Membrane 23—cont.

of Ryngmere in a hot conflict and not of malice, to the said John of the king's suit for the said death, whereof he is indicted or appealed, and of any consequent outlawry.

By p.s.

March 12. Whereas the king by letters patent lately granted to his yeoman Richard le Panetere the ferry over the water of Twede at Berwick on Tweed, to wit the ferry towards Scotland for life, and the ferry towards England at will, until a bridge be built there; the king of more abundant grace grants that he shall hold the ferry towards England for life, without any rent to the king; until a bridge be built as above.

By p.s.

Membrane 22.

April 6. Grant to Robert de Hunston and Henry Bagge of pontage from this date until five years from Michaelmas on things for sale passing over or under the bridge of Rudbrigg, to be applied in the repair of that bridge by the supervision and disposition of Nicholas de Depeden; it having been found by inquisition that the bridge is in a dangerous state and that there is no one bound of right to repair the same.

By K. & C.

March 30. Grant, for life or until other order, to the yeoman of the king's chamber Reynold de Neuport of 10 marks yearly out of the issues of the county of Oxford.

By p.s.

March 15. Grant for life, for long service, to the king's yeoman Robert de Shirewode of the office of bailiff errant in the county of Lincoln, to hold as Thomas Purchas, deceased, held the office of the king's grant.

By p.s.

April 8. Licence, until All Saints, for John de Swerdeston of Lenne and his servants to ship 100 quarters of corn in the port of Lenne and bring the same to Holland, Zeeland, or Gascony, to make his profit of there.

By p.s.

April 13. Ratification of the estate of John de Ely of Byker as vicar of the church of Brampton by Huntingdon.

By p.s.

April 14. Gift to Walter Norman of the crayer which is in the keeping of the mayor, sheriffs and coroners of London as forfeit to the king because a man who fell out of it into the water of Thames on Friday last was drowned.

By p.s.

April 14. Licence, for 20s. paid in the hanaper, for Gilbert de Culwenne to assign in mortmain to the abbot and convent of Heppe the manor of Heppe, in exchange for a fourth part of the manor of Bampton Cundale and Bampton Patrik to be given to him and his heirs; saving the services due to the chief lords of those fees.

By p.s.

April 5. Exemption, for life, of Stephen Carre from being put on assizes, juries or recognitions, and from appointment as mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner or other bailiff or minister of the king, against his will.

The like of Robert Gerkyyn.