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Aug. 16. Pontefract. Commission to John Drayton, servant of the office of the king’s pavilioner, John Feriby and John Ewell to take carriage for the king’s pavilions, armour, artillery, lances and other harness to Worcester.

Aug. 17. Doncaster. Commission, for seventeen days, to the king’s knight John Dalynrigge to take horses for his journey on the king’s business to the south and his return to the king’s presence at Worcester.

Aug. 10. York. Commission to Hugh Bambray to keep the town of Shrewsbury against Owin de Gleyndourely and other Welsh rebels who propose to invade it and the adjoining parts.

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Aug. 2. Doncaster. Commission, for ten days, to William Snyruth, esquire, to take horses for his journey as the king’s messenger to the north and his return to the king’s presence.

Aug. 4. Pontefract. The like, for fourteen days, to William Bowes, esquire, for his journey on the king’s service to Calais and his return to the king’s presence.

Sept. 10. Worcester. Commission to Robert Markcole, serjeant at arms, to take all ships and vessels of the portage of 50 tuns and more and all balingers in any ports of the Admiralty towards the west and their masters and mariners with all speed and bring them to the Isle of Wight. By K. & C.

Sept. 11. Worcester. The like to Nicholas Mandnyt, serjeant at arms, in all ports of the Admiralty towards the north.

Sept. 16. Beckley. Commission of array to Baldwin Berford, ‘chivaler,’ John Willicotes, Thomas Coule and the sheriff, in the county of Oxford, for defence of the realm and the sea-coasts under the direction of Henry, bishop of Lincoln, the chancellor, William de Roos, the treasurer, and Thomas Rempston, admiral towards the west.


Sept. 5. Worcester. Commission to William Coupere to take carriage to the household for victuals and all other things touching the offices of the buying and the larder of the household.

Sept. 6. Worcester. Appointment of the king’s kinsman Richard de Grey of Codenore, admiral towards the east, and Thomas de Rempston, admiral towards the west, as they were charged by word of mouth, to govern the shipping of the realm, which has been ordered in the present council at Worcester to assemble under the Isle of Wight, with all speed, for its safe passage to foreign parts at the next vintage.

Sept. 6. Worcester. Commission of array to Thomas Tunstall, ‘chivaler,’ Ralph de Radelyf, ‘chivaler,’ and the sheriff in the county of Lancaster. They are to pick out a suitable number of the best men and take them to the city of Hereford with all speed to go with the king to Wales to resist the rebels.