

CALENDAR OF DOCUMENTS

RELATING TO

SCOTLAND.

EDWARD III.

- 1357-58. 1. Inquisition [under writ dated Westminster 18th November
Jan. 29. preceding] taken at Roxburgh on Monday next after the Conversion of St Paul A.D. 1357, before Robert of Tuggall the K.'s chamberlain in Scotland, by John of Hessewelle, Robert of Wodeford, John Ker, Alan of Molle, John of Mindrom, John Stywarde, William Corbet, Richard Comyn, Adam of Aynesley, Adam del [Burne?], John Burelle, Alan of Myndrom, who find that Bernard of Hawdene held the manor of Hawdene, except 7 carucates, of the K. of England, on the day when he joined the Scots, whereby it was forfeited. He held there 6 carucates in demesne, each worth in time of peace 100s.; 12 bondages, each worth 20s., 4 cottages, each worth 3s. 3d. He held it of the K. as a barony, paying 40s. yearly to the castle guard of Roxburgh, and doing suit in the county. The manor is utterly destroyed and wasted by the Scots. His whole lands, &c. there will not be worth more than 100s. for next year, beginning the first payment at Pentecost next, by reason of the aforesaid destruction and defect of tenants. [No seals.] [*Inq. p. m., 31 Edw. III. No. 7.*]
- Feb. 6. 2. Return by the escheator of Northumberland and Cumberland [under writ dated Westminster 6th February 32 Edw. III. commanding him to report the cause of taking the lands of Sir John de Strivelyn and Barnaba his wife in Swynebourne, Bothe-castre, Lusburne, Moriby, Bradleye, Huntlawe, and Colwell], that Adam of Swynburne, who held many fees in these counties, joined the Scots in the time of Edward the K.'s grandfather, rode with them with banners displayed, plundering and burning in these counties, especially the priory of Hexham—thereafter in the late K.'s time joined the Scots and Gilbert of Middleton—that Barnaba, one of said Adam's daughters and heirs, still surviving, in the time

- EDW. III. of the K.'s father, adhered to and lived in Scotland in the family of Robert de Bruys against the K.'s allegiance. Sir John de Strivelyn then married her, and he and she held the lands named in the writ as her purparty of Adam's lands. He therefore took them in the K.'s hands. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 265.*]
- Feb. 16. 3. The K. at the special request of Queen Philippa, pardons William baron of Creystok, for leaving his post as warden of Berwick-on-Tweed, whereby it was taken by the Scots, many townsmen slain and taken prisoners, and the town plundered, as he is assured that William only left it to attend him in person in his late war in France, and for no other reason. Westminster. [*Patent, 32 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 28.*]
- Feb. 21. 4. The K. on the petition of John de Strivelyn, and having regard to his great and gratuitous services both beyond seas and on this side, restores to him and his heirs or assigns, the hereditary lands in Northumberland and Cumberland of Barnaba his wife, as one of the daughters and heirs of Sir Adam of Swynburne, lately taken in hand by the K.'s escheator, who found by inquisition that Sir Adam sided with the Scots in the time of the K.'s grandfather, rode with banners displayed, and aided in burning Hexham priory; likewise took part with Gilbert of Middleton and the Scots in the K.'s father's time,—and said Barnaba, in her father's lifetime, lived in family with Robert de Bruys and others the late K.'s enemies before her marriage—notwithstanding these offences, and frees the said John and Barnaba from all seditious or felonies committed by her father or any other of her ancestors. Westminster. [*Patent, 32 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 26.*]
- Feb. 26. 5. Pardon for his good service in Roxburgh castle to Richard son of Walter of Dilington of Northumberland, of the murder of John Taillour of Edreston, which Henry Percy attests was done suddenly and not of malice aforethought. Westminster. [*Patent, 32 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 14.*]
- March 1. 6. The K. at the request of Roger de 'le Spens' son and heir of John de 'le Spens,' exemplifies a pardon by the late K. under the Great seal in John's favour for adhering to the Scots, granted at Bernewell 20th February 19th of his reign. Westminster. [*Patent, 32 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 30.*]
- March 6. 7. The K. grants leave to Walter Curteys of Ipswich to export 150 qrs. of wheat there, for Holland or Zealand free of custom, to make up his loss of the anchors, cables, and other furniture of his vessel 'la Maudaleyne,' with victuals for the K.'s army when last in Scotland, which was plundered and stripped at Erthe, near Edinburgh, for which he has petitioned. Westminster. [*Patent, 32 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 23.*]

EDW. III. 8. The K. supersedes till Michaelmas next the consideration by
 ——— his justices of assize of three individuals, against John of Straverne
 1357–58. vallet, and other servants of Edward Balliol, for, at the instigation
 March 16. of Sir William of Aldeburgh, breaking by night into Queen
 Philippa's park of Hayes, near Knaresburgh, on Wednesday before
 last Easter, taking 4 bucks and 12 does with hounds, carrying off 9
 of them on a horse, and leaving the others from want of carriage,—
 also on Monday after the Close of Easter, breaking the Queen's park
 of 'la Haye' there, taking a buck, 2 sourells, and 4 does to the said
 Sir William's house at Kelkefeld,—and in the years 1355–57, while
 said Edward was living at Knaresburgh, taking without his know-
 ledge more than 50 deer from the Queen's chaces and parks there.
 Westminster. [*Close, 32 Edw. III. m. 19, dorso.*]

1358. 9. Charter by David K. of Scots, granting to Henry duke of
 April 5. Lancaster, earl of Derby and Lincoln, lord of Bergerac, and steward
 of England, for his homage, fealty, and service, the earldom of Moray
 within the sheriffdom of Inverness, to be held by him and the lawful
 heirs male of his body, whom failing, to Matildis countess of Seland,
 Holand, and Hainault, and Blanche of Lancaster, his daughters, for
 their lives, reverting on their deaths to the granter and his heirs;
 as freely as Thomas Ranulphi, umquhile earl of Moray, held the
 same. Appends his seal. Witnesses:—William bishop of St
 Andrews, Patrick bishop of Brechin, chancellor of Scotland, Robert
 Steward of Scotland, earl of Stratherne, the K.'s nephew, William
 earl of Douglas, William of Levynston, and Robert of Erskyn
 knights. 5th April 29th year of his reign. Dundee. [*Duchy of
 Lancaster Charters, Box (A), 119.*]

The Great seal in white wax, broken, appended on tag. *Obv.* The K. seated,
 a floreated sceptre in his right hand, left on his breast, head gone. His feet rest
 on a dragon: ' . . . DEI GRACIA . . . ' *Rev.* The K. on horseback, riding to
 sinister, barred helmet and crown. Sword in hand, shield on left arm. The
 lion and tressure on shield and housings: ' . . . DAVID . . . SCO. . . . '

May 5. 10. Commission to Roger of Blaykeston, Robert of Tugale,
 William of Strother, and William of Presfen, to inquire into the
 complaint of Thomas of Morref, Nicholas Bothvyle, John Wygmer,
 William Munkman, Alexander of Nesbet, and other Scotsmen, that
 their two vessels, freighted in Flanders with wine, &c. for Scotland,
 value 4000*l.*, were wrecked in a storm during the late truce, one
 near Bamburgh and the other at Tynemouth, and the cargoes
 plundered, for which though often asked, they have hitherto had no
 redress. Westminster. [*Patent, 32 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 9, dorso.*]

May 12. 11. Pardon at the request of Edward Balliol K. of Scotland,
 who attests their innocence, of John of Stratherne his vallet, and four
 others of his servants, accused *ut supra* [No. 8]. Westminster.
 [*Patent, 32 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 10.*]

- EDW. III. 12. The K. commands the clerk of the hanaper of Chancery to
 ——— deliver up to James de Loreyns of Scotland, the letters patent grant-
 1358. ing him the barony of Caverton, in the county of Roxburgh in Scot-
 June 3. land, free of any fee. Westminster. [*Close, 32 Edw. III. m. 20.*]
- June 25. 13. Recognisance by Katharine widow of David of Strabolgi earl
 of Athol, and John of Burton, of Yorkshire, *in solidum*, for 200*l.* to
 William del Strothre, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, with right to levy on
 their lands, &c. in Northumberland. Westminster. [*Close, 32 Edw.*
III. m. 11, dorso.]
- Circa* 14. Return by the escheator of Northumberland [under writ
 July 12. dated Westminster 12th July 32 Edw. III.] that he did not take in
 the K.'s hand any mill of Thomas de Grey knight, or William of
 Lilbourne in Yesyngton, but Alan de Strothre, late K.'s escheator,
 handed him by indenture 100*s.*, the issue of a mill there which was
 John of Coupland's—that he found by inquisition *de novo* that
 John of Coupland was with John of Lilbourne when the latter took
 the K.'s castle of Knaresburgh in Yorkshire, and aided and abetted
 his rebellion, and was slain with others the K.'s enemies at Burgh-
 brig by the good and liege men of Burghbrig. [*Chancery Files,*
Bundle No. 265.]
- Circa* 15. Return by the escheator of Cumberland [under writ dated
 July 18. Westminster 18th July 32 Edw. III.] that John Ridell, who held
 some tenements in Newbygging, Blencou, and Graystok in the barony
 of Graystok, died about 30 years past, and that his heirs dwell in
 Scotland, and at the time of his death were adherents of the Scots,
 and still are. On his death the lords of the barony occupied the
 lands and drew the issues, till Adam of Blencou acquired them. He
 took them in the K.'s hand. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 265.*]
- Aug. 8. 16. The K. commands the Mayor and bailiffs of Rye to allow his
 liege Thomas Rydel *junior*, burgess of Berwick-on-Tweed, to ship in
 their port for Flanders 74 sarplars of wool, a sack and a 'poket' of
 lambskins, and 20 ox hides, which have duly paid custom at
 Berwick. Westminster. [*Close, 32 Edw. III. m. 15.*]
- Sept. 20. 17. Notarial instrument attesting the promulgation the day
Fœdera, iii. 407. before, within the church of the Friars Preachers of Edinburgh, of
 the Bull of Pope Innocent VI., dated at Villeneuve in Avignon,
 21st June previous, refusing to allow the clergy of Scotland to be
 bound for their K.'s ransom. Witnesses: Masters Walter de Ward-
 law doctor 'sacre pagine,' canon of Aberdeen, David of Mar
 treasurer of Moray, William Wys canon of Moray, Sirs William
 Houdbyrt rector of Liston, Thomas rector of Forteviot, and Sirs
 William of Meldrum, Thomas Ysaac, Alexander Scirmechour, and
 others. [*Chapter House (Scots Docts.), Box 5, No. 18.*]

EDW. III. 18. Letters patent by Sir William of Gledestanes knight of
 ——— Scotland, declaring on the faith of knighthood and on oath before
 1358. a notary, that in order to gain his freedom he has sworn never to
 Oct. 4. bear arms against the K. of England or his heirs, except in presence
 of the K. of Scotland his sovereign liege, or in self-defence. Done
 under his seal at London *ut supra*. Notarial attestation of the
 above at London, in the greater 'camera' of the 'hospicium' of
 William bishop of Winchester, at Southwark in the diocese of
 Winchester. [*Chapter House (Scots Docts.), Box 92, No. 6.*]

Small signet, red wax, appended to tag. A shield charged with a winged
 lion rampant : 'S' WILLELMI DE GLEDESTANES.'

Oct. 26. 19. Indenture by which John of Coupland undertakes to keep
 Berwick-on-Tweed for half a year from Michaelmas preceding for
 250*l.*, with powers of a warden of the March as before. West-
 minster. [*Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt Miscellanca, No. 4⁶.*]

Same seal as before (vol. iii. No. 1669).

Dec. 8. 20. The K. on his petition, and for the sum of 20*l.* (10 marks
 whereof abated for his good service in Scotland), grants to Adam
 of Blencou and Margaret his wife all the late John Rydel's lands
 in Newbygyng, Blencou, and Craystok, which Ralf fitz William,
 late baron of Craystok, took as an escheat, as John died without
 English heirs, and Adam thereafter acquired them from William
 present baron by purchase, and held them till the K.'s escheator
 seized them, finding that John's heirs were Scotsmen born and
 hostile to the K. Westminster. [*Patent, 32 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 8.*]

21. [Memoranda by the Chamberlain of Berwick, as to questions
 on the Marches, with annotations by the Chancellor.]

[1358.] (1) [Much defaced and beginning illegible—appears to re-
 Dec. late to the rights in lands and patronages, &c. of some Scottish
 bishop, whose name is lost, probably St Andrews.] *Postponed to
 quinzaine of Easter.*

(2) At the K. of Scotland's deliverance, the barony of Coldyng-
 ham in Scotland, then at the K. of England's allegiance, was by
 negligence granted to the Scots, and the K.'s lieges were mulcted
 in large sums for customs on wool, &c. by the 'priseur.' The
 chamberlain thinks these lands, rents, &c. should be taken by
 the K., while the said 'priseur' was at enmity, and asks the
 chancellor for instructions. *Postponed ut supra.*

(3) Certain lords of the county of Roxburgh, at the K.'s
 allegiance, claim forfeitures of war within their lordships, as by
 Scottish law if a man at the faith of England die and his next
 heir in blood is at the faith of Scotland, such heir should not
 be forfeited, for he was never in possession or seised of his ancestor's
 heritage, and they claim that the lands should be taken by the chief
 lord of the fee to draw the issues and profits, and that the K. shall

EDW. III. have nothing. It appears to the chamberlain that all these lords
 ——— should be compelled to shew their original infeftments, and as he
 [1358.] cannot do this without special warrant, he asked the Chancellor's in-
 structions. They may amount to 700*l.* a year. *Let a writ issue herein.*

(4) One Michael of Angous, a Scotsman who was foremost at the last capture of the town of Berwick by the Scots, and leapt over the walls the night it was taken, the chamberlain finds on his arrival living as a burgesse at the K.'s allegiance, but knows not who received him,—also conducting himself as K.'s coroner by 'brogage.' As such a person should not hold office without surveillance, the chamberlain summoned him to produce in chancery there all the rolls, indictments, &c., but as he disobeyed and kept out of the way, the chamberlain has therefore imprisoned him and arrested his goods, which amount to at least 200 marks. *If so, let it be inquired into.*

(5) As a writ reached him to deliver to Sir John de Neville his father's lands in Scotland, on finding security for his relief, and by 3rd December no security has been given through the carelessness of his attorneys, nor the livery made, whereby the issues fall to the K. during that term, to the 'tresgraunde maugree and offense' of Sir John, as the chamberlain expects, he begs no attention may be paid to any complaint made by him, as the facts above stated are undoubted. *The Chancellor.*

(6) The chamberlain begs a writ to hold the yearly session called 'Eyre' attached by Scottish law to his office, in burgh and market towns, as to weights, measures, forestallments, &c. *The K. will deliberate with his Council, and a writ issue*

(7) He begs a writ authorising him to recover the lands of various chantries founded of old in the town of Berwick and elsewhere in the counties of Berwick and Roxburgh, void and neglected, and held by those having no right. *Granted.*

(8) He also begs a writ to the Mayor and bailiffs of Berwick, commanding them expressly to admit to their franchise with his advice, or empowering himself in their default, such new burgesses as are able and sufficient to supply vacancies, as the people are so 'simple' and few in number that they cannot keep up the buildings in the town, to the K.'s loss, and many loyal country people would come and live there, for the benefits of trade are abundant, but for the town's people, who will let no stranger enter without heavy fees, which is the chief reason of the deterioration of the town. *He shall have a writ.*

(9) As he suspects that some of the townsmen intend to sue a writ of *supersedas* against him, interfering with his office to the K.'s damage, he begs the Chancellor to take notice of any such attempt, and if it has been issued before this reaches him, begs another may be sent to him staying its execution, and that he be

EDW. III. supported in the execution of his office. *Non concedatur nec est concessum.* [No date.] [*Tower Miscellaneous Rolls, No. 459.*]

[1358.]

22. Petition by Henry Percy that the K. would make good the loss he has sustained during the truce, from the clause ousting him from the half of the profits of his lordship of Jeddeworthe which is his fee and heritage, seeing the K. is bound in warrandice; also for a warrant on Exchequer for his fee for Berwick castle, as his father had, considering that he bears the sole charge, and at far greater cost than in his ancestors' time. [No date.] [*Parliamentary Petitions, No. 6550.*]

1358-59. 23. Commission to Ralph de Neville, Thomas of Seton, and
Feb. 3. John de Moubray to inquire by a jury into the complaint of John Fichet of Inverness (Evrenisse), and other Scottish merchants, (Murdae Richardesson, William and Thomas Judison, and Thomas Chapman), that during the truce their vessel, value 100*l.*, freighted from Sluys to Inverness (Emrenisse) in Scotland with a cargo worth 1000*l.*, was captured and sunk off the coast of Boghan¹ by Thomas fitz Richard and others of Hartlepool and Scarborough, and the cargo carried into Whiteby in Clyveland, and there sold to the petitioners' heavy loss. Westminster. [*Patent, 33 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 25, dorso; Ib. p. 2, m. 28, dorso.*]

Feb. 7. 24. The K. for the services and steady obedience of James de Loreyns and Robert de Colvyll of Scotland, for which they have lost the greater part of their heritage there, grants each of them an annuity of 20 marks from the customs of Kingston on Hulle, in addition to the 20*l.* already enjoyed by the former and 20 marks by the latter. Westminster. [*Patent, 33 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 27.*]

Feb. 10. 25. The K. appoints Robert of Angerton and William de Strother to apprehend Thomas Gibbeson, John White, Robert Fourbour, John Smert, John Rokesburgh, and Alexander Jone-sone, lately Scottish prisoners in the castle of Eceleshale, who after promising ransoms to Thomas of Swynnerton their keeper, and being allowed to go at large within the castle, had broken their parole and escaped with their goods to the March between Scotland and England, where they were holding intercourse with some of the lieges, and imprison them till they made amends for their treachery, and sell their goods towards the same. Westminster. [*Patent, 33 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 25, dorso.*]

Feb. 16. 26. Commission to Ralph de Neville, Thomas of Seton, and John de Moubray to inquire by neutral persons into the complaint by John of Ekford, Philip fitz Richard, Fergus Redhede, and Adam

¹ Burton in Clyveland, elsewhere.

EDW. III. le Reude, Scottish merchants, that Henry of Greystok clerk, and
 ——— others, had carried off their goods of great value, from the wreck
 1358–59. of their ship at Cotum in Clyveland, and imprisoned themselves at
 York for 26 weeks; Henry, on the other hand, producing to the
 Council the plaintiffs' letters patent under their own seals, and that
 of the Mayor of York, constituting John of Lydel merchant of
 Aberdeen their attorney, who had sold their goods to Roger de
 Normanville, and received the price, as his letters, also produced,
 shewed, the rest of their goods going to the K., and none coming
 into Henry's hands; while the plaintiffs alleged they were in
 duress when the above letters were granted by them, and offered
 to prove this by the country. Westminster. [*Patent, 33 Edw.*
III. p. 1, m. 21, dorso.]

Feb. 21. 27. Declaration by David K. of Scotland that the respite granted
 Feadera, iii. 419. to him at the earnest request of Queen Johanna his 'compaigne,'
 the K.'s sister, in payment of the instalment of 10,000 marks of his
 ransom due at Midsummer, till the following Martinmas, shall
 not invalidate the K. of England's rights under the treaty. Done
 under his signet in absence of his Great seal, and under those of
 Thomas earl of Mar his cousin, Sir Robert Erskine (Herskyn), and
 Sir Hugh of Engelton (Eglinton) knights, and the 'signe' of master
 John of Branketre 'tabellion,' at the Friars Preachers London 21st
 Feb. 1359, 29th of his reign, currency of the 12th indiction, 7th year
 of Pope Innocent VI., in presence of Messires John of Preston and
 Robert Herchine [Erskine] chivalers (and others). [*Chapter House*
(Scots Docts.), Box 96, No. 6.]

Three seals only, red wax, attached by tags, that of Hugh de Eglynton gone.
 (1) Oval gem—a lion couchant regardant; letters 'M. B.' in field: 'SECRETUM
 REGIS SCOCIE. (2) One half broken off. A shield couché charged with a bend
 between 6? cross-crosslets fitchés. Crest, on a helmet with mantlings semé
 of cross-crosslets, a plume of feathers. Sinister supporter a man with tall
 cap and 2 long feathers; dexter gone: '. . . ILLUM THOME . . .' (Mar).
 (3) Erskine (as in No. 1660, vol. iii.).

1359. 28. The K. intimates to the collectors of customs at Kingston
 May 20. upon Hull the grant made on 7th February last to James de
 Loreyns and Robert Colville of Scotland. (See No. 24.) [*Close,*
33 Edw. III. m. 24.]

June 6. 29. Recognisance by David of Strabolgy earl of Athol, to William
 del Strothere of Newcastle-on-Tyne for 225*l.* 14*s.* 9*d.*, payable at
 St Peter *ad vincula* next, with right to levy on his lands in
 Northumberland, &c. Westminster. [*Close, 33 Edw. III. m. 26,*
dorso.]

[*Extracts.*]

Circa 30. Return by the escheator of Northumberland [under writ
 June. dated Westminster, 30th May 33 Edw. III.], that the following

- EDW. III. rebels joined the Scots with Gilbert of Middleton, viz., Roger of
 ——— Wydrington of Denton, who held 3 messuages and 100 acres in
 1359. Shotton, worth 40s.; John of Trollop, 3 messuages and 40 acres there
 and in Palkeston, worth 20s.; the Abbot of Kelso holder of a tene-
 ment in Colpenhope, lately called *erronice* Copenhope, worth 20s.;
 which last were lately held by John of Coupland; that Adam son of
 Nicholas of Hibburne, held one messuage and 20 acres in the vill
 of Hibburne, worth 8s. All these are in the K.'s hand. [*Chancery
 Files, Bundle No. 265.*]
- Circa* **31.** Return by the escheator of Northumberland [under writ dated
 June. Westminster, 6th June 33 Edw. III.], as to Adam of Prendergest's
 tenements in Akyld and Yeveren, that he did not take them in the
 K.'s hand, but he found by inquisition that Henry Prendergest lately
 adhered to the Scots, and then held a tenement in these villis,
 which John of Coupland formerly held, viz., the fourth part of the
 hamelet of Akyld and of the hamelet of Yevere, worth yearly 40s.,
 but before the late destruction by the Scots in these parts 60s.
 They are in the K.'s hands. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 265.*]
- July 8. **32.** The K. considering that in recompense of the heavy ransom
 paid by John de Strivelyn, who was long a close prisoner with the
 Scots, and his good, laudable, and costly service, he granted him
 the reversion of the manors of Belsowe, Newland, and others in
 Northumberland, forfeited by John of Middleton for rebellion against
 the late K., and liferented by John de Crumbewell and Thomas of
 Baumburgh, now gives him in addition the homages and services of
 these. Westminster. [*Patent, 33 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 21.*]
- Aug. 14. **33.** The K. orders that the farmers of the alien priory of Lancaster
 be allowed an annuity of 85 marks paid by them to Patrick
 Macolaghe since 24th March 1353-54, when he granted him 100
 marks yearly in recompense of his losses (85 of which were charged
 on the priory, and the remaining 15 on the county of York) up to
 Easter last; future terms to be paid to Patrick by the Prior, who
 has been reinvested in his priory on 24th November last. West-
 minster. [*Close, 33 Edw. III. m. 15.*]
 Writs to the Prior and sheriff of York to pay same to Patrick,
 26th May. [*m. 26.*]
- Aug. 16. **34.** Henry Comyn, about to go beyond seas in the K.'s service,
Fœdera, iii. 442. under John earl of Richmond, has a protection while with the Earl.
 Westminster. [*Rot. Franc., 33 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 5.*]
- Sept. 13. **35.** The K. orders that Henry del Strother, sheriff of Northum-
 berland, be allowed to render his account at the instant morrow of
 Michaelmas by attorney, as he is personally engaged in the safe
 custody of the Scottish Marches by the K.'s command in his absence
 Sandwich. [*Close, 33 Edw. III. m. 12, dorso.*]

- EDW. III. 36. Return [in pursuance of writ dated 23rd August 33 Edw. III.] by Walter of Kelby escheator in the county of Lincoln, attesting that the manor of Carleton *juxta* Basyngham was Gilbert de Clare's, formerly earl of Gloucester, who gave the same to the Earl of Fyfe and Johanna his countess, Gilbert's daughter, and their heirs. Johanna, after the Earl's death, married one Gervase Avenel, a Scotsman of the kingdom of Scotland. They were long seised in it, but left it and fled to Scotland, remaining at the fealty of the K. of Scotland, and never returned to England or were restored to the K.'s allegiance. The manor was forfeited, but the K. never had the forfeiture. It is worth 10*l.* Afterwards the Abbot of Thornton [on Humber] entered it, by what title unknown. Therefore the escheator took it in the K.'s hands. [Particulars follow of other lands and owners, among them Donald of Mar as keeper of the K.'s manor of Longbinyngton.] [*Parliamentary Petitions, Nos. 7963-4.*]
- The Abbot began to litigate with Gervase and his wife in 10 Edw. II. Nos. 7952-7966 relate to the affair, which lasted till 35 Edw. III., upwards of 52 years.
- Oct. 9. 37. To Johanna Queen of Scotland, by John Dodelle's hands, the quarter due her at Michaelmas of the 200*l.* a year granted her by the K. during her stay in England—50*l.* [*Issue Roll (Pells), Michaelmas, 33 Edw. III. m. 2.*]
- Oct. 16. 38. Safe conduct till Easter next for Antonius Addurni, Genoese merchant and his servants, who lately went by sea to Scotland to recover debts due him there, to return through England to his own country. Westminster. [*Patent, 33 Edw. III. p. 3, m. 21.*]
- Nov. 10-22. 39. To James de Loreygne of Scotland, who remains at the K.'s faith and peace, by way of gift from the K.—6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* To same, additional—10*l.* Also to Robert de Colvyll of Scotland, at the K.'s peace, his half-yearly payment at Michaelmas last,—6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* [*Issue Roll (Pells), Michaelmas, 33 Edw. III. m. 12, 16.*]
- Nov. 22. 40. To William of Rodoun, a reward by the K. for his good service in lately making prisoner William de Tours vallet of Scotland, in a battle on the March of Scotland—80*l.* To William Trusselle of Cublesdone for his expenses incurred on David Bruce and his men lately in prison in Odyham castle—12*l.* 3*s.* 6*d.* [*Issue Roll (Pells), Michaelmas, 33 Edw. III. m. 16.*]
- Dec. 22. 41. The K. orders the arrayers for Kent to surcease their demand on the Countess of Athol for men-at-arms, &c. in defence of the sea-coast; as she has no means but her small dower in the lands of David earl of Athol her son, and a grant in Exchequer from the K. in aid. *Teste* the Guardian. Redyng. [*Close, 33 Edw. III. m. 8.*]

EDW. III. 42. The Archbishop of Canterbury asks a protection till the
 ——— instant Feast of Easter for Edmund of Denum, who is about to go
 [1337-59.] to the castle of Loghmban in the March of Scotland on the Earl
 Dec. 4. of Northampton's affairs, whose general attorney he is. Written
 at Otteford under his Privy seal on 4th December. (Signed)
 P. . Cantuarien. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 240.*]

1359. 43. Return by the escheator of Northumberland [under writ by
Circa Thomas the K.'s son, guardian of England, at Redyng 18th December
 Dec. 18. 33 Edw. III.] that one Walter Corbet, who joined the Scots with
 Gilbert of Middelton in the late K.'s time, held in fee the manor
 of Langeton and some tenements in Neweton in Glendale, now held
 by Henry del Strother in fee. Langeton is worth *per annum* 9*l.*
 11*s.* 4*d.*, and the tenements in Neweton 33*s.* 4*d.* That one Adam del
 Burne, a rebel likewise, held a messuage and 24 acres in Neweton,
 now in Henry del Strother's hands, and it is worth 3*s.* 4*d.* The
 above are all in the K.'s hands. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No.*
265.]

1359-60. 44. The sheriffs of London are ordered to deliver to Randekin
 Jan. 15. Herewyn the following goods arrested by them, viz., a 'mala,' a
 bed, three curtains, 12 deer-skins, 2 pairs of 'botellori,' and 4
 'bigirdelli.' *Teste* the Guardian of England. Redyng. [*Close, 33*
Edw. III. m. 5.]

March 3. 45. The K. signifies that he has appointed Thomas de Musgrave
 and William del Strother to arrest, wherever found, Maria daughter
 and heir of the late William of Douglas, a minor, whose marriage
 belongs to the K., and deliver her to the Chancellor and Treasurer
 at Westminster. By the Guardian and Council. Westminster.
 [*Patent, 34 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 28.*]

1360. 46. Protection till Michaelmas next for John Comyn of Newbold,
 April 20. who with Andrew of Guldeford the K.'s serjeant-at-arms, is beyond
Fœdera, iii. 483. seas, under Edward prince of Wales. Westminster. [*Rot. Franc., 34*
Edw. III. m. 10.]

May 1. 47. Indenture executed at Rokelle on 1st May 1360, in presence
 of David K. of Scotland, between Sir Thomas de Roos warden of
 Lochmaben castle and Annandale for the Earl of Hereford, on one
 part, and Johan Steward (Sen') of Dalswyndone warden of the
 West March of Scotland for the K. of Scotland, for settling Annan-
 dale, agreeing that all farms, 'justicerics, courts,' and other issues
 for one year from next Pentecost, shall be equally divided between
 the K. and the Earl, except the vills of Lochmaben, Haghtache,
 Smalham, Ouseby, and the park of Wodecokheir, reserved to the
 Earl, the said John receiving for the K. compensation elsewhere in

EDW. III. the lordship. The lands to be jointly let at the sight of the
 ——— officers of the K. and Earl. The Earl to have right to repair and
 1360. victual the castle. The Scottish warden guarantees the castle, the
 warden, and his garrison and the English lieges in Annandale against
 all damages during the term. Seals appended day and place *ut
 supra*. [*Duchy of Lancaster (Miscellaneous Charters), III. 92.*]

On paper. No seals.

June 1. 48. Letters patent by Katharine de Beaumont countess of
 Athol, attorning herself to Sir John of Wysebeche vicar of Sellyng,
 for the manor of Hengsalagh and the Forest of Lowes in Tyndale,
 held by her for life by grant of her son David Strabolgy earl of
 Athol. Done at her manor of Brabourne, in Kent, 1st June 34
 Edw. III.

Grant by said John of his reversion of the above manor and
 forest, which he holds by grant of the said Earl, in favour of
 William Strothre. London, 1st July.

Letters patent by the Countess attorning herself to the said
 William *ut supra*. Brabourne, 5th July.

Recognisance by her in Chancery at Westminster 5th November
 thereafter. [*Close, 34 Edw. III. m. 10, dorso.*]

June 30. 49. Receipt by William de le Strothir mayor of Newcastle-on-
 Tyne, from Sir William More knight, lord of Abercorne, by the
 hands of Sir William of Calabre the latter's chaplain, for 250*l.*
 sterling, in part payment of 675 marks due him for the marriage
 of Maria Dowglas under their indenture. Appends his seal at
 Newcastle-on-Tyne last of June 1360. [*Chapter House Deeds, Box
 173, No. 137.*]

Seal, red wax, appended to tag. In a rich compartment, a couché shield
 with bend dexter charged with three eagles ? displayed within an engrailed
 bordure. Crest, on a helmet with mantling an animal's neck (head broken
 off). *Leg.* (broken).

Oct. 14. 50. Inquisition [under writ tested Westminster 21st June pre-
 ceding] taken before Sir Richard Tempest sheriff of Roxburgh,
 on 14th October A.D. 1360, by Richard son of Gilbert, Alan of
 Mindrom, John Walshe, William of Blakhowemore, Walter son
 of John, John Archer, Geoffrey Del wrange, Richard of Kirketon,
 Adam del Burne, John Froste, John of Mindrome, Robert of
 Watton, John Barde, John of Chattowe, William Corbet, Robert
 Raa, Robert Belle and Richard Belle; who find that the late
 Cristiana widow of Thomas Smalle, held the vill of Estir Softlawe
 of the K. by the service of doing the office of sergeanty within the
 East ward of Teviotdale (Teuidalle), and no other; the vill is
 worth 40*s.* *per annum* in all issues. The said Cristiana died on
 Friday next before Michaelmas day A.D. 1349. Margaret, who

- Edw. III. was daughter of Walter Whright, is her nearest heir and 12 years
 ——— of age. The K. and John Steward have occupied the said vill
 1360. from the date of Cristiana's death, and drawn the issues and profits,
 by what title and how they know not. [No seals.] [*Inq. p. m.*,
34 Edw. III. No. 13.]
- Nov. 20. 51. The K. for the good services of William of Heselrig in his
 Scottish wars and his losses sustained therein, and in consideration
 of 10*l.* paid by him, grants to him and his heirs the lands in
 Weteslade South in Northumberland, long ago escheated by John of
 Weteslade, who joined the Scots with Gilbert of Middleton against
 the late K. Westminster. [*Patent, 34 Edw. III. p. 3, m. 8.*]
- Nov. 24. 52. Writ to the Treasurer and Barons ordering them to find
 out how much has been paid to Henry Percy from the annual grant
 of 500 marks out of the wool customs at Berwick-upon-Tweed.
 Westminster.
 (Schedule) They report that after examining the accounts, &c. of
 the collectors since the death of Henry, late lord of Percy, on the
 27th February *anno xxvj*^o [1351–52], the sums paid to his son
 Henry till this date amount to 2447*l.* 20*s.*, and they find nothing
 more on the collector's *compoti*. [*Tower Miscellaneous Rolls, No.*
459.]
- Dec. 18. 53. The K. presents Richard Prudhomme clerk, to the vacant
 church of Lynton in the diocese of Glasgow, under letters to the
 Bishop of Glasgow. Westminster. [*Patent, 34 Edw. III. p. 3,*
m. 5.]
- [1350–60.] 54. Petition to the K. and Council by John de St Philbert and
 Margaret his wife, Lucas de Ponyngs and [Isabel] his wife, the
 sisters and heirs of Edward de St John, shewing that K. Edward
 the K.'s grandfather gave Sir John de St John great-grandfather
 (besaele) of Margaret and Isabel, 1000 merks yearly at Exchequer
 till he gave him as much land in Scotland, and thereafter gave him
 in fee the castle of Botill and other lands in Scotland escheated by
 Sir John de Balliol, in which he died seised. The present K. gave
 the said castle and lands to Sir Edward de Balliol, while Edmond
 'cosyn' and heir to Sir John de St John was under age in the K.'s
 ward. They pray the K. to restore them to the petitioners as
 Edmond's sisters and heirs, 'cosyns' and heirs of the said Sir John
 de St John, or give them other lands of equal value. [No date.]
 (Endorsed) The matters on this bille [referred to] the K.'s
 pleasure. [*Parliamentary Petitions, No. 6629.*]
- 1360–61. 55. The K. for his good service in the late war in France, pardons
 Feb. 8. William Lovel [besides other robberies] for plundering the chariot
 (cariota) of Thomas de Holand at Knottynghulle of a Stratherne

Edw. III. cape (cappa de Stratherne) and other goods and chattels therein,
 ——— before Michaelmas 1359. Westminster. [*Patent, 35 Edw. III.*
 1360–61. *p. 1, m. 23.*]

Similar pardon at the request of the K. of France, to John Lovel while sheriff of Middlesex and a justice of assize, for the death of Agnes wife of Nicholas Lovel, and resetting Nicholas and William Lovel his brother, outlaws for the above robbery, and counterfeiting the K.'s seals and money, and other offences. Westminster 10th Feb. [*Ib.*]

Feb. 20. 56. The K. for his good service grants Thomas de Balliol an annuity of 20*l.* at Exchequer. Westminster. [*Patent, 35 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 17.*]

March 8. 57. The K. commands John of Coupeland the warden, and Robert of Tughale the chamberlain, of Berwick-on-Tweed, personally to inspect the castle and report on the alleged defects in the towers and walls, &c. Westminster. [*Patent, 35 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 5, dorso.*]

March 12. 58. The K. in place of the annuity of 100 marks granted on 24th March 1353–54 to Patrick Macolaghe, chiefly charged on the farm of the alien priory of Lancaster, in recompense of his sufferings, and loss of his lands in Scotland for his allegiance, grants him the same amount at Exchequer till he recovers his lands, as the priory has been restored to the prior on account of the peace with France. Westminster. [*Patent, 35 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 3.*]

[1360–61.] 59. [David II.] to the [Chancellor] signifying that he has
 March 16. appointed his councillors William bishop of St Andrews his . . . ,
 and John of Carryk 'nostre secretier' his envoys to his 'treshonoure frere' the K. of England on matters touching himself and his realm, and begging safe conducts for each of them in the form enclosed with his letters patent. Written at Edinburgh under his signet in the absence of his Privy seal. [Seal lost.] [*Chancery Miscellaneous Portfolios, No. 11.*]

1361. 60. Petition to the K. and Council by Alexander de Moubray,
 April 7. showing how Sir Edward Balliol K. of Scotland, gave him 8 houses and 3 'charues' of land in the vill of Malkarestone in the county of Roxburgh, which were seized by the former owners Sir Patrick and Thomas de Chartres when the castle of Roxburgh was taken by the Scots, who kept them till the battle of Durham, when Roxburgh castle and the lands about it were regained by the K. He prays to have his lands again. [No date.]

(Endorsed) The K.'s pleasure is they be restored. [*Parliamentary Petitions, No. 5864.*]

Much damaged.

Edw. III. 61. Inquisition [in virtue of writ dated Westminster 1st May
 ——— preceding] taken at Roxburgh before Robert of Tughalle chamber-
 1361. lain of Berwick-on-Tweed, on 15th June A.D. 1361, by William
 June 15. of Roulle, John Burnard, Nicholas of Rothersford, John Steward,
 William Corbet, David of Qwitton, Richard of Kirketon, Robert
 Belle, John de Macdouil (?), Alan of Bukby, Henry of Lenyr, and
 John of Grymslawe, jurors, who say that Sir Edward Balliol,
 formerly K. of Scotland, gave by charter to Sir Alexander de
 Moubray and his heirs before the battle of Halydoun Hille, 6
 messuages and 3 carucates of land in the vill of Malcarstone
 in the county of Roxburgh, which were Sir Patrick Charters' and
 Thomas Charters' Scots enemies, forfeited by their rebellion. They
 were held by Sir Alexander till Roxburgh castle was last taken by
 the Scots, when Sir Thomas Charters took possession; and on its
 last surrender to the K. of England he was forfeited as an enemy.
 The lands are held of the lord of Malcarstone for a rose only, and
 are worth 5 marks 6s. 8d. [No seals.] [*Inq. ad quod damnum*,
35 Edw. III. No. 37.]

Oct. 6. 62. Inquisition [under writ dated Westminster 7th August pre-
 ceding] taken at Roxburgh before Robert of Tughalle chamberlain
 of Berwick, on 6th October A.D. 1361, by John of Weston (?),
 John Burnard, William of Rotherford, Alexander of Flex, John
 Kerr, Eustace of Chattowe, Robert de Lorreyne, William del
 Vikers, James son of Walter, Adam Mene, William Corbet, and
 Henry of Pourie, who find that Sir William de Dacre died seised
 in fee of a manor called Nether Craling in the county of Rox-
 burgh, worth in time of peace in all issues 40*l. per annum*, and
 held of the K. by homage and fealty. It is at present worth 36*l.*
 sterling. He held nothing else in the county. Master Randolph
 de Dacre [parson of Prestcotes] is his brother and next heir and
 30 years of age. The manor is in the K.'s hand by Sir William's
 death, and has been since the Feast of St James last past. [Seals
 gone.] [*Inq. p. m.*, *35 Edw. III. p. 1, No. 63.*]

Nov. 30. 63. Receipt by Allan de le Strothir lord of Lyham, by the
 hands of Sir William of Calabre chaplain, on behalf of his lord Sir
 William More knight, lord of Abircorne—for 22*l.* sterling in part of
 200*l.* sterling, for the delivery of the person of Maria of Douglas
 daughter and heiress of the late Sir William of Douglas lord of
 Ledalisdale, due by Sir William More to the granter. Appends
 his seal at Lyham on St Andrew's day 1361. [*Chapter House*
Deeds, Box 173, No. 139.]

Small round seal, red wax, on tag. In a richly decorated compartment
 a shield with bend dexter engrailed (the charges on which are obliterated):
 'SIGILLUM ALANI DE . . . OTHR.'

Edw. III. **64.** Commission to Ralph de Neville, William of Skipwithe
 ——— John de Strivelyn, and Thomas de Gray, to inquire into the
 1361–62. conduct of Sir Richard Tempest, who while keeper of the castle
 Jan. 28. and sheriff of the county of Roxburgh was said to have oppressed
 the people under colour of his office; and instead of a proper
 garrison of men-at-arms and archers, to have retained Scottish
 grooms and other unfit persons, to the great danger of the castle;
 and also to have taken provisions by force without payment.
 Westminster. [*Patent, 36 Edw. III. p. 1, No. 36, dorso.*]

1362. **65.** To Johanna Queen of Scotland, by the hands of Helmingus
 May 6. Leget, in payment of 50*l.* due at Easter term of the 200*l.* allowed
 her yearly by the K. for necessaries of her chamber during her
 stay in England, less a prest of 29*l.* given to her on 4th April
 last—21*l.*

To same Queen, by said Helmingus' hands a prest for the Mid-
 summer quarter next—9*l.* [*Issue Roll (Pells), Easter, 36 Edw. III.*
m. 4.]

On 20th June following the balance of Midsummer quarter, 41*l.*
 is paid to the Queen. [*m. 23.*]

May 20. **66.** The K. commands the freemen and other tenants of Lange-
 ton manor in Northumberland, to be obedient and answerable to
 Henry del Strother son and heir of William del Strother and
 Johanna his wife both deceased, to whom he had granted it on 3rd
 February 1359–60 on the forfeiture of Walter Corbet for joining
 Gilbert of Middelton and the Scots against the late K. West-
 minster. [*Close, 36 Edw. III. m. 26.*]

May 20. **67.** The K. commands Henry del Strother, late sheriff, to deliver
Fœdera, iii. 650. John Gray and Thomas del Haye, Scottish hostages in his custody,
 to Roger of Wyderyngton his successor. Westminster. [*Close, 36*
Edw. III. m. 27.]

Circa **68.** Expenses laid out by Robert of Tughale chamberlain of
 May or Berwick, in repairs of the towers, walls, &c. of Berwick castle, at
 June. sight of Sir Henry Percy, under the K.'s writ of 28th January
 36th year, granting 100*l.* from the customs of the port for the
 purpose.

[*Extracts.*]

2500 bordis of Esteland at 20*s.* a hundred, 26*l.*, carriage of same to
 the Domus Dei from the Tweed, and thence to the castle, 3 men
 working 12 weeks at the 'Constable's tour,' the 'Wardropetour,' and
 'Bonkyltour'; carpenters working at the roof of the 'Rowendetour'
 and the 'Southtour,' and a bretasche south of the castle, for 12
 weeks—a carpenter called Robert Wryhyt of Berwick working at
 the roof of the chapel and hall called 'la Blakhalle,' 2 bretasches

Edw. III. on the west side of the castle, for 48 weeks—Thomas Wryhyt of
 ——— Alnewyk and 2 other carpenters working at the brewhouse and roof
 1362. of the K.'s great hall, covering 4 bridges and making a bretasche on
 'Douclestour,' for 12 weeks—Eastland timber for these works—
 1800 nails called 'dublethaknayl,' at 40*d.* a hundred; 8200 nails
 called 'afalthaknayl' at 2*s.* a hundred—a mason and two assistants
 repairing the castle wall to the west northward, and the hall called
 'le Blakhalle,' and its kitchen, and two holes (foramina) for 12
 weeks—12 stones of iron for the hasps, crooks, and staples of the
 doors and windows—30 chalders of lime, and carrying 16 of these
 from 'le Snokke' to the castle, and sand from the Twede—100
 'turfis de scar' to cover the brewhouse and lead for the K.'s
 chamber; erecting a 'seafald' of timber—12 'spers' from the town
 for the brewhouse—2 masons breaking a door in the wall of the
 brewhouse, and putting lead in a 'furnace' there—making a spout
 of 'bordis'—mending two bars for the gate of 'Douglestour'—2
 masons and 3 assistants repairing the oven and wall there and
 blocking 2 holes (foraia) found in the castle wall under ground, for
 6 weeks—2 carpenters working 6 weeks at the roof of the con-
 stable's hall and kitchen and of 'Duglestour,' and 2 doors for the
 K.'s great hall—3000 'spykyngs' for these at 2*s.* a hundred, 60*s.*—
 carriage of timber from the park of Chatton to the castle—making
 a new ferry boat, 4*s.* 8*d.*, and pitch and nails, 15*s.* Attached are
 (1) the K.'s writ to the chamberlain of Berwick, dated Westminster
 28th January (2) a letter by Henry de Percy to the Treasurer and
 Chamberlains of Exchequer enclosing the 'parcelles' of expenditure
 with the writ, attesting that he has surveyed the works. [No date.]
 [Exchequer, *Q. R. Miscellanea (Army)*, No. $\frac{47}{43,50}$]

Percy's letter, on paper, has been closed and sealed. Seal gone.

June 8. 69. Indenture whereby Sir Richard Tempest undertakes the
 ward of Berwick-on-Tweed for a year from Midsummer following
 with a sufficient garrison for 500*l.* per annum; with power as a
 warden of the March to grant conducts, truces, and receive people to
 peace; and to repair the town walls, &c. at the K.'s cost. Appends
 his seal at Westminster 8th June 36th year. [Exchequer, *Treasury*
of Receipt Miscellanea, No. $\frac{46}{1}$.]

Seal, red wax on tag, fine condition. Within elegant tracery a shield
 couché charged with a bend gules (?) between 6 marlets. Crest, on a tilt-
 ing helmet with mantling, a man's head in profile to dexter: 'SIGILLUM
 RICARDI TEMPEST.'

Aug. 17. 70. Recognisance by Douenald of Heselrigg to Isabella widow
 of Robert of Bowes, for 1000 marks, with right of levy on his
 lands, &c. in Northumberland. Wyndsor. Similar by Isabella
 to Douenald for same amount. [Both cancelled as paid.] [Close, 36
Edw. III. m. 16, dorso.]

EDW. III. **71.** Northumberland:—John of Coupeland to be exonerated
 — from accounting for the issues of the lands which were William de
 1362. Coucy's [Councey]. [*Exchequer, Q. R. Memoranda, Repertory No. 2,*
Michaelmas anno 36^o.]

Term.
 Nov. 14. **72.** Discharge by Dynus [son of] the late Nicholas de Vultris,
 a citizen of Lucca, heir and executor of the testament of Baroncin
 Walteri of Lucca, citizen of London, and heir and executor of
 Brunettus son of the said Baroncin, to a noble and venerable prince
 Sir Edward Balliol son and heir of Sir John Balliol, formerly K. of
 Scotland, for 3160*l.* lawful money, due by his late father under his
 bond to the said Baroncin and Brunettus, paid by him as his heir.
 London. Recognisance by said Dynus in Chancery at Westminster
 on the 19th. [*Close, 36 Edw. III. m. 10, dorso.*]

Nov. 16. **73.** The K. learning that the deceased Robert de Ogle and his
 surviving widow Johanna, held conjunctly the half of the barony of
 the Hospital in Northumberland by grant under the K.'s licence
 from Thomas Styward their chaplain, to them and their heirs by
 knight's service, forbids his escheator to intromit. Westminster.
 [*Close, 36 Edw. III. m. 2.*]

Nov. 20. **74.** Recognisance by Adomar of Athol (Athels) and two other
 knights, to Maria de St Pol countess of Pembroke, for 60*l.* payable
 at Easter next, with right to levy on their lands in Northumberland.
 Westminster. [*Close, 36 Edw. III. m. 9, dorso.*]

Nov. 25. **75.** Recognisance by David of Strabolgi earl of Athol, to William
 of Edyndon bishop of Winchester, and David of Wollore clerk, for
 500 marks, payable to either at Pentecost, with right to levy on
 his lands in Nottingham, &c. Westminster.

Consent by the said Bishop and David that if the Earl enfeoffs
 them in the manors of Possewyke and West Lexham in Norfolk,
 before Pentecost, they will re-enfeoff him and Elizabeth his wife,
 and the heirs male of their bodies therein, failing such heirs, to re-
 main with the Earl's right heirs, and the above recognisance shall
 be cancelled and of none effect. [*Close, 36 Edw. III. m. 5, dorso.*]

Nov. 26. **76.** Exemplification of letters patent granted on 21st April 1340
 to William Heroun for his great services in Scotland and elsewhere,
 creating his fortified mansion of Forde in Northumberland a castle,
 and granting him free warren in Forde and other manors there,
 with a market on Mondays, and two yearly fairs, one on the vigil,
 the day and the morrow, of Corpus Christi, and the other on the
 vigil, the day and morrow, of Michaelmas, with gallows and other
 privileges. Westminster. [*Patent, 36 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 11.*]

1363.
 May 27. **77.** Edward K. of Scots grants to Edward K. of England and
 his heirs, his castle and town of Helicourt in Vymes in the lord-

EDW. III. ship of Ponthieu belonging to the latter. At the manor of Whete-
 ——— lay *juxta* Doncastre. [*Chapter House (Scots Docts.), Box 95, No. 9.*]

1363. Seal, in dark red wax, appended by green and blue twisted silk strings.
 A shield with the Scottish lion and double tressure: 'EDWARDUS DEI GRACIA
 REX SCOTORUM.'

May 27. 78. A duplicate of the foregoing charter. [*Chapter House (Scots
 Fœdera, iii. 702. Docts.), Box 100, No. 108.*]

A fine example of Balliol's great seal in very dark brown wax, attached by
 four green silk twisted strings. A small part broken off.

May 30. 79. The K. commands the clerk of the hanaper to deliver gratis
 to Edward Balliol K. of Scotland, and William of Aldeburghe,
 his letters patent, giving them the reversion of 10*l.* rent from the
 'haie' of Willeye in Sherwood Forest, that they may grant it in
 mortmain to the Prior and convent of Bella valle of the Carthusian
 order. Westminster. [*Close, 37 Edw. III. m. 27.*]

June 4. 80. The K. releases John Comyn, who had gone to Ireland in
 Fœdera, iii. 704. the service of Elizabeth duchess of Clarence, with her husband
 Lionel duke of Clarence, from payment of subsidy for his lands
 there. Westminster. [*Close, 37 Edw. III. m. 20.*]

June 30. 81. The K. commands Roger of Wyderyngton, late sheriff of
 Fœdera, iii. 706. Northumberland, to deliver to his successor in office Richard of
 Horsley, Thomas del Hay one of the hostages for ransom of David de
 Bruys the K.'s prisoner, to be kept in the castle of Newcastle-on-
 Tyne. Westminster. [*Close, 37 Edw. III. m. 23, dorso.*]

July 3. 82. Inquisition [writ awaiting] held at Berwick-on-Tweed on
 3rd July 37 Edw. III., before Robert of Tughale chamberlain in
 Scotland, by Richard Snelle, John Page 'criour,' [and 10 others,]
 jurors, who find that Alina widow of Robert de Maners, held no
 lands of the K. *in capite* in Scotland, but held for life the third
 part of the manor of Paxton in the county of Berwick, and of a
 fishing in Tweed pertinent thereto, of the Prior of Durham by
 homage and service, giving him yearly 22*s.* 2½*d.* The said land was
 worth in time of peace 5 marks silver, and now 40*s.* only. The
 fishing was worth, *ut supra*, 20 marks, and now 10*l.* only. John
 de Maners her son by Robert, is her heir, and 8 years old. John
 del [C]orore, late husband of Alina, occupied the land and
 fishings and drew the issues from Martinmas next after her death, and
 afterwards Edward of Letham occupied them by demise from the
 said chamberlain under the K.'s writ annexed hereto. She died
 on 3rd August 1362. [Seals lost.]

[The writ referred to, dated 12th August 1362, bears to be on the
 petition of Edward of Letham, already holding the custody of two-
 thirds, and asking a grant of the remaining third till the heir's
 majority.] [*Inq. p. m. 36 Edw. III. p. 1, No. 118.*]

- EDW. III. Attached is an inquisition regarding her dower in Etal, Northumberland.
1363. **83.** The K. signifies to his son John duke of Lancaster, that as July 4. on the 19th February in the 9th year of his reign, he gave the late Henry Percy, among other fees forfeited in Northumberland by Patrick of Dunbarre earl of March, his enemy, the homage and services due for the vill of Shepeleye by Henry earl of Lancaster, thereafter held by his son and heir Henry, late duke of Lancaster, the duke and Blanchia his consort, as heiress of Lancaster, must answer to Henry Percy son and heir of the late Henry, for these. Westminster. [*Close, 37 Edw. III. m. 19.*]
- Sept. 15. **84.** Inquisition [under writ dated Westminster 12th July preceding, issued on the complaint of the Prior of Durham that his rent and services for Parva Lamberton were in arrear] taken at Berwick-on-Tweed on 15th September 37 Edw. III., before Robert of Tughale the K.'s chamberlain in Scotland, by John Bisshoppe, William Shandy, John of Graystones, Robert del Bothe, John Gray *senior*, Richard Greveson, Michael of Angouse, John Gray *junior*, Andrew Tayllour, Thomas Colle, William Tayllour, John del Bothe of Briggate, who find that the vill of Parva Lamberton is in the K.'s hand by forfeiture of Walter de Lyndesay, who held the vill of the Prior of Durham, as of the Priory of Coldyngham, by homage and service, paying yearly 37s. 4d., doing suit at the three head courts of Coldyngham priory yearly, and grinding his corn growing in the vill at their mill to the thirteenth 'vas.' That these services are all in arrear to the Prior for 10 years. [No seals.] [*Inq. p. m. 37 Edw. III. (2nd Nos.), 25.*]
- Oct. 26. **85.** The K. in consideration of their heavy loses of growing crops by the Scottish enemy, and the deer, &c. in the forest, grants the men and tenants of Penrith, Salkeld, and Soureby in Englewood Forest, right of common pasture for all their animals therein for ever. Westminster. [*Patent, 37 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 22.*]
- Nov. 3. **86.** To Thomas de Balliol, to whom the K. granted an annuity of 20*l.* for life, for his good service, in part payment of the amount due at Michaelmas last—100s. [*Issue Rolls (Pells), Michaelmas, 38 Edw. III. m. 12.*]
- Nov. 4. **87.** To Thomas Boteler of Scotland, in payment of the arrears of 12*d.* a day given him by the K. for his good service and till he recovers the lands in Scotland lost for his adherence to him—100s. [*Issue Rolls (Pells), Michaelmas, 38 Edw. III. m. 12.*]
- Nov. 6. **88.** The K. in addition to the annuity of 100 marks given to Godfrey de Roos of Scotland, who has lost the greater part of his lands for his obedience to him, gives him for life the forfeited lands of

- EDW. III. Sir John Maxwell and of Bernard of Hawdene in Scotland, who have
 ——— both joined his enemies there, and also a fishery in Tweed next the
 1363. town of Berwick, all amounting to 50 marks *per annum*, reverting
 to the K. on his death, or recovery of his lands in Scotland.
 Westminster. [*Patent, 37 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 18.*]
- Nov. 6. 89. The K. of special favour grants his liege John Kerre the cus-
 tody of the late William of Rotherford's lands in Tevydale held *in*
capite, said not to exceed 10*l.* yearly, and of William his son and
 heir till majority, with his marriage without disparagement, free
 of any *reddendo*. Westminster. [*Patent, 37 Edw. III. p. 2,*
m. 27.]
- Nov. 25. 90. To the Earl of Marre of Scotland by his own hands a prest
 for the money due to him by the K.—66*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* [*Issue Roll*
(Pells), Michaelmas, 38 Edw. III. m. 20.]
 On 16th February following he receives by the hands of Thomas
 Balliol a further sum of 66*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* [*m. 32.*]
- Nov. 27. 91. Indenture at Westminster in the presence of Edward K. of
 Fœdera, iii. 715. England, and David K. of Scotland, between their Privy Councils,
 whereby in default of male issue of the K. of Scotland, it was
 agreed that the K. of England should succeed to the kingdom of
 Scotland [with other conditions]. [See an abstract in Hailes' *Annals*
of Scotland, sub ann.] [*Chapter House (Scots Docts.), Box 2, No. 22.*]
 Document faded. No seals.
- [1363.] 92. Document in form of indenture, without date, purporting to
 Circa Nov. be proposals at a conference between the Privy Council of the Kings
 of England and Scotland, 'primerement'—for restoration by the K.
 of England of all the castles, towns, fortresses, &c. occupied by him
 in which K. Robert died vest and seised; also for a treaty of
 peace for 1000 years; assistance against each others' enemies, at the
 cost of him who requires such aid; the K. and lords of Scotland to
 assist in the English war in Flanders with . . . men-at-arms and
 300 archers for the term of a . . . more or less during 15
 years as may be agreed. The Earl of Athol, the Sires de Percy,
 Beaumont, Talbot, and Ferrers, to regain their lands in Scotland
 [apparently by some arrangement with the present possessors];
 Sir David de Strabolgy's, amounting to 600 marks, the Sires de
 Beaumont and Percy's, to . . . the Sire de Ferrers' to 100 marks.
 Sirs Godfrey de Roos, Edward of Letham, Patrick Macolagh,
 and Robert de Neville, and all others who before the
 battles of Berwick and [Durham] were at the K. of Scotland's
 allegiance, and thereafter at that of the K. of England, to recover
 their lands in Scotland. Also Sir Ro[ger de Moub]ray the heritage
 there of the Lord of Moubray to the value of 100 marks yearly. If

EDW. III. the present K. of Scotland die without an heir¹ begotten of his
 ——— body in matrimony, one of the sons of the K. of England other than
 [1363.] the heir to the Crown shall succeed to the Crown of Scotland. Dissensions on this point to be settled and determined by the laws, usages, and statutes of the realm of Scotland. As to Annandale and the castle of Lochmaben [held by] the Earl of Hereford, the K. of Scotland will declare (dirra) his own pleasure, the Scottish envoys not wishing to meddle therein, seeing it is his own proper heritage. Churchmen of both countries to be restored to their benefices, lands, &c. as held on the day of the battle of Berwick. The respective negotiators are to certify each other by the [quin]zaine of Tr[inity] whether their proposals are to take effect or not; and in case of no treaty following, all things shall revert to their former state. [*Chapter House (Scots Docts.), Box 2, No. 2.*]

No seals. The document is very greatly decayed and defaced, and worn away in parts. The conditions vary most materially from those of the instrument, No. 91.

1363. 93. To divers lords and others, who came to England in the
 Dec. 6. retinue of the K. of Scotland about a treaty of peace between the Kings:—viz., the Earl of Douglas, a gilt cup, money weight 100s. 9d., value 10l. 18d.; Sir Robert of Eskyn knight, a gilt cup, money weight 4l. 19s. 3d., value 9l. 18s. 6d.; Master Walter, clerk of privy seal to the K. of Scotland, a gilt cup, weight 102s. 5d., value 10l. 4s. 10d.; to a clerk, steward of the said K.'s house, a gilt cup, weight 4l. 18s. 9d., value 9l. 17s. 6d.; two knights of same K.'s household, two gilt cups, weight 110s. 9d., value 11l. 18d.; to the son of the Queen of Scotland, a parcel-gilt cup, weight 75s., value 6l. 5s. 4d.; to a notary, a silver cup, weight 66s. 1d., value 4l. 16s. 1d.; to an esquire called Heryng, a silver cup, weight 71s. 8d., value 4l. 15s. 8d.; two other esquires, two silver cups, weight 7l. 13s. 4d., value 9l. 11s. 4d.—76l. 12s. 3d. [*Issue Roll (Pells), Michaelmas, 38 Edw. III. m. 24.*]

On the 8th, a goldsmith of London is paid 6l. 17s. 3d. extra for the 2 gold cups given to the Earl of Douglas and Sir Robert Erskyn, then valued at 20l. [*m. 25.*]

Dec. 8. 94. To Gilbert Prince painter of London, by his own hands for banners and other things bought from him for the exsequies of Johanna, late Queen of Scotland, as appears by bill of the late keeper of the wardrobe—24l. [*Issue Roll (Pells), Michaelmas, 38 Edw. III. m. 24.*]

On 16th February following Peter of Preston of Scotland, is repaid 13 marks laid out by him in jewels bought for Johanna, late Queen of Scotland. [*m. 32.*]

¹ A blank follows the word 'heir,' as if for 'male,' but is filled up by a line.

- EDW. III. 95. The K. appoints Henry Percy, Ralph Neville, Henry del
 ——— Strother, Alan del Strother, and Richard of Horsley to inquire into
 1363. the late murder of John of Coupeland and Nicholas Bagot of
 Dec. 28. Newcastle-on-Tyne, at Bolton moor in Northumberland. West-
 minster. [*Patent, 37 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 7, dorso.*]
 On 20th January following a fuller commission was issued to
 Adamar of Athol (Athetelle), and three others to imprison the guilty
 persons and their abettors in the murder. Coupelande is styled
 one of the wardens of the March, and keeper of the town, castle,
 and county of Roxburgh. [*ib. m. 4, dorso.*]
- 1363-64. 96. Indenture whereby Johanna widow of John of Coupeland,
 Jan. 6. tenant for life of the half of the manor of Ulverston in Fournays
 by the K.'s grant, leases the same for 30 years from date to the
 Abbot and convent of Fournays, for 20 marks of silver yearly, they
 having the reversion by the K.'s grant. Ulverston on the Feast of
 Epiphany, 37 Edw. III. [*Duchy of Lancaster Charters, Box B,*
No. 84.]
 One seal, in red wax, appended. Impaled; dexter, a cross charged with a
 star; sinister, a bend sinister, charged with 3 birds displayed—field diapered:
 'S' JOHANNE DE . . . OP . . . D.'
- Jan. 15. 97. The K. for certain reasons revokes the safe conduct given
 to Henry Kerre of Scotland, with 12 mounted companions to come
 to England on his affairs and return. Westminster. [*Patent, 37*
Edw. III. p. 2, m. 3.]
1364. 98. Indenture whereby Sir John de Multon lieutenant of the
 May 30. Earl of Northampton, delivers to Robert Bruyn the keeping of
 Lochmaben castle (viz., the stone work there), and of the valley of
 Annandale for a year, from 30th May 1364, the latter receiving 300
 marks yearly. [Similar conditions to those of Thirlewalle's,
 vol. iii., No. 1459.] Carlisle, day and year *ut supra*. [*Duchy of*
Lancaster Charters (A), 148.]
 One seal, red wax on tag, flattened. A couché shield with lion rampant;
 crest on a cap of maintenance over a barred helmet, a talbot or leopard:
 'SIGILLUM ROBERTI BRUYN.'
- June 29. 99. The K. for his good service hitherto and hereafter, grants
 his liege John of Stratherne an annuity of 10*l.* Westminster.
 [*Patent, 38 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 7.*]
 He is called in another place 'John de Stratherne that was
 'Edwardservant Bailliof.' [*ib. m. 49, dorso.*]
- Aug. 25. 100. Indenture made at Lochmaben, Saturday 25th August,
 between Sir Archibald of Douglas warden of the West March of
 Scotland and lieutenant of the K. of Scotland, and Sir John de
 Multon lieutenant of the Earl of Hereford, giving assurance for a
 year from its date to the lands, woods, fishings, &c. pertaining to

- EDW. III. the Earl in chief seignory in Annandale, to the castle of Lochmabane
 ——— and garrison, and all liegemen of England or Scotland dwelling
 1364. there on their lawful business. Done *ut supra* A.D. 1364. [*Duchy of Lancaster Charters (A), 147.*]
 Document faded and indistinct in parts.
 One seal, in red wax, on tag, flattened and defaced. A shield couché (traces of a heart on an ermine field, and stars in chief); supporters, 2 lions; crest quite obliterated: 's' ARCHEBALDI DE DOUGLAS.'
- Oct. 30. **101.** The K. of his special grace pardons Thomas of Marre brother of the Earl of Marre of Scotland, for the death of the lord's servant (*dominici servientis*) John de la Mare, for which he is indicted. Westminster. [*Patent, 38 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 27.*]
- Nov. 3. **102.** The K. orders the collectors of customs at Newcastle-on-Tyne to pay Ralph de Neville the arrears of a charge of 120*l.* on these, which he had given him on 16th July 26th year, in exchange for the castle and manor of Ermitage in Scotland, valued at 120*l.* then given up to him by Ralph. Westminster. [*Close, 38 Edw. III. m. 10.*]
- Nov. 15. **103.** The K. signifies to the Prior of Kirkham and others that he has given Henry del Strother the manor of Langeton (as in No. 66), and commands them to render fealty and service to him. Westminster. [*Patent, 38 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 20.*]
- 1364-65. **104.** Licence to Richard of Ravenser provost of Beverley, to
 Feb. 3. export 600 quarters of his own malt to Scotland or Gascony for sale, from the ports of Kyngeston upon Hull, Grymesby and Burton upon Humber. Westminster. [*Patent, 39 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 33.*]
- Feb. 4. **105.** Writ to William de la Vale chancellor and chamberlain of Berwick-on-Tweed, to purge his contempt by the quinzaine of Easter next, in not obeying the K.'s previous order to signify his reason for taking the lands of John son of Richard of Thirlewalle in Edyngtone in Scotland, to the said John's damage. Westminster. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 349.*]
- Feb. 16. **106.** The K. signifies to his escheator in Northumberland that having taken the homage of John Stryvelyn husband of Jacoba, one of the daughters and heirs of the late Richard de Emeldon, a tenant *in capite*, for her purparty of the dower lands of Cristiana widow of Richard, and thereafter of Sir William de Plumpton knight, by reason of issue between said John and Jacoba, he is not to molest him therein. Westminster. [*Close, 39 Edw. III. m. 36.*]
- Feb. 24. **107.** Commission to William of Skipwythe, John de Strivelyn, Adamar of Atheles and others, to inquire whether the cargo of a vessel

EDW. III. called 'la Laurence' of Newcastle-on-Tyne, freighted with wool, &c.
 ——— at Edinburgh in Scotland, and lately arrested for the customs on
 1364-65. touching at Newcastle, is of English or Scottish growth. West-
 minster. [*Patent, 39 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 23, dorso.*]

1365. **108.** Negotiations in form of indenture at London, for extending
 May 20. the truce with Scotland for 5 years, and providing that the K. of
 Fœdera, iii. 766. Scotland's ransom (under certain conditions) should be 100,000*l.*
 sterling, payable by yearly instalments of 6000 marks. The
 Scottish envoys demanding at first 25 years' truce. [*Chapter*
House (Scots Docts.), Box 4, No. 18.]

No seals. Writing faded.

May 22. **109.** Indenture whereby Humfray de Bohun earl of Hereford,
 Essex and Northampton, constable of England and lord of Annan-
 dale, grants to Sir Thomas de Rose of Kendale the charge of Loch-
 maben castle and Annandale for 2 years from the 15th day after
 Midsummer following, his fee 300 marks yearly. [Conditions some-
 what similar to those of Thirlewalle's, vol. iii., No. 1459.] London,
 22nd May 39 Edw. III. [*Duchy of Lancaster Charters (A), 149.*]

One seal, red wax, on tag. Shield couché, charged with 3 water
 bougets, 2 and 1. Crest, on a barred helmet a panache of feathers:
 'THOMAS DE ROS.'

[1365.] **110.** Fiat for letters of attorney by Ingelram de Coucy knight,
 June 1. about to go to France by the K.'s leave, in favour of William of
 Wykeham archdeacon of Lincoln and another, to last for two
 years. Westminster. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 349.*]

1365. **111.** Ratification by David K. of Scotland of the conditions of
 June 12. the treaty agreed to by his envoys at London on 20th May pre-
 vious [No. 108]. Edinburgh castle, 12th June 1365, 36th of his
 Fœdera, iii. 770. reign. [*Chapter House (Scots Docts.), Box 96, No. 22.*]

In somewhat tender condition. His Great seal, white wax, partly
 broken, appended to tag.

June 20. **112.** Indenture whereby Sir John de Montagu leases to Johana
 widow of John of Coupland and her assigns, lieges of England
 only, his castle and barony of Werk-on-Tweed for 7 years from
 Martinmas following, at a rent of 200 marks payable at his 'houstel'
 in St Clement's parish, outside the bar of the New Temple, half-
 yearly, Sir John being liable for repairs of the walls, and
 Johanna to lay out 40 marks of the rent in repair of the 'dongon'
 and walls during the first year, with other provisions in case of
 capture by enemies, &c. London.

Recognisance of the same in Chancery at Westminster 25th
 June. [*Close, 39 Edw. III. m. 22, dorso.*]

July 8. **113.** Fiat for protection till Easter next for Sir Simon Flemyng

EDW. III. knight, who is in Ireland in the K.'s service, under Leonel, duke
 ——— of Clarence. Westminster. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 299.*]

1365. 114. The K. on the petition of Laurence de Spense and other
 July 16. Scottish merchants, whose vessel, on her voyage from Perth to
 Flanders with wool, hides, &c. had been wrecked at Whitbernes
 near Newcastle-on-Tyne, and the crew and part of the cargo
 saved, commands the collectors of custom at Newcastle to permit
 the same to be reshipped there free of subsidy, as the goods had
 been duly 'customed' in Scotland. Westminster. [*Close, 39 Edw.*
III. m. 6.]

Similar to them for a Scottish vessel freighted in Edinburgh for
 Flanders, and wrecked at same place. Westminster, 18th July.
 [*m. 20.*]

Michaelmas Term. 115. Northumberland :—Johanna widow of John of Coupeland,
 to be exonerated from a certain debt. [*Exchequer, Q. R. Memoranda,*
Repertory No. 2.]

At Trinity term, *anno 48°* (1374) the K.'s letters patent to her to
 be enrolled. [*ibid.*]

Oct. 26. 116. The K. on the petition of William bishop of St Andrews,
 and other Scottish ambassadors to England, commands the Mayor,
 bailiffs, and collectors of custom of Newcastle-on-Tyne to release a
 Scottish vessel, driven in there by stress of weather, from a charge
 of 3*d.* per pound for which they had arrested her, as she had not
 exposed her cargo for sale. Westminster. [*Close, 39 Edw. III.*
m. 6.]

Nov. 10. 117. Commission to Alan of Heton and Alan Strother to find
 out and arrest those who are secretly carrying English wool and
 lambskins across the Border into Scotland, to defraud the K.'s
 customs. Westminster. [*Patent, 39 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 14, dorso.*]

Nov. 22. 118. The K. commands that Henry del Strother sheriff of
 Northumberland, be allowed the expenses incurred in taking Sir
 John Heroun knight and Thomas Rydelle prisoners from Newcastle
 to Knaresburgh castle. Westminster. [*Close, 39 Edw. III. m. 9.*]

Sir John Heroun was relieved from the Flete prison on mainprise 21st
 February following. [*Close, 40 Edw. III. m. 28, dorso.*]

Nov. 28. 119. The K. commands Robert of Tughale late chamberlain of
 Berwick-upon-Tweed, to survey and report on the costs of repairing
 the walls, towers, houses, and buildings of Roxburgh castle, incurred
 by John Coupland, then warden and sheriff, under the K.'s writ of
 28th January 1361–62, ordering same. Westminster.

(Endorsed) The expenses incurred by John de Coupland appear
 in a roll annexed to the writ (*avanting*). [*Chancery Files, Bundle*
No. 349.]

- Edw. III. 120. Response (in obedience to writ of *certiorari*, dated 10th
 ——— November 1365) by William of Reigate escheator in the northern
 1365. counties,—that the fourth part of the manor of Upsetelyngton
 Nov. West, which was the deceased Nicholas of Hayden's, was seized as
 end of. he was an adherent of Gilbert of Middleton and the Scots, and also
 as James of Hayden his son and heir was born in Scotland and
 adhered to the enemy. It was formerly leased at 109s. 8*d.* per
annum, but now at 40s. only on account of its 'debility.'
 [Chancery Files, Bundle No. 349.]
- 1365–66. 121. The K. for the useful services of the late John of Coupland,
 Jan. 20. slain in his service, gives to Johanna his widow for life the lands of
 a rebel, John de Clifford, forfeited for his being one of her husband's
 murderers and joining the Scottish enemy. Westminster. [Patent,
 39 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 1.]
1366. 122. Licence to Richard de Wandesford to ship 34 casks (dolia)
 June 22. of wine, which is unsaleable in London on account of its thinness
 (as attested by William de Strete the K.'s butler), for Scotland, to
 be sold there. Westminster. [Patent, 40 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 12.]
- Aug. 15. 123. Bond to the K. by William Heroun and John de Strivelyn
 knights, jointly and severally, for 500 marks, advanced for the
 deliverance of said William, repayable by half-yearly instalments of
 83 marks 4s. 5½*d.*, beginning at Martinmas following. Append
 their seals at Warkworthe on Saturday, the Feast of the Assumption
 of the Blessed Mary, 40th year. [Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt
Miscellanea, No. $\frac{3}{20}$.]
- Two seals, in red wax, on tags. (1) A shield couché, crusilly field, charged
 with 3 covered cups, 2 and 1. Crest, on a barred helmet affronté, with
 open coronet, a covered cup between 2 bulls' horns: 's' IOH'NS DE STREVE-
 LYX.' (2) A shield charged with 3 herons, 2 and 1: 'SIGILLV WILLELMI
 HEROUN.' In fine condition.
- Sept. 15. 124. Release by Sir William Heroun knight of Northumberland,
 and Sir Roger Heroun knight his son, to Johanna widow of John
 of Coupeland, Sir Thomas de Greye, &c. and all others prosecutors
 of the said John's murderers, of all pleas and writs, saving only
 pleas of land, &c. Dounham in the isle of Ely. Recognisance by
 them of same date in the K.'s Chancery there. [Close, 40 Edw. III.
 m. 12, dorso.]
- Nov. 17. 125. Recognisance by Sir Adomar of Athol (Atheles) knight to
 Henry del Strother, for 200 marks payable at Pentecost next,
 with right of levy on his lands in Northumberland. Westminster.
 [Close, 40 Edw. III. m. 9, dorso.]
- Nov. 24. 126. The K. for the good and gratuitous service of Thomas de
 Gray in his Scottish wars and elsewhere, and for 10 marks paid,
 grants to him and his heirs, 'quantum in nobis est,' the fourth part

EDW. III. of the manor of Upsetelyngtone West beyond the water of Twede,
 ——— which was Nicholas of Hayden's and James his son, forfeited for
 1366. their adherence to Gilbert of Middelton, a traitor with the Scottish
 enemy in the late reign, and worth 40*s. per annum* in the escheator's
 account for Northumberland. Westminster. [*Patent, 40 Edw. III.*
p. 2, m. 9.]

Dec. 13. **127.** Indenture, dated 13th December 1366, executed between
 David K. of Scotland, on one part, and the Archbishop of Canter-
 bury chancellor of England, and the Earl of Arundel, deputies of
 the Earl of Hereford, on the other, whereby it is agreed for the
 settlement of Annandale, that from the above date till the end of
 the 'graunt trewe' between the realms of England and Scotland,
 the lordship of Annandale, with all appurtenances, shall be equally
 divided between the K. of Scotland and the Earl of Hereford,
 excepting that the 'laac' and park of Lochmaben castle, Hwsbyfeld,
 and the vills and lands of Heytache and Smalehame shall severally
 remain to the Earl with the castle, the K. of Scotland being recom-
 pensed therefor. Two good men of the district shall be chosen, one
 for each, to let the lands and account for the rents, &c. to the K.
 and the Earl. The freeholders at the allegiance of Scotland shall
 treat for their lands with the Earl of Hereford's said deputies, and
 those at that of England shall treat with the K. of Scotland's officers;
 and failing agreement, the officers of the K. and the Earl shall lease
 the lands and divide the rents, &c. equally. The K. of Scotland gives
 assurance to the garrison of Lochmaben to come and go freely in
 the valley or to England for provisions, the Earl giving the like to
 the Scottish lieges. Damages on either side to be redressed with-
 out delay by the law of the March. No new fortress to be erected
 in the valley during the truce. London, *ut supra*. [*Duchy of*
Lancaster (Miscellaneous Charters), III. No. 41.]

Seal lost. Slits for tags. The document somewhat mutilated.

[1366.] **128.** Letter addressed 'Trescher amy,' reporting that the writer,
 Dec. 16. as charged by the Chancellor and the person addressed, had hastened
 to Lochmaben castle to put it in order with the aid of Monseigneur
 de Hereford's people before Sir Thomas arrived. He found it quite
 stripped of victuals, but has put things in better order. They must
 not wonder at his delay in writing, as he found that Sir Archibald
 of Douglas, to whom he had been accredited regarding the 'trete
 del habitacion la seignourie' of Monseigneur de Hereford 'du val
 Danant,' had gone to Scotland on his K.'s affairs, so he could have
 no speech with him till the 13th December. On that day the K.
 of Scotland, Sir Archibald, and other lords of Scotland came to
 Annandale, and gave seisin of it to one John de Logy son of the
 Queen of Scotland. Next day he spoke with Sir Archibald and the
 K.'s Council touching the above, and afterwards with the K. him-

EDW. III. self, who he finds is willing to engross these indentures under his seal 'demeen' in same manner as those between Sir Archibald and
 [1366.] Sir John de Multon, to last till the end of the truce between the kingdoms, saving that the 'laye' (lake) of the castle, the park of Lochmaben, the field of Ousby, and the villis of Heghetage and Smalham shall be reserved severally to my lord's castle; the K. of Scotland having the equivalent (le countrepaeue) to their value elsewhere in the lordship. If the K. agrees to the terms at Christmas, he will send it to my lord the Chancellor, the [Earl of] Arundell, and his correspondent, to be sealed, if they agree, by William Henrison, who will tell them the news in full. Since his entry to the castle, Auntoyn de Lucy's people, viz., one Davyd of Coupland and a William Ormer (?), with others, have plundered the lordship of Annandale of a great number of cattle and prisoners and taken them into England; which said Auntoyn countenances. And since then, Richard de Vaus, John of Thirlewall, John de la More, and other marchers of England, have made another raid, carried off cattle, horses, prisoners, &c. to England, beaten and wounded the Earl of Hereford's servants, and carried off their horses and harness. He urges that these marauders be speedily chastised in their persons, to deter others, or the lordship will be utterly ruined by these English marchers, who pay no respect to protections or the K.'s letters. Begs immediate attention to these matters. Loughmaban, 16th December. Per Thomas Ughtred. [*Duchy of Lancaster, Grants, &c. (A), No. 152.*]

On paper, writing much faded and obliterated in parts. Has been backed.

1366-67. 129. Commission to Henry de Percy, Ralph de Neville, John de
 Feb. 12. Strivelyn and three others, to inquire into the rights of Thomas bishop of Durham in the Tweed between Norham and Tweedmouth, which he alleges have been infringed by Master John of Bolton while chamberlain of Berwick-on-Tweed, who took possession in the K.'s behalf of the entire profit of vessels passing Norham. Westminster. [*Patent, 41 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 38, dorso.*]

Feb. 26. 130. The K. orders the sheriff of Northumberland to pay John son and heir of Robert de Maners of Etale, 40 marks, being 4 years' arrears for his maintenance since 20th November 1362, when the lands held in dower there by Alina Robert's widow were committed to Edward of Letham till the heir's majority, finding the latter competent maintenance, which the heir complains he has failed to do, and Edward failed to appear, and shew cause in Chancery at the octaves of last Hilary; also to pay the heir 10 marks yearly till his majority, deducting it from the lands held by Edward, valued at 40 marks *per annum*. Westminster. [*Close, 41 Edw. III. m. 24.*]

- Edw. III. **131.** Pardon to Edward of Letham of the forfeiture of his goods
 ——— incurred by outlawry for his non-appearance before the justices of
 1367. the K.'s Bench to answer to John de la More of Gillesland for a debt
 May 15. of 6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* Westminster. [*Patent, 41 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 21.*]
- May 15. **132.** The K. appoints William de la Vale chamberlain of Berwick-
 on-Tweed, and John Duncanson its mayor, to inquire by a jury of
 the county of Berwick into the possessions, &c. of the hospital of
 Segedene, said to be in his patronage. Westminster. [*Patent, 41*
Edw. III. p. 1, m. 19, dorso.]
- June 26. **133.** Exemplification of letters patent by the late K., granted at
 Clipston 6th November 1312, on her frequent petition, in favour of
 Margaret daughter and heir of Robert de Roos of Werk-on-Tweed,
 pardoning her as she was in minority when her father joined the
 Scots in plundering and burning Werk in Northumberland, and
 afterwards joining William Waleys, and thus entitled to the con-
 ditions granted by Edward I. to John Comyn of Badenagh and
 other Scotsmen in arms against him, and their heirs if then minors,
 and cancelling her father's forfeiture. The exemplification granted
 at the request of Gerard Salveyn cousin and heir of the said
 Margaret. Westminster. [*Patent, 41 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 11.*]
- Sept. 1-4. **134.** Treaty begun at Morehoulawe 1st September 1367, and
Fœdera, iii. 831. continued at the Friars Minors, Roxburgh, during the days follow-
 ing, between commissioners for England and Scotland, settling con-
 ditions for keeping the peace on the Marches, and appointing
 wardens on the East and West Marches. Roxburgh, 4th Sept.
 year aforesaid.
 Memorandum:—That in the absence of the Earl of March's seal,
 the K. of Scotland has affixed his own to the English part of this
 indenture. [Seals all lost.] [*Chapter House (Scots Docts.), Box 4,*
No. 7.]
- Sept. 11. **135.** Inquisition [under writ dated Westminster 15th May pre-
 ceding] taken at Berwick-on-Tweed before John Dunkanson mayor
 of the town, and in presence of Master John of Bolton chancellor
 and chamberlain of the K. there, by John of Lynne clerk, Richard
 of Benrith, William of Beverlay, John Denning, Thomas Kaa,
 William Jolyf, Richard Luter, Michael of Angous, William
 Chapman, William Taillour, Andrew Taillour, and William of
 Gosewic, who find that the Master and friars of the hospital of
 Segdene have a tenement lying in 'cornerie' of Narwegate and
 Seynte Marie gate, which William Sirr . . . now holds, worth 10*s.*
 That John of Lynne clerk, holds 3 booths in Seynte Marie gate,
 worth yearly 5*s.* That John of Kymbrigham son of David of
 Kymbrigham, holds in same street a tenement yielding 6*s.* 8*d.*; he
 holds also a waste tenement yielding 3*s.* 4*d.* Thomas of Daltun holds

- EDW. III. a tenement yielding 43*d.* William of Berwick holds a tenement in said street, yielding 12*d.*; he holds another in Narwegate, yielding 1367. 6*d.* William of Swynhowe holds another in Seynte Mariegate, yielding 12*d.* Robert of Tughall holds one in same street, yielding 12*d.* That John of Chilton's, which lies in Briggate, yields 3*s.*, and a pair of spurs. That William of Swynhowe holds in same street of Briggate a tenement yielding 18*d.*; he holds a waste tenement in same street, returning 18*d.* It is in the K.'s hand. William of Killum holds a tenement yielding 3*s.*, in same street, in the K.'s hand. William Hardehulle holds a waste tenement in same street, returning 43*d.* (?) Henry Breuster holds one waste, returning 18*d.*; he holds another there, value 18*d.* John Dulkan holds one in same street, returning 3*s.* There are 4 acres of land lying next said hospital, in its enclosure, within the cemetery of Berwick, lying waste. The seals of the Mayor and jurors are appended at Berwick, 11th September A.D. 1367. [No seals.] [*Inq. p. m.* 41 *Edw. III.* (2*nd Nos.*), 39.]
- Dec. 7. 136. Letters of safe conduct, &c. for Master Gilbert de Arme-strang clerk of Scotland, setting out from the port of Dover for France with 10 horsemen, and 20 marks for his expenses. Westminster. [*Patent*, 41 *Edw. III.* p. 2, m. 4, *dorso.*]
- 1367-68. 137. Exemplification of letters patent by Sir Alan of Heton Feb. 18. knight, warden of Berwick-on-Tweed, admitting to the K.'s peace Robert Haunche and John Gourlay of Scotland (dated Berwick, 8th Nov. 1364), ratifying and approving same during their good behaviour. Westminster. [*Patent*, 42 *Edw. III.* p. 1, m. 24.]
- March 13. 138. Fiat for protection for a year for John Comyn, who is setting out beyond seas in the K.'s service under Leonel duke of Clarence. Westminster. [*Chancery Files*, *Bundle No.* 299.]
- March 17. 139. Inquisition [under writ dated 8th February preceding] before the escheator of Northumberland, on Thursday in the 4th week of Quadragesima, in the castle of Newcastle-on-Tyne, by [a jury of 12], who find it will not be to the K.'s damage if he permits Richard son of John Scot of Newcastle to enclose and make a park of his wood of Benewelle called 'le Westwode.' It is held of Richard of Kymbell for 1*d.* yearly, and contains 200 acres and upwards. [No seals.] [*Inq. p. m.* 42 *Edw. III.* (2*nd Nos.*), No. 20.]
- Circa* 140. Inquisition [under writ of *diem clausit extremum*, dated March. Westminster 27th February preceding, commanding, *inter alia*, inquiry whether any of the lands of the deceased were taken from him by the Earl of March of Scotland or other enemies by reason of his adherence to the K., and that 40 marks *per annum* be paid to Johanna the widow], at Berwick-on-Tweed on . . . 42 *Edw. III.*, before Master John of Bolton chamberlain of Berwick, by

Edw. III. William del Bothe of Norham, Michael of Angous, Thomas of Wedale, John Wylie, John Trotter, Alexander Purveys, Geoffry 1367-68. Delewrang, John Colle of Berwick, Walter Dring, Robert Couhird, Michael (?) of Fouldone, John Archer, Thomas of Roule, William of Carryk, and William Brewster of Foggow, who find that Sir Edward of Letham knight, held at his death the manor of Letham in the shire of Berwick worth 40 marks, and the hamlet of Ketilsheles worth 4*l.*, which are within the bounds of the K.'s dominions. He held also the manor and hamlet of Wyrmsclif (?), worth 26*s.* 8*d.*, which he occupied by The said manor and hamlet descended by hereditary right, and were formerly held of the Earl of Dunbarre by military service as a knight's fee, paying 40*s.* to the castle guard of Dunbarre, and giving suit at the Earl's court held at Ungelstane thrice in the year; which services now belong to the K. by forfeiture of Patrick earl of March. He also held of the K.'s gift, by charter to him and his heirs, the manor of Derchester, worth yearly, the manor of Parva Swynton worth yearly marks, the hamlet of Hornedene, worth 10 (?) marks, the of Whitsome, worth 30 marks, the vill of Hilton, worth 20*s.* (?) 2 carucates in same vill of the heritage of Adam of Hilton? [three lines effaced and illegible] by what services they know not He also held of the K. divers fishings in Tweed, viz., a net in the fishing called Eddyngford (?), worth 4*l.* yearly, the third part of another in Hund[water] and Abstelin (?), worth 10 marks (?); a net in Foulestreme, formerly worth half a mark, another in worth 42*s.* 4*d.*, one in the fishing del Law and Kalot, worth 60*s.* He died on 8th February in the K.'s 42nd year, and immediately after the said Earl Patrick *in propria persona* [apparently took possession of the lands and the heir. Nearly illegible here, however]. Edward his son is his next heir, and is five (?) years of age. [Seals lost.] [*Inq. p. m.* 42 *Edw. III. No. 35.*]

In very bad condition. Totally defaced in parts.

1368. 141. Thomas Roter the K. of Scotland's minstrel, has a safe conduct from the port of Dovor with 4 horses which he brought with him from Scotland, and a letter of exchange for 40*l.* in his favour payable abroad. Westminster. [*Patent, 42 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 30, dorso.*]

May 12. 142. Thomas Tod canon of Glasgow in Scotland, setting out from Dovor for parts beyond seas, with 2 vallets, 4 horses which he brought from Scotland, a silver cup and cover, 10 silver spoons, a letter of exchange of Nicholas Maryn, Lombard, for 10*l.* payable to him abroad, and 20*s.* for his expenses, has a safe conduct. Westminster. [*Patent, 42 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 30, dorso.*]

May 24. 143. The K. grants to Johanna widow and executrix of Edward of Letham, for the support of her children by him, 20*l.* yearly out

- EDW. III. of the 40 marks due by him for the ward of the lands and heir of
 ——— Robert de Maners deceased, answering for the remaining 10 marks
 1368. at Exchequer; she always carefully guarding Robert's castle of
 Ethale in her charge as executrix. Westminster. [*Patent, 42 Edw.*
III. p. 1, m. 5.]
- May 31. **144.** Indenture whereby Humfray de Bohun earl of Hereford,
 Essex, and Northampton, constable of England, and 'Seignour de
 Veal Danand,' grants to Sir Hugh de Redehoo the keeping of Loch-
 maben castle and the valley of Annan for 2 years from 6th
 November following, at the fee of 200*l. per annum.* [Conditions
 similar to Thirlewall's; but more special as to provisioning the castle.]
 Enefeld, the last day of May 42 Edw. III. [*Duchy of Lancaster*
Grants, &c. (A), No. 10.]
- One seal, in red wax, on tag, flattened and defaced. A shield couché (charges
 obliterated). Crest, on a helmet a bird's head: 'S' HUGONIS D' REDHOW.'
- July 28. **145.** The K. orders Thomas de Roos of Hamelak, and 15 others
 Fœdera, iii. 148. [among them Johan Comyn and David Strabolgi earl of Athol], to
 array men-at-arms for the defence of the disturbed parts of
 Ireland and to attend the Council at Westminster at the quinzaine
 of Michaelmas to report their diligence. Guildford. [*Close, 42*
Edw. III. m. 13, dorso.]
- Oct. 20. **146.** The K. on the petition of William Jonessone of Aberdeen,
 merchant, who alleged that his goods, shipped at Sluys for Aberdeen
 in a Flemish vessel, had been arrested on her putting in at
 Grymesby from stress of weather, as she had no safe conduct—while
 the bailiffs reported that William and another on Friday after the
 Feast of Sts Peter and Paul, put in voluntarily in fine weather,
 and exposed a pipe of red wine for sale, and when they arrested his
 goods, he broke the arrest in contempt, removing 30 silver groats
 called 'Lowys grottes,' silver vases and ore (specie), 2 silver fermails,
 3 gold rings, to the value of 10*l.*, but that the above pipe of red
 wine, value 4 marks, a pipe of wade, worth 5 marks, 3 casks
 (cados) of waddasse, worth 20*s.*, 28 wey of great salt, value 20*l.*,
 and 7 qrs. peas, worth 14*s.*, remained in their custody—commands
 the bailiffs to release the vessel, crew, and cargo. Westminster.
 [*Close, 42 Edw. III. m. 9.*]
- Oct. 26. **147.** The K. grants to Robert of Hull one of his seamen, the
 fishery of Auldestelle in the water of Tweed in Northumberland,
 for life, as lately held by Reginald de Ferrars, one of his sergeants-
 at-arms. Westminster. [*Cancelled as otherwise in the Scottish*
Rolls.] [*Patent, 42 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 22.*]
- Nov. 14. **148.** Inquisition [under writ dated Westminster 26th October
 previous] taken at Newcastle-on-Tyne, within the castle, before John

- Edw. III. of Scotherskelf escheator of Northumberland, on 14th November 42
 ——— Edw. III., by [12] jurors, who find that it will not be to the K.'s
 1368. loss if he permits Johanna widow of John of Coupeland, to grant
 her pasture called 'le Colpenhope,' to the Abbot and convent of
 Kelso, to endow a chaplain to say mass daily for herself in
 life, and after death for her own and her said husband's souls, and
 of their ancestors and the faithful departed. It is held of Henry
 del Strother as of his manor of Langeton by knight's service, and
 is worth 20s. *per annum*. He holds the manor of John de
 Moutacute by knight's service as of his barony of Werk. She retains
 other lands in the county worth 100*l.* a year. [Seals gone.] [*Inq.*
p. m., 42 *Edw. III.* (2nd Nos.), 51.]
- Nov. 20. 149. The K. commands a writ to be issued from the Treasury to
 the bailiffs of Scarborough to release 6 horses bought by Giles
 Centmarz in Scotland, and shipped in a Sluys (Lescluse) vessel
 touching there, as was supposed for France, but which Giles, who is
 a Flemish merchant, has shewn on good evidence are for Flanders.
 Westminster. [*Close*, 42 *Edw. III.* m. 5.]
1369. 150. Indenture whereby Sir Piers de Mauley undertakes the
 April 28. ward of Berwick-on-Tweed from St James's day next for three
 years, with a sufficient garrison, for 1000 marks *per annum*, with
 the usual powers as one of the wardens of the March, and keeping
 up the walls, &c. at the K.'s cost. Appends his seal at West-
 minster, 28th April 43rd year. [*Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt*
Miscellanea, No. 46.] A duplicate in [*Tower Misc. Rolls*, No. 459.]
- Seal, in red wax, on tag. Slightly damaged. A shield hung from a tree,
 with bend charged with trefoiled tracery. Crest, a fox or wolf passant.
 Elegant quatrefoiled tracery around shield: 'SIGIL . . . DE MA . . .'
- May 16. 151. The K. at the request of the Scottish ambassadors,
 commands the bailiffs of Scarborough to release 34*l.*, price of a cargo
 of barley shipped by John Gille a Scottish merchant in Normandy,
 sold by his servant in their port, where the vessel had been
 driven in from her weakness. Westminster. [*Close*, 43 *Edw. III.*
m. 19.]
- June 15. 152. The K. commands his escheator in Northumberland to give
 seisin to David of Strabolgi earl of Athol, of two-thirds of the
 manor of Pontheland and other lands, held in dower by his late
 mother Katerina widow of David of Strabolgi, late earl. West-
 minster. [*Close*, 43 *Edw. III.* m. 10.]
- June 22. 153. The K. confirms his liege Adam Armestrang clerk, parson of
 Skelton church in the diocese of Carlisle, in the possession of
 same. Westminster. [*Patent*, 43 *Edw. III.* p. 2, m. 33.]

EDW. III. 154. Letters patent by William bishop of St Andrews, Walter
 ——— bishop of Glasgow, John bishop of Dunkeld, Patrick bishop of
 1369. Brechin chancellor of Scotland, and Walter bishop of Dunblane,
 June. Robert Stewart of Scotland earl of Stratherne, Thomas earl of
 Marr, George earl of March, William earl of Douglas, and John
 Stewart earl of Carrick, William de Kethe mareschal of Scotland,
 Archibald of Douglas, Robert of Erskyne, James of Douglas,
 Walter de Lesseley, Walter de Halyburton, Alexander de Lyndesay,
 all barons and knights, and Master John of Carrick keeper of the
 K. of Scotland's Privy seal, commissioners for the said K., in concert
 with the commissioners of the K. of England, agreeing to a truce
 till the Purification and for 14 years thereafter. The balance of
 the Scottish K.'s ransom (declared to be 56,000 marks) to be paid
 at Berwick-on-Tweed, Norham, or Bamburgh by yearly payments
 of 4000 marks. The K. of England's Council agree that the
 Scottish K.'s subjects shall have the half of the rents and profits
 of their lands in the county of Roxburgh occupied by the English
 subjects, who are not to be disturbed during the truce, but the
 lands let to the best advantage. The English commissioners shall
 deliver a counterpart hereof with their seals appended, at the city
 of Durham, on 1st August following. Done under the seals of the
 aforesaid, at the city of London, June 1369. [The counterpart of
 a document under the Great seal of England at Westminster, 24th
 August following. *Fœdera*, iii. 878.] [*Chapter House (Scots
 Docts.)*, Box 97, No. 5.]

Thirteen seals, red wax, appended, more or less broken; four tags for others. Each commissioner's name written on the 17 tags.

(1) Oval; the Bishop of St Andrews (as in vol. iii. No. 1609), broken. (2) A fine seal, broken at foot. Oval; in a central compartment with very rich canopy of 6 arches with crocketed finials, the Virgin crowned, standing with the Holy Child in her arms stretching out his hands; on her left a bishop (or Pope with tiara), crook in right hand, holding with his left hand a similar ecclesiastic kneeling before him, also with crook. In the window of a turret on each side an angel appears. *Leg.* broken off. (Bishop of Glasgow.) (3) Oval; much damaged and defaced. In central compartment a saint vested and mitred, with crook in left hand. A saint on either side. All standing. Beneath, a bishop kneeling in prayer with crook in front; at dexter, a shield with lion (?) rampant and 3 charges (stars ?) in chief; at sinister, another charged with 2 chevrons. *Leg.* broken. (Bishop of Dunkeld.) (4) A fragment. The Trinity. (Bishop of Brechin.) (5) Oval, much damaged. At top the Virgin and Child half length; an angel on either side. In right central compartment a mitred abbot, in the act of benediction, crook in left hand; in left, St Katherine, crowned, wheel in right hand, sword in left: JOHANNIS D. (Bishop of Dunblane.) (6) 'Earl of Marr,' on tag; seal lost. (7) Round, slightly flattened. A couché shield with lion rampant and bordure of 14 (or more) roses. Crest, on a coronetted helmet, a war horse's head and neck bridled. Supporters, 2 lions sejant under trees: 's' GEORGII D' DUNBAR COMITIS MARCHIE.' (8) Round; much broken. Couché shield, field diapered, 3 mullets on a chief. Crest (gone). A lion sejant supports the shield with his head in the helmet affronté. (Earl of

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Douglas.) (9) 'Earl of Carryk' on tag. Seal lost. (10) Round; shield couché, 3 pales on chief. Crest, on a helmet with mantling as on shield, a hart's head: '. . . ILELEMI DE KETH.' (11) Small round signet, damaged. Shield couché, traces of heart (?) in base and stars (?) in chief, and perhaps a bordure? Crest, on a helmet, the neck of an animal (head lost). Supporters, 2 lions rampant: '. . . DE DOUGLAS'. 'ARCHIBALD DE DOUGLAS,' on tag. (12) Couché shield, charged with a pale. Crest, on coronetted helmet, a griffin's head and neck with wings, all within rich tracery: 's' ROB'I DE ERSKYN, MILI . . . INI.' (13) Almost in fragments. Round, small couché shield, diapered field, 2 mullets on a chief. Crest, on helmet, a boar passant to dexter in front of a tree; dexter supporter left, a savage man affronté, (remains of the other). 'JAMES DE DOUGLAS,' on tag. (14) Fragment, damaged. Shield with 3 buckles (?) on a bend: 'SIG . . . ESLEY.' 'WALTER 'DE LESLEY,' on tag. (15) 'WALTER DE HALYBURTON,' on tag. Seal lost. (16) 'ALEXANDER DE LYNDSEY,' on tag. Seal lost. (17) Oval, much broken and defaced. Virgin and Child in top compartment. Centre (destroyed). Sinister, a bishop with crook in left hand, giving benediction with right; to his right a fish in pale with ring in its mouth. 'JOHN DE CARRYK,' on tag.

Sept. 20. **155.** Indenture by Piers de Mauley 'chivaler,' to keep the town of Berwick-on-Tweed for 3 years from next Michaelmas, for 400 marks 'par an,' with the usual powers of a warden as to truce, conducts, &c. Appends his seal at Westminster, 20th Sept. 43rd year. [*Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt Miscellanea, No. 46.*]

Seal on tag, damaged.

Nov. 10. **156.** The K. commands Master John of Bolton chamberlain of Berwick-on-Tweed, to assign dower to Margaret widow of Sir Henry de Beaumont, in her husband's lands within the K.'s Scottish dominions, as she has made oath on the 26th ultimo not to marry without licence, and received dower in England. Westminster. [*Close, 43 Edw. III. m. 2.*]

Nov. 20. **157.** Writ to the sheriff of Northumberland to issue a *scire facias* to Walter Tirelle, to show cause in Chancery by the quinzaine of Hilary next, why the K.'s grant to him for life, for his services to himself and to Johanna and Margaret his two daughters now deceased, of the ferry across Tweed at Berwick, of date 15th February 1366-67, should not be recalled as regards the half next England, as Thomas bishop of Durham has complained by petition that the ferry on the English side, to midstream, belonged to the bishops and see of Durham from time beyond memory, and they drew the profits of ferry-boats carrying men or goods to Scotland, till Master John of Boulton, late chamberlain of Berwick, claimed the ferry on both sides as pertinent of the town, and took possession unlawfully. Westminster.

(Endorsed) Roger of Horsele the sheriff replies that the writ came so late to him he has not yet executed it. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 344.*]

- EDW. III. 158. The K. commands Nicholas of Tamworth admiral of his fleet in the north, or his lieutenant in Suffolk, to order restoration of the goods of James Henrison, William Leche, John Wode, 1369-70. Thomas Rosse 'vet,' John of Syrés, John Scoot, Adam of Dalgarnok, Jan. 12. John of Fodilmuthe, John of Aynecroft, and John of Lichardewode, Aberdeen merchants, which had been plundered in the wreck of a Seland vessel driven on shore at Kirklee Rode. Westminster. [*Close, 43 Edw. III. m. 1.*]
- Jan. 14. 159. The K. commands Thomas de Musgrave escheator of Cumberland and Northumberland, as Gilbert de Umfraville earl of Angus, husband of Matilla sister of Antony de Luci, and cousin and heir of Johanna, Antony's daughter and heir, who died in minority, has done homage in right of his children, to surcease distraint for the late minor's homage. Westminster. [*Close, 43 Edw. III. m. 1.*]
- Feb. 1. 160. Safe conduct for Walter de Skirlawe and his men and servants, coming to England in furtherance of his business, for a year. Westminster. [*Patent, 44 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 37.*]
- Feb. 10. 161. Indenture between Humphrey de Bohun earl of Hereford, Essex, and Northampton constable of England and lord of Annandale, and Sir Hugh de Redehoo, extending the latter's custody of Lochmaben castle, &c., for half a year from 6th November following. London, 10th Feb. 44 Edw. III. [*Duchy of Lancaster Grants, &c. (A.), No. 151.*]
- One seal, in red wax, on tag. Same as that on No. 144. The charges on shield are 3 cocks' heads erased, 2 and 1; the crest is a cock's head and neck.
- Feb. 14. 162. The K. signifies to Thomas de Musgrave escheator in Northumberland, that he has assigned two-thirds of the manor of Ponteland and other lands in Northumberland as dower to Elizabeth widow of David of Strabolgy earl of Athol, and commands him to deliver the same to her. Westminster. [*Close, 44 Edw. III. m. 22.*]
- Writs in her favour, as jointly seised with her husband in the manors of Brabourne in Kent, Holkham and others in Norfolk, the half of Thorneton manor, Keldre and others in Tyndale, and of Geynesburgh in Lincoln. [*m. 23.*]
- March 18. 163. The K. on the complaint of John Mercer and other Scottish merchants, orders the collectors of custom at St Botolph and the bailiffs of Waynflete to release their wool, hides, &c. shipped in Scotland for Flanders in 'la Magdeleyn' of Sluys, which had been wrecked off Waynflete, and had duly paid custom, as attested by letters under the seal of 'David de Bruys of Scotland.' Westminster. [*Close, 44 Edw. III. m. 20.*]

EDW. III. 164. Commission to William of Wychngham, Hugh Fastolf,
 ——— and two others, to inquire into the complaint of William Lythe,
 1370. James Henrisson, Thomas Marcher, John Wode, Thomas Recynot,
 March 26. John Scot, Adam of Dalgarnok, Walter Gopeld, Andrew Bet,
 William Gopeld, Simon del Abbeye, Alan Hog, and Thomas
 Clerk, Scottish merchants, that two Flemish vessels, the 'Seint
 Marie' of Seland and the 'Seint Anne' of Cagent, freighted by them
 at Sluys with goods for Scotland to the value of 2250*l.*, had been
 wrecked off Kirkele Rode in Suffolk, and the goods cast ashore;
 and though Robert Clerk of Leith (Lythe) and two others escaped
 alive, and claimed the goods for the owners, these were plundered
 and carried off by wreckers, in violation of the late truce with K.
 David. Westminster. [*Patent, 44 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 22, dorso.*]

[*Extracts.*]

[1369-70.] 165. October 5 :—To the keeper of the Wardrobe by the hands
 Oct. 1— of Henry lord of Percy, in divers tallies levied against 860*l.*, and
 April 8. in gold nobles 100*l.*, for his own pay and 60 men-at-arms, 100
 archers, and 40 Scotsmen about to set out with him in the K.'s
 service in France—960*l.* [*m. 1.*]

October 19 :—To the Earl of Athol, money received from Thomas
 of Brantyngham, late keeper of the Wardrobe, of a prest to be
 repaid—66*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*

October 30 :—To the keeper of the Wardrobe for pay of John
 Somerville vallet of Scotland, and his men-at-arms and archers
 setting out in the K.'s service to France—100*s.* [*m. 9.*]

November 9 :—To Sir John de Edmonstone knight of Scotland,
 by his own hands, a gift from the K.—33*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

November 10 :—To Eustace Chaungeour for his pay and ex-
 penses going to Berwick-on-Tweed regarding the K. of Scotland's
 ransom to be there received, in the 42nd year—56*s.* 8*d.*

To Patrick de Rameseye the K. of Scotland's esquire, a gift ordered
 by the K. for the expenses of himself, 3 Scotsmen and his 3 vallets
 coming from Scotland to London, remaining there awaiting the K.'s
 pleasure and returning, 49 days—30*l.* [*m. 13.*]

November 12 :—To a chaplain coming with letters from the K.
 of Scotland to the K. by the K.'s gift—13*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.*

November 27 :—To Sir Godfrey de Roos knight of Scotland, a
 payment to account of his annuity of 100 marks, by the hands of
 Anabilla his wife, for Michaelmas—10*l.* [*m. 17.*]

December 3 :—To the treasurer of Calais for the wages of
 Patrick de la Chambre, William Carnes, and William Egelyn of
 Scotland, 40*s.* each, and 20*s.* each to their six vallets—12*l.* [*m. 18.*]

December 4 :—To divers esquires and vallets of Scotland lately
 in the K.'s service in France, viz., William of Westone, William
 Strachy, John Yonge, Robert Johansone, John Lemynngstone, John

EDW. III. Hog, Thomas Firtleighe, Thomas Galsagathe, and Piton Hog, who had lost therein the greater part of their horses, and had petitioned [1369-70.] the K. and Council for some recompense, and aid in their passage and repassage, and expenses going home; allowed by the K.'s gift, to be divided among them in proportion to their rank, and amount of loss—133*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* [*m.* 20.]

February 6:—To Thomas de Balliol, to whom the K. lately granted an annuity of 20*l.* for his good service, half-year at Michaelmas last—10*l.* [*m.* 24.]

February 14:—To same for pay of his men-at-arms and archers—30*s.*

To Alan de Strother warden of Roxburgh castle, by a tally levied on the sheriff of Northumberland *anno xl*^o—75*l.* [*m.* 26.]

February 22:—To Peter de Mauley warden of Berwick-on-Tweed, money received by his own hands of a sum of 1000 marks, wherein Robert Erskyn, James Douglas, Thomas Erskyn, John de Edmonstone, and Master John Carryk of Scotland are due to the K. *ex mutuo* by their letters obligatory, applied to his pay—133*l.* 6*s.* 8*d.* [*m.* 28.] [*Issue Roll (Pells), Michaelmas, 44 Edw. III.*]

1370. 166. Fiat for protections for one year for Sir Richard Tempest May 12. knight, constable of the castle of Berwick, in garrison there, and Robert Bellyngham in the garrison of Jeddeworth castle. Westminster. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 312.*]

May 14. 167. The K. commands William de Wyndesore his lieutenant in Ireland, to see that restitution of their lands is made to Anabella the widow and the heirs of the late John Comyn, who died before Easter last, and for his faithful service to the late Lionel duke of Clarence, had special exemption till Easter from going or sending men to Ireland in defence of his lands there. Westminster. [*Close, 44 Edw. III. m. 10.*]

May 20. 168. The K. of special grace and at the request of his cousin and liege Edward de Balliol, lately K. of Scotland, pardons William Pamues (Paumes?) for the death of William del Grove of Naubourne, slain it is said before 27th January 30 Edw. III. (1355-56). Westminster. [*Patent, 44 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 6.*]

June 4. 169. Letters of David K. of Scotland to the K. of England. *Fœdera*, iii. 593. promising 'on the sacred word of a king' to make termly payments of the remaining 52,000 marks of his ransom, beginning at Midsummer 1371. Under his Privy seal at London, 4th June 1370, 40th year. [No seal.] [*Chapter House (Scots Docts.), Box 5, No. 7.*]

July 4. 170. Fiat for protection for two years for Matthew de Redmane, Robert de Stirkeland, Thomas de Wytton, and John de Cogherane going in the K.'s service beyond seas under Sir Robert de Knolles. Westminster. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 312.*]

- Edw. III. **171.** The K. for his good service, grants to Alan de Buxhulle and his heirs the lands in Beryngton, Kelay, Bukton, and Chesewyk in Northumberland, forfeited by Emeric of Hauden and Isabella his wife, and John of Kynemonth and Maria his wife, who all joined Robert de Bruys and the Scots enemies of the late K., and spent their lives in Scotland against him; as appears by an inquisition taken by the escheator of the county. Westminster. [*Patent, 44 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 13.*]
- July 12. **172.** Licence to Johanna widow of John of Coupland, to grant a pasture called 'le Colpenhope' in Northumberland to the Abbot and convent of Kelso (Kelshowe) for the purpose stated in the inquisition No. 148. Westminster. [*Patent, 44 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 8.*]
- April 22—**173.** Issues of Easter Term 44 Edw. III., by Thomas of Brantying-
Sept. 22. ham [bishop of Exeter], treasurer.

[*Extracts.*]

May 28:—To a vallet of the K. of Scotland bringing a black courser from that K. to the K., by way of gift—40s.

To a herald of the same K. by way of gift—5 marks.

To a harper of the same K. by way of gift—40s. [*m. 17.*]

June 10:—To an esquire of the same K. presenting the above black courser, by way of gift—10*l.*

To John Lyons clerk of the Privy seal of the same K., by way of gift from our lord the K.—6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* [*m. 18.*]

June 18:—To the treasurer of Calais, money paid to John Coghnan an esquire of Scotland and his vallet archer, going to Calais in the K.'s service—6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*

To same for John of Colnehethe, his man-at-arms and 2 archers going to Calais in the K.'s service—6*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*

June 21:—To Master John Carryk clerk, Sirs Robert and Thomas Erskyn knights, and John Dunbarre vallet, received by them by the hands of John Lyouns, from the officers of Exchequer, as a prest to be repaid at Michaelmas, under their letters obligatory—666*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* They restored the money on 7th November following. [*m. 20.*] [*Issue Roll (Pells), Easter, 44 Edw. III.*]

- Oct. 20. **174.** The K. commands that Richard of Horsley sheriff of Northumberland, be exonerated at Exchequer from the rents and profits of the county, as the lands have been so wasted by the frequent incursions of the Scots that he has levied nothing. Westminister. [*Close, 44 Edw. III. m. 4.*]
- Nov. 28. **175.** Inquisition [under two writs of *diem clausit extremum*, dated Westminster 6th and 12th November 44 Edw. III.] taken at Berwick-on-Tweed on Thursday next before the Feast of St Andrew apostle following, before John of Bolton chamberlain of

EDW. III. the K. of England there, by William del Bothe of Norham, Thomas
 ——— of Wedale, Michael of Angus, John Trottir, John Archer, John
 1370. Dowe, Thomas Kaa, John Fouler, John of Shoriswode, John of
 Revele, Thomas Taillour, and Walter Crawe, who find that John
 Toures husband of the late Matilda de Weston sister of the late
 Thomas de Weston, died on Tuesday before the Feast of the
 Exaltation of the Holy Rood last year, seised in a 'quantity' of land
 in the lordship and barony of Sympring, worth 20s. yearly, held of
 the K. *in capite* by homage and suit at the county of Berwick; that
 Thomas Toures his son and next heir, died on Friday after his
 father, seised in the land, which is in Robert de Clyfford's hands
 by lease from the said John for a term; that Isabella and Eliza-
 beth daughters of John and sisters of Thomas, are the latter's next
 heirs, Isabella being 18 and Elizabeth 10 years of age, and they
 should be in the K.'s ward. (Attached is an inquisition of lands
 held by John Toures in Midelrasen, Lincolnshire, of the Honour of
 Dover by castle guard, and of others.) [Seals gone.] [*Inq. p. m.*,
43 Edw. III. p. 2, No. 30.]

[1370.] **176.** Petition to the K. and Council by Thomas Rydale of
 Berwick, shewing that whereas the K. lately ordered all his
 ministers to do justice to his subjects, the petitioner has been for
 four years since . . . in prison, and now in the 'mareschalsie'
 of the K.'s Bench, for what cause he knows not, and prays he may
 be brought before the Council or justices, and meanwhile held
 to meinprise, as his wife and children are ruined by his unjust
 imprisonment. [No date.]

Endorsement covered up except 'Tho^m Rydale.' [*Parliamentary
 Petitions, No. 6867.*]

1370-71. **177.** The K. commands that a sworn inquiry be made in
 Feb. 12. Exchequer as to the allegations by Master John of Bolton, that
 while he was chamberlain of Berwick-on-Tweed he could not levy
 the farms, &c. of certain burgages, some being empty, others
 destroyed by the Scots, and others in their occupation, and that he
 be exonerated of the corresponding amount. Westminster. [*Close*,
45 Edw. III. m. 40.]

March 20. **178.** Indenture at London, 20th March 45 Edw. III., between
 Humfrey de Bohum earl of Hereford, Essex, and Northampton, 'et
 seignour de Vale danant,' and William de Stapelton, whereby the
 latter undertakes the ward of Lohmabane castle and Annandale
 for six years from 6th May next, his fee for each of the first two
 years being 200*l.*, and for each succeeding year 250 marks, the half
 year paid in advance at Okham; with grass, hay, and wood, 'oueris
 et caries,' at his own cost, and fishings for himself and garrison in
 the lordship. Saving the Earl's third of William's 'gayne' and the

Edw. III. third of the third of prisoners made by the garrison; and any
 ——— prisoner above 100*l.* of value, for whom the Earl shall pay him
 1370–71. 100*l.*; the Earl also receiving all profits of war made by the men
 of Annandale, not of the garrison. If open war break out between
 England and Scotland, William's fee to be 500 marks. The castle
 to be always victualled for half a year, and, if besieged, to be
 relieved by the Earl within half a year after due notice, or the
 constable may surrender. In case of his death, capture, non-pay-
 ment, poverty, or sickness, preventing his keeping it, the Earl to
 relieve him on three months' notice. [*Duchy of Lancaster Charters,*
Box 7, No 5.]

William's seal appended. Signet, red wax, pendent on tag. A shield
 couché (flattened). Crest, on a cup of maintenance above a helmet, a
 lion's (?) gamb: 's' WILLELMI . . .'

1371. 179. Commission to Adomar of Athol, Thomas de Musgrave
 April 6. escheator of Northumberland [and three others], to inquire into the
 reported waste and destruction made by the late Sir Edward of
 Letham knight, and his successors, while custodiers of the late
 Robert de Maners' lands of Ethale, to the disinheritance and
 damage of his heir, still under age. Westminster. [*Patent, 45*
Edw. III. p. 1, m. 21, dorso.]
- April 28. 180. Commission to Alan of Heton and others to inquire into
 the murder of John, Adam, and Thomas Robbesons at Faustane in
 Tynedale, and the capture of Roger del Spence at Charleton
 there, and his delivery to the Scots, who kept him in Scotland till he
 ransomed himself, and warrant to imprison any accused persons in the
 prison of Werk till tried. Westminster. [*Close, 45 Edw. III. m.*
30, dorso.]
- April 30. 181. Fiat for protection for 4 years for William of Ripon parson
 of Aldyngham church, who is in the garrison of Roxburgh castle
 with Alan de Strother. Westminster. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No.*
313.]
- May 3. 182. The K. for 100 marks grants to Alan del Strother the ward
 of the late David Gray's lands, till the majority of David his son
 and heir, and the heir's marriage. Westminster. [*Patent, 45 Edw.*
III. p. 1, m. 13.]
- May 10. 183. Grant for his good service in Ireland and elsewhere, and in
 Lombardy under the late Lionel duke of Clarence, to Margaret,
 Milisenta, Johanna, and Elena the daughters and heirs of the late
 John Comyn, of their father's manor of Kynsale in the county of
 Dublin; saving to Anabilla his widow her dower therefrom.
 Guldeford. [*Patent, 45 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 9.*]
- May 12. 184. Protection for a year for Sir William de Bruys knight,

- EDW. III. setting out in the K.'s service at sea under Sir John de Neville
 ——— knight, the K.'s admiral. Guldeford. [*Patent, 45 Edw. III. p. 1,*
 1371. *m. 9.*]
- May 22. **185.** Exemplification, at the request of Margaret daughter of
 Henry Percy, of letters patent dated Langele 20th Jan. 13
 Edw. III. (1339–40), *teste* Edward duke of Cornwall, &c. guardian
 of England, permitting Gilbert de Umfraville earl of Angus, to
 grant the manor of Stalynburgh in Lincoln, a mill and fishing in
 the Tyne, in the vills of Ovyngheam and Prodhove, held by Robert
 Tours on a lease of 14 years, to Robert de Umfraville his elder son,
 and said Margaret his wife, at the end of said lease, and the heirs
 of their bodies, whom failing, under reversion to the Earl and his
 heirs. Westminster. [*Patent, 45 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 5.*]
- May 29. **186.** Recognisance by Sir Adomar of Athol knight, for 100
 marks to Maria de St Pol countess of Pembroke, with right to
 levy on his lands, &c. in Northumberland. Westminster. [*Close,*
45 Edw. III. m. 31, dorso.]
- June 4. **187.** Commission to John de Stryvelyn, Robert de Umfraville,
 [and two others,] to inquire as to the manor of Hentishalge and
 the Forest of Lowes within the liberty of Tynedale, and others there,
 held by Katherine, late countess of Athol, who died before 30th
 May 1344, as appeared by inquisition of that date by Alan de
 Strother bailiff of Tynedale; and whether her son the late David
 of Strabolgi earl of Athol, had alienated the reversion of same, to
 the prejudice of his daughters Elizabeth and Philippa, minors, wards
 of the K. Westminster. [*Patent, 45 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 3, dorso.*]
- June 15. **188.** The K. for the good service of William Scot, late one of his
 'palefridarii,' who has been maimed in his service, grants him an
 annuity of 2*d. per diem.* Wynton. [*Patent, 45 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 2.*]
- June 28. **189.** Warrant by the K. to the justices of the Bench, withdrawing
 the late protection to Sir Henry Gramary 'chivaler,' while in
 garrison at Berwick for a year, and allowing the plea of ejection of
 ward between the Prior of Newburgh and him to proceed, as Henry
 Percy constable of Berwick attests his absence. Westminster.
 [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 134.*]
- July 23. **190.** Commission to Richard Tempest, John Heron, Robert de
 Hagiston, and Thomas de Riddale, to inquire into the petition of
 John de la Chambre, holder of a rent of 40*s.* in Berwick-on-Tweed,
 complaining that Master John of Bolton the chamberlain had
 seized it in the K.'s hands on the death of one Henry Batel
 without heirs, to whom it did not belong. Westminster. [*Patent,*
45 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 28, dorso.]

- EDW. III. **191.** Fiat for protection for a year for Richard Stiward, about to
 ——— set forth on the K.'s service with the captain of Calais to that
 1371. town. Westminster. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 313.*]
- August 6. **192.** The K. commands the sheriffs of London to arrest Sir Hugh
 Oct. 20. de Dacre knight, who having been condemned by a jury of
 English and Scots to pay the Earl of Douglas 100*l.* for damages in
 time of truce, had refused,—and it had been paid by Henry
 Percy, one of the wardens of the truce, who had prayed the K. for
 the money—till he found security to answer. Westminster.
 [*Close, 45 Edw. III. m. 10, dorso.*]
 Similar writs to the sheriffs of Northumberland and Lincoln, and
 the latter to levy the 100*l.* from Hugh's lands, &c. there, and pay
 them to Henry.
- 1371–72. **193.** Fiat for safe conducts for Fergus of Edenham of Scotland,
 Feb. 19. with 3 companions, their horses, and 20*l.* for expenses, to pass
 through England to Zeland, also for the noble lady Margaret widow
 of David K. of Scotland, with 40 horsemen to pass through England
 where she pleases; both for 2 years. Westminster. [*Chancery
 Files, Bundle No. 316.*]
 Printed, Appendix II., No. 1.
- Feb. 19. **194.** Fiat for a writ of passage for Sir Thomas of Wedalle
 knight of Scotland, at the port of London for Zeland, with an
 esquire, a vallet, 100 marks sterling, and his 'hernoyes,' and also a
 safe conduct for two years for Sir Thomas and his six horsemen on
 return, to pass through England. Westminster. [*Chancery Files,
 Bundle No. 316.*]
- March 8. **195.** Fiat for letters of passage abroad, either at London or
 Dovorre, for Thomas Clerc, John of Bonygton, William of Polword,
 William Robertson (filz Robert), and John Johnson (filz Johau),
 Escotz, with 1 groom, 5 horses, goods, &c. Westminster. [*Chancery
 Files, Bundle No. 316.*]
1372. **196.** The K. commands the sheriff of Northumberland to see that
 June 6. the arrear of 40 marks due for 4 years' sustenance of John son and
 heir of the late Robert de Maners of Ethale, by the late Edward of
 Letham who held the ward, is levied from Sir Robert de Claveryng
 and Johanna his wife, sister and executrix of Edward, as it had not
 been paid in the latter's life, and also 10 marks yearly hereafter for
 same purpose. Westminster. [*Close, 46 Edw. III. m. 16.*]
- June 23. **197.** Notarial instrument dated 23d June 1372, attesting obliga-
 Feodera, iii. 948. tion of same date by the Lady Margaret Queen of Scotland, widow
 of the late David Bruys K. of Scotland, acknowledging a loan of
 500 marks from Adam Franceys and two other London merchants,

- EDW. III. made to her at Avignon, repayable at Caley's at Pentecost following.
 — Done in the house of the said Queen Margaret at Avignon *ut supra*.
 1372. [*Chapter House (Scots Docts.), Box 95, No. 7.*]

Document much decayed. Appended by green strings is an oval seal of red wax, partly broken and somewhat defaced. Beneath a shield charged with the Scottish lion and double tressure, supported by 2 lions, stands a lady, with mantle, crown, and veil, sceptre in right hand, left on her breast. On either side are shields, the right-hand one broken in half; it seems charged with a fesse, and perhaps what has been a label of 6 points in chief. The left-hand shield seems charged with 3 bars, wavy. The background of the seal is diapered with quatrefoils in small squares: 'SIGIL RE' (Queen Margaret de Logy, by birth a Drummond.)

- July 6. 198. Fiat for licence to John of Crail (Carall) and Nichol Stevenson (filz Steven) chaplains of Scotland, to take shipping in the ports of London or Dovorre at pleasure, on their way to the Roman court, with 2 Scotsmen vallets their servants, 60s. for their expenses, their books, &c. Westminster. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 316.*]

- Oct. 9. 199. Fiat for protection till 6th July next for John Mung-hilby [Montgomery ?] *senior*, in the garrison of the K.'s castle of Otherwyke, under Godefrey de Roos captain. Westminster. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 316.*]

- Dec. ... 200. Commission to Thomas bishop of Durham, Gilbert de Umfraville earl of Angus [and 2 others], to inquire who carry fleeces, &c. from Northumberland, and also sheep at the time of shearing, across the Scottish border, to defraud the revenue. Westminster. [*Patent, 46 Edw. III. m. 2, dorso.*]

Similar commission to Thomas bishop of Carlisle, the said earl, Henry de Percy, Roger de Clifford [and 2 others], to inquire as to Cumberland.

- 1372-73. 201. The sheriffs of all the English counties, and of many towns,
 Jan. 12. are ordered to make weekly proclamation up to Annunciation day against gold or silver Scottish money being taken in payment except at its value as bullion, and after that day to arrest any found, as forfeited to the K. Westminster. [*Close, 46 Edw. III. m. 1, dorso.*]

Similar to Thomas bishop of Durham, and William de Latymer constable of Dover castle and warden of the Cinque ports.

1373. 202. Fiat for protection for a year for John of Grendon in
 March 26. garrison at Roxburgh castle under Alan del Strother the warden. Westminster.

Similar for Robert de Clifford there, on the warden's petition, 21st May 1371-22nd August 1373. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 313.*]

EDW. III. 203. Issue Roll, Michaelmas 47 Edw. III. [Sir Richard] le Scrope, Treasurer.

1372-73.

[*Extracts.*]

Oct. 4— February 21:—To Hugh of Mytton vallet, sent to the north with
 April 16. a letter under the Privy seal addressed to the K. of Scotland, to be delivered to Alan del Strother, and another to said Alan as to forwarding the letter to the K. of Scotland; for his pay—40s. To John Crulle vallet, sent to the north on same day with a commission under the Great seal to Sir Henry le Scrope and Sir Ralph de Hastynges knights, and Roger of Fulthorpe, to hear and settle certain debates and dissensions between Henry lord of Percy and William Douglas of Scotland, mooted by the wardens of the English Marches; also with letters under the Privy seal to the Bishop of Durham, Lord Percy, and Henry le Scrope on same business; for his pay—30s. [*Issue Roll (Pells), Michaelmas, 47 Edw. III.*]

1373. 204. Fiat for protection for a year for John Thomasson Roos of
 May 24. Kendale, in the garrison of the K.'s castle of Jeddeworth in Scotland. Westminster. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 313.*]

May 28. 205. Fiat for protection for a year for John de Neville in the
 K.'s service beyond seas, and William son of Sir William Bruys knight, in his company. Westminster. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 313.*]

Aug. 17. 206. Fiat for protection for a year for Richard Flexham in the
 K.'s service under Sir Godfrey Roos knight, captain of the castle of Otherwyk (who is about to go beyond seas), and remains in the garrison. Westminster. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 313.*]

Aug. 27. 207. The K. for 100 marks, grants to Alan del Strother, the
 ward of the lands of the late David Gray son of David Gray, till the majority of Thomas brother and heir of David Gray the son, and the latter's marriage. Westminster. [*Patent, 47 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 30.*]

Oct. 26. 208. Indenture whereby Sir Thomas de Musgrave undertakes the
 keeping of Berwick-on-Tweed for a year after next St Martin's day with a sufficient garrison for 400 marks *per annum*; with the usual powers of a warden of the March, and keeping the town walls, &c. in repair at the K.'s costs. Westminster.

Similar dated 5th November 1374, for a year from Martinmas day following.

Similar dated 9th February 1375-76, for 3 years from Martinmas. [Seal damaged.] [*Exchequer, Treasury of Receipt Miscellanea, No. 4⁶.*]

A small seal, red wax, on tag. A shield couché charged with 7 annulets,

- EDW. III. 3, 2, and 1. Crest, on a close helmet affronté, a broad-brimmed hat, from which 2 arms issue holding an annulet between them: 'S' THOME MUSGRAVE.'
- 1373.
- Nov. 21. **209.** Ordinances by Parliament at Westminster, morrow of St Edmond martyr 47 Edw. III., (1) as to the measure of cloth, and (2) as the Scottish people by their cunning have drawn the good silver coin out of England, their 4*d.* piece shall only be taken at 3*d.*, and if it gets worse, it shall be abated accordingly. [*Close, 47 Edw. III. m. 3, dorso.*]
- 1373-74. **210.** Cumberland:—As to Robert de Rabankes abbot of Holm Hilary Coltran, being allowed certain monies received by Robert Sothayk Term. his predecessor, from divers creditors of Thomas Bridkirk [late rector of Stanhoe and prebendary of Bysshop-Aukland], an outlaw. [*Exchequer, Q. R. Memoranda, Repertory No. 2.*]
1374. **211.** Compotus of William de Stapilton warden of Loghmban April 17. castle, regarding his yearly fee from 16th January 46 Edw. III. (1372-73) till 17th April 48 Edw. III. (1374).
Receipt:—For 125*l.* received from the Treasurer and Chamberlain at the receipt of Exchequer on 26th October 48 (*sic*) Edw. III. (1374),—and 41*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* from same. Total, 166*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.*
Payments:—For his annual fee from 16th January 46 Edw. III. (1372-73), on which day the Earl of Hereford died, till 17th April following, viz., a quarter, he asked no pay, as the late Earl had already paid him. But for 3 quarters of a year thereafter, viz., till 16th January last, he is due 125*l.*; and from that date till 17th April following, another quarter—41*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* Total, 166*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* [*Exchequer, Q. R. Ancient Miscellanea, No. 686.*]
In the original bag.
- April 21. **212.** Fiat for protection for a year for William son of Sir William Bruys 'chivaler,' who is a hostage in France by appointment of John lord of Neville. Westminster. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 321.*]
He was a hostage for the castle of Brest in Brittany, to which he returned under his oath on 19th January following. [*ibid.* 323.]
- May 12. **213.** Fiat for protections for a year for William de Stapelton warden of Loghmban castle, and four [named] of his garrison. Westminster. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 321.*]
- June 14. **214.** Licence to Thomas White of Great Yarmouth, to export 20 casks of Gascon wine of poor colour ('debilis coloris') to Scotland or Norway, to make the best of it. Westminster. [*Patent, 48 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 9.*]
- July 10. **215.** Grant to the K.'s esquire Peter de Roos, for his life, of

EDW. III. lands in Blencogou, Cumberland, forfeited by Sir William le Blount
 ——— a rebel, and given by the late K. on 28th June 1323 to his liege
 1374. William of Lohmaban and his heirs (with the dower therein of
 Johanna widow of John le Blount), under condition that if W. of
 Lohmaban sold or made waste in the lands, they should revert to
 the K. and his heirs, which reversion had taken effect, as attested
 by Ranulph de Dacre under an alienation to him by W. of Loh-
 maban. Westminster. [*Patent, 48 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 7.*]

[*Extracts.*]

April 10— 216. April 22:—To William earl of Douglas of Scotland,
 Sept. 23. received by him from the officers of Exchequer as a prest to be
 repaid at Pentecost—10*l.* [*m. 2.*]

May 19:—To John Yonge esquire of Scotland, by his own
 hands; for passage of himself and men and 11 horses from Dover
 to Calais—73*s. 4d.*; staying there in the K.'s service, and return
 passage of himself, men, and 3 horses from Calais to England—20*s.*;
 4*l.* 13*s. 4d.* [*m. 6.*]

September 23:—To William Beaufey one of the tellers of
 receipt, sent to Berwick-on-Tweed for 4000 marks of the K. of
 Scotland's ransom at Midsummer last, pay going and returning, viz.,
 from 7th June till 10th July, 34 days at 5*s. per diem*—8*l.* 10*s.*;
 pay and expenses of 2 vallets attending him, 12*d.* a day each—
 68*s.*; hire of 3 horses from Newcastle to Berwick, and their keep
 for 10 days—22*s. 8d.*; and pay of a vallet sent to Edeneburghe in
 Scotland, with a safe conduct directed to Walter Bygar chamber-
 lain of the K. of Scotland, to come to Berwick with the money—
 6*s. 8d.*; 13*l.* 8*s. 4d.* [*m. 24.*] [*Issue Roll (Pells), Easter, 48 Edw.*
III.]

Oct. 22. 217. Fiat for protections for a year for Henry de Preston
 'chivaler,' Adam Armstrang 'chivaler,' William Hunt of London,
 Adam Grey of Scotland, and Thomas Beverley of Scotland, who are
 setting out beyond seas in the K.'s service with his son [in law]
 Edmund de Mortimer earl of March. Westminster. [*Chancery*
Files, Bundle No. 321.]

Nov. 3. 218. Fiat for protections for a year for William de Monymosk
 and Robert Cateney (Caithness?) esquire, going in the K.'s service
 abroad under his son Edmund earl of Cambridge. Westminster.
 [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 321.*]

Nov. 12. 219. Fiat for protection for William Mareschal of Scotland for a
 year, who is going beyond seas in the K.'s service with his son
 [in law] Edmund de Mortimer earl of March. Westminster.
 [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 323.*]

Nov. 26. 220. Fiat for protection till 1st May next for William de

- Edw. III. Egillisfield esquire of the county of Cumberland, in the garrison
 ——— of the K.'s castle of Lohmaban in Scotland. Westminster.
 1374. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 321.*]
- Dec. 15. **221.** Fiat for protection for a year for Sir John of Swynton
 knight, about to go in the K.'s service beyond seas, with his son
 Edmund earl of Cambridge. Westminster. [*Chancery Files, Bundle*
No. 323.]
- Dec. 22. **222.** Fiat for protection till Midsummer next for Alan del
 Strothre warden of Roxburgh castle in Scotland, who is about to go
 there. Westminster. [*Chancery Files, Bundle No. 321.*]
- 1374-75. **223.** Computus of William Henrison *senior*, chamberlain of
 Jan. 16. Logmabane castle, in the K.'s hand by the death of Humfrey
 de Bohun, late earl of Hereford, and the minority of his
 heir, from 16th January 47 Edw. III. (1373-74) till same
 day next year, by view and testimony of William of Stapil-
 ton the warden.

Receipts:—12*l.* 14*s.* 4*d.* from the half of the vills of Anande
 and Logmabane, with demesne lands, profits of court, tolls, &c. farmed
 to John Clerk of Anande, John Deconson, and William Tayllor.
 And 4*l.* 10*s.* from the vill of Hetathe, farmed to Adam of Smalham,
 Adam Balde, and the husbandmen of the vill. And 66*s.* 8*d.*
 from the water mill there, leased to same. And 4*l.* from the vill
 of Smalham leased to William of Smalham, John Payn, and the
 husbandmen of the same. And 106*s.* 8*d.* from the half of the fish-
 ing of Anande water similarly leased to Adam Broune and Thomas
 Colstone. And 12*l.* from half of the vill of Raynpatrick, demesne
 lands, and half of the water mill, similarly leased to John of North-
 holm *senior*, John and Hugh Slahare, John Younge, and the
 husbandmen of same. And 66*s.* 8*d.* from the half of the vill of
 Gretenhowe, at the rate of 10 merks *per annum*, at Pentecost.
 Nothing from Martinmas term, as the tenants were totally ruined
 then both by the English and Scots. Nothing for same reason
 from the half of the vill of Calfhirst. For the half of the vill of
 Kyrkpatrick and its mill—20*s.*, at the rate of 40*s.* *per annum*. No-
 thing therefor at Martinmas term, reason *ut supra*. Total, 46*l.* 3*s.* 4*d.*

Charge:—Large timber for a bridge, a bretasche, and houses in the
 castle—4*l.* For 3000 nails called 'spykyngs' for roofing 2 towers,
 at 10*s.*—30*s.* For 3 hemp ropes for the bridge—2*s.* And a spade
 and 4 'scholyrnes' for making the bank (ripa) of the castle—20*d.*
 Total, 118*s.* 8*d.*

Wages of a master carpenter and 4 others making the bridge *de*
novo, repairing the bretasche and houses, felling and preparing the
 large timber from Ramyrscles wood; horse hire from Carlisle with
 these men and their tools; 500 'bords' from Inglewood forest for

Edw. III. the roofs of these 2 towers, and carriage; nothing for carriage of
 ——— 300 similar 'bords,' as the men of Gretenhowe and Raynpatryk per-
 1374-75. formed it by agreement; mowing and carriage of 28 wagon loads of
 'thak et rede' from the field of Usby to the castle; wages of
 thatchers and 'daubers' covering and 'daubing' the roofs. Total,
 18*l.* 7*s.* 8*d.*

Fees:—John Rothour ditcher of the castle, for a year—40*s.*; a
 bowyer (artilary) for half a year—13*s.* 4*d.*; the chamberlain for a year
 —10*l.* Total, 12*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* Total cost, 36*l.* 14*s.* 8*d.*, and he owes
 9*l.* 8*s.* 8*d.* [*Exchequer, Q. R. Ancient Miscellanea, No. 6⁸6.*]

1375. **224.** Indenture whereby William of Stapleton undertakes the
 April 26. keeping of Lohmaban castle (in the K.'s ward by the minority of
 the daughters and heirs of the late Humfrey de Bohun earl of Here-
 ford) for a year from 1st May following, at a salary of 200*l.* yearly.
 He is to have in Annandale both for himself and garrison, grass, hay,
 turbary, fish, and wood at pleasure, and to provide and maintain in
 victuals (a bouche de court) a chamberlain, masons, and carpenters,
 the K. paying their wages. On war arising with the Scots he is
 to be paid 500 marks. Westminster. [*Exchequer, Q. R. Ancient
 Miscellanea, No. 6⁸6.*]

The Privy seal, damaged, appended to a tag. France (ancient) and England
 quarterly.

Attached is a statement of receipts on account of his fee for the ensuing
 year, and terms when paid.

May 21. **225.** Fiat for protections for a year for Henry del Strothre and
 John de Thrilwall *junior*, in the garrison of Jeddeworth castle in
 Scotland, under Henry Percy warden. Westminster. [*Chancery
 Files, Bundle No. 323.*]

May 28. **226.** Exemplification of letters patent by Henry lord of Percy,
 granting to Sir Ingelram de Umfraville knight, for life, for his good
 service to his progenitors and himself, two-thirds of his manor of
 Wharrom-Percy in Yorkshire, and an annuity of 10*l.* from his manor
 of Wilton Laysyngby in Cleveland in same county, for the service
 of a rose at Midsummer yearly. Witnesses:—Sirs William of
 Aton *junior*, Richard Tempest and Robert of Boynton knights, &c.
 Given at his castle of Alwyk 6th August 48 Edw. III. West-
 minster. [*Patent, 49 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 13.*]

Nov. 6. **227.** The K. commands the sheriffs of London to discharge from
 Newgate prison Nicholas of Munroos, John of Mar, John le Lyle,
 John Kerr, Thomas Geen, John Richardesson, William Aleynesson,
 Robert Adamson, William Henrysson, William Elysson, and Adam
 Jonesson, of Scotland, who were lately arrested on the information
 of Nicholas Potyn 'scrutator forisfacturarum' in the Thames and
 port of London, for a great robbery on William Bokerelle of Scot-

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 Anabella, 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.] **229.** The executors of Johanna widow of John of Coupland, pray
Circa the K. and Council for the arrears of the last four years of their
 Dec. joint annuity of 190*l.* 5*s.* 3¼*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.*]

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