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Dec. 12.  Licence, for 20l. paid to the king by John de Beverle, for the alienation in mortmain by him and Amice his wife, of 6 marks' rent issuing from two tenements of theirs in Cosynes Lane, London, held of the king in burgage, to Adam de Fenroth, parson of the church of All Hallows the Great (ad fonsam), and his successors, for finding part of the maintenance of a chaplain to celebrate divine service daily in that church for the souls of Roger de Waltham and Edith his wife, Roger's parents and children, William Parys and others.

Dec. 14.  Presentation of Hugh Bray, chaplain, to the vicarage of Pormpton-upon-Severn, in the diocese of Worcester, in the king's gift by reason of the alien priory of Cliford being in his hands on account of the war with France.

Dec. 12.  Appointment, during pleasure, of Richard Bramche to be keeper of the king's swans in the river Thames and all other rivers in England; John Holbrook to be his deputy.  By bill of the steward of the household.

Dec. 17.  Mandate to mayors, customers, keepers of ports and others to permit Thomas Northem of Faveresham to transport four sampers of wool from that port to the staple of Westminster, if they are satisfied by letters testimonial of the mayor and bailiffs of Faveresham that the latter have made indenture touching the wool, and taken security from him, as prescribed by the statute of the staple.

Nov. 5.  Grant to Henry de Percy, earl of Northumberland, who has been appointed to the custody of the castles and manors of the king's kinsman, the earl of Nottingham, a minor, for a certain yearly farm payable at the Exchequer, of allowance of 200 marks therein, 100 marks for the said minor's maintenance, and 100 marks for repairs in the said castles and manors; allowance also of 100 marks in the like farm due for the lands of Mary, kinswoman and heir of John de Orreby, in the king's hands by reason of her minority.  By p.s.

Dec. 16.  Inspeccimus and confirmation, in favour of Master Richard Ronbale, clerk of the late king, of letters patent dated 16 August, 48 Edward III., being a grant to him, for life, of 50 marks yearly at the Exchequer; confirmed until he be promoted to a benefice of that value.  By p.s.

Dec. 18.  Pardon, at the request of the king's mother, to John Leche, apothecary, for the death of Thomas Porter, 'portour.'  By p.s.

Dec. 18.  The like to Thomas Chapman, Tanner, of Canterbury, for the death of Thomas Tillesbrigg.  By p.s.

Dec. 30.  Inspeccimus and confirmation, in favour of Simon de Notyngham, servant of Edward, prince of Wales, the king's father, of letters patent (in French) of the king when prince, dated Kennington manor, 25 February, 51 Edward III., inspecting and confirming his said father's letters patent (also in French) dated London, 21 November, 41 Edward III., being a grant to him, for life, that he may dwell in any house within the prince's manor of Cherlesmore, and 1d. daily, for life, from the issues of the lordship of Coventre, in addition to what was granted to him at Calais.  By p.s.

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Jan. 12.  Grant, for life, during good behaviour, to William Denyas, the king's servant, of the custody of the park of Kenyngton by Kyngeston, which