

Our Countreys of Anglere, Carnarvon, Merionid, Donbriht & Fflynit, that all
& every person & persons that intend to maintaine their living by name
or chor of Mynstrells, Withmores or Parthes, within the Talaithe of Aberffraw,
comprehending the S. five shires, shall be and appear before you the said day
and place, to show their learnings accordingly; But also, that you Twenty,
ninteen, eighteen, seventeen sixteen, fifteen, fourteen, thirteentwelve, eleven
ten, nine, eight, seven, or six of you, whoso of you thos. Sir Rich. Mullay
Sir Moos Griffith, Ellis Price and W^m. Mostyn Esq^r. or three or two of you
to be of the number to repayre to the S. place the day aforesaid, and
calling to you such expert men in the said Facultie of the Welsh
Musick, as to you shall be thought convenient, to proceed to the execution
of the premises; and to admit such and so many, as by your wisdoms &
knowledges, you shall find worthy into, and under the Degrees heretofore
in semblable sort, to use exercise & follow the Sciences & Faculties of
their professions in such decent order as shall appertayne to each
their degrees, and as your discretions & wisdoms shall prescribe unto
them; giving straight monition and Commandment in our Name &
in our behalfe to the rest not worthy that they return to some
honour labour and due exercise, such as they are most apt unto for
maintenance of their living; upon paine to be taken as a studie
& Idle vagabonds, and to be used according to the Lawes and Statutes provided in
that behalfe; letting you with our said Counsaile look for advertisement by
due Certificate at yo^r. hands of your doings in the execution of thos.
promises, proceeding in any wise that upon thos. assembly the Peace &
good order be observe & kept accordingly, ascertaining you that the S.
William Mostyn hath promised to see Furniture & things necessary
provided for that assembly, at the place aforesaid. Given under our
Signet at our City of Chester, the 23 of October, in the 9th year of our
Reign = 1567.

Signed

Her Highnesse's Counsaile
in the Marches of Wales.

N.B. This Contusion was copied
exactly from the original now at Mostyn,
A.D. 1693. where the silver Harp also impress
its exact size and shape over Lead projected
again by the original in 1749.