Pouch XVII.—Bundle II.

A Roll without a cover, indorsed in a modern hand, containing 9 membranes, 7. Second Part of generally in good preservation.

the Inventory and Calendar of the Contents of the Baga de Secretis.

Appendix II.

Edw. 6. to Eliz.

Trial and Conviction of Robert Bell and John Patchyn.—High Treason.—Compassing the King's deposition.—Special Commission of Oyer and Terminer. 2 December, 3 Edw. VI., 1549.

- (M. 9.) 29 November, 3 Edw. 6. Sussex, Surrey, Hants, Suffolk, Norfolk, Middlesex.—Special Commission of Oyer and Terminer, addressed to Richard Lyster, Knight; Edward Montague, Knight; Roger Cholmeley, Knight; Edmund Mervyn, Knight; William Porteman, Knight; Humphrey Brown, Knight; John Hynde, Knight; and James Hales, Knight; or any five of them; for the trial, according to the Statute of Treasons, of all High Treasons, &c., committed, &c., by Robert Bell and John Patchyn, who having been examined before Edward North, Knight; John Baker, Knight; and Richard Southwell, Knight; three of the King's Council, are vehemently suspected of High Treason, as appears by the Certificate of the said three Privy Councillors returned into Chancery.
- (Ms.5, 6 and 7.) 1 December, 3 Edw. 6. Middlesex.—The Justices' Precept to the Sheriff for the return of the Grand Jury at Westmanster, 2 December instant, and panel annexed. Signed by Sir Richard Lyster.
- (M. 7.) 1 December, 3 Edw. 6. Middlesex.—Precept addressed by the Justices to the Mayor and Sheriffs of London, commanding them to bring up John Patchyn, Simon Fuller, William Felde, and Stephen Horley, at Westminster, on Monday, 2 December. Signed by Sir Richard Lyster.
- (M. 8.) 1 December, 3 Edw. 6. Middlesex.—Precept addressed by the Justices to the Constable of the Tower, commanding him to bring up Robert Bell, John Fuller, Robert Capper, Thomas Kyng, and John Stevynson, at Westminster, on Monday, 2 December. Signed by Sir Richard Lyster.
- Middlesex.—Indictment found against Robert Bell, late of Gaisley, in the county (M. 2.) of Suffolk, Labourer, as after set forth.
- (M. 3.) Middlesex.—Indictment found against John Patchyn, late of Horsham in the county of Sussex, Yeoman, as after set forth.
- (M. 4.) Middlesex.—Panel of the Petty Jury for the trial of Bell and Patchyn.
- (M. 1.) 2 December, 3 Edw. 6. Middlesex.—RECORD of the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer, held at Westminster, before Sir Richard Lyster and his fellows, setting forth:-
- 29 November, 3 Edw. 6 Sussex, Surrey, Hants, Suffolk, Norfolk, Middlesex.—Special Commission of Oyer and Terminer, addressed to the said Sir Richard Lyster, &c.

1 December, 3 Edw. 6. Middlesex.—The Justices' Precept to the Sheriff, &c. 2 December, 3 Edw. 6. Middlesex.—Indictment found at Westminster, charges that the said Robert Bell, 28 May, 3 Edward 6, together with other malefactors, at Gaisley and elsewhere, in the county of Suffolk, compassed and imagined the King's death, and to deprive

him of his Crown and Dignity.

2 December, 3 Edward 6. Middlesex.—Indictment found at Westminster, charges that the said John Patchyn, 6 August, 3 Edward 6, at Horsham, in the county of Sussex, with other offenders, compassed and imagined the King's death, &c.

2 December, 3 Edward 6.—Bell and Patchyn are brought to the bar by the Constable of the Tower, and being arraigned, severally plead Not Guilty.

Verdict, GUILTY. Venire awarded instanter from the county of Middlesex. Judgment, as is usual in cases of High Treason. Execution at Tyburn.

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Trial and Conviction of Thomas Bonham, Thomas Watts, and William Turnar. — High Treason. — Machinating the King's Death.— Special Commission of Oyer and Terminer. 10 December, 3 Edward VI., 1549.

(M. 7.) 7 December, 3 Edw. 6. Oxford, Berks, Southampton and Surrey.—Special Commission of Oyer and Terminer, addressed to William Lord Howard; William Portman, Knight; Thomas Pope, Knight; John Williams, Knight; Anthony Brown, Knight; Thomas Cawarden, Knight; Humphrey Forster, Knight; Walter Stonour, Knight; Francis Englefeld, Knight; Anthony Cope, Knight; William Fermour, George Poulet, Thomas White, Richard Bridges, Thomas Essex, Richard Pexsall, Thomas Saunders, John Norton, James Skinner, Edmund Asshefeld, Thomas Vachell, John Wynche-