
Signification to W. bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, of the royal assent to the election of brother Thomas Holygreve, late prior of Stone, to be prior of Kenyllworth. Aug. 16. Windsor Castle.

Mandate to the escheator in the counties of Warwick and Leicester to deliver the temporalities of the said priory to the said Thomas, his election having been confirmed by the bishop, who has been commanded to take his fealty. Aug. 29. Westminster.

The like to the escheators in the following counties:—

- Stafford
- Rutland
- Derby
- Lincoln

To the mayor of Cambridge, escheator in that town.

And to the escheators in the counties of

- Buckingham
- Berks.

Writ de intendendo to the tenants of the priory.

Pardon to John Emme or Emmeth, chaplain, parson or rector of the parish church of Ronewell, co. Essex, for the rape of Christiana, late wife of John Stamford, whereof he is said to be indicted. July 17. Sheen Manor.

Letters of denization for John Gele, chaplain, born in the parts of Saxony, who for the future is to be treated as if he were the king's natural born liegeman, and licence for him to hold the benefice of Huberton, in the diocese of Exeter, to which he has been admitted by the ordinary of the place on the presentation of the dean and chapter of the cathedral church of Exeter, and ratification of his estate as parson thereof, although at the time of his induction he was not the king's liegeman; provided always that he do liege homage and fealty to the king. July 12. Sheen Manor.

Grant to John Vavasour, clerk of the estreats in the Common Bench, in consideration of his costs, care and labour in that office in supporting himself and the clerks, and of his having sued yearly to the treasurer of England for payment of the 10l. which he has of reward by way of assignment, that such 10l. shall henceforth, for so long as he remain in office, be paid him by the sheriff of the county of York. July 28. Windsor Castle.

Grant, for life, to Thomas Bathe, gentleman, of the office of escheator in Ireland, to which office it is said no fee or reward belongs, to hold himself or by deputy. July 11. Windsor Castle.

Exemption, for life, of John Doteler, of Norwich, gentleman, from being made mayor, bailiff, sheriff, escheator, coroner, collector of taxes or other officer of the king. Aug. 28. Windsor Castle.

General pardon to Oliver Atherton, Atherton, Aderton, Athyrton or Athirton of Kyrkton or Kirton in Holand alias late of Kyrkton in Holand, co. Lincoln, alias late of Boston, co. Lincoln, alias of Abrame alias late of Abraham, co. Lancaster, 'gentilman' or esquire, for all offences before 1 July last. July 24. Windsor Castle.

Appointment, during pleasure, of John Broun and William Weldon as auditors to hear and determine the accounts of the chamberlain, sheriffs, escheators, receivers, bailiffs, farmers and other ministers liable to account to the king in North Wales, Chirk, Chirklandes and Poweslandes, with such fees and daily wages as the last auditors had by the hands of the said chamberlain or other of the said accountants. Aug. 1. Westminster.

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