Membrane 25—cont.

taken by John de Alveton, escheator in the counties of Southampton, Wilts, Oxford, Berks, Bedford and Buckingham, the king grants licence for the said Roger to grant to William son of William de Overton, Isabella his wife and his heirs, that the said messuage, lands and rent which are held of the manor of Burghton (held in frank almoine by the master of God's House, Portsmouth) by the service of 53s. 10d. yearly and are of the value of 51. yearly, shall remain to them after the death of the said Ellen, and for the grantees to hold the same quit of the said fee farm of 51.

By fine of 100s.

March 28. Signification to R. bishop of London of the royal assent to the election of Matilda de Monte Acuto, a nun of the house of Berkynge, to be abbes of that place. By p.s.

March 26. Promise to Nicholas Devenyshe, who has lent the king 40 sacks of wool price 6 marks the sack and delivered these at his command to his kinsman, the duke of Brabant, to pay him the 160l. due for the same out of the subsidy of a ninth lately granted to the king in the county of Southampton, of the second year of the grant. By p.s.

March 24. Mandate to the chancellor or the keeper of the great seal for the time being that, whereas the king by letters patent has made provision for John Coupegorge, king's clerk, of a benefice in his gift so soon as the other king's clerks for whom he has made the like have been advanced, in consideration of the good place which the said John has often held in his affairs, it is the king's will that he shall rank third on the list of the said king's clerk to receive promotion. By p.s.

March 23. Presentation of John de Malton to the church of Hertefeld in the diocese of Chichester, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the abbot of Grestain being in his hands on account of the war with France. By p.s.

March 26. Grant, in consideration of his good service in continually staying by the king, to John de Wyndesore, king's yeoman, of the bailiwick of warrener of the king's warren at Cambridge, during good behaviour, so that he shall not be removed therefrom without reasonable cause whereof the king shall be certified before his removal. By p.s.

March 29. Ratification, on the petition of Mary de la Brose, late the wife of Vincent de Barnastapolia, citizen of Bordeaux, of the sale to her, her heirs and assigns for 80l. sterling, by Clement de Romeneye, burgess of Bristol, executor of the will of the said Vincent, of all that tenement in the city of Bordeaux, lying in the street called 'le Vinbrente,' between tenements of John le Keu (coc) 'pastifour' and William Arnald Lyon, which Vincent acquired from the said William, and all other tenements which Vincent held in the city, which by his testament in his last will he bequeathed to be sold by his said executor that the money thence arising might be applied to pious uses for his soul. By C.

April 12. Presentation of William de Ledes, parson of the church of Lyndebey in the diocese of York, to the vicarage of the church of Ledesham in the same diocese, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the priory of Pontefract being in his hands on account of the war with France; on an exchange of benefices with Richard de Grymmeston.

The like of the latter to the said church of Ledesham, in the king's gift by reason of the temporalities of the priory of Lenton being in his hands as above.