

NOTE ON TRANSCRIPTION AND EDITING

The text of the Kalendar has been printed from a transcript made by Professor V. H. Galbraith in 1920. The employment of *u* and *v* has been standardized by the adoption of *v* for consonants and *u* for vowels. Extensions of abbreviations are shown in round brackets wherever there is a possibility of doubt as to the correct extension. The use of italics in the main text denotes that the word or passage in question was written as a marginal title in the manuscript. The editor has used heavy type at his own discretion in order to pick out words or sentences which would act as short titles to the various sections of the Kalendar ; some, but not all, of these sentences are written in red in the manuscript. In sums of money, the numerals have normally been printed in lower case roman type and in the case of pence run together with the following 'd.', but where this has involved the risk of confusion with a Latin word (e.g. 'i d(enarius)' with 'id') the letters have been spaced and a stop used after 'd.'

The charters have been printed from the editor's own transcripts. No attempt has been made to standardize the different ways in which different scribes have used *u* and *v* or *c* and *t*. The text followed is that given first in the list of manuscripts for the particular charter. Square brackets denote that the words within them are not found in the main text that is being followed and have been supplied by the editor. Round brackets denote doubtful extensions of abbreviations. Variant readings have been recorded in the footnotes, (i) where they affected the meaning ; (ii) where they cast light on the interrelationship of the various texts ; and (iii) in the case of proper names.

The punctuation in the texts of both the Kalendar and the charters has been added by the editor.