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chief, to Roger Digge for life, and to his executors or assigns for one year after his death; the king has granted licence for Roger to grant his estate in the manor to Richard Lescrop, 'chivaler,' and his heirs, and for Richard to regrant to Roger the demesnes of the manor, except the wood, to wit, the capital messuage and all the lands, meadows and pastures of the manor with all day-works and customs of the tenants belonging to the gainery (gaineriam) of the demesnes, for life and one year after his death, as above, saving to himself all rents and other services of the tenants and all other profits of the manor and tenants; with reversion to the heirs of Robert.

For ¼ mark paid in the hanaper.

Feb. 10. Pardon, for 2 marks paid to the king by Roger de Clifford, to him and Ralph, baron of Graystok, of their trespass in acquiring for life from William de Stapelton 4 messuages, 36 acres of land and 10s. of rent in Raghton and Gaytscales, and a third part of the lordship of those towns, held in chief, and entering therein without the king’s licence; and grant that they may retain the same for life.

Feb. 9. Pardon to Peter Bedewynde of Estgynge of the king’s suit for the death of Walter Rokeman of Beturton, whereof he is indicted or appealed, and of any consequent outlawry. By p.s.

Feb. 12. Appointment of William Spaldyng, farmer of the king’s manor of Eltham, to repair the enclosure of the park of Eltham, mow 8 acres of meadow there, carry the hay thereof and house it for the sustenance of the king’s deer in the park every year for as long as he shall be farmer thereof; and the king wills that due allowance be made in his farm of his costs by these occasions. By p.s.

Feb. 12. On the petition of the king’s clerk, John de Ravenser, praying Westminster. that, whereas a chantry of one chaplain lately founded in the town of Helhowe and endowed with certain possessions and rents in the town of Waltham, is almost desolate and destroyed owing to the poorness of the profits and its distance from its possessions, so that no chaplain has cared to serve it for long, and he, with the king’s licence and the authority and assent of the diocesan of the place and of those interested, purposes to transfer the chantry to the church of Waltham so that the chaplain to be ordained to celebrate at the altar of St. Nicholas in the said church for the soul of the founder of the chantry shall have the original rents and possessions thereof, and desires to augment the same with certain lands and possessions in order that he may participate in so great a work of piety, the king will be pleased to grant him licence to alienate in mortmain two messuages, 24 acres of land and 8 acres of meadow in Waltham to the said chaplain to celebrate divine service daily in the church of Waltham for the soul of the founder of the first chantry, and for the safe estate of Richard de Ravenser, clerk, and of the said John, and for their souls after their death and the souls of their fathers, mothers and benefactors; the king, for 20s. paid by the said John, has granted licence for the transference of the chantry and the alienation of the lands.

Feb. 16. Whereas the king lately granted licence for John de Cherteseye Westminster. and Robert Ive, parson of the church of Keyngham, to grant in