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with the opinions of Sir Edmund Anderson and John Popham thereon.

22. II. *Copy of letter proposed to be sent by the Archbishop of Canterbury to the Bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, touching the right of Dr. Beacon and Mr. Babington to the office of Chancellor. Lambeth, [20] January, 1582.*

- Jan. 20. 23. Mr. Petre's notes touching the payment of the money laid out by Sir Arthur Basset and the Mayor of Barnstaple, for transporting the soldiers of Sir George Bouchier into Ireland.
- Jan. 26. 24. Recognizance of William Heydon to pay the sum of 700*l.* to Agnes Heydon, daughter of the late Sir Chr. Heydon, of Bacons-thorpe, at or within the porch in the parish church of Holt, in the county of Norfolk.
- Jan. 26. 25. Richard Barrey, Lieut. of Dover Castle, to Lord Cobham, Dover. Lord Warden. His opinion touching the mouth of the new harbour, constructed by Mr. Poyntz, which has been opened these eight days. Thinks the works will not stand any tempestuous weather.
- Jan. 26. 26. Same to Walsyngham. Report of the progress of the works Dover. at Dover Harbour. His opinion relative to the mouth of the new harbour by Mr. Poyntz, who has yet done nothing towards constructing the two groynes.
- Jan. 26. 27. Information given to Sec. Walsynham of the passage of priests and recusants from and to England. John Southworth and Tho. Robynson went over from Hythe.
- Jan. 27. 28. Lord Burghley to same. Desires him to procure Her Majesty's From my house signature to the indenture for the Mint. Increase in the allowance near the Savoy. to the poor Moneyers.
- Jan. 28. 29. P. De Cubiaur to Walsyngham. Touching a ship of Biscay, London. which had been taken by a pirate and afterwards recaptured. Spanish.
- Jan. 28. 30. Earl of Leicester to Mr. Davison in Scotland. Thanks him for his letters, but refers him to Mr. Secretary's dispatch, as he himself had no leisure.
- Jan. 29. 31. Tho. Randolphe to same. The whole world crieth out of the London. treason of the French, but they die like dogs where they are for want of meat: Monsieur himself hath scarcely meat to fill his belly. Nothing as yet has been concluded between him and the States [of Holland].
- Jan. 29. 32. The Prebendaries of Canterbury to Walsyngham. Thank him for not complaining of them to Her Majesty. Their refusal to grant the lease in reversion of the Manor of Appledore was owing to no obstinacy, but simply because they were prohibited by their statutes, which they had taken oath to observe.