

Alien Priory of Hailing, in Hampshire.

TANNER calls this Priory Hailing, olim Haringeye. King William . . he says, and afterwards King Henry the First, having given the church, tithes, and the greatest part of the land in this island to the Abbey of St. Peter at Gymege in Normandy, it became a Cell of Benedictine Monks thereunto. After the suppression of the Alien Priories,

King Henry the Fifth bestowed this Cell on his new foundation of Carthusians at Shene, and when that was dissolved, King Henry the Eighth, anno regni 33, granted the Priory of Hailing to the College of Arundel, in exchange for some other estate.^a

Hamele, or Hamelrise Priory, in Hampshire.

THIS was a Cell to the Abbey of Tyrone in France, for monks of the Cistercian Order, dedicated to St. Andrew. Tanner says, these monks were settled here in the time of Henry de Blois bishop of Winchester.^b After the foreign

Houses were suppressed, this came to New College in Oxford.^c

Leland, Itin. vol. iii. p. 110, speaking of Hamelrise, says, "Here a late was a great Abbey in building of White Monks."

St. Helen's Priory, in the Isle of Wight.

THIS was a Priory of Cluniac monks, and existed before the year 1155. The revenues of this House were seized in common with those of other Alien Priories during the wars with France. After the dissolution of these Houses, the rent of it for a term of years was given by King Henry

the Sixth to Eton College, and the Priory itself granted thereto, 7th Edw. IV. But the same King Edward the Fourth, in the 14th year of his reign, gave it to Windsor College.^d

Priory of Acley, or Lyre Ocle, in Herefordshire.

TANNER says, this manor being given to the Abbey of Lira in Normandy by one of the ancestors of Robert Chandos before A. D. 1160, it became an Alien Priory of

Benedictine Monks. After the dissolution of those Houses, this was given to Shene; and, as parcel thereof, was granted, 33d Hen. VIIIth, to Sir Philip Hoby.^e

Alien Priory of Ware, in Hertfordshire.

HUGH DE GRENTEMAISNIL, lord of this town, gave the church of St. Mary here, with the tithes thereunto belonging, and two carucates of land, before the year 1081, to the Monks of St. Ebrulf at Utica in Normandy: whereupon it became a Cell to that Abbey, and, in process of time, was so well endowed that upon the seizure of the Alien Priories by King Edward the Third, during the wars with

France, this was farmed at 200*l.* per annum. After the suppression of these foreign houses this was given, 3 Hen. Vth, to the Monks at Shene. King Henry the Sixth, for some time, annexed it to the Abbey of St. Mary near Leicester, but it was afterwards restored to Shene, and, as parcel of its possessions, was granted by King Henry the Eighth to Trinity College in Cambridge.^f

Thurlegh, or Trewelegh Priory, in Kent.

THIS was a Cell of Monks to the Abbey of St. Bertin at St. Omer's in Artois, which was granted in the 22d Hen. VIth to the Abbey of Sion; and, after the general suppression, was granted in exchange for lands in Marybone, with the prebendary of Rugmere in the Cathedral Church of St.

Paul, London. Tanner refers but to one public Record concerning this House, Pat. 22 Hen. VI. p. 1, m. 9.

There is an Extent of Thurlegh Priory, 18 Edw. II., Donat. MS. Brit. Mus.

^a Tanner refers to "Plac. de banco 26 Hen. III. Mich. rot. 26. de decimis Insulæ contra vicarium. Pat. 3 Hen. V. Pat. 33 Hen. VIII. p. 1." There is an Extent of Hailing Priory, 18 Edw. II., Donat. MS. Brit. Mus., and in the Augm. Office an Inquisition, 9 Hen. VI.

^b The monks of Hamele, as holding the chapel of Brixenden, are mentioned in a charter of his to St. Cross' Hospital. Cartular. S. Crucis, MS. p. 15. An Extent of the Priory, 22 Edw. I., Donat. MS. Brit. Mus.

^c Tanner refers to "Rot. pat. 3 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 19. Pat. 14 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 1, 10, 11, 12. Pat. 33 Hen. VI. p. 2, m. 4."

^d See Tanner Notit. Monast. *Hampsh.* xviii., who says, *Vide* "Cartas, &c. ad hunc Prioratum spectantes, inter munimenta Collegii Eton. p. xside 13. Pat. 11 Ric. II. p. 2, m. 2 vel 3. Rec. in Scacc. 6 Hen. VI. Trin. rot. 14. Pat. 7 Edw. IV. p. 3, m. 13. Pat. 14 Edw. IV. p. 1, m. 1."

^e Tanner refers to the following Records concerning Acley: "Rec. in Scacc. 16 Edw. III. Mich. rot. . . Escaet. Heref. 31 Edw. III. n. 59. de eccl. de Fowhope cum capellis. Rec. in Scacc. 6 Hen. IV. Mich. rot. 21." There is an Extent of Lyre Ocle, 3 Ric. II., Donat. MS. Brit. Mus.

^f See Tanner, Notit. Monast. *Hertf.* xxv., who says, "*Vide* MSS. Peck in Museo Britannico, vol. iii. pat. 33 Edw. I. Inquis. 8 Edw. II. de terris in Peatling Magna et Carleton. Rot. pat. 3 Edw. I. m. 27. de vi. acris terræ in Ruston. Assis. com. Wigorn. 21 Edw. I. rot. 4. pro ccc. acris bosci in Alvinton. Pat. 27 Edw. III. p. 2, m. 3, 11, 16. Pat. 35 Edw. III. p. 1, m. 14. Claus. 44 Edw. III. m. 3. ubi de pensione x. marc. ann. solvend. vicario de Ware. Pat. 3 Hen. V. p. 2, m. 30. Pat. 1 Hen. VI. p. 6, m. 41." There is an Extent of Ware Priory, 18 Edw. II., Donat. MS. Brit. Mus.