on the misery of the said prisoners, especially because they are in custody not for criminal cause or any misdeeds against the peace, grants that all the said pence called 'Godespans' received by the collectors of customs there shall be assigned, during pleasure, towards the sustenance of such of the said prisoners as are so poor as to have nothing else to live on. The keeper of the Flete shall receive the same by indentures and shall shew the part of such indenture remaining with him to the treasurer immediately after receipt of the money, and divide the money among the prisoners at the discretion of such treasurer or his deputy in this behalf according to their indigence, and if any remain over this shall be converted in aid of the sustenance of a chaplain to celebrate divine service in an oratory by the prison for the souls of the king's progenitors and for those who confer the pence, at which masses those prisoners who are deprived of the liberty of attending other churches may attend; and it is not the king's intention that any prisoners who have faculties or friends whereby they could be maintained, shall participate in the pence in any wise. By p.s.

March 4. Peter Benet, citizen of Salisbury, staying in England, has letters nominating John Warner, burgess of Cork, as his attorney in Ireland for one year. William de Newenham received the attorney.

March 6. Pardon to John Botild of Boseyate of the king's suit for the death of John Grobbe of Boseyate, as the king has learned by the record of Henry Grene and William de Skipwyth, justices appointed to deliver his gaol of the castle of Norhampton, that he killed him in self defence.

March 16. Appointment of John de Brakelond, surveyor of the works of the king's bows to be made in the Tower of London, to take as many workmen as are necessary for the said works and bring them to the Tower to stay there in the works at the king's wages. By K.

Feb. 5. Licence for Hugh de Courteney, earl of Devon, and Margaret, his wife, to grant to their son Thomas the manor of Morton, co. Devon, held in chief, to hold to him and the heirs male of his body, with remainders to Philip, his brother, and the heirs male of his body, and to Peter, brother of the said Philip, and the heirs male of his body, and reversion to the earl and Margaret to hold to them and the heirs of the earl.

March 8. Alan Everard, staying in England, has letters nominating John de Sudbury and Thomas Everard as his attorneys in Ireland for one year.

March 10. John de Bohun of Midhurst, staying in England, has letters nominating Roger de Wyche as his attorney in Ireland for two years. David de Wollere received the attorney.

Feb. 20. Because the king has been given to understand that one Nicholas de Staneweye, complaining to the pope that the king's clerk Thomas de Brembre, canon of Lincoln, by occasion of a canonry and prebend which Nicholas holds in the church of London, had drawn him to