir David de Lyndeseye of Scotland knight, with 29 unarmed retainers (himself and two knights included, the others esquires, vallets, and grooms), to come to do feats of arms in England with John de Welle, whom he has challenged, to take place on 6th May next, as agreed between them, and to return, with leave to Sir David to bring fitting armour packed up for himself, with good horses and harness for himself and his men. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 356.]
- Feb. 9. 405. Pardon at the request of the Archbishop of York to Thomas Steward of all demands and acts against him connected with the goods, chattels, rents, &c. of the late Sir John Beauchamp of Holte knight, which are altogether discharged. Westminster. [Patent, 13 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 8.]
- Feb. 11. 406. Fiat for safe conduct for a year for Sir John Steward of Lorne, Sir John of Maxwell of Pollok, and Sir Robert of Maxwell knights, and Walter of Ogylby esquire, of Scotland, with 30 other

- 1389-90. 407. Warrant to the Chancellor for safe conducts, one for John Feb. 26. Martyn clerk of Scotland, with his servant, a Scotsman, to study at the schools either of Oxford or Cambridge universities, during the present three years' truce; the other to Bowedyn Orefeour (goldsmith?) of Scotland, to come to England for half a year. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 13 Ric. II. File 5.]
- Feb. 26. 408. General protection and safe conduct for John Martyn ut supra during the three years' truce with the Scots. Westminster. [Patent, 13 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 2.]

## [Extracts.]

Oct. 7— 409. October 7:—To Sir Ralph of Lomeley knight, in part of Mar. 28. 200 marks which the K. commanded to be given him in aid of the excessive ransom put on him by the Scots when taken prisoner by them—10/

October 14:—To same further on account—201.

October 20:—To same by three tallies further on account—36l. 13s. 4d.

November 25:—To same in full of the 200 marks — 66l. 13s. 4d.

December 1:—To John Dromonde rector of Asshe, to which church K. Edward the K.'s grandfather gave 100s. per annum in lieu of the tithes of mortuaries, oblacions, obventions, &c. which Robert of Parnycote the late parson drew from lands included in the K.'s park of Henle till he provided them in a prebend of 20 marks, for last Michaelmas term—50s.

February 7:—To 'Douglas' herald from Scotland, value of 15 nobles at 8s. each, given him by the K.'s command—4l.

March 1:—To Sir Thomas Umfraville and Gerard Heron knights, and John Mitford esquire, commissioners to treat with those of Scotland, pay for nine days on the business, each knight 20s. and the esquire 13s. 4d. per diem, as in similar treaties—24l.

March 4:—To Thomas Prendregest the Earl of Northumberland's esquire, lessee from the K. for 10 years of Frisby manor in Lincolnshire at 40s. a year, an allowance for the great costs incurred by him in repairs there—10 marks. [Issue Roll (Pells), Michaelmas, 13 Ric. II.]

1390. 410. Fiat for a safe conduct for 2 months from 1st June May 25. following for Sir David Lyndesey knight of Scotland, to come to England and return with his people, harness, horses, &c. to the number mentioned in a late safe conduct to him. Also one for same time for a Scots vessel called 'Seinte Marie ship' of Dundee,

April 15- 411. Issue Roll, Easter, 13 Ric. II., J. bishop of St David's May 25. (Meneven), Treasurer.

## [Extracts.]

May 25:—To Sir David de Lyndesay knight of Scotland, in 'numerate' money 100*l*. and value of a silver cup and ewer with gilt covers, bought from Richard Broke goldsmith of London, 6*l*. 16*s*. 8*d*., given him by the K.'s command—106*l*. 16*s*. 8*d*.

To John Broun esquire of Scotland, by his own hands in numerate money, 20*l.*, and value of a silver cup with cover, 53*s.* 8*d.*, given him by the K.'s command—22*l.* 13*s.* 8*d.* 

To Sir John Haliburton knight of Scotland, value of a silver cup with gilt cover bought from Nicholas Twyford, 60s., and of 2 cloths of gold bought from Richard Whytyngdone, 9l. 6s. 8d., given him by the K.'s command—12l. 6s. 8d.

To the Earl of Murref of Scotland, lately come to England by the K.'s leave, 'ad equitand' de guerra' with the Earl of Nottingham marcschal of England, in numerate money by his own hands, 200 marks, and value of a silver cup and ewer with gilt cover, bought from Gautorne de Barde, 6l. 3s. 5d. given him by the K.'s command—139l. 11s. 1d.

To Sir William Dalielle knight of Scotland, in numerate money by his own hand, 40*l*. given him by the K.'s command, with advice of the Council—40*l*. [Issue Roll (Pells), Easter, 13 Ric. II. m. 6.]

May 30. 412. Fiats for letters of safe conduct for 3 weeks for Sir John Dalzelle, William of Preston, and Archibald of Edmonstone (Godmanston) knights, with 80 Scotsmen their men, and 80 horses, to come to England.

Item, Similar letters for 6 weeks for the Earl of Murref, with 30 horsemen. Item, Similar till Michaelmas for Sir John of Maxwell of Scotland knight, with 3 mounted Scots, to pass through the K.'s dominions in pilgrimage to St John of Amiens and return. Westminster.

Also for half a year for Andrew Scot clerk, and Walter Stradher, familiars and servants to the Earl of Murref, with 4 horses, to go on pilgrimage to St John of Amiens. [Privy Scals (Tower), temp. Ric. II. File 3.]

June 1. 413. Lincoln: — Compotus of Thomas earl Mareschal and Nottingham, keeper of Roxburgh castle for a year, from 1st June 12 Ric. II. (1389), at 500l. per annum, as in the RIC. II. indenture between the K. and himself, dated . . . . March preceding.

1390. Receipt:—Moneys [in three sums] from Exchequer—500l. Discharge:—Fee ut supra—500l.

Compotus of said Earl for the castle, with mills, vessels, and instruments for the kitchen and brewery, &c. and the K.'s 'artillary' there, for 5 years from 1st June 13 Ric. II. (1390), under his indenture with the K. on 19th October 1389, for a year till 1st June 1391, when the Earl was removed with his own assent from its custody, then committed by the K. and Council to Henry earl of Northumberland, as the Earl Mareschal says on oath.

Receipt: - Money received from Exchequer - 250l.

Discharge:—His fee fixed, ut supra, during the truces between the K. and the Scots for the year preceding his removal—500l.

He is due 250l. [Exchequer, Q. R. Miscellanea (Army), No.  $\frac{53}{5}$ .]

- June 6. 414. Fiat for safe conduct for Sir William Douglas of Scotland knight (who has an inchoate plea in the K.'s court of Chivalry to prosecute and maintain before the Constable and Marshal of England, with Sir Thomas of Clifford lord of Clifford and Westmoreland 'chivaler,' regarding certain deeds of arms), with a retinue of 40 horsemen, knights, squires, vallets, and grooms of Scotland, and armour for his own person only, to come to England before Christmas next and return, provided the said plea is then determined, the conduct to end in 20 days thereafter. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 416.]
- June 16. 415. Another safe conduct till the quinzaine of the Nativity of St John Baptist instant for Sir William to come to London, remain for the said term, and return to Scotland, ut supra, with his retinue. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 416.]
- July 18. 416. Letters patent by Robert K. of Scotland, reciting the truce Fordera, vii. 683. between the Kings of France and England and their allies, entered into at Leulingham on 18th June 1389, till 16th August 1392, and confirming the same by his oath on the Holy Evangels. Appoints as conservators of the truce on the Marches, the Bishops of St Andrews and Glasgow, and in civil cases the Earls of Douglas, the March, and Murrafe, Sirs Murthack Stewart, James of Douglas of Dalketh, William of Douglas of Niddisdale, and Thomas of Erskyn, knights, jointly and severally, with plenary powers. Perth. [Chapter House (Seots Docts.), Box 2, No. 3.]

Much worn in parts. The Great seal in white wax, appended in Rymer's time, is now gone.

Oct. [ ]. 417. Fiat for safe conduct till the Feast of St John Baptist next for the Earl of March of Scotland, with 30 Scotsmen in his train,

- Ric. II. on horse or on foot, to come in pilgrimage to Canterbury. West-—— minster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 421.]
- 1390. 418. The K. on the petition of William of Carneby, who holds Dec. 6. the manors of Halton, Claverworth, and Whityngton in Northumberland by homage and fealty and payment of 4l. yearly, and lately recovered them from Sir William of Lowdre knight, as his heritage, shewing that the Scots have so burned and plundered them and carried off himself and his tenants prisoners, and his goods and chattels to Scotland, that the yearly payment will quite ruin him, has released him for life therefrom in full satisfaction of 100l. formerly granted him in aid of his ransom. Westminster. [Patent, 14 Ric. II. p. 1, m. 2.]
- 1390-91. 419. The K. at the request of his cousin Henry Percy 'le filz' Jan. 14. warden, and general commissioner on the west Marches of Scotland, who is going abroad on his private affairs, permits Ralph Percy his brother to act at his lieutenant and deputy in these offices. Westminster. [Patent, 14 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 39.]

## [Extract.]

- Oct. 12— 420. February 23:—To Henry Percy son of the Earl of March 11. Northumberland, in aid of his ransom when lately made prisoner by the Scots, towards which, on the petition of the knights of the counties and commonalty of England, it was ordered by Parliament that 3000l. be paid of the K.'s gift—1000l. [Issue Roll (Pells), Michaelmas, 14 Ric. II.]
  - 1391. 421. The K. learning by inquisition taken by the escheator of May 1. Northumberland that Jacoba widow of Sir John Strivelyn, died seised of the third part of the manor of Jessemongth and of the advowson of the chapel or chantry there, in entailed fee to herself and the heirs of her body, whom failing to John of Middelton and Cristiana his wife and the lawful heirs of their bodies, held for payment of 2s.  $2\frac{1}{2}d$ . to the castle ward of Newcastle-on-Tyne, has taken John's homage, and commands delivery of the lands to him on giving his fealty. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 14 Ric. II. File 8.]
  - May 1. **422.** The K. commands Walter Stirkeland, his escheator in Northumberland, to give the said John and Cristiana possession ut supra. Westminster. [Close, 14 Ric. II. m. 13.]
- May 20. 423. The K. commands the officers of Exchequer to surcease all process against Peter Tilliolle, late escheator of Cumberland, for neglecting an inquiry he was lately ordered to make as to those who were supplying the Scots with grain, &c., as he has sworn in the King's presence that the letters never reached him. Westminster. [Close, 14 Ric. II. m. 9, dorso.]

- RIC. II. 424. Warrant to the Chancellor for letters in favour of Thomas Sparrowe, late prisoner with the Scots, who has paid 100 marks for his ransom, wherefore the K. has given him and his heirs the lands
- 1391. his ransom, wherefore the K. has given him and his heirs the lands June 15. of Promset in Tevydalle in Scotland, forfeited by Robert of Roule a rebel and traitor, not exceeding in value 40 marks per annum. The letters to be without fine, as the lands are at present in the enemy's hand, and thus valueless. Westminster. [Privy Scals (Tower), 14 Ric. II. File 8.]
- June 20. 425. Warrant to the Chancellor for licence to Ralph lord of Neville, to perform feats-of-arms as challenged by Alexander de Lyndeseye of Scotland, as also to Sir Thomas Colvylle and John Etton knights, William Salveyn, William Louther, Henry van Croypole, and Simon Warde to perform feats-of-arms with certain Scots, and to John lord of Roos to hold the field and act as judge. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 14 Ric. II. File 8.]
- June 30. 426. Warrant to the Chancellor for letters in favour of Nicholas Rodom the K.'s liege and the heirs of his body, to whom the K. has granted all the lands, &c. in Tevydale of Fergus Makdowelle and Robert Ormeston, rebels and traitors, not exceeding 40l. per annum in time of peace, without fine as they are at present held by the Scottish enemy, and therefore valueless. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 15 Ric. II. File 6.]
- June 30. 427. The K. grants the lands to Nicholas ut supra. Westminster. [Patent, 15 Ric. II. p. 1, m. 36.]
- July 9. 428. Fiat for safe conduct for a year during the truce for Thomas Barry and his two companions, people of Scotland, to enter and remain in England, and return to their own country with lawful goods and merchandise. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 429.]
- July 10. 429. Writs to the escheators of Norfolk and Suffolk, Essex, Buckingham, and Kent, directing them to deliver certain knights' fees, advowsons, &c. in these counties taken in the hands of the K.'s grandfather, then K., of the heritage of David Strabolgy earl of Athol, of consent of John le Scrope knight, and Elizabeth his wife one of the Earl's daughters and heirs, and of John Halsham and Philippa his wife, the other daughter and heir, to the said John and Philippa as her purparty. Westminster. [Close, 15 Ric. II. m. 44.]
- Nov. 14. 430. The K. commands the collectors of custom at Newcastle-on-Tyne to defray the arrears of the annuity of 10*l*. granted by him on 14th December 1384, to his liege John Burelle of Tevydale, who had remained faithful when all his other lieges of these parts joined

- RIC. II. the Scots, till he recovered his heritage there, lost for his loyalty.

  —— Westminster. [Close, 15 Ric. II. m. 27.]
- 1391. 431. Fiat for safe conduct till next Easter for David Lyndesay Nov. 15. of Scotland, chivaler, with 20 Scotsmen his people and servants on horseback, all unarmed, to enter England and return. Westminster.

Similar of same date for 'Wauter Styward Descoce chivaler, friere a nostre cousin Descoce,' with . . . . Scotsmen his people and servants on horseback 'touz desarmez.' *Ibid*.

Similar on 14th for John Swynton of Scotland, chivaler, and 30 'persones Descoce,' all unarmed. *Ibid.* [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 429.]

- Nov. 21. 432. The K. commands his brother Thomas Holand earl of Kent constable of the Tower of London, to receive and keep William Comyn in safe custody. Westminster. [Close, 15 Ric. II. m. 24.]
- Dec. 5. 433. Fiat for letters of safe conduct for 'Wauter Styward Descoce seignur de Brechyne,' with 40 Scots knights in his retinue, with their servants, horses, and harness 'trussez,' to come to England and return, till Easter next. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 429.]
- 1392. 434. Warrant to the Chancellor for letters in favour of Walter April 26. Stratherne a native of Scotland, who has done homage, and has received from the K. a grant of 10l. per annum for his life. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 15 Ric. II. File 4.]
- April 26. 435. The K. grants the same to Walter of his special favour. Westminster. [Patent, 15 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 16.]
- May 30. 436. The K. to Gerard Heron collector of customs at Berwick-on-Tweed. Signifies that in aid of the losses and depauperation of the town, and falling off in the population, and also for the benefit of his lieges in Scotland, he has granted the mayor and burgesses leave to export wool, hides, &c. at these rates of custom, viz. (1) for each sack of wool grown between Tweed and Coket, 26s. 8d.; for 240 lambskins of same growth, 26s. 8d.; and for each last of hides, 4 marks; (2) for wool, lambskins, and hides of Tevydale and other parts of Scotland at his allegiance, one-half of these rates; (3) and for wool, lambskins, and hides of the K. of Scotland's subjects, one-fourth of above rates. Proof to be made by indentures and oaths of the parties. Staunford. [Close, 15 Ric. II. m. 4.]
  - May 31. 437. Fiat for safe conducts till Michaelmas for Richard bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, about to go in the K.'s service to Scotland, and William of Newhagh clerk, in his company. Staunford. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 429.]

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  438. Fiat for protection till Easter next for Henry Spycer of Ely in Cambridgeshire, 'yoman' going in the K.'s service to Scotland in company of the K.'s cousin John duke of Norfolk, warden of the east March and of the castle and town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, to see to its victualling. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 429.]
- Aug. 24. 439. Warrant to the Chancellor to issue letters to the K.'s cousin the Earl of Northumberland, to whom the K. has given full power to permit his brother the Earl of Huntyngdon and all in his company to deliver all the knights and squires of Scotland of all points of arms which they may demand of him or his company during his stay in the town of Berwick-on-Tweed or the Marches around. Shene. [Privy Scals (Tower), 16 Ric. II. File 11.]
- Sept. 29. 440. Warrant to the Chancellor for letters in favour of John bishop of Man, executor of the late Sir Andrew Scot knight (to whom the K. for his good service in the wars abroad had given Martin Grant, a Spanish prisoner), granting the said Martin to him that his ransom may discharge Sir Andrew's debts. Oxford. [Privy Seals (Tower), 16 Ric. II. File 11.]
- Sept. 29. 441. The K. confirms the grant to the Bishop. Town of Oxford. [Patent, 16 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 26.]
- Sept. 29. 442. Protection for a year to the said Bishop of Sodor (Man), who is going by the K.'s command to the Isles on public business. Town of Oxford. [*Ibid. m. 27.*]
- Nov. 14. 443. Charter by Adomar of Athol to John of Mitford and Thomas Clerk of Newton, and their heirs and assigns, of the half of the vill of Quarnele and wood, and his lands in Yetham and Walwik [under exceptions]. Appends his seal at York before Thomas archbishop of York, chancellor (and other witnesses). Recognisance by him in Chancery at York on 19th November. [Close, 16 Ric. II. m. 25, dorso.]
- Nov. 19. 444. Commission to Sir Gerard Heron knight chamberlain of Berwick-on-Tweed, and two others, to inquire, before a jury of men of Berwick, Roxburgh, Norham, and Jedworthe, into the practice carried on by the K.'s lieges in Northumberland of carrying woollen cloths, wools, hides, &c. across the Border of Scotland by sea and land, to the detriment of the customs. York. [Patent, 16 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 17, dorso.]
- 1392-93. 445. Indenture by Henry Percy son of Henry Percy earl Jan. 12. of Northumberland, agreeing, on the expiry of his father's five years' wardenship of the east March and the town of Berwick,

A fragment of a fine seal, red wax, on tag. A lion rampant, charged with a label of 3 points; '... erci....' In the inner circle at dexter side, a ribbon buckled: 'HONNI....QUI MAL....' (probably the Garter).

- Jan. 16. 446. Fiat for protection to the Earl of the March of Scotland, for himself, his lands, goods, and chattels, both on the Marches of Scotland and within the realm of England, from its date to Midsummer following, on condition that the Earl and his people do no damage to English subjects during the time. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 430.]
- Jan. 27. 447. Fiat for protection for a year for John Lyndesay in the garrison of Calais under Thomas earl Marshal and Nottingham captain. Wynton. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 430.]
- Feb. 6. 448. The K. commands the chancellor of his University of Oxford and the mayor of the town forthwith to release one William Leedhous of Scotland, who when lately on his way to demand a debt due him by John Forster a scholar of the town, had been attacked by him and three other scholars outside the walls, and unjustly put in prison in violation of the truce. Wynton. [Close, 16 Ric. II. m. 19.]
- March 4. 449. Warrant to the Chancellor for letters in favour of John Bown clerk, a native of Scotland, who, 'lendemain de Nostre Dame darrein passez,' had made oath to the K. to be his liege man for life. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 16 Ric. II. File 4.]
- March 20. 450. The K, commands Adam Spenser to make strict search for and arrest all Scotsmen throughout England staying there in contravention of the truce, and deliver them to the local officers to be put in prison. Westminster. [Patent, 16 Ric. II. p. 3, m. 23, dorso.]
- 1393. 451. Warrant to the Chancellor for pardon at the supplication April 19. of the Earl of March of Scotland, to John Sutton, otherwise called Ingram of Herle of the county of Somerset, for the death of John Byford of London, 'glasier,' on Saturday next after the Feast of St Botholf 'l'Abbe' in the 11th year, in the parish of St Dunstan West in Flete Street, in the ward of Farringdon-without, in the suburb of London, 'nuytandre' about the hour of 'couvrefeu,' slain feloniously. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 16 Ric. II. File 6.]
- April 27. 452. Warrant to the Chancellor that as Sir Richard of Redemane has obtained the K.'s permission to joust in war at the city of Carlisle, with three companions, from the 21st to the 27th June next, vol. IV.

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- April 27. 453. The K, commands Sir Henry to be present ut supra. Foedera, vii. 745. [Patent, 16 Ric. II. p. 3, m. 16.]
  - Sept. 6. 454. Licence to Elizabeth widow of Sir Brian Stapilton junior, with her sister Sibella, and Sir William de Ryther her husband, to grant an endowment of 6 marks from the manors of Kirkeby-Orblawers, and Kereby, to the Prior of Beauvale, for two monks celebrating mass daily for the souls of Sir William of Aldeburghe knight, and Elizabeth his wife, their father and mother, Sir William of Aldeburghe knight, their brother, and for the soul of Sir Edward Balliol knight, in the Priory church, and their anniversaries. Beverley. [Patent, 17 Ric. II. p. 1, m. 25.]
- Sept. 12. 455. Fiat for safe conduct during the truce with France for John Sheves and John Wer, scholars of Scotland, to study in the University of Oxford. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 17 Ric. II. File 11.]
  - Oct. 25. 456. The K. signifies to the Chancellor that he has retained Sir Wauter Stiward knight of Scotland, in his service for life, and granted him an annuity of 100 marks, and orders letters accordingly under the Great seal. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 17 Ric. II. File 12.]
  - Oct. 25. 457. The K. grants the annuity to Sir Walter. Westminster. [Patent, 17 Ric. II. p. 1, m. 15.]
  - Oct. 30. 458. Fiat for letters of safe conduct till Michaelmas next for Thomas of Beverley esquire of Scotland, with six persons, his servants, to come and go between England and Scotland. Westminster.

Similar for same period for Sir Walter Stiward knight of Scotland, with 19 men, his servants, in his company, to come and go between England and Scotland as he sees fit. Westminster. [Privy Scals (Tower), 17 Ric. II. File 11.]

- 1393-94. **459.** The K. commands the sheriffs of London to release John Feb. 24. Scot from the gaol of Newgate, to which he had been committed under the name of John Michelessone as a spy, at the instance of Sir Richard le Scrope knight, as he had freed himself before the Council of the charge; taking security for his good carriage. Westminster. [Close, 17 Ric. II. m. 14.]
- 1394. 460. Fiat for safe conduct for Aleyn of Bollone of Edinburgh, June 20. merchant of Scotland, Duncane Rollo, Thomas of Bollone, and

- Rtc. II. William of Forsythe, the said Aleyn's servants, to come and go between England and Scotland for a year, if the truce lasts so long.

  1394. Westminster. [Privy Seals (Tower), 17 Ric. II. File 8.]
- Nov. 23. **461.** Fiat for protection for a year for Sir John of Seyton knight, going with the K.'s uncle John duke of Aquitaine and Lancaster, to Aquitaine. Westminster. [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 443.]
- 1394-95. 462. The K. to the Mayor and bailiffs of Lynn. Having received their report ordered by writ of 7th August previous as Feb. 7. to the vessel and cargo belonging to William Filpe, Robert of Borofeld, John of Couen, and Gilbert of Haggehouse, lately arrested and plundered without cause, by certain mariners and others his lieges there, certifying that 2 pieces of canvas containing 100 ells, 7 new and 3 old swords, a piece of 'velan' value 6s. 8d., a 'borspere' value 40d., had been partly restored to the owners, with 25 gold nobles English money; also 2 dozen of woollen cloths, a 'baselard' mounted with silver, value 6s. 8d., and that the Mayor and bailiffs still retain woollen and linen cloth, wax, pepper, 'crocum,' zinzibre, brass pots and plates, ewers, basins, linen thread, woad, 'mader,' 'wodhasshe,' wine, salt, bitumen, iron, combs for carding wool, Flemish belts, 'surigiva,' white and black dyed wool, hose, caps, hoods, saddles, bridles, spurs, boots, chests, gloves, 'sheteles' for weaveresses, paper, parchment, candelabra, 'piperquerum,' a basinet with 'vental,' 'vaubras,' 'rerebras,' swords, red leather called 'Redelasshe,' keys and stokloks, valued with the above nobles at 170l. 3d., besides the vessel and her furniture, valued at 13l. 6s. Sd., less 30l. arising from the sale of some of the cargo, salt, bitumen, &c. sold with consent of, and paid over to, these Scots—commands them to deliver the cargo and vessel ut supra, and the bodies of the aforesaid Scots, to Henry Percy earl of Northumberland, who has personally bound himself to keep the K. indemnified, under a penalty of 1000 marks. Teste Edmund duke of York, Guardian. Westminster. [Close, 18 Ric. II. m. 12.
- 1395. 463. The K. commands the sheriff of Oxford to pay Sir Andrew May 15. Hage knight, and Blanchea, now his wife, two annuities for their joint lives and the survivor, of 40 marks and 40l. out of the issues of his county, as they have surrendered to the K. letters patent by his father granting to Blanchea, then widow of Sir Edmund of Bradestone knight, an annuity of 100l. from the issues of his lordship of South Wales, and of 40 marks from the issues of the castle and lordship of Dyneveux, as also letters patent by the K. granting Sir Andrew and Blanchea 40l. for their marriage yearly, ut supra. Westminster. [Close, 18 Ric. 11. m. 6.]