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[10.] By dependency we mean subordination and subjec-Ch. ii. 10, 11. tion. A manifest token of which dependency may be this: as there is no more certain argument that lands are held under any as lorde, than if we see that such lands in defect of heirs do fall by escheat unto himd; in like manner it doth rightly followe, that seeing dominion, when there is none to inherit it. returneth unto the body, therefore they which before were inheritors thereof did hold it with dependency upon the body. So that by comparing the body with the head, as touching power, it seemeth always to reside in both; fundamentally or f radically in the one, in the other derivatively; in the<sup>g</sup> one the habit, in the other the act of power.

May then a body politich at all times withdraw in whole or in part that influence of dominion which passeth from it, if inconvenience dothk grow thereby? It must be presumed, that supreme governors will not in such case oppose themselves, and be stiff in detaining that, the use whereof is with public detriment: but surely without their consent I see not how the body should be able by any just means 1 to help itself, saving when dominion doth escheat. Such things therefore must be thought upon beforehand, that power may be limited ere it be granted; which is the next thing we are to consider.

In what measure.

[11.] In power of dominion, all kings have not an equal latitude. Kings by conquest make their own charter: so that how large their power, either civil or spiritual, is, we cannot with any certainty define, further than only to set them in general <sup>m</sup>the law of God and nature for bounds. Kings by God's own special appointment have also that largeness of power, which he doth assign or permit with approbation. Touching kings which were first instituted by agreement and composition made with them over whom they reign, how far their power may lawfully nextend, the articles of compact between them musto shew: not the articles only p of compact at the first beginning, which for the most part are either clean worn out of knowledge, or else known unto very few, but whatsoever BOOK VIII. hath been after in free and voluntary manner condescended unto, whether by express consent, whereof positive laws are witnesses, or else by silent allowance famously notified through custom reaching beyond the memory of man. By which means of after-agreement, it cometh many times to pass in kingdoms, that they whose ancient predecessors were by violence and force made subject, do grow even by little and little q into that most sweet form of kingly government which philosophers define to be "1 regency willingly sustained "" "and endured, with chiefty of power in the greatest things."

[12.] Many of the ancients in their writings do speak of kings with such high and ample terms, as if universality of power, even in regard of things and not of persons only, did appertain to the very being of a king2. The reason is, because their speech concerning kings they frame according to the state of those monarchs to whom unlimited authority was given: which some not observing, imagine that all kings, even in that they are kings, ought to have whatsoever power they find t any sovereign ruler lawfully to have enjoyed. But theu most judicious philosopher, whose eye scarce any thing did escape\* which was to be found in the bosom of nature, he considering how far the power of one sovereign ruler may be different from another's regal authority, noteth in Spartan kings3, "that of all others lawfully reigning they had2 the

c lords E.C. d fall unto them by escheat E.C. o follow rightly E. rightly om. C. and E.Q.C.L. g the om. E.Q.C.L. h may a body i the E.C.L. politic then E.C. k inconveniences do E.Q.C. conve-1 by any just means should be able E. niences do L. m the line of E. [underscored by Fulm.] n lawfully om. E.Q.C.L. o is to E.Q.C.L. p only the articles E.C.L.

q do by little and little grow E. do grow by little, &c. Q.C.L. s to be om. E. ss sustained, and endued with . . E'. and edd. u that D. x scape D. y another E.Q.C.L. \* have E.O.C.L.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Arist. Pol. lib. iii. cap. 1\*. [cap. ed. Gaisford.] "He that ruleth ac-10. E. cap. 16, ed. Duval, t. iii. 477. Β. βασιλείας μεν οὖν εἴδη ταῦτα, τέτταρα τον ἀριθμόν μία μέν, ἡ περί τοὺς ἡρωϊκοὺς χρόνους αὖτη δ' ἦν ἐκόντων μὲν, ἐπί τισι δ' ὡρισμένοις. στρατηγός γάρ ήν και δικαστής δ βασιλεύς, καὶ τῶν πρὸς τοὺς θεοὺς κύριος.]

καλέεται [τε] βασιλεύς, καὶ έντι, ταύταν έχων φιλίαν τε καὶ κοινωνίαν λεμον. έτι δὲ τὰ πρὸς τοὺς θεοὺς ἀποποτὶ τως ὑπὸ αὐτὸν, ἄνπερ ὁ Θεὸς δέδοται τοις βασιλεῦσιν. comp. c. 15. έχει ποτί τε τὸν κόσμον καὶ τὰ ἐν αὐτῷ. [ap. Stob. Floril. ii. 323.

<sup>&</sup>quot;cording to virtue is called a king, "and hath such friendship and "community towards those that be "under him, as God hath towards "the world and those things that "be in it t."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Polit. iii. 14. ['H ἐν τῆ Λακωνικῆ πολιτεία δοκεί μεν είναι βασιλεία μά-<sup>2</sup> Pythagoras apud Ecphant. de λιστα τῶν κατὰ νόμον, οὐκ ἔστι δὲ Regno. Ὁ κατ ἀρετὰν ἐξάρχων κυρία πάντων ἀλλ' ὅταν ἐξέλθη τὴν χώραν, ήγεμων έστι των πρός τον πόinit.

<sup>\*</sup> Pol. l. i. c. 10. D.

<sup>†</sup> This extract is wanting in E; the Greek in C; the English in D.Q.L.

BOOK VIII. "most restrained powera." A king which hath not supreme power in the greatest things, is rather entitled a king, than invested with real sovereignty. We cannot properly term him a king, of whom it may not be said, at the leastwise, as touching certain the very chiefest affairs of state α αὐτῶ  $\mu \hat{\epsilon} \nu^{\mathbf{d}}$   $\tilde{a} \rho \chi \epsilon \iota \nu$ ,  $\tilde{a} \rho \chi \epsilon \sigma \theta a \iota^{1}$   $\delta \hat{\epsilon}$   $\dot{\nu} \pi'$   $o \dot{\nu} \delta \epsilon \nu \delta s$ , "his right in them is to "have rule, not subject to any other predominante." I am not of opinion that simply always in kings the most, but the best limited power is best<sup>g</sup>: the most limited is, that which may deal in fewest things; the best, that which in dealing is tied unto the soundest, perfectest, and most indifferent rule; which rule is the law; I mean not only the law of nature and of God, but very national or municipal law consonant thereuntoh. Happier that people whose law is their king in the greatest things, than that whose king is himself their law. Where the king doth guide the state, and the law the king, that commonwealth is like an harp or melodious instrument. the strings whereof are tuned and handled all by one hh, following as laws the rules and canons of musical science hhh. Most divinely therefore Archytas maketh unto public felicity these four steps<sup>i</sup>, every later whereof<sup>j</sup> doth spring from the former, as from a mother  $\alpha$  cause;  $\delta \mu \epsilon \nu^{1} \beta \alpha \sigma i \lambda \epsilon \nu \delta \mu i \mu \sigma s$ ,  $\delta \delta \epsilon \delta \rho \chi \omega \nu$  $\dot{a}$ κόλουθος,  $\dot{o}$  δè  $\dot{a}$ ρχόμενος έλεύθερος  $\dot{a}$ ,  $\dot{a}$  δ'  $\ddot{o}$ λ $\dot{a}$  κοινωνία εὐδαίμων  $\dot{a}$ : adding on the contrary side, that "where this order is not, it "cometh by transgression thereof to pass that the kingo "groweth" a tyrant; he that ruleth under him abhorreth

<sup>1</sup> [The margin of the Queen's (ἀφ' ὧπερ καὶ ὁ αὐτάρκης καλέεται)

"to be guided and commanded by him q; the people subject BOOK VIII. "under both, have freedom under neither; and the whole Ch. ii. 13, 14. "community is wretched1."

[13.] In which respect, I cannot choose but commend highly their wisdom, by whom the foundations of this commonwealth have been laid; wherein though no manner persont or cause be unsubject to the king's power, yet so is the power of the king over all and in all limited, that unto all his proceedings the law itself is a rule. The axioms of our regal government are these: "Lex facit regem:" the king's grant of any favour made contrary to theu law is void; "Rex nihil potest nisi "quod jure potest." Our kings therefore, when they takex possession of the roomy they are called unto, have it paintedz out before their eyes, even by the very solemnities and rites of their inauguration, to what affairs by the said a law their supreme authority and power<sup>b</sup> reacheth. Crowned we see they are, and enthronized, and anointed: the crown a sign of military<sup>d</sup>; the throne, of sedentary or judicial; the oil, of religious or sacred power.

[14.] It is not on any side denied, that kings may have such f authority in secular affairs. The question then is, "What "power they lawfully may have, and exercise in causes of "God." "A prince, a magistrate, or community," saith D. Stapleton<sup>2</sup>, "may have power to lay corporal punishment<sup>h</sup> "on them which are teachers of perverse things; power to "make laws for the peace of the Church; power to proclaim, "to defend, and even by revenge to preserve from violation<sup>1</sup> "dogmata, veryj articles of religion themselves." Others<sup>3</sup>

q by him, or commanded E. r unto E.Q.L. • the E.C. t manner of person E.Q.C.L. " the om. D. x are to take E.C. pointed E.C.L. same E.Q.C.L.
and om, E. d military dominion E.Q.C.L. b power and authority E.Q.C.L. n E.Q.C.L. and E.Q.L. such om. h punishments D. from violation om. E. E.C.L. 8 may lawfully E.C. which inserts it after themselves. the very E.

1 [Καὶ τούτων παραβάσει μέν βα- "et contra violatores vindicandi." σιλεύς, τύραννος ό δε άρχων, ανακόλουθος ό δ' ἀρχόμενος, δοῦλος ά δ' δλα κοινωνία, κακοδαίμων. Id. ibid.]
<sup>2</sup> Stapl. de Doct. Princip. [Con-"dogmata promulgandi, defendendi, "istud est, civiliumque magistro-VOL. III.

p. 189. Paris, 1579.] 3 Choppin. [René Chopin, 1537-1606.] de Sacra Politia forensi. Par. <sup>2</sup> Stapl. de Doct. Princip. [Controv. II.] lib. v. c. 17. ["Non negative principi, magistratui, vel com-Hooker quotes from the dedica-"munitati potestas, perversa do- tion of the edition of 1589, ad-"centes corporali pœna puniendi, dressed to cardinal Bourbon under "legesque pro ecclesiæ pace ferendi, the name of Charles X. "Regium

<sup>\*</sup> they were most tied to law, and so [had C.I..Q.] the most restrained power b very om. E.C.L. the state E.C.L. E.C.L.Q. b very om. E.C.L. c the state E.C.L. d αὐτῷ μὲν, and afterwards δὲ, om. E.C. predominancy E. f always om. E.C.L. s E.Q.C. insert both for them and the people," as does L, repeating best before that clause. h The reading of C. here is, "I mean not only the law of "nature and the law of God, but the national consent thereunto." Q, as in the text, omitting "very." L and E, "I mean not only the law of nature and of "God, but the national law consonant thereunto." The text is from D. hh hand ins. E'. hhh Happier—science ital. E'. l and degrees ins. E.Q.C.L. l every of which E. later of which Q.C.L. another E.C.L. l δὲ E. m ἀπόλυπος Ε. h δὲ δλη Ε.Q. [C. omits the Greek.] a king E.C. p grows D. d αὐτῷ μὲν, and

Coll. MS. has here, "Ecphantus ἄρχεσθαι δ' ὑπ' οὐδενός." "Pythagoricus." Vid. Stob. Floril. [1] ed. Gaisford, II. 326. The whole "king ruling by law, the magistrate passage is, Όπερ ἔντι μὲν τῷ Θεῷ, "following, the subject free, and the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> [Ap. Stob. Floril. II. 166.] "The έντι και τῷ βασιλεί, αὐτῷ μεν ἄρχειν "whole society happy \*."]

<sup>\*</sup> This English in text of E. om. D. in marg. Q.C.L.

BOOK VIII. in affection no less devoted unto the papacy, do likewise yield, that "the civil magistrate may by his edicts and laws keep all " ecclesiastical persons within the bounds of their duties, and "constrain them to observe the canons of the Church, to "follow the rulesk of ancient discipline." That "if Joaskk "were1 commended for his care and provision concerning so "small a part of religion as the church-treasury"; it must "needs be both unto Christian kings themselves greater "honour, and to Christianity a larger benefit, when the cus-"tody of religion whole" and of the worship of God in "general is their charge." If therefore all these things mentioned be most properly the affairs of God, and ecclesiastical<sup>p</sup> causes; if the actions specified be works of power; and if that power be such as kings may use of themselves, without the leave q of any other power superior in the same things : it followeth necessarily, that kings may have supreme power, not only in civil, but also in ecclesiastical affairs; and consequently, that they may withstand what bishop or pope soever shall, under the pretended claim of higher spiritual authority, oppose himself against their proceedings. But they which have made us the former grant, will hereunto nevert condescend. What they yield that princes may do, it is with secret exception always understood, if the bishop of Rome give leave, if he interpose no prohibition: wherefore somewhat it is in shew, in truth nothing, which they grant.

Our own reformers do the very like. When they make their discourses<sup>u</sup> in general concerning the authority which magistrates may have, a man would think them far \* from withdraw-

kk Joash E'. 1666. 1 was E.Q. m treasure E. E.Q.C.L. of of om. E.Q.C.L. P God's ecclesiastical E.Q.C.L. q fear E.Q.C.L. themselves E.C.L. therefore the ecclesiastical E.Q.C.L. discourse E.C.L. to be far E.

"rum munus, ecclesiæ decreta tueri, "inde scriba suo præsente fabris ac " conservare, tum latis legibus om-"nes sacris addictos continere in " officio; urgendos etiam ad cano-"num ecclesiasticorum veterisque "cultum disciplinæ, principali non " minus auctoritate quam pontificali. "... Laudatus est enim vel ex eo "Joas Hebræorum rex, quod me-"tuens ne sacerdotes nummos inter- writer was a lawyer of eminence in "verterent, qui offerebantur a populo the parliament of Paris, and a ve-"ad tutelam templi, eos primum in hement partisan of the League. "arcam clausam inferri jussisset, de-

"cæmentariis erogari. Sedlonge augustius illud, Christianæque utilius "reip. regem ipsius adeo religionis "cultusque divini custodem se profi-"teri, nedum sacri ærarii: qualem " se gessisse Constantinum Magnum "accepimus, et Galliæ tuæ heroas "præstantissimos plerosque." The

ing any jot of that which with reason may be thought due. BOOK VIII. "The prince and civil magistrate<sup>1</sup>," saith one of them, "hath "to see thaty the laws of God touching his worship, and "touching all matters and orders of the Church be executed, "and duly observed; and to see that be every ecclesiastical "person do that office whereunto he is appointed, and to " punish those which fail in their office accordingly." Another acknowledgeth2, that "the magistrate may lawfully uphold "all truth by his sword, punish all persons, enforce all to doc "their duties unto d God and men; maintain by his laws every "point of God's word, punish all vice in all men; see into all "causes, visit the ecclesiastical estate, and correct the abuses "thereof; finally, to look to his subjects, that under him they "may lead their lives in all godliness and honesty." A third more frankly professeth<sup>3</sup>, that in case their church-discipline were established, so little it shorteneth the arms of sovereign dominion in causes ecclesiastical, that her gracious Majesty, for any thing which they teach or hold to the contrary, may no less than now "remain still over all persons, in all things "supreme governess, even with that full and royal authority, "superiority, preeminencef, supremacy, and prerogative, "which the laws already established do give her, and her "Majesty's injunctions, and the articles of the Convocation-"house, and other writings apologetical of her royal authority "and supreme dignity, do declare and explain."

[15.] Posidonius was wont to say of the Epicure, "That "he thought there were no gods, but that those things which "he spake concerning the gods were only given out for fear of "growing odious amongst men; and therefore that in words "he left gods remaining, but in very deed overthrew them, "inasmuchg as he gave them no kind of motionh, no kind of "action4." After the very selfsame manner, when we come

<sup>2</sup> all orders E.C. <sup>a</sup> to be E. <sup>b</sup> that om. E. • which om. E.Q.C.L. <sup>f</sup> and preeminence E.C. y that om. E. d towards E. much E.Q.C.L. h no kind of motion om. E.

"of Ecclesiastical Government."

"Ministers [against the slanders of <sup>3</sup> Humble Motion, p. 63. " D. Bridges, contained in his answer "D. Bridges, contained in his answer to the preface before the Discourse [c. 44. "Posidonius disseruit in

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> T. C. lib. i. p. 192. [154.] "of Ecclesiastic <sup>2</sup>\*Fenner's "Defence of the godly 1587. Sign. E. 1.]

<sup>\*</sup> Farmer's E.C. Fennar's D. Fermor's Q. Fenner's L.

воок viii. unto those particular effects and k prerogatives of dominion which the laws of this land do grant unto the kings thereof, it will appear how these1 men, notwithstanding their large and liberal speeches, abate such parcels out of the fore-alleged grand<sup>m</sup> and flourishing sum<sup>n</sup>, that a man comparing the one with the other may half stand in doubt, lest their opinionso in very truth be against that authority which by their speeches they seem mightily to uphold, partly for the avoiding of public obloquy, envy, and hatred; partly to the intent they may both in the end, by establishment<sup>p</sup> of their discipline, extinguish the force of supreme power which princes have, and yet in the meanwhile by giving forth these smooth discourses, obtain that their favourers may have somewhat to allege for them by way of apology, and that in such words as sound towards all kind of fulness in power<sup>q</sup>. But for myself, I had rather construe such their contradictions in the better part, and impute their general acknowledgment of the lawfulness of kingly power unto the force of truth, presenting itself before them sometimes aloner; their particular contrarieties, oppositions, denials, unto that error which having so fully possessed their minds, casteth things inconvenient upon them; of which things in their due place.

[16.] Touching that which is now in hand, we are on all sides fully agreed; first, that there is not any restraint or limitation of matter for regal authority and power to be conversant in, but of religion whole<sup>s</sup>, and of whatsoever cause thereto<sup>t</sup> appertaineth, kings may lawfully have charge, they lawfully may therein exercise dominion, and use the temporal sword: secondly, that some kinds<sup>u</sup> of actions conversant about such affairs are denied unto kings; as, namely, actions of the power

of order\*, and of that power of jurisdiction, which is with it book viii.

unseparably joined; power to administer the word and sacraments, power to ordain, to judge as an ordinary, to bind and loose, to excommunicate, and such like: thirdly, that even in these very actions which are proper unto dominion, there must be some certain rule, whereunto kings in all their proceedings ought to be strictly tied; which rule for proceedings in ecclesiastical affairs and causes by regal power, hath not hitherto been agreed upon with so uniform consent and certainty as might be wished. The different sentences of men herein I will not now go about to examine, but it shall be enough to propose what rule doth seem in this case most reasonable.

[17.] It hath been declared already in general, how "the By what "best established dominion is where the law doth most rule rule! "the king:" the true effect whereof particularly is found as well in ecclesiastical as ing civil affairs. In these the king, through his supreme power, may do great things and sundry h himself, both appertaining unto peace and war, both at home, by commandment and by commerce with states abroad. because so much the law dothi permit. Some thingsk on the other side, the king1 alone hath no powerm to do without consent of the lords and commons assembled in parliament<sup>n</sup>: the king of o himself cannot change the nature of pleas, nor courts, no not so much as restore blood; because the law is a bar unto him; not any law divine p or natural q, for against neither it were though kings of themselves might do both, but the positive laws of the realm have abridged thereint and restrained the king's power; which positive laws, whether by custom or otherwise established without repugnancy unto the law\* of God and nature, ought noy less to be of z force even in the spirituala

<sup>\*</sup> and om. E. 1 those D. \*\*m afore alleged E'. grant E.C. ground Q. \*\*n shew E. some C. \*\*opinion E.Q.C.L. \*\*p the establishment E.Q.C.L. \*\*q that such words only sound towards all kind of fulnes of power E. \*\*All the MSS. read as in the text, except that C has a kind of fulness of power. \*\*r above E. \*\*only E. \*\*thereunto E.Q.C.L. \*\*u kinds Q.L. In the margin of E. Kinds stand here, as if the title of a section; perhaps by the printer's mistake, from its being inserted in his copy as a probable emendation.

<sup>&</sup>quot;libro quinto, nullos esse deos, "geret...onnino nihil curantem, "Epicuro videri; quæque is de "nihil agentem... Re tollit, ora-"tione relinquit, deos." Lactant. Epit. 36. "Verbo reliquisti, re sus-"tulisti."]

<sup>\*</sup> power and order, and of spiritual jurisdiction E. the power of order and of spiritual jurisdiction C.L. y hath E. which has no stop at joined. separably E.Q.C.L. a those E.Q.C.L. b proceeding E. some L. d wish't D. e E. omits not. † om. D. g in om. E.Q.C.L. h sundry great things E.Q.C.L. 1 and by command E. j the law doth so much E. k sometimes E. 1 the king, &c. (as a quotation) E. E.C.L. n his lords and commons in parliament E.C. of om. E. divine Q. q human L. r the kings in themselves C. \* not any ... both, but om. E. t have a privilege therein E.Q.C.L. u restrain E.Q.C.L. x laws E.Q.L. <sup>2</sup> in E.C.L. \* supernatural E. y not E.

воок viii. affairs of the Church. Wherefore in regard of ecclesiastical laws, we willingly embrace that of Ambrose, "Imperator "bonus1 intra ecclesiam, non supra ecclesiam, est; kings "have dominion to exercise in ecclesiastical causes, but "according to the laws of the Church." Whether it be therefore the nature of courts, or the form of pleas, or the kind of governors, or the order of proceedingso in whatsoever spirituald businessese; for the received laws and libertiesf of the<sup>g</sup> Church the king hath supreme authority and power, but against them, noneh.

> What such positive laws have appointed to be done by others than the king, or by others with the king, and in what form they have appointed the doing of it, the same of necessity must be kept, neither is the king's sole authority to alter it.

> Yeai even as it were a thing unreasonable, if in civil affairs the king (albeit the whole universal body did join with him) should do any thing by their absolute supreme poweri for the ordering of their state at home, in prejudice of any of k those ancient laws of nations which are of force throughout1 the world, because the necessary commerce of kingdoms dependeth on them; so in principal matters belonging to Christian religion, a thing very scandalous and offensive it must needs be thought, if either kings or laws should dispose of the affairs<sup>m</sup> of God, without any respect had to that which of old hath been reverently thought of throughout the world, and wherein there is no law of God which forceth us to swerve from the way" wherein so many and soo holy ages have gone.

> Wherefore not without good consideration the very law itself hath provided, "That judges ecclesiastical appointed "under the king's commission shall not adjudge for heresy "any thing but that which heretofore hath been sop adjudged

"by the authority of the canonical scriptures, or by the first BOOK VIII. "four general councils, or by some other general council " wherein the same hath been declared heresy by the express "words of the said canonical scriptures, or such as hereafter "shall be termed heresy by the high court of parliament of "this realm, with the assent of the clergy in the convoca-"tion"." By which words of the law who doth not plainly see, how in that one branch of proceeding by virtue of the king's supreme authority, the credit which those four general councils have throughout all churches evermore<sup>t</sup> had, was judged by the makers u of the foresaid act a just cause wherefore they\* should be mentioned in that case, as a requisite part of they rule wherewith dominion was to be limited2. But of this we shall further consider, when we come unto that which sovereign power may do in making ecclesiastical laws.

[18.] The cause zz of deriving supreme power from a whole With what entire multitude unto a some special part thereof, is partly the ency . necessity of expedition in public affairs; partly the inconveniency of b confusion and trouble, where a multitude of equals dealeth; and partly the dissipation which must needs ensue in companies, where every man wholly seeketh his own particular (as we all would do, even with other men's hurte) and haply the very overthrow of ourselves<sup>d</sup> in the end also, if for procuremente of the common good of all men, by keeping every several man in order, some were not armed f with authority over all, and encouraged with prerogatives of honourg to sustain the weighty burden of that charge. The good which is proper unto each man belongeth to the common good of all, as a part of the whole's perfection<sup>h</sup>; but yet these two

4 determined to be E.Q.C.L. [The phrase of the statute is, "adjudged to be."] r that in E.Q.C.L. t churches, and evermore E. \* four first E.C. <sup>u</sup> making E.L. I it D. y that E. <sup>2</sup> This marginal note om. E.C. [Fulm. For what inconveniency.] zz case E'. 1662. a into E.C.L. b inconvenience E.L. c hurts E. d themselves E. e the procurement E.C. invested E. arrayed marg. Q. g prerogative honour E. h as part to the whole perfection E. as part of L.C. as part to Q. i yet om. E.C.L.

<sup>1</sup> An. 1. Reg. Eliz. [1 Eliz. c. 1. "of 16 Car. I. c. 11, yet these rules "will be good directions to eccle-

b church, whether E. church; where even C. c proceeding E.Q.C.L. d spiritual om. E.Q.C.L. • business E.C.L. f liberty E.Q.C.L. • C. has that church. h never E. latter it; yet E. (Fulm. yea.) supreme om. E. k any of om. E.Q. throughout all E.Q.L. throughout the whole C. m law E. laws Q.C.L. ways E.Q.C.L. so om. E. p so om. E.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Ambros. Ep. 32. d. 160\*. [II. 873. N. B. The word "bonus" is not in the MSS. of St. Ambrose.]

<sup>\*</sup> This marginal reference from C.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> [" It hath been generally holden "siastical courts in relation to he-"that although the high commission "resy." I Hawkins, 4. ap. Burn. "court was abolished by the statute Eccl. Law, II. 277. ed. 1788.]