and forward the same to Newcastle-upon-Tyne to be delivered to the king's receiver there by Trinity; he is to certify the king in the Chancery of the names of the persons from whom the victuals are bought, and of the sums due to them, so that the collectors of the tenth and sixth in that county may make due payments according to such certificates; allowance will be made to the sheriff in his account for the expenses therein.

The like to the sheriff of Surrey and Sussex to purvey 500 quarters of wheat, 500 quarters of barley and 1,000 quarters of oats and 500 bacons by view and testimony of William de Holynes, clerk.

The like to the sheriff of Norfolk and Suffolk, to purvey 10,000 stock fish, 1,000 quarters of small salt, and 500 quarters of salt of 'Peytow' by view and testimony of Henry Rose, the viewer, and to forward them as above.

The form in which victuals shall be bought and purveyed. After the commission is read and published the commissioners shall cause to come before them merchants and other fit persons by whom the said purveyance may be best made, and charge them to go from town to town, within franchises and without, to purvey the victuals in places where they can with most profit to the king and least grievance and annoyance to the people with respect to things for sale and other things which ought reasonably to be sold, saving the sustenance of the sellers. And the corn which they buy and purvey in sheaf they shall have threshed, winnowed and made ready by the sellers as quickly as possible; and of the purchases and purveyances made by them, whether from merchants or others, indentures shall be made between them and the sellers, and they shall return their parts of the said indentures as soon as possible to the commissioners and the latter shall without delay certify into the Chancery the names of the sellers and the sums due to them, so that after every such certification into the Chancery, order may be issued to the taxers and collectors of the tenth and sixth to make payments without delay. And the intention of the king and his Council is that the said purchases and purveyance be made with the good will of people and that payment be made to them before the corn is out of their possession, if they will be satisfied with nothing less. French.

Feb. 20. Mandate to the sheriff of Lincoln to purvey 2,000 quarters of wheat, 1,000 quarters of barley and 1,000 quarters of oats, and to forward the same to Newcastle-upon-Tyne by Trinity. By K.

The like to the sheriffs of the following counties:—
Norfolk, 3,000 quarters of wheat, 2,000 quarters of barley.
Suffolk, 1,000 quarters of wheat, 1,000 quarters of barley.
Essex, 500 quarters of wheat, 2,000 quarters of oats.
Northampton, 1,000 quarters of wheat, 1,000 quarters of barley.
Cambridge and Huntingdon, 1,500 quarters of wheat, 1,000 quarters of barley, 500 quarters of beans, 500 quarters of oats.
London and Middlesex, 1,000 quarters of wheat.
Kent, 1,500 quarters of wheat, 1,000 quarters of barley, 1,000 quarters of oats.
Nottingham, 500 quarters of wheat, 500 quarters of barley, 500 quarters of beans.

The like to the sheriff of Gloucester to purvey 500 quarters of wheat, 500 quarters of beans and 500 quarters of barley; and he will be informed of the places to which they are to be conveyed.