Membrane 2—cont.

Mandate to the good men of Nottingham to let him have the said 60s. for his maintenance accordingly.

He has also letters of account directed to the barons of the Exchequer for them to allow the said 60s. to the good men of Nottingham in the farm of their town, as is more fully contained in the Liberate Roll.

Protection with clause regam us for three years from the Nativity of St. Mary, for the lepers of the hospital of St. Leonard, Thakehull.

Protection, without term, for the nuns of Ardinton.

Royal assent to the election of Master Walter de Cantilupo to be bishop of Worcester: and mandate to the archbishop of Canterbury to do his part.

Grant to Robert de Becles of the deanery of Hecham, in the king's gift by reason of the voidance of the bishopric of Norwich; with mandate to the archbishop of Canterbury to induct him.

Mandate to the mayor and good men of Leam, that inasmuch as the king has ordered a general tallage to be assessed upon all the tenants of the bishopric of Norwich, now void and in his hands, they are not to oppose him in having the tallage assessed upon them by his guardian of the said bishopric.

Pardon to Thomas son of Ralph de Gillingham of his flight and outlawry, for the death of Edith daughter of Burgh'nill'; on condition that he make his peace with her relatives, and stand his trial if anyone will proceed against him.

Grant for life to Joan, queen of Scots, of the manor of Driffield, with all its liberties and free customs as is more fully contained in a charter thereof to her; with writ de intendendo to the tenants of the honor of Driffield. [Calendar of Charter Rolls, p. 222.]

Appointment, during pleasure, of Peter de Bedinton, clerk, to the custody of the void abbey of Croyland; with writ de intendendo to the tenants.

The like of Thomas de Lech, clerk, to the custody of the abbey of Evesham.

The prior and convent of Evesham have letters of licence to elect an abbot.

The prior and convent of Croyland have the like.

Protection, without term, for the nuns of Molseby.

To A. king of Scots. The king has been informed that it has been suggested to the said king touching Richard Suward that he himself procured his own capture, when the king caused him to be taken, and that after his deliverance he made an agreement with the king contrary to his fealty due to the king of Scots. The truth is that he never procured his own capture, and the king never caused him to be taken or detained for any other cause than to obtain from him security that the peace of the realm would not be disturbed, and no agreement was made by him either after or before he was taken, or at any other time, with the king contrary to his fealty to the king of Scots. That there may henceforward be no doubt in this matter, the king sends these letters patent.