April 27. 1318. Wallingford. Power to the abbot of Leycestre, when the election, held under a licence previously granted and to which the royal assent has been given, of Joan de Hastinges, a nun of Grace Dieu, to be prioress of that house, shall be confirmed by the diocesan of the place, in the king's name to take fealty from her and to certify the king thereof. By letters of the Chancellor.

April 25. Wallingford. Insipcrions and confirmation of letters patent of queen Margaret, dated at Christchurch, Twynham, on the morrow of St. John the Baptist, 10 Edward II. directed to the brethren of her hospital of St. Bartholomew by Oxford, enjoining on them to answer to Robert de Sutton, chaplain, to whom she has committed for life the custody of the hospital, as master and warden thereof.

Grant to Rober Lower, king's yeoman, and his heirs, of the site of a watermill with the meadow adjoining it in Basyngstok, which William de Wynteworth (or Byntcworth) by his charter granted to the king, subject to rendering at the Exchequer by the hands of the sheriff of the county of Suthampton 6l. a year. By p.s. [4661.]

May 4. Whitchurch. Acknowledgement that the king has received as a loan by the hands of J. bishop of Ely, the Treasurer, and of the chamberlains of the Exchequer, from J. bishop of Lincoln, in the name of Pope John XXII. and of the Church of Rome, 300l. sterling, in part payment of the tenth for six years imposed in the Council of Vienne by Pope Clement V. for the general crusade, collected in the city and diocese of Lincoln by the said bishop of Lincoln by the hands of the abbot of Osneye; with promise of repayment within five years. By bill of the Receipt. Vacated because surrendered and cancelled and other letters were made thereof.

The like letters for the under mentioned persons, viz.—

The same bishop for 500l. collected by the hands of the prior of St. Katherine's without Lincoln.

A. bishop of Hereford, for 80l. collected by the hands of the dean and chapter of Hereford.

May 6. Cookham. J. bishop of Llandaff, for 16s. 10d. collected by the hands of the abbot of Morgan.
Walter bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, for 61l. 10s. 2d. collected by the abbot of Burton-upon-Trent.

By bill of the Receipt. Vacated because surrendered and cancelled in the fourteenth year of the king’s reign, when other letters were made.

May 10. Windsor. The same bishop for 100l. collected by the said abbot.

John, bishop of Bath and Wells, for 4l. 6s. 14d. collected by the hands of the dean and chapter of Wells.

By bill of the Receipt. Vacated because surrendered and cancelled and otherwise below.

May 18. Westminster. Richard, bishop of London, for 100l. collected by him in the city and diocese of London.

By bill of the Receipt.

May 2. Whitchurch. Grant, for seven years, to the bailiffs and good men of the town of Stafford of murage upon all wares for sale coming into their town, to be collected by Roger de Swynenerton (or Swynnerton) or his deputy. By p.s.

May 6. Cookham. Presentation of William de Clif (or Clyf), clerk, to the church of Albotesle, in the diocese of Lincoln. By p.s.