Membrane 21—cont.

Norfolk and Suffolk: 600 quarters of wheat, 1,000 quarters of oats, 1,000 quarters of barley-malt and 300 hogs. The clerk is Thomas de Eggefeld.

The same sheriff, in the town of Great Yarmouth and elsewhere in his bailiwick by another writ: 10,000 stock fish, 1,000 quarters of small salt (salis minuti) and 500 quarters of salt from Poitou (salis de Peyto).

Cambridge and Huntingdon: 1,000 quarters of wheat, 500 quarters of beans, 500 quarters of oats, 500 quarters of barley-malt. The clerk is John de Staunford.

Essex: 500 quarters of wheat, 1,000 quarters of oats. The clerk is John de Percebrigg.

Kent: 1,000 quarters of wheat, 1,000 quarters of oats, 200 hogs. The clerk is Nicholas de Lynwode.

Southampton: 400 quarters of wheat, 500 quarters of oats. The clerk is William de Werdale.

Nottingham and Derby: 800 quarters of wheat, 500 quarters of oats, 1,000 quarters of beans and pease, 300 hogs. The clerk is Thomas de Gergrave.

Surrey and Sussex: 1,000 quarters of oats, 300 hogs. The clerk is Hugh Bewyk.

Lancaster: 1,000 quarters of oats, 500 hogs. The clerk is Roger de Kendale.

April 14. Mandate to Thomas Lercedekne to be diligent in the above purveyance.

By K.

The like to the sheriffs of the foregoing counties.

March 24. Mandate to the justiciary and the treasurer of Ireland to buy and purvey in Ireland out of the issues of that country 6,000 quarters of wheat, 4,000 quarters of oats, 1,000 quarters of barley-malt, 3,000 quarters of beans, 500 hogs, 500 tons of wine, 500 quarters of salt; one half of the wheat is to be ground and put in barrels and sent to Skimburnesse by Carlisle, with all speed, so as to be there by the octaves of Holy Trinity at the latest, to be delivered to the receiver of stores there.

By K.

Afterwards these letters were renewed under the names of John de Birmingehain, earl of Loueth, the justiciary, and of Master Walter de Islep, the treasurer, with the addition of the words 'in cities, boroughs and other towns within liberties, &c.', under date 14 April.

April 1. The like to the seneschal of Gascony and the constable of Bordeaux to purvey 2,000 quarters of wheat and 1,000 tuns of wine and to send them to Newcastle upon Tyne by the above date. And if by pretext of the king's requisitions to the men of that land for a subsidy in aid of the Scotch expedition, they can get wheat and wine they are to receive these as such subsidy; if they cannot get wheat and wine by way of subsidy, they are to get them out of any money which they may have as subsidy; if they cannot get subsidies in money or any other way, then they are to purvey the wheat and wine out of the issues of the duchy.

By K.

April 16. Power to John de Bermyngham, earl of Loueth, the justiciary of Ireland, and Master Walter de Islep, the treasurer, of Ireland, as the king is informed that no victuals can be obtained except in the cities, boroughs and market towns, and these are said to be privileged so that none of the king's ministers can take prises of victuals or other goods therein against the will of the men thereof and without immediate satisfaction being made for the