Laxton, ‘chivaler,’ against him and Hugh de Carwell of Hayton; on certificate by John de Stonore, chief justice, that he has now surrendered to the Fiote prison.

June 13. Presentation of John la Zouche to the church of Wykhambrok, in the diocese of Norwich. By p.s.

June 12. Licence for the alienation in mortmain to the prior and convent of the church of St. Etheldreda, Ely, in satisfaction of the yearly of land and rent which they had the licence of Edward II to acquire, of the following messuages, lands and rents:—by William de Ousthorpe, clerk, two messuages, 36 acres of land, 7 acres of marsh, and 6d. of rent, in Somersham, Pydele and Colne, co. Huntingdon, and two messuages, 70 acres of land, 17s. of rent and a fifth part of a mill, in Ely and Wycheford, co. Cambridge, and by Bartholomew de Brafefeld and Alice, his wife, four messuages, 30 acres, 3½ roods, of land, 8 acres, 3 roods, of meadow, 6s. 9d. of rent and a moiety of a messuage, in Ely. These are of the fee of the church and some are held of the bishop of Ely, some of the parson of Somersham and some of the prior and convent, and the messuages, lands, moiety and fifth part are of the value of 59s. 10d. as appears by inquisition taken by Warm de Basyngburn, escheator in the said counties.

Be it remembered— that these letters were not and could not be executed, as was testified before the chancellor, and so they were surrendered and cancelled, and remain on the files of the twentieth year.

May 21. Presentation of William de Charwelton, chaplain, to the chapel of Wello, in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king’s gift by reason of his custody of the lands and heir of Adam de Welle, tenant in chief.

By letters patent, dated 18 May, 14 Edward III, the king granted to John Brocas the reversion of lands in Donemowe, co. Essex, late of Robert le Meek and Jacomina, his wife, now deceased, expectant on the demise of Jacomina, escheats by the forfeiture of Ingelram, their son, who was an adherent of Philip de Valesio, the king’s enemy, to hold in fee in satisfaction of 10l. 5s. of an annuity of 50 marks previously granted to him at the exchequer until he should receive the same in land and rent, to maintain his estate as knight; and afterwards Robert, a son of Robert and Jacomina, born subsequently, asserting that his parents held the lands in tail, and that Jacomina had not attorned to John for the lands after the death of her husband pursuant to the grant aforesaid, entered after her death into the same as son and heir of Robert and Jacomina and enfeoffed certain persons of the lands to cunningly defraud the king of what pertains to him by the forfeiture of Ingelram, his elder brother, and prevent John from having possession thereof. Wherefore the king, to give effect to his grant aforesaid, has again granted the lands, which he has caused to be taken into his hands for the cause aforesaid, to the said John as above. He has also granted licence for him to enfeoff Isabella late the wife of Henry de Ferraris of the same, which are said to be held in chief, and, as a further grace, has granted licence for Isabella to charge the lands with 10l. 5s. yearly to be paid to John and his heirs into whose soever hands the lands shall come. By p.s.

Whereas the king, by letters patent, lately granted to William Fitz Waryn ‘le frere’ in tail male, the town of Wilton and the rent