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1 June [1534]

R. O. Rym. XIV. 492.

Burnet, VI. 77.

769. THE ROYAL SUPREMACY.

Attestation by the archbishop of York of the conclusion arrived at by the convocation of York, 5 May 1534, that the bishop of Rome has no authority in England. Cawood, 1 June 1534.

Clep. E. VI. 207. B. M.

Modern copy, with the following addition¹ :—

ii. *Consimilis facta per episcopos et decanos.* Roland Lee, bishop of Coventry and Lichfield. Bishops of St. David's and Bath and Wells. Dean of Bath and Wells, and 15 others. Preceptor and chapter of St. David's, with seven others. Preceptor of Llandaff, with four others. Dean and chapter of St. Paul's, with 78 others. Dean and chapter of St. Asaph, with three others. Dean and chapter of Lincoln, with 70 others. John bishop of Lincoln and chancellor of Oxford, under the seal of the university.

Abbots. Of St James, Walden, with 18 monks. St. Awsitha, with 20. St. John's, Colchester, with 15. St. Augustine's, Bristol, with 18. St. Mary, Cirencester, with 18. St. Mary and St. Eadburgha, Pershore, with 24. St. Mary and St. Kenelm, with 23. St. Mary's, Tewkesbury, with 37. St. Peter's, Gloucester, with 36. Oswey (Oseney ?), with 20. St. Mary and St. John, Wolley, with 20. Welle, near Grymesbie, with 10. St. Peter and St. Paul, Bruna, with nine. St. Mary de Pratis, Leicester, with 25. Peterborough, with 41. St. Peter and St. Paul and St. Oswald, Bardeney, with 17. St. Mary, Eynesham, with 16. St. Mary's Thorneton, with 24. St. Mary's, Missenden, with 13. St. James', Northampton, with nine. Oswell Weston, with 11. Croyland with 32. St. Mary, Humberston, with five. Dorchester, with seven. Domus Dei, Dover, with five. St. Saviour's, Feversham, with 13. St. Bennet's, Halme, with 25. Wymondham, with 10. St. Mary's, Bruton, with 17. St. Mary's Glastonbury, with 51. St. Mary's, Keynesham, with 15. St. Peter and St. Paul, Mochelney, with 10. St. Saviour's, Aldney (Athelney), with 12. St. Nectane, Hartland, with 5.

¹ This is only a modern inventory of a number of similar deeds signed and sealed at various dates by the bishops, abbots and monasteries, &c., all which will be found noted elsewhere, either at the end of the months in which they were executed, or, in some cases, under the precise dates of the documents themselves.