1348.

Exemption for life of John de Erde from being put on assizes, juries or recognitions, and from appointment as mayor, sheriff, coroner, escheator, or other bailiff or minister of the king, against his will.

By p.s.

Jan. 28.
Westminster.

Pardon, for good service done in Gascony in the company of Henry, earl of Lancaster, to William son of Richard de Maryng of Spillesby of the king’s suit for all homicides, felonies, robberies and trespasses in England before the earl’s passage to those parts, whereof he is appealed, and of any consequent outlawries.

By testimony of the earl.

Jan. 28.
Westminster.

Pardon, for 4 marks which Thomas de Hoton will pay the king, to the said Thomas for acquiring in fee from John de Baghtn a messuage and 20 acres of land, from Hugh Page 11 acres of land, and from Alan de Neuton 9 acres of land, in the town of Hoton in the Forest, held in chief, and entering into the same without the king’s licence; and restitution of the same to him.

And the 4 marks have been paid to the clerk of the hanaper.

Exemption for life, at the request of the earl of Northampton, of John de Lilburn from being put on assizes, juries or recognitions, and from appointment as mayor, sheriff, escheator or other bailiff or minister of the king, against his will.

By p.s.

Westminster.

Pardon to John de Apperdele of the king’s suit for the death of William Waker, whereof he is appealed, and of any consequent outlawry.

By p.s.

Feb. 1.
Westminster.

Protection for Master Thomas de Asteleye, king’s clerk, and all the ecclesiastical benefices following which he holds, and ratification of his estate in these, to wit the prebend of Fynesbury or Haiwell, in the church of St. Paul, London, of the patronage of the bishop of London, the prebend of Rothefen, in the church of St. Mary, Salisbury, of the patronage of the bishop of Salisbury, the prebend of Suthneweton, in the church of the nuns of Wilton, of the patronage of the abbess of Wilton, the prebend which he holds in the church of Exeter, sometime of Master James de Berkelee, of the patronage of the bishop of Exeter, the prebends of Ewythythyngton, in the church of St. Ethelbert, Hereford, of Bromyerd, in the diocese of Hereford, of the patronage of the bishop of Hereford, and of Stotfold, in the church of Lichfield, of the patronage of the bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, and in the church of Reculvre, of the patronage of the archbishop of Canterbury, notwithstanding any right of the king or his progenitors accruing at any time or to accrue by reason of voidance of any of the sees in question or of the abbey.

By p.s.

Jan. 27.
Westminster.

Whereas the king by letters patent lately granted to John de Ravensholm 100l. at the exchequer yearly and afterwards, on his creation as a knight, a like annuity of 40l. for life or until he should be provided with an equivalent of land or rent; for the greater security of the payment of the said annuities, the king has granted that he shall receive the 140l. yearly out of the farm of the priory of Ware for such time as that priory shall be in the king’s hands on account of the war with France, unless in the meantime provision be made for him in land or rent as above.

By p.s.

Feb. 4.
Westminster.

Mandate in pursuance to the prior of Ware.

Presentation of Hugh Fraunkeleyn, parson of the church of Creed (Sancte Cride), in the diocese of Exeter, to the church of St. Mary, Northberkhampstede, in the diocese of Lincoln, in the king’s gift by reason of the priory of Wilmyngton being in his hands on account of the war with France; on an exchange of benefices with Master Robert Pollard.