Louther and the sheriff of Kent, to convokk the parson, knights, esquires and other notable persons of the county and also the bailiffs, good men and commonalties of the city of Canterbury and of the boroughs in the said county, and to move and persuade them to lend to the king a notable sum of money for the voyage which he proposes to make in person in April to his realm of France, to make a speedy end of his wars there. The commissioners are to give security for repayment out of the fifteenth payable on the octaves of Martinmas by grant of the commonalty of England in the last Parliament. [Feda.] By p.s.

The like to the following in the following counties and places:—

Surrey and Sussex.—Henry, archbishop of Canterbury, Robert de Pouynges, knight, the abbot of Battle, Roger Fince, knight, Thomas Leuenenore, knight, Thomas Haseley and the sheriff.


Norfolk and Suffolk.—William, bishop of Norwich, Simon Felbrig, knight, William Phelip, knight, John Haward, knight, John Wodehous, John Mannyng and the sheriff.

Lincolnshire.—John de Roos, knight, Ralph Cromwell, knight, Ralph Rochefort, knight, John Makworth dean of St. Mary's, Lincoln, Thomas Comberworth, knight, William Tirwbit, knight, Hamo Sutton, John Henegge, Richard Benynngton and the sheriff.

Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire.—Ralph Cromwell, knight, William Babynngton, knight, Thomas Chaworth, knight, John Zouche, knight, John Colkeyn, knight, Richard Vernon, knight, Hugh Willughby, knight, Peter de la Pole and the sheriff.

Yorkshire.—John Scorop, knight, John, baron of Greystok, knight, William Haryngton, knight, Richard Hastynnges, knight, Robert Babthorp, knight, Thomas Clarell, Christopher Boynton and the sheriff.

Warwickshire and Leicestershire.—William, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, Richard, earl of Warwick, Joan lady Bergavenny, William de Ferrers of Groby, knight, the prior of Coventre, William Montfort, knight, Bartholomew Brokesby, John Weston and the sheriff.


Shropshire.—William, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, the abbot of Shrewsbury, William Barley, Hugh Borowe, John Bruyn and the sheriff.

Worcestershire.—Thomas, bishop of Worcester, John Throgmuart, John Wode, William Wolashull, Thomas Heuster and the sheriff.

Herefordshire.—John Skydmore, knight, Richard de la Deere, knight, John Merbury, John Russell and the sheriff.

Gloucetstershire.—Thomas, bishop of Worcester, the abbot of Gloucester, James de Berkeley, knight, John Pancasfoot, knight, John Grevyll and the sheriff.