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Ex Rott. in Turr. Lond.

pardonationis et remissionis eorundem vigore presentium reportent ac si quisquis eorundem cartam Regis super hiis in speciali penes se haberet vel etiam obtineret et prout reportarent si exceptio alia de eisdem in dicta priori gratia vel pardonatione facta non fuisset. Intentionis tamen dicti Regis non existit quin homines ville de Bury Sancti Edmundi pro cartis ipsius Regis de pardonatione in speciali prosequi et ulterius sufficientem securitatem de bono gestu suo tam erga dominum Regem et populum suum quam Abbatiam de Bury juxta ordinationem super hoc alias in concilio ipsius regis factam invenire teneantur.

C A P. IV.

Actions of Trespas to be brought within a limited Time.

EXP.

ITEM propter pacem et tranquillitatem in eodem regno ubique nutriend' et augmentand' ac lites et brigas amputand' in eodem regno ordinatum est et concordatum quod si persona aliqua senserit se occasione aliqujus transgressionis in eadem insurrectione fore gravatam vel dampnificatam et ob hoc forsan sectam inde facere proponat versus transgressores predictos quod ipsa persona sectam illam ante quindenam sancti Johannis Baptiste proximo futuram inde incipiat si sibi viderit expedire Alioquin vero elapsa eadem quindena ab eadem secta et actione inde pro perpetuo excludatur.

C A P. V.

The Number of Compurgators to prove the Compulsion.

ITEM quantum ad querelas five sectas transgressionum in dicta insurrectione factarum coram quibuscunque Justiciariis Regis inchoatas aut citra quindenam predictam inchoandas similiter ordinatum est & concordatum quod si ipsi versus quos hujusmodi secte capte sint vel capientur ante quindenam predictam ante judicium redditum venerint & se inde per tres vel quatuor bonos viros & idoneos atque non suspectos ad hoc juratos coram Judicibus ubi placitum inde pendens fuerit se inde purgare vel alias inde acquietare voluerint videlicet quod ipsi in loco pretenso causa mali voluntarie non venerunt neque dampnum fecerunt nisi solummodo per compulsionem aliorum ad hoc recipiantur per Justic' & Judices predictos et facta hujusmodi purgatione per testes predictos extunc inde penitus recedant quieti. Vobis precipimus quod statuta ordinationes & pardonationes predicta infra baillivam vestram publice proclamari & firmiter teneri facias juxta effectum & tenorem eorundem.

T. R. apud Westm' xviii. die Maii anno regni nostri sexto.

Consimilia mandata diriguntur vicecomitibus subscriptis sub eadem data videlicet,

<i>Vic' Norff' & Suff'</i>	<i>Vic' Devon'</i>
<i>Vic' Essex' & Hertf'</i>	<i>Vic' Cantabr' & Hunt'</i>
<i>Vic' Lincoln'</i>	<i>Vic' Bed' & Buk'</i>
<i>Vic' Ebor'</i>	<i>Vic' Northampt'</i>
<i>Vic' Kanc'</i>	<i>Vic' Glouc'</i>
<i>Vic' Surr' & Suffex'</i>	<i>Vic' Suthampt'</i>
<i>Vic' Somers' & Dors'</i>	<i>Vic' Wiltes.</i>
<i>Vic' Cornub'</i>	

Statutes made at Westminster, Anno 7 RICH. II. and Anno Dom. 1383.

* Kent.

RICHARD by the Grace of God, &c. to the Sheriff of *York, Greeting. Know thou, that at our Parliament holden at Westminster the Monday next before the Feast of All Saints last past, to the Honour of God and of holy Church, and for the common Profit of the Realm, of the Assent of the Prelates, Lords, and Commons being at the said Parliament, we have caused to be made certain Statutes and Ordinances in the Form following."

Ex Rott. in Turr. Lond. m. 19.

LE Roi a nostre viscount de Kent saluz. Sachez qa nostre parlement tenuz a Westm' le Lundy profchein devant le feste de Toutz Seintz darrein passe al honour de Dieu & de seinte esglise & pur commune profit du Roialme de lassent des Prelatz Seignurs & communes esteantz el dit parlement avons fait faire certains estatutz & ordnances en la fourme qe sensuit.

C A P. I.

A Confirmation of the Liberties of the Church.

First it is assented and accorded, That holy Church have and enjoy all her Liberties and Franchises | **P**rimerelement est assentuz & accordez qe seinte esglise eit & enjoise toutes ses libertees & franchises

under the Rule
of the Mayor
and Aldermen.
32 Ed. 3. stat. 1.
c. 10.

from henceforth under the Governance and Rule of
the Mayor and Aldermen of the said City for the
Time being, as in Time past it hath been used.

Ex Rot. in Turr. Lond.
soient desore desouz le governaile & reule des Meir
& Aldermannes de la Citee avant dite pur le temps
esteantz come auncienement y soleient estre.

C A P. XII.

No Alien shall purchase or occupy any Benefice of the Church within this Realm.

29 Ed. 3. de
Provisor.

ITEM, Whereas late in the Parliament holden at
Westminster, the Third Year of the Reign of our
said Lord the King, at the Request of the Com-
mons, and by the Assent of the Lords Temporal, it
was ordained and assented, and upon a grievous
Pain prohibited, that no Subject of the King nor
other Person, of what Estate or Condition he were,
should take, neither receive from thenceforth, with-
in the Realm of *England*, Procuracy, Letter of At-
torney, ne Ferm, nor any other Administration by
Indenture, or in any other Manner, of any Person
concerning any Benefice of holy Church within the
Realm, but only of the King's Subjects of the same
Realm, without the especial Grace and expresse Li-
cense of our said Lord the King, upon a certain
Pain contained in the said Statute; (2) it is as-
sented and agreed by the same Lords, That the same
Statute shall keep his Force and Effect in all Points.
(3) And moreover it is assented, That if any Alien
have purchased, or from henceforth shall purchase
any Benefice of holy Church, Dignity, or other
Thing, and in his proper Person take Possession of
the same, or occupy it himself within the Realm,
whether it be to his own proper Use, or to the Use
of another, without especial Licence of the King, he
shall be comprised within the same Statute: (4) And
moreover shall incur all Pains and Forfeitures in all
Points as is before ordained by another Statute made
the Five and twentieth Year of the noble King ED-
WARD the Third, Grandfather to our Lord the
King that now is, against them that purchase Provi-
sions of Abbeys or Priories. (5) And to the Intent
that such Licences shall not be from henceforth made,
the King willeth and commandeth to all his Sub-
jects and other, that they shall abstain them from
henceforth to pray him for any such Licence to be
given. (6) And also the King himself will refrain to
give any such Licence during the Wars, except to
the Cardinal of *Naples*, or to some other special Per-
son to whom the King is beholden for a special
Cause.

A Confirmation
of the Statute
of 3 R. 2. c. 3.

25 Ed. 3. stat. 5.
c. 22.

The Cardinal of
Naples excepted.
Enforced by 16
R. 2. c. 5.
And see 5 Ed. c. 1.

ITEM come nadgairs en parlement tenuz a
Westm' lan du regne nostre dit Seigneur le Roi
tierce a la requeste des Communes & par assent des
Seignurs temporels estoit ordeigne & assentuz &
sur grevouise peyne defenduz que null liege de Roi
nautre persone quelconque de quel estat ou condi-
tion qil fuist prendroit ne rescievroit delors ena-
vant deinz le Roialme d'Engleterre procuracie lettre
dattourne ne ferme nautre administration par en-
denture nautre manere quelconque de nulle persone
dascun benefice de seinte esglise deinz le dit Roi-
alme fors tantseulement des lieges nostre Seigneur
le Roi de mesme le Roialme sanz especiale grace et
expresse congie de nostre Seigneur le Roi sur cer-
teine peine comprise en lestatut avantdit assentuz
est ore & accordez par mesmes les Seignurs que
mesme lestatut teigne ses force & vertue en toutz
pointz. Et outre ceo est auxint assentuz que si
ascun alien eit purchacez ou desore purchase ascun
benefice de seinte esglise dignite ou autre & en pro-
pre persone preigne possession dicelle ou loccupie de
fait deinz mesme le Roialme soit il a son oeups pro-
pre ou al oeups dautri sanz especiale congie du Roi
soit il compris en mesme lestatut & outre ceo en-
courage en toutz pointz tielx peines & forfaiture
come sont ordeinez par un autre estatut fait en lan
xxv. del regne luy noble Roi E. aiel nostre Seig-
nur le Roi qore est contre ceux qi purchacent pro-
visions Dabbeies ou Priories. Et en outre au syn
que tielx licences ne se facent desore enavant le Roi
voet & commande a toutz ses lieges & autres qils
lour abstiegnent de cy enavant de luy prier dascuns
tielx licences doner. Et si voet auxi le Roi luy
mesmes abstiegnent de doner ascune tiele licence du-
rantes les guerres horspris au Cardinal de *Naples*
ou a autre especiale persone a qi le Roi soit par
especiale cause tenuz.

C A P. XIII.

No Man shall ride in Harnefs within the Realm, nor with Launcegays.

ITEM it is ordained and assented, and also the
King doth prohibit, That from henceforth no
Man shall ride in Harnefs within the Realm, contrary
to the Form of the Statute of *Northampton* thereupon
made, neither with Launcegay within the Realm,
the which Launcegays be clearly put out within the
said Realm, as a Thing prohibited by our Lord the
King, upon Pain of Forfeiture of the said Launce-
gays, Armour, and other Harnefs, in whose Hands
or Possession they be found that bear them within
the Realm, contrary to the Statutes and Ordinances
aforesaid, without the King's special Licence.

7 Ed. 1. stat. 1.
2 Ed. 3. c. 3.
Enforced by
20 R. 2. c. 1.

ITEM est ordeigne et assentuz et le Roi defende
que desoremes null homme chivache deinz le
Roialme armez encontre la forme de lestatut de
Norhampton sur ce fait ne ovefque lancegay deinz
mesme le Roialme les queux lancegays soient de
tout oustez deinz le dit Roialme come chose de-
fendue par nostre Seigneur le Roi sur peine de forai-
ture dicelx lancegays armures et autres herneys
quelconques es mayns et possession de celluy qi les
portera desore deinz mesme le Roialme contre cestz
estatutz et ordinances sanz especiale congie de Roi
nostre Seigneur.