April 29. St. Paul's, London. Pardon, at the instance of the queen of Scotland, the king's daughter, to John Ballard of Grendon for the death of John the Miller of Cherdele.

The like to Richard de Grendon, for the death of the said John.

Notification to the archbishop of Canterbury of the appointment of Master John de Hemingford, king's clerk, the bearer, as the king's proctor before him and his suffragans.

April 28. St. Paul's, London. Power to Master Henry de Gandavo and William le Latymer, the bearers, to contract a loan in the king's name to the amount of 5, 6 or 7,000 marks on the security of the king's jewels by the counsel of M. queen of France; with power to swear, if necessary, on the king's soul that he will faithfully observe the times of repayment.

By K, J. Mansell, Robert Walerand and others.

Vacated because Master Henry afterwards surrendered this letter and it was cancelled and handed to Sir P. de Wintonia to be kept in the wardrobe.

Thursday in Easter Week, St. Paul's, London. Acknowledgment of the receipt from Louis, king of France, in money by tale of the sum of 20,000 pounds of Tours, to be deducted from the money due from him for the expense of knights; and promise to devote an equal sum to the service of God or the church or the advantage of the realm of England, as the king is bound by the peace.

Like letters issued for 15,000l. of Tours, and for 12,000l. of Tours, and these three pairs of letters were handed over to William le Latymer and Master H. de Gaunte, the bearers. Afterwords like letters issued for 16,000l. of Tours and for 18,000l. of Tours, at Guldeford on Monday after St. Augustin in the month of May.

All these letters except that for 16,000l. of Tours were vacated because they were surrendered by the hands of the said Henry and cancelled and handed to Peter de Wintonia, keeper of the wardrobe, and so no pair of the said letters was used (habuit locum) except the pair for 16,000l. of Tours.

May 3. Appointment, during pleasure, of Philip Basset to keep the castles of Corfe and Schyreburn. By K. and Robert Walerand. Mandate to Matthias de Mara to deliver the said castles to him.

Memorandum that on Monday the eve of the Invention of the Holy Cross, the king came to Dover and on the morrow took into his hands the castle of Dover and the chamberlainship of Sandwich and the wardenship of the Cinque Ports, which Hugh le Bygod held before of the king's bail by counsel of the nobles of the council, and committed these to Robert Walerand to keep during pleasure as appears by letters patent below.

May 3. Commitment of the same to the said Robert accordingly. Mandate to the bailiffs and barons of Sandwich to be intendent to him.

The like to the bailiffs and barons of the Cinque Ports.