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the priory of Ware being in his hands on account of the war with France; on an exchange of benefices with Gaudinus Patemon.

Feb. 1.
Westminster.
Grant, for life, to the king's uncle Edmund, earl of Cambridge, who lately surrendered the constableship of Dover Castle and the custody of the Cinque Ports, and Isabella his wife, of the manor and hundred of Burton Bristoll, lately surrendered by Robert de Assheton. By p.s.

Feb. 9.
Westminster.
Grant, for life, to the king's servant, John Maynard, of four shops and gardens, late of Richard Iweyn, in the suburb of Bristol, in the king's hands on account of his felony, extended at 53s. 4d. yearly. By p.s.

Westminster.
Pardon to Thomas Gare of Hacthorne for the death of Richard Norman, 'Johannes servvant of Hoton,' of Hacthorne, as it appears by the record of William de Skipwith and William de Burgh, justices appointed to deliver the gaol of Lincoln Castle, that he killed him in self-defence.

Feb. 10.
Westminster.
Exemption for life of John Webbere, Burgess of Exeter, from being put on assizes, juries or inquisitions and from being made sheriff, escheator, searcher, collector or other bailiff or minister of the king against his will. By p.s.

Feb. 7.
Westminster.
Pardon, at the supplication of Thomas Russhek, the king's confessor, to William Tailour of Daventre for the death of Stephen Tailour of Ireland, killed on Monday after Christmas, 2 Richard II. By p.s.

Feb. 12.
Westminster.
Licence, for half a mark paid to the king, for Ralph de Shelton, knight, to enclose a way in Shelton lying below his manor-house (manerium sive mansum) on the north, eighty perches long by three broad, for the enlargement thereof.

Feb. 15.
Westminster.
Mandate to Cornelius de Wirley, escheator in the county of Warwick, to restore the temporalities of the abbey of St. Peter, Gloucester, to Walter Froucestre, monk of the house, elected abbot.

The like to the escheators in the counties following:—

Hugh de Byeley in Gloucester and Hereford and the Welsh March adjacent to them.
Nicholas Aston in Oxford and Berks.
Thomas de Illeston in Southampton and Wilts.
Richard Rybale the elder in Worcester.
William de Walshale in Salop and the Welsh March adjacent thereto.
William Berard in Norfolk.

Mandate de intendendo in pursuance to the tenants.

Feb. 12.
Westminster.
Pardon, for 4 marks paid to the king by John de Betesthorn, of the trespass of Nicholas Pauncefot, John Goolde, chaplain, and William Wymond, chaplain, in acquiring in fee from Oliver de Harnham, tenant in chief, two parts of a moiety of the manor of Eukesbury, and the reversion of the third part, held in dower by John Langford and Agnes his wife for her life, and in entering on the said two thirds without licence; and grant to them of the premises as acquired, and licence for them to enfeoff John de Betesthorn of the same.

Feb. 15.
Westminster.
Licence, for 50 marks paid to the king by the vicars of the cathedral church of Hereford, for the alienation in mortmain to them by John, bishop of Hereford, William Barnhurst, Thomas Bisshlebury, clerk, Richard le Barre, clerk, William Knyght, clerk, John Gorle, and Edmund Felde, clerk, of six acres of land in Wesbury and the advowson of the church there, in aid of their maintenance for the performance of certain duties according to the directions of the bishop and dean and chapter.