1276.

Philip de Wileby and Thomas de Guneys, were administering the king's affairs in the wardrobe, it was found that the said merchants had at divers times delivered into the wardrobe at divers places 23,364l. 4s. 2d. sterling. Also that when R. bishop of Bath and Wells, the chancellor, was carrying on the king's affairs in England during his absence, they delivered to him a quantity of money as is contained in the following parcels:—

At the fair of Laon to divers merchants of Acre, 880l.
At the may-fair of Provins by the hands of brother Joseph de Chauney, the treasurer, to other merchants of Acre, 1,333l. 6s. 6d.
To Philip de Berinzon, of Genoa, 66l. 13s. 4d.
To John de London, for the debts of Henry III. to divers poor persons, 66l. 13s. 4d.
At the Temple, Paris, for the king's debts, 4,000l.
For the expenses of the king's children, 6l. 12s. 6d.
By the hands of Master Robert de Beverlaco for buying timber to make the hales (alas) at Westminster, 40l.
For the carriage of a chest (trusselli) with silk cloth and carpets, 18s.
By the hands of the archbishop of York for the munition of the castle of Windsor, 66l. 13s. 4d.
To Alard Lupi for furs bought at Bruges for the coronation, 100l.
For a robe delivered to Michael Maucondut, 64s.
For 300 pounds of wax to make an image for the king, 6l. 12s. at the price of 144s. a hundred (sic).
To Master Robert de Beverlaco for making the said image, 66s.
For a piece of Persian (de Perso) with furs for two robes given to Lucasius and Labrus, 8l.
To Hugh Piscis for a horse bought from him in Gascony, 10l. 13s. 4d.
To John de Burgo as part of his fee, 100l.
To Master Robert de Beverlaco for windows to the wardrobe, 77s. 6d.
To William de Sancto Ademaro returning from the court of Rome for his expenses, 10l.
For the land of Ar[n]leya bought from the said bishop [of Bath and Wells] and given to Letardus Hanyn, 300l.
To Master R. de Frenningham for his expenses in the court of Rome, 20l.

All which sums amount to 7,987l. 13s. 4d.

It was also found by view of the said account that from the time when Master Thomas Bek, king's clerk, was ordained keeper of the wardrobe, until Hilary, 4 Edward I. that the above merchants paid into the wardrobe 23,487l. 14s. 11d. All which payments of money, as expressed above, amount to 54,539l. 12s. 9d. Of which it was found that they had received, as they have admitted, 41,206l. 6s. 1d., so that there remains due to them 13,333l. 6s. 8d., which the king promises to pay them at London a fortnight after Easter next.

Vacated because surrendered and cancelled.

Licence for the abbot and convent of St. Edmunds to tax and value, in the form provided and sent herewith, either by themselves or by their own deputies, all their own goods and chattels and those of their burgesses, freemen and villeins within their liberty (banleuca) of St. Edmund, in the presence of Robert de Tybetot, who has been commanded by the king, at the instance of the said abbot and convent, to be present.

Protection with clause volumus, until Christmas, for John de Vesey, going to Santiago.

The like for Nicholas Alrelin going there.

Letters for the abbot of Glastonbury nominating brother William de Lukumbe and Henry de Givelton his attorneys in Ireland for three years.