

1382.

*Membrane 22d—cont.*

in violation of the truce with Robert, king of Scotland, and compel restitution of 20*l.* to Richard Lescrope, paid by him to the said William therefor. By C.

March 20. Commission to Thomas Shardelowe and Philip Walleweyn, searcher of Westminster. forfeitures in the Thames, to enquire touching the theft of 40*l.* sterling, with which Cysebright Vanrother, a Fleming, entered a vessel in the port of London, without licence, meaning to take it out of the realm, but fearing search hid it under a tree at Gravesende, co. Kent, whence certain evildoers, perceiving the same, took it.

March 8. Commission to W. archbishop of Canterbury, Th. bishop of Rochester, Westminster. Michael, abbot of St. Augustine's, Canterbury, Robert de Asshton, constable of Dover castle, John de Cobeham of Coulyng, Robert Bealknap, Thomas Colpepir, Thomas Fog, Thomas Cobeham, William de Septvauntz, William de Burcestre, John de Frenyngham, James de Pekham, John de Colpepir of Farlee, William de Guldeford, William de Topcliff, Arnald Savage and Richard de Berham, reciting the treasonable hostile rising of divers evildoers in congregations and conventicles throughout the realm and their perpetration of treasons, homicides, arsons, etc., and appointing the aforesaid commissioners, with the advice of the nobles and magnates of the late Parliament, for the establishment of quiet, to keep the peace in the county of Kent, empowering them to arrest, imprison and punish such rebels and any who incite to rebellion, to suppress their meetings, arrest their goods, or take security as they think fit. If the meetings are suspicious or excessive in number they are to take the *posse comitatus*, both knights and esquires, lead them against the rebels, seize any found committing the offences aforesaid, and do justice upon them without delay. They are also appointed commissioners of oyer and terminer in respect of the premises, with power to arrest, imprison and punish any who refuse to assist them. By K. and C. in Parl.

The like to the following persons in the counties named:—

Thomas de Berkeley, John de Berkeley, John Beauchamp, Peter de Veel, Thomas Fitz Nicholl, Edmund Bradeston, knights, Thomas de Berkeley of Cuberley, John Joce, Robert Whytyngton, Robert Cherleton, Thomas Catewey, John Cassy, Thomas Bradewell, William Heyberer, John Gayner, John Stanshwae, John Cosyn, Thomas Cole, William Grenefeld, Ralph Waleys and John Chese, in the county of Gloucester.

Henry, bishop of Worcester, Thomas de Bello Campo, earl of Warwick, John Buttetourt, Walter Cokesey, Henry Arderne, John Sapy, Richard Fyton, John atte Wode, John Russell, knights, John Beauchamp of Holte, Alexander de Befford, Roger Corbet, John Hambury, Robert Burgilon, John Catesby, John Cassy, Richard Ruyhale the younger, Henry Bruyn and Richard Temdebyry, in the county of Worcester.

John, bishop of Hereford, Thomas, earl of Buckingham, Nicholas Daudele, Gilbert Talbot, John Chandos, John Burle, John Bromwych, John Clanvowe, John Crophull, Walter Deveros, Richard Burle, John Eynesford, Peter de la Mare, Robert Whiteney, Kynard de la Bere, Richard Nasshe, Philip Holcote, John Walwayn, John Croft and Philip de la More, in the county of Hereford.

Edmund, abbot of Ramesey, William Moigne, John Holt, William Thirnyng, Robert Stokes, John de Wynton, Robert Lovetoft, Robert Beyvyll, William Pappeworth, John Knyvet, John Hemyngford, John Harlyngton and Robert Waryn, in the county of Huntingdon.

Thomas, bishop of Ely, Roger de Scales, William Wyndesore, Hugh la Zouche, William de Thorp, John de Burgh, Edmund de la Pole,