1340. Bastelden, and licence for the alienation in frank almoins by him to the warden and chaplains of the chantry for the king, the said William and all Christian souls, appointed by him in Shotesbrok church, of the said advowson; and for the appropriation by the warden and chaplains of the church. By p.s. 

April 24. Westminster. Presentation of John de Thornerton, king's clerk, to the prebend of Wretlyng, Hoo and Nenemefeld in the king's free chapel of Hastynges in the diocese of Chichester. By p.s. 

April 26. Westminster. Licence, at the request of Thomas Wake of Lydell, for the alienation in mortmain by the prior and convent of Haltemprice to the prior and convent of Feriby of 3½ acres of meadow and 9s. of rent in Hessell, not held in chief, in exchange for the like in Neuton. By p.s. 

April 20. Westminster. Grant to Robert de Watford of the office of apposer of sheriffs' foreign summonses in the Exchequer, to hold during good behaviour with the usual fee yearly, so that he shall be removed only for reasonable cause whereof the king shall be certified before his removal. By p.s. Mandate in pursuance to the treasurer and barons of the Exchequer. 

April 30. Westminster. Nomination to Almaric de Sancto Amando of Robert Clappysale of Chestrefeld, king's clerk, for presentation to the church of Ippelpenne in the diocese of Exeter. The right to nominate is in the abbot of Feugers, and pertains to the king by reason of the temporalities of the abbot in England being in his hands on account of the war between him and Philip de Valesio. By p.s. Presentation of Robert Clappysale to the church of Ippelpenne in the king's gift as above; directed to J. bishop of Exeter. By p.s. 

May 1. Westminster. By letters patent the king lately appointed Master Geoffrey de Clare to the custody of his free chapel of Hastynges during good behaviour or until another should be elected dean of the chapel, but as he had previously by other letters patent appointed Master Walter de Lynclrigge, canon of the chapel, to hold the deanship, to which the custody of the chapel pertains, and he learns on trustworthy evidence that the latter has held the custody since his appointment, and has borne himself prudently and faithfully therein, he grants that he shall retain it notwithstanding the appointment of Master Geoffrey, which is hereby revoked. By K. 

May 1. Westminster. Notification that the king having made diligent enquiry touching a report that the venerable man, Master Bernard de Sistræ, king's clerk, archdeacon of Canterbury, had written letters of sinister import of him and his councillors to parts beyond the seas and defamed their acts, finds that he is wholly without blame herein, and he has in his presence sufficiently and truthfully excused himself from the charges. Wherefore the king as well for his watchfulness and loving bearing as for the gentle services rendered by him holds him very clear and beloved. By K. 

April 28. Westminster. Pardon to Peter de Tyliol of all his debts at the Exchequer, whether his own debts or those of his ancestors, to the beginning of 7 Edward III. By K. & C. in Parliament. 

May 1. Westminster. Licence for Gilbert de Umfrangvill, earl of Anagos, to enfeoff Master Richard de Cotes, parson of the church of Awenion, and John de Whelpngton, chaplain, of the barony of Ovyngham and the manor of Otterbourn, co. Northumberland, and the manor of Sothy, co. Lincoln, said to be held in chief, and for them to re-grant the same to him for life, with remainders to Robert his son, in tail male, to William brother of the latter, in tail male, and to the right heirs of the earl. By p.s.