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1587. late Earl. She had dealt most honorably towards the creditors of the late Earl, and had not annulled any of the leases or acts made by him. Complains of delay of performance of the covenants of her settlement.
- March 20. 49. Burghley to Walsyngham. Has directed the Undertakers of
The Court. the attainted lands in Munster to attend him to have his directions for the free exportation of such things to Ireland as may be necessary for their undertaking.
- March 20. 50. The Sheriff of Rutland to Sir Walter Mildmay. Proceedings
Exton. of the Justices of Peace in the commission for stay of the dearth of corn; certificates of which have been sent.
- March 20. 51. Dr. Julius Cæsar and Dr. W. Aubrey to Walsyngham. Certify
Doctors' their opinions touching the suit of William Michelott of St. Maloes.
Commons. *Inclosing,*
51. I. *Supplication to be presented by William Michelott to the Queen; arrested at the suit of William Courtney and others for the taking of two ships by five ships of war of St. Maloes.*
- March 21. 52. Robert Wingfield to Sir Wm. Fitzwilliams. Explains the
Morhaye Lodge. circumstances of cutting the browse wood for the Queen's deer within Earlswood. Great numbers of deer had died the last winter for want of browse wood, which he was justified in providing by virtue of his office of keeper of Morhaye Walk.
- March 22. 53. Gyles Lord Chandos to the Council. Desires to know if the
Sudeley. 3,000 soldiers, appointed to be put in readiness for defence of the sea coast of Wales, shall include the number of the 2,000 already trained within the county of Gloucester.
- March 22. 54. Certificates by the Justices of Peace in the several hundreds
in the county of Lancaster, of the quantities of grain and corn to serve the markets and for sale to the poor for seed or sustenance. Certified to John Fletewoode, Esq., sheriff of the county.
- March 22. 55. Arthur Herryss, Sheriff of Essex, to the Council; transmitting
Woodham a schedule of all the corn and grain in the county, drawn up from
Mortimer. the certificates returned to him from the Justices of Peace in their several divisions. Diversities in the particulars of the certificates.
- March 23. 56. Earl of Pembroke to Walsyngham. Has sent up James
Ticknell. Powell, the seminary priest, and had released Lewes Herbert upon bonds to appear before the Council upon eight days' warning.
- March 23. 57. Petition of Thos. Wescott to Sir Fr. Walsyngham. Acknow-
ledges his misdemeanors towards his late master, George Smyth, and desires Walsyngham's letters to him and to John Davy, late mayor of Exeter, certifying the same. *Inclodes,*
57. I. *The humble submission of Thos. Wescot, made before Sir F. Walsyngham acknowledging his offences towards his late master Geo. Smyth.*