they have held in frank almoin from time whereof there is not memory, and for the appropriation of the church by the provost and scholars. Grant also as a further grace that, if the provost and scholars do not care to appropriate the church, they may exchange the advowson for that of another church, whether held in chief or not, and that both churches may then be appropriated. By p.s.

April 28. Westminster. Licent for the alienation in mortmain by Thomas de Bradeston to a chaplain, warden of the chapel of St. Michael, Bradeston, and two other chaplains, of three messuages, four virgates of land, 12 acres of meadow, 6 acres of wood and 100s. of rent, in Hamme, Alkynton and Canme, to celebrate divine service daily in the chapel for his good estate, for his soul after his death and for the souls of his late wife Isabella and his ancestors and heirs. By p.s.

April 30. Westminster. John de Ellerker, staying in England on the king's service, has letters nominating Hugh Iromn and Thomas Smooth as his attorneys in Ireland, for two years. Th. de Cotyngham received the attorneys.

MEMBRANE 19.

April 20. Westminster. Exemption for life, for his good service in the king's wars, of John de Goneville, his yeoman, 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. By p.s.

April 21. Westminster. Pardon to Cicely de Manston of Pountfreit for all felonies and trespasses and of any consequent waiver, with restoration of any lands and goods forfeited to the king on account of her flight or any other account. By p.s.

April 26. Westminster. Inspectimus and confirmation of a writing of Richard, bishop of Durham, granting to William de Aissh his demesne land which Nicholas de Sutton lately held of him at will in Estrington, Ousthorpe, Hichesand, Holmetyke, Benetland and Neuland, to hold for his life rendering a rose at Midsummer at the bishop's exchequer of Honaden. Witnesses:—Thomas Surteis, Roger de Aungervill and Thomas de Metham, knights, Nicholas de Portyngton, Thomas de Ousthorpe, John de Ellerker the elder, Ralph de Babethorpe and others. Dated in the manor of North Alverton, Monday after St. Lucy the Virgin, 1343. By C.

April 26. Westminster. Whereas Philip ap Ryes of Ayleston by conspiracy with Henry Gyffard, the king's bailiff, arranged that the bailiff should imprison John de Temple of Denton until he would grant to Philip a mill in Denton and the said Henry in 7 Edward III took the said John and imprisoned him at Denton until he enfeoffed Philip of the same; and whereas the latter for non-appearance before Nicholas de Cantilupo and his fellows, justices appointed to hear and determine oppressions by the king's ministers in