tenance so long as he is a minor and in the king’s custody, and grants that in part satisfaction he shall have all lands, rents, reversions and services of his inheritance which have come into the king’s hands by the death of Blanche, late lady of Ponymges, in the counties of York, Leicester and Northampton, to hold from her death, with the said manor of Creke of his inheritance, in the king’s hands by the death of William Bagot, ‘chivaler,’ and two parts of the manor of Weston by Chiriton, co. Warwick, of his inheritance, in the king’s hands by the death of Richard de Bourgh, esquire, to hold from Michaelmas last, to the value of 126l. (sic) yearly, and that the residue, amounting to 194l. shall be assigned to him at the Exchequer, viz. 97l. at Easter next and 97l. at Michaelmas following and so from year to year. It is not the king’s intention that any deduction from the said sum of 300l. shall be made because he dwells at the king’s cost in the king’s presence and household to serve and be intendant on the king’s royal person.

By p.s.

March 10. Presentation of Ralph Blakelowe to the church of (Sancte Felicita) Phillack, co. Cornwall, in the diocese of Exeter.

Feb. 22. Licence, for 10l. paid in the hanaper by the king’s clerk John Prophete, parson of the parish church of Ryngwode, co. Southampton, and John Berkeley, ‘chivaler,’ and Elizabeth his wife, for the same John Berkeley and Elizabeth to found a chantry of one chaplain to celebrate divine service daily in the chapel of St. Mary within their manor of Betesthorn, which is within the limits of the parish, for the good estate of the said John, John and Elizabeth and the heirs of the said John Berkeley and Elizabeth and for their souls after death and the souls of John de Betesthorn and Goda his late wife and the fathers and mothers and other ancestors of the said John Berkeley and Elizabeth and the successors of the said John Prophete, and to grant in mortmain to the chaplain a messuage and an acre of land in Betesthor for his dwelling and a yearly rent of 60s. from a messuage and 50 acres of land and 4 acres of meadow in Pulnore, not held of the king, as appears by an inquisition taken before the escheator; for the said John Prophete to grant in mortmain a yearly pension of 60s. from the fruits, oblations and other obventions of his church to the said chaplain to administer in the said chapel all sacraments except burial of the dead to parishioners dwelling within the hamlet of Betesthorn; and for the same John Prophete and his successors and the said John Berkeley and Elizabeth and her heirs to present to the chapel at vacancies.

March 10. Commission to Philip Darcy, esquire, and John Wilteshine, esquire, to buy 400 quarters of wheat in the county of Sussex and elsewhere and take the same to Calais for the victualling of the town.

March 5. Whereas the prior and convent of the house of St. Anne of the Carthusian order by Coventre have shown the king how the little wood of Gravenhowe called ‘le Overwode’ and ‘le Netherwode’ extended at 2s. and another little wood called ‘Bilhagwode’ at 18d. as in herbage yearly on 18 February, 36 Edward III, were taken into the hands of the said king because one Thomas Furnyvall, tenant in chief of the castle and manor of Sheffield, of which the woods are parcel, alienated them to the prior of Ecclesfield in exchange for the