1318.

John, bishop of Avranches ("Abriuceni"), staying in Normandy, has letters nominating William de la Hogue and Thomas de Sancto Pancracio his attorneys for two years.

The said bishop has like letters of attorney in the islands of Gereseye and Gerneseye.

April 20. Wallingford.

Whereas the king's progenitors, kings of England, never had, and the king himself has no prison in the city of Cashel, within the county of Tyrerry in Ireland, on account of divers liberties which the archbishop, dean and chapter of the church of Cashel have, as is said, in the said city, viz., that there ought to be no prison in the said city without their licence, whereby the king has suffered much loss, and malefactors who ought according to their demerits to be in prison and to undergo punishment remain unpunished, and whereas William, archbishop of Cashel, and the dean and chapter of the said church have by their writings granted a certain plot of land in the city sufficient for a prison, and moreover have undertaken before Roger de Mortuo Mari of Wyggemore, keeper of Ireland, the king's lieutenant, and others of the Council of those parts, to construct at their own expense a strong and sufficient prison on that plot according to the advice of the said keeper and others of the Council, and have further granted for themselves and their successors that the king, his heirs, and ministers in Ireland may take prisoners, felons and others, seized in the county of Tyrerry, or elsewhere without the said city, to the said prison in the city of Cashel, and keep them in custody there and indict them there and execute judgment upon them as well within the city as without.

The king wishing to make a suitable return to the said archbishop, dean and chapter for their concession grants them the advowson of the church of St. Mary, Dungarvan in Decia [in Dees], in Ireland, to hold to the said archbishop, and his successors, English archbishops of that place. Licence also, notwithstanding the statute of mortmain, for the archbishop to appropriate the said church with its chapels, and to hold it to himself and his successors, English archbishops of the place, provided if it happen that any other than an Englishman be elected, preferred or in any other manner confirmed into the archbishopric of the said place, then the advowson of the said church of Dungarvan with its chapels shall revert to the king and his heirs to possess without contradiction of the archbishop, dean and chapter of the church of Cashel, and nevertheless the said plot and prison and other things granted, as above expressed by the said archbishop, dean and chapter, to the king shall remain to him and his heirs.

By p.s. [1618.]

Licence after inquisition ad quod damnum made by Robert de Sapy, escheator beyond Trent, for Bartholomew de Cotyngham, king's clerk, parson of the church of Beghton, to enclose a certain path, leading from the king's highway through the middle of the court of his parsonage of Beghton to the cemetery of the said church, for the enlargement of his court, provided he makes a like way in the soil of his church on the south side.

By C.

Robert Bernard, parson of the church of Edyweston, going beyond the seas to study, has letters nominating Simon son of Robert Russel of Berewedon his attorney for two years.

Exemption for life for Richard de Huntynge of York from being put on assizes, juries, or recognitions; and from being made sheriff, mayor, coroner, bailiff, forester, verderer, or minister, &c.

By K.