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Reuerente And wirschipfull suffirane J comaund~ me to 3our suffiraunys als a preste of 3orus
 Makang~ opyne to 3our here þ^t a felay of
 ouris sir John Rocliff þ^e fifte vicare has forsakyne his vicary and is institutus and inducte in A
 perpetuall chauntery at hull And if it
 like 3our gudnes to presente þ_{er}-to a-n+abill mane of parsonne and connyng~ þ_{er} is þ_{ar} a tenande~
 sonn of 3ours and a thirfty mans sonn of þ_e pariche
 þ_e qwilk is of parsonn a-n+abill mane to be in any college in Inglande and of lifyng~ a gude mane
 calide of þame þ^t he is couersande
 w^t-all als we her~ say and of counyng~ a sufficiante in redyng and sigyng of plane sange and to
 syng a tribull til faburdun~
 als J haue harde þ_e abilaste men~ of our~ kirke say and recorde of hyme and als þay late walde be
 glade of ^[hijs] commyng~ if it suld
 be And he is at lichfelde in þ_{er} college in Abitte dayly ministeryng~ þ^e seruis of gode bot hys frendis
 and he als so desiris feruenly
 to be nare to-gedir~ for supportacione of ilkane odir~ And þ_{er}-for if my praar~ myght be plesyng~ to
 3our worthy lordschipe J wald
 beseike 3our gudnes to prefair~ a-n+abill mane of þ^e pariche be-for any othir~ for þ^t wald ples þame
 and cause þame to do
 well to þ^e kirke supposyng þ^t þ_{er} sons suld if þay war~ abill men~ be prefarde in tyme commyng~
 Wryttine at hemmyngburgh
 on þ^e nexte day aftir~ sante Edmunde ^[day] kyng last passide ;
 Be 3our preste
 Ric~ Cliff