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April 20. Mandate to the dean and chapter of St. Paul's, London, to institute William son of Robert Hardel as parson of the church of All Hallows the Less, London, whom the king presented to that church in his gift by reason of the voidance of the bishopric of Winchester, notwithstanding that he afterwards presented Robert de Flury thereto through inadvertence.

Royal assent to the election of Geoffrey de Barton to be prior of Dunestaple; with mandate to the bishop of Lincoln to do his part herein.

Exemption, for life, of William de Stanbroc from being put on assizes, juries or recognitions.
The like of Simon de Mereton.

April 20. Mandate to the treasurer and chamberlains to let the abbot and convent of Westminster have yearly on the feast of St. Botulph, a tun of wine which the king has granted to them for the celebration of divine service.

[Cancelled.] Because otherwise below.

Protection, without term, for Margery, countess of Penbrok.

April 20. To the abbot and convent of Clive. At the petition of Margery Byset, the king has granted to the house of St. Matthew, Bradeleg, and the infirm sisters thereof, for ever, 5 marks out of the farm of the manor of Bramton to be taken yearly by the hands of the said abbot and convent, who hold the said manor at farm, which he had before granted to the said Margery for life; and therefore he commands them to pay the same accordingly.

Mandate to the barons of the Exchequer to cause this to be done and enrolled.

April 21. Protection, without term, for the abbot of Westminster and his abbey.
The like for the priory of Hurley, of Great Malvern and of St. Bartholomew, Subiry, which are cells of that abbey.
The like for the abbot of St. Augustine's, Canterbury, for him and his abbey.

April 22. Licence for Frederic Orlandi, Bosculus Albertin and Gentile Gentil, citizens and merchants of Siena, to stay in the realm of England to carry on their merchandise, as they did in times past, to renew their debts by new contracts, and to stay safely until they have collected all their debts; and protection for them in so doing.

The like to Raymond Petri and William Bovoky.

April 23. Acknowledgment to the prior and convent of Lewes of the receipt by the hands of John, their chamberlain, of 50 marks which they promised in aid of the king's crossing to Poitou.

Mandate to brother Hugh de Stocton and William de Haverhull, the treasurer, to cause 193Z. 1½ mark, which they have in their custody of the subsidy of the prelates, to be delivered to Peter Chaceporc, keeper of the wardrobe, to be brought to Portesmuth.

Licence for Robert de Curtenay to lease his manor of Sutton for three years from Easter, 26 Henry III.

Mandate to the barons of the Exchequer to pay to the wife of Reginald le Hauberger, five marks yearly, which the king has granted to him for the maintenance of his wife and his household so long as he be with the king beyond seas.