March 1. The like to Peter de Nuttle, Peter de Rychemund and William de Nessefeld, on information that some evildoers have carried away 1000l. of treasure lately found within the abbey of St. Mary, York, underground, which should belong to the king. By K. & C.

MEMBRANE 25d.

March 20. Commission to Owen ap Oweyn, Edmund Hakelut, sheriff of Hereford, John Joce and Henry de Prestwode, escheator in the said county and the adjacent march of Wales, reciting that, whereas on its being found by inquisition taken by the said Edmund, then escheator in the said county and march, that Andrew Wysman held in his demesne as of fee at the day of his death a moiety of a knight's fee in St. Hussild and Trefberthe, co. Pembroke, in the march aforesaid, of the heir of Laurence de Hastynge, late earl of Pembroke, tenant in chief, the king's ward, by knight service, and that John son of the said Andrew was his next heir and of full age, the king on 8 April last took the fealty of the said John and commanded the said moiety to be delivered to him, and that afterwards the king, receiving on behalf of Walter Vaghan, to whom he committed the wardship of the lands late of David Vaghan who held of the said heir by knight service, that in the taking of the fealty and livery of the moiety to the said John he had been deceived because the said moiety is the same as the tenements late of the said David, which the king committed to the said Walter, from which wardship the latter had been removed by pretext of the livery, charged the sheriff of Hereford to warn the said John to be in the chancery on the morrow of St. Bartholomew last to shew cause why the moiety should not be resumed and delivered to Walter; and because John, having been duly warned, came not at the day, the king charged the sheriff that, if it were certain that the moiety and the tenements late of the said David were the same, he should cause it to be resumed and delivered to Walter; and now on behalf of John Mortymer of the said county of Pembroke, who acquired the said moiety from the said John son of Andrew after the latter had had seisin thereof as above, it has been shown to the king that the said David Vaghan ap David ap Yevan, in the time of Edward I, died seised in his demesne as of fee of two messuages and five carucates of land in St. Hussild, Trefberthe and Hencaestel, co. Pembroke, which make up the said moiety, and which were held of William de Valence, then earl of Pembroke, by knight service, and Walter son and heir of the said David, being seised thereof after the death of the latter, alienated them to William Wysman and his heirs and William granted the same to Andrew Wysman and his heirs and Andrew by that grant was seised thereof and held of the heir of the said Laurence, and after the death of the said David, at the suit of some planning to disinherit the said John son of Andrew and suggesting to the king that the said David Vaghan ap David ap Yevan held the manor of St. Hussild, co. Pembroke, of the said heir of Laurence aforesaid and died in the twenty-fourth year of the present king's reign, the moiety, under the name of the