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March 25. Precept to the sheriff of Lincoln to assist William de Carleton, to whom the king has granted the custody of the hospital of the Holy Innocents without Lincoln, in collecting the arrears of rent due to the hospital. The like to the mayor and bailiffs of the city of Lincoln.

March 25. Revocation of the grant of the prebend of Bere and Cherministre in the church of St. Mary, Salisbury, to Robert de Stratford, king's clerk, that prebend having already been granted by the late king to George de Saluccis, king's clerk, archdeacon of Buckingham, to hold with his archdeaconry and the prebend of Massam in the church of St. Peter, York. By K. & C.

March 25. Appointment of Robert de Poleye, king's yeoman, for service to queen Isabella and the king beyond seas and after their landing in England, as well as for his great costs on their journey, to the custody of two parts of the lands late of Walter de Welles, tenant in chief, in Little Reynes, co. Essex, with the marriage of the heir. By p.s.

March 23. Licence for the prior and convent of Rochester to acquire in mortmain land not held in chief to the yearly value of 40s. By p.s.

March 3. Inspeximus and confirmation of letters patent dated 5 June, 2 Edward II., inspecting and confirming letters patent of 28 October, 22 Edward I., and 31 March, 26 Henry III., to the scholars of the University of Cambridge.

March 24. Licence for the alienation in mortmain by John Mace to the master and brethren of St. John's hospital, Brakkele, of a messuage in Brackele of the value of 2s. a year, as appears by inquisition thereof taken by Matthew Broun, escheator in the counties of Lincoln, Northampton and Rutland; in part satisfaction of land and rent to the yearly value of 10l. which they had licence from the late king to acquire.

March 27. Grant to Joan Comyn of Boghan of 40l. a year out of the issues of the county of York until further order touching her estate. By K. & C.

March 27. Grant to Nicholas de la Despense, king's yeoman, for the support of his wife and children, of a yearly sum of 20l. out of the issues of the counties of Nottingham and Derby, at will, in consideration of his long service to the late king, queen Isabella and the king, and in recompence for land of the like value in the county of Derby, late of William Bredon, granted to him by the late king, but since restored by consent of parliament to the said William. By p.s.

March 29. Appointment of John de Roche and Robert de Norton to the custody of the islands of Gernereye, Jereseye, Serk and Aureneye, as Otho de Grandissono, who holds the said custody for life by the grant of Edward I., does not now stay in the islands, or provide sufficient guard against hostile attack; receiving from such as shall supply the place of the said Otho as much of the issues as they deem necessary for the defence of the islands. Writ of aid for the said John and Robert directed to Otho de Grandissono, or such as shall supply his place, and to all others of the said islands.