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Membranes 5 and 4—cont.

Durham before H. de Cressingham and his fellows, justices in eyre in the county of Northumberland, on the morrow of St. Hilary, 21 Edward I. [*Placita de Quo Waranto*, 604, 605], and a judgement of the king and council restoring the liberties to the bishop because the latter and his predecessors time out of mind have had all royal rights and liberties within their liberty of Durham and the places of Norham, Bedlington and Sadberge, and the power of the sheriff of Northumberland does not extend there. [*Foedera.*]

MEMBRANE 4—cont.

March 2. Presentation of Thomas Gervays, chaplain, to the church of Acle, Westminster. in the diocese of Lincoln.

March 10. *Inspeximus* and confirmation to William Porter of letters patent Westminster. (*French*) of the king's consort Joan, queen of England, dated at Sonning, 6 October, 10 Henry IV, granting to the said William, her servitor, for her life the office of yeoman ranger of her forests of Melkesham and Peuesham, and at Westminster, 1 November, 10 Henry IV, granting to him for her life 3*d.* daily from her castle, manor and lordship of Devyses and Roude; and grant that he shall have the said 3*d.* daily for life. By p.s. and for 20*s.* paid in the hanaper.

Jan. 3. Presentation of Thomas Smyth, chaplain, to the church of Alwoldby, Westminster. in the diocese of Lincoln.

March 1. Grant to John Buntynge (*as on p.* 54). By p.s.
Westminster.

March 2. Licence, for 24*l.* 13*s.* 4*d.* paid in the hanaper by John Colpepir, one Westminster. of the justices of the Common Bench, for him to found a chantry of one chaplain to celebrate divine service daily in the church of Westpekham, co. Kent, for the good estate of the king and his consort Joan, queen of England, and the said John and Katharine his wife and for their souls after death and the souls of the king's father John, late duke of Lancaster, the king's mother Blanche his wife, the king's other progenitors, kings of England, the father[s] and mother[s] of the said John Colpepir and Katharine and Walter Colpepir, and to grant in mortmain to the said chaplain, after inquisition, lands and rents in the said county, not held in chief, to the value of 10*l.* yearly, and for him and his heirs and assigns to present to the chantry at vacancies. By K.

March 4. Grant of denization to Richard Garner, merchant, born in Pemond Westminster. in Italy. By K. and for 20*l.* paid in the hanaper.

March 8. Licence, in consideration of the great dearness of wheat and other Westminster. corn in the city of London at present, for William Russell of London, 'fyssemonger,' and John Assheton of London, 'fyssemonger,' to buy 500 quarters of wheat in the counties of York and Lincoln and ship them to the said city for its victualling, provided that they find security in the ports or places of shipment that they will not take the wheat elsewhere and bring into Chancery letters testifying to the unloading at London before Midsummer next.