POLITICS, GOVERNMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

Royal Propaganda and the Proclamations of Edward IV

ALLAN Alison

Description: From Historical Research, Vol. 59, Issue 140, pp. 146-154

Date of publication: November 1986

Synopsis: Was it the Tudors, or Edward IV, who turned the royal proclamation into a tool of political

propaganda?

Diplomacy in Late-Medieval England

ALLMAND C. T

Description: From History Today, Vol. 17

Date of publication: August 1967

Synopsis: On the development of the use of authorized ambassadors.

The Exchequer in Late Medieval Government, c. 1485-1530

ALSOP J. D.

Description: From Aspects of Government and Society in Later Medieval England: essays in honour of J. R.

Lander, ed. John Rowe Date of publication: 1986

Synopsis: Challenges the common scholarly perception of the moribund, reactionary Exchequer becoming

eclipsed by the progressive Chamber.

Why did Richard Neville, the Earl of Warwick, Play Such a Prominent Role in English Politics between 1459 and his Death at the Battle of Barnet?

ANON (possibly a member of the Beds/ Bucks Group)

Description: Perhaps the script of a talk given to the Beds/Bucks Group of the Richard III Society

Date: Undated

Synopsis: Paper, with copious footnotes and a bibliography, providing an overview of Warwick's background, estates and experience in order to isolate the factors that enabled him to wield such influence in the 1460s.

A Letter of James III to the Duke of Burgundy

ARMSTRONG C. A. J.

Description: From England, France and Burgundy in the Fifteenth Century, pp. 389-402

Date of publication: 1983

Synopsis: Article originally published in *Miscellany of the Scottish History Society*, Vol. 8, 1951. Discusses a letter written by King James to Charles Duke of Burgundy in response to the latter's request that he should pardon the Boyds, who had seized him and ruled in his name from 1466 to 1469.

An Italian Astrologer at the Court of Henry VII

ARMSTRONG C. A. J.

Description: From England, France and Burgundy in the Fifteenth Century, pp. 157-178

Date of publication: 1983

Synopsis: Article originally published in *Studies in Medieval History Presented to F. M. Powicke*, ed. R. W. Hunt, W. A. Pantin & R. W. Southern, Oxford, 1948. The astrologer in question is William Parron, and the article concentrates on the political aspects of his writings.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

Had the Burgundian Government a Policy for the Nobility?

ARMSTRONG C. A. J.

Description: From England, France and Burgundy in the Fifteenth Century, pp. 213-236

Date of publication: 1983

Synopsis: Article originally published in *Britain and the Netherlands II. Papers Delivered to the Anglo-Dutch Conference, 1962*, ed. J. S. Bromley & E. H. Kosaman, pub. J. B. Wolters, Groningen, 1964. A study of how the Burgundian government handled the divergent models of nobility – from feudal to urban – found in their various territories.

La Double Monarchie France-Angleterre et la Maison de Bourgogne (1420-1435): le déclin d'une alliance

ARMSTRONG C. A. J.

Description: From England, France and Burgundy in the Fifteenth Century, pp. 343-374

Date of publication: 1983

Synopsis: Article originally published in *Annales de Bourgogne*, Vol 37, 1965. Traces the Anglo-Burgundian alliance from the Treaty of Troyes to Burgundy's reconciliation with Charles VII at the Congress of Arras. (In

French.)

La Politique Matrimoniale des Ducs de Bourgogne de la Maison de Valois

ARMSTRONG C. A. J.

Description: From England, France and Burgundy in the Fifteenth Century, pp. 375-381

Date of publication: 1983

Synopsis: Article originally published in Annales de Bourgogne, Vol 40, 1968. A study of the dynastic

marriages of the dukes of Burgundy. (In French.)

La Toison d'Or et la Loi des Armes

ARMSTRONG C. A. J.

Description: From England, France and Burgundy in the Fifteenth Century, pp. 375-381

Date of publication: 1983

Synopsis: Article originally published in *Publications du Centre Européen d'Etudes Burgundo-Médianes*, No. 5, 1963. Examines the application of Article 16 of the statutes of the Order of the Golden Fleece, according to which a knight is to be expelled from the Order if found guilty of the dishonour of fleeing from battle. (In French, but English translation available on request.)

The Inauguration Ceremonies of the Yorkist Kings and Their Title to the Throne

ARMSTRONG C. A. J.

Description: From Transactions of the Royal Historical Society, 4th Series, Vol. 30

Date of publication: 1948

Synopsis: On the inauguration ceremonies of Edward IV, Edward V and Richard III.

Espionage and Intelligence from the Wars of the Roses to the Reformation

ARTHURSON Ian

Description: From Nottingham Medieval Studies, No. 35

Date of publication: 1991

Synopsis: A well researched article on the types of espionage and counter-espionage employed by English

rulers and those in rebellion against them.

King's Interest: York's Fee Farm and the Central Government 1482-92

ATTREED Lorraine C. Description: From *Northern History*, Vol. 17

Date of publication: 1981

Synopsis: Problems arising from Richard Ill's attempt to remit the tax payable by the city of York.

Medieval Bureaucracy and York's Fee Farm During the Fifteenth Century

ATTREED Lorraine C. Description: From *York Historian*, Vol. 6

Date of publication: 1985

Synopsis: Problems experienced by the city of York over the implementation of Richard Ill's tax concessions to

the city.

Jacobean Historiography and the Election of Richard III

BAKER David Weil

Description: From Huntingdon Library Quarterly, Vol. 70, No. 3

Date of publication: September 2007

Synopsis: Discusses the challenge that the rediscovery of Titulus Regius posed to James I's insistence that

Parliament had never had any role to play in determining the royal succession.

The Making of English Criminal Law: (2) Star Chamber and the Sophistication of the Criminal Law

BARNES Thomas G. Description: From *Criminal Law Review*

Date of publication: 1977

Synopsis: Showing how the Court of Star Chamber developed from its beginnings under Edward IV.

Note: For Part (1), see under KAYE.

The Government of London: The Formative Phase, 1300-1500

BARRON Caroline M.

Description: From London Journal, Vol. 26, No. 1

Date of publication: 2001

Synopsis: Covers citizenship, the Court of Common Council, the Court of Aldermen and the Mayoralty.

Focuses on the struggle between the wards and the guilds for control of city government.

Why Is the Bishop of Winchester Prelate of the Order?

BIDDLE Martin

Description: From St George's Chapel Windsor: History and Heritage, ed. N. Saul & T. Tatton-Brown

Date of publication: 2010

Synopsis: Explores the reason for Edward III's choice of the Bishop of Winchester as the prelate of the Order

of the Garter despite the fact that Windsor lay within the diocese of Salisbury.

The Council of the North

BROOKS F. W.

Description: From Historical Association Pamphlet G: 25

Date of publication: 1966 (revised edition)

Synopsis: History and antecedents of the Council of the North.

The King's Councillors in Fifteenth Century England

BROWN A. L

Description: From Transactions of the Royal Historical Society, 5th Series, Vol. 19

Date of publication: 1969

Synopsis: Survey of the composition of the royal council.

Continuity and Change in the Parliamentary Justifications of the Fifteenth-century Usurpations

BROWN Lucy

Description: From The Fifteenth Century, Vol. 7, ed. Linda Clark

Date of publication: 2007

Synopsis: How the increasing use of deposition as a political tool during the fifteenth century was reconciled to

the medieval ideal of the king as God's representative on earth.

French Alliance or English Peace? Scotland and the Last Phase of the Hundred Years War, 1415-53

BROWN Michael

Description: From The Fifteenth Century, Vol. 7, ed. Linda Clark

Date of publication: 2007

Synopsis: A study of the Franco-Scottish alliance in the context of the Anglo-French war.

The Tudors and the Royal Race

BUSH M. L.

Description: From *History*, Vol. 55 Date of publication: February 1970

Synopsis: The Tudor dynasty's relations with those related to the royal family by birth or marriage.

Complaint and Reform in Henry VII's Reign: the Origins of the Statute of 3 Henry VII, c.2?

CAMERON A

Description: From BIHR, Vol. 51, No. 123

Date of publication: 1978

Synopsis: On the origins of an Act to prevent the abduction of women.

Law, Justice and Landowners in Late Medieval England

CARPENTER Christine

Description: From Law and History Review, Vol. 1

Date of publication: 1983

Synopsis: Discusses medieval attitudes to the law – in theory and in practice.

The Beauchamp Affinity: A Study of Bastard Feudalism at Work

CARPENTER Christine Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 95 Date of publication: July 1980

Synopsis: A study of the Warwickshire followers of Richard Beauchamp as an example of how bastard

feudalism worked in practice.

War, Government and Governance in England in the Later Middle Ages

CARPENTER Christine

Description: From The Fifteenth Century, Vol. 7, ed. Linda Clark

Date of publication: 2007

Synopsis: Examines how the financial and administrative demands of war impacted on the development of

other areas of government.

The Enforcement of the Penal Statutes in the 1490s: Some New Evidence

CAVILL P. R.

Description: From Historical Research, No. 217 (special issue: Who Was Henry VII?)

Date of publication: August 2009

Synopsis: Using new evidence from the parliament of 1495, the author argues that King Henry's enforcement of the penal statutes arose from an attitude to legislation that he had already formed by that period rather than

increasing rapacity in his last years as claimed by contemporaries.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

The Struggle for Power in Mid-fifteenth-century Devonshire

CHERRY Martin

Description: From Patronage, the Crown and the Provinces in Later Medieval England, ed. R. A. Griffiths

Date of publication: 1981

Synopsis: An analysis of the process of polarisation amongst the local ruling class in Devonshire that led to the fight at Clyst in 1455 between the Earl of Devon and Lord Bonville and the Courtenays' Lancastrian stance during the Wars of the Roses.

The Reign of Henry VII

CHRIMES S. B.

Description: Chapter 4 of Fifteenth Century England 1399-1509: Studies in Politics and Society, ed. S. B.

Chrimes, C. D. Ross & R. A. Griffiths

Date of publication: 1972

Synopsis: Looks beyond Bacon to an assessment of Henry's reign based on original sources.

The Pretensions of the Duke of Gloucester in 1422

CHRIMES S. B.

Description: From EHR, Vol. 45, No. 177

Date of publication: 1930

Synopsis: On Duke Humphrey's unsuccessful petition to parliament in 1422 to be recognised as governor of the

realm rather than merely protector.

English Royal Marriages and the Papal Penitentiary in the Fifteenth Century

CLARKE Peter D.

Description: From EHR, Vol. 120, No. 488, pp. 1014-1029

Date of publication: September 2005

Synopsis: An important article reproducing the texts, and discussing the political backgrounds, of dispensations discovered by the author in the Penitentiary registers for the marriages of Margaret of York and Charles the Bold, Anne Neville and Edward of Lancaster, Anne Neville and Richard Duke of Gloucester, and Henry Tudor and Elizabeth of York

Castles and Government in Tudor England

COLVIN H. M.

Description: From EHR, Vol. 83, No. 327

Date of publication: April 1968

Synopsis: On the Tudor policy of acquiring castles to curb baronial power, but then allowing them to fall into

ruin.

Richard, Son of Richard: Richard III and Political Prophecy

COOTE Lesley THORNTON Tim

Description: From Historical Research, Vol. 73, No. 182, pp. 321-330

Date of publication: 2000

Synopsis: Suggests that Richard was inspired to take the throne, and his contemporaries to allow this, by prophecies, two claiming that 'R' would succeed E on the throne, and the third naming the prophesied king as 'Richard,'

Note. The authors do not properly address the drawback that our earliest written sources for all these prophecies postdate Bosworth. [LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: Richard III]

The King's Burden? - The Consequences of Royal Marriage in Fifteenth-century England

CRAWFORD Anne

Description: From Patronage, the Crown and the Provinces in Later Medieval England, ed. R. A. Griffiths

Date of publication: 1981

Synopsis: A study of fifteenth-century queens as a group: how they were chosen and dowered, and how their households were supported and financed.

The Queen's Council in the Middle Ages

CRAWFORD Anne

Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 116, No. 469 Date of publication: November 2001

Synopsis: Discussion of the surviving evidence for the role and operation of the Queen's Council.

Loyalty and the Usurper: Recognizances, the Council and Allegiance under Henry VII

CUNNINGHAM Sean

Description: From Historical Research, No. 217 (special issue: Who Was Henry VII?)

Date of publication: August 2009

Synopsis: Using new material from the National Archives, Cunningham shows that Henry VII's use of bonds as an instrument of policy in the later years of his reign arose from success in their deployment to address

disloyalty and conspiracy from the earliest part of his reign.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

Henry VII, France and the Holy League of Venice: The Diplomacy of Balance

CURRIN John M.

Description: From Historical Research, No. 217 (special issue: Who Was Henry VII?)

Date of publication: August 2009

Synopsis: Discusses Henry VII's reaction to Charles VIII's 1494 invasion of Italy and conquest of Naples, and the complex negotiations leading up to his entry into the Holy League of Venice. The author challenges the standard view that Henry was not concerned about the French conquest of Naples.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

Information, Disinformation and Political Knowledge under Henry VII and Early Henry VIII

DAVIES C. S. L.

Description: From Historical Research, Vol. 85, No. 228, pp. 229-253

Date of publication: May 2012

Synopsis: Challenges the view that Henry VII initiated a vigorous campaign of 'Tudor propaganda', arguing rather for a policy of obfuscation and evasion regarding both his own ancestry and the events of Richard's reign. He further argues that the young Henry VIII was also concerned about the danger of shedding too much light on the events surrounding his father's accession.

Richard III, Brittany and Henry Tudor

DAVIES C. S. L.

Description: From Nottingham Medieval Studies, Vol. 37, pp. 110-126

Date of publication: 1993

Synopsis: Argues that Richard's patent authorising the provision of 1,000 archers for service with the Duke of

Brittany was issued, not in June 1484 as previously assumed, but in June 1485.

'Roy de France et Roy d'Angleterre': The English Claims to France, 1453-1558

DAVIES C. S. L.

Description: From Publication du Centre Européen d'Etudes Bourgignonnes (XIV^e – XV^e s.), No. 35

Date of publication: 1995

Synopsis: Text of talk given at the Centre's 1994 conference in Oxford showing how the English maintained

their claim between the loss of Normandy and Guienne and the loss of Calais.

The Alleged 'Sack of Bristol': International Ramifications of Breton Privateering, 1484-5

DAVIES C. S. L.

Description: From Historical Research, Vol. 67, pp. 230-9

Date of publication: 1994

Synopsis: Questions the authenticity of the story of the burning and pillaging of Bristol in 1484 by the Breton privateer Jean de Coetanlem, recounted in various modern French accounts of naval affairs and by Charles Ross

in his Richard III.

Fluid Prejudice: Scottish Origin Myths in the Later Middle Ages

DREXLER Marjorie

Description: From People, Politics & Community in the Later Middle Ages, ed. J. Rosenthal & C. Richmond

Date of publication: 1987

Synopsis: How the Scots used origin myths to support their claim to national independence.

The 'Redresses and Reparacons of Attemptates': Alexander Legh's Instructions from Edward IV, March-April 1475

DUNLOP David

Description: From Historical Research, Vol. 63, No. 152, pp. 340-353

Date of publication: October 1990

Synopsis: Study of an extant set of instructions to Edward's ambassador to Scotland, and discussion of the light

they shed on Anglo-Scottish relations and Richard's administration of the West March.

The Right to Rule in England: Depositions and the Kingdom's Authority 1327-1485

DUNHAM William Huse Jnr.

WOOD Charles T.

Description: From American Historical Review, Vol. 81, No. 4

Date of publication: October 1976

Synopsis: Comparative study of the depositions of Edward II, Richard II, Henry VI, Edward V and Richard III.

Note. For a rejoinder, see McKenna's The Myth of Parliamentary Sovereignty in Late Medieval England below.

Crown, Community and Government in the English Territories, 1450-1575

ELLIS Steven
Description: From *History*, Vol. 71
Date of publication: June 1986

Synopsis: Study of how the government tried to exercise control over the whole realm, directly in the South of England and the Midlands, and indirectly through regional councils elsewhere; concentrates particularly on

developments in Ireland.

The Rolls of Parliament, 1449-1547

ELTON G. R.

Description: From The Historical Journal, Vol. 22, No. 1

Date of publication: 1979

Synopsis: A discussion of the compilation and storage of the Rolls of Parliament during this period, including changes of procedure that began with Richard's parliament of 1484.

The Development of Raglan Castle and Keeps in Late Medieval England

EMERY Anthony

Description: From Archaeological Journal, Vol. 132

Date of publication: 1976 for 1975

Synopsis: Re-examination of the dates of building of Raglan castle and of the purpose of keeps in general in the

fifteenth century.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Topographical]

'Noo Man Indented for the Keping of the Borders': Royal Administration of the Marches, 1483-1505

ETTY Claire

Description: From England and Scotland at War, c.1296 - c.1513, ed. A. King & D. Simpson, History of

Warfare series No. 78

Date of publication: April 2012

Synopsis: A study of changes in the administration of the Scottish Marches initiated by Richard III and further

developed by Henry VII.

The New Edwardians? Royal Piety in the Yorkist Age

FARRIS Charles

Description: From The Yorkist Age: Proceedings of the 2011 Harlaxton Symposium, ed. H. Kleineke & C. Steer

Date of publication: 2013

Synopsis: A comparison of the daily devotional routines of Edward I and Edward IV to determine to what extent the Yorkist kings proved their claim to be the divinely appointed heirs of the first three Edwards by exhibiting comparable levels of piety.

English Sea Power in the Early Tudor Period 1485-1558

FOWLER Elaine W.

Description: One of the series of Folger Booklets on Tudor and Stuart Civilisation

Date of publication: 1965

Synopsis: On the rise of English naval power under the first four Tudor monarchs.

Politics and Propaganda in 15th Century England: The Polemical Writings of Sir John Fortescue

GILL Paul E. Description: From *Speculum*, Vol. 46

Date of publication: 1971

Synopsis: Study of Fortescue's propagandist writings on the rival claims of York and Lancaster.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: Fortescue]

A Defence of the Proscription of the Yorkists in 1459

GILSON J. P.

Description: From EHR, Vol. 26, No. 103

Date of publication: July 1911

Synopsis: Text of a contemporary defence of the harsh measures taken against the Yorkists in the parliament of

1459, cast in the form of a debate. Written in a mixture of English, Latin and French.

The Navy Under Henry VII

GOLDINGHAM C. S. Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 33 Date of publication: 1918

Synopsis: Description of the twelve ships of Henry's navy, their armament and manning.

The Impact of Warfare of the Scottish Marches, c.1481-c.1513

GOODMAN Anthony

Description: From The Fifteenth Century, Vol. 7, ed. Linda Clark

Date of publication: 2007

Synopsis: An examination of the evidence about some of the effects of warfare on the East and Middle

marches.

The Yorkist Claim to the Throne of Castile

GOODMAN Anthony MORGAN David

Description: From Journal of Medieval History, Vol. 2, No. 1, pp. 61-69

Date of publication: March 1985

Synopsis: Explains why the heirs of Isabel of Castile and Edmund of Langley considered their claim to the throne of Castile superior to that of Isabel's elder sister Constance, Duchess of Lancaster, and the use made of

this claim by successive generations of the House of York.

Local Rivalries and National Politics: The Percies, the Nevilles, and the Duke of Exeter, 1452-55

GRIFFITHS Ralph A.

Description: From Speculum, Vol. 43, No. 4

Date of publication: October 1968

Synopsis: An account of the northern rebellion of Henry Holland, Duke of Exeter, against the First Protectorate of Richard Duke of York, in which he was supported by the younger sons of the Earl of Northumberland as a

means of furthering their struggle against the local dominance of the Nevilles.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: Holland & Percy]

Patronage, Politics and the Principality of Wales 1413-1461

GRIFFITHS R. A.

Description: From British Government and Administration: Studies Presented to S. B. Chrimes, ed. H. Hearder

and H. R. Loyn

Date of publication: 1974

Synopsis: On the exercise of patronage in the Principality by Henry V and (less successfully) by Henry VI

through grants of offices, lands and cash.

Public and Private Bureaucracies in England and Wales in the 15th Century

GRIFFITHS R.

Description: From Transactions of the Royal Historical Society, Vol. 30

Date of publication: 1980

Synopsis: The background, training and career prospects of fifteenth-century civil servants.

Richard, Duke of York, and the Royal Household in Wales 1449-50

GRIFFITHS Ralph A.

Description: From Welsh History Review, Vol. 8

Date of publication: 1976

Synopsis: York's bad relations with royal officials in Wales.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

Richard, Duke of York, and the Crisis of Henry VI's Household in 1450-1: Some Further Evidence

GRIFFITHS R. A.

Description: From Journal of Medieval History, Vol. 38, No. 2, pp. 244-256

Date of publication: June 2012

Synopsis: A re-examination, in the light of two new documents, of the crisis caused by York's return from

Ireland.

The English Realm and Dominions and the King's Subjects in the Later Middle Ages

GRIFFITHS Ralph A.

Description: From Aspects of Government and Society in Later Medieval England: essays in honour of J. R.

Lander, ed. John Rowe Date of publication: 1986

Synopsis: Discusses the complex relationship between the English crown and the additional dominions it

acquired as the Middle Ages progressed.

The King's Council and the First Protectorate of the Duke of York, 1450-1454

GRIFFITHS R. A.

Description: From EHR, Vol. 99, pp. 305-320

Date of publication: 1984

Synopsis: A study of the York's first protectorate through the lens of the extant minutes of three important meetings of the royal council held between the end November 1453 and early April 1454. The article is followed by a transcript of the source document, Harvard University (the Houghton Library), fMS Eng. 751, fos.

211-214.

The Provinces and the Dominions in the Age of the Wars of the Roses

GRIFFITHS R. A

Description: From Estrangement, Enterprise & Education in Fifteenth Century England, ed. S. D. Michalove &

A. C. Reeves

Date of publication: 1998

Synopsis: A study of the relationship between England and the dominions acquired or claimed during this

period, and its implications for the English state.

Wales and the Marches

GRIFFITHS R. A.

Description: From Fifteenth Century England 1399-1509: Studies in Politics and Society, ed. S. B. Chrimes, C.

D. Ross & R. A. Griffiths Date of publication: 1972

Synopsis: Chapter 7 of the above book, covering regional politics in Wales – the struggle to preserve peace,

stability and justice at a time of social and political change.

Household, Politics and Political Morality in the Reign of Henry VII

GRUMMITT David

Description: From Historical Research, No. 217 (special issue: Who Was Henry VII?)

Date of publication: August 2009

Synopsis: Argues that Henry VII did indeed bring in a 'New Monarchy', i.e. the continental Renaissance political morality with which he had become familiar in exile, and that this centred upon a redefinition of the

Household and the role of Household servants.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

Politic History, New Monarchy and State Formation: Henry VII in European perspective

GUNN Steven

Description: From Historical Research, No. 217 (special issue: Who Was Henry VII?)

Date of publication: August 2009

Synopsis: Compares Henry VII's adaptations of English law and government with those of his continental contemporaries, and concludes that, whilst he did not adopt continental methods *per se*, many of the measures

he took would have achieved a similar effect.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

Climbing the Civil-service Pole during Civil War: Sir Reynold Bray (c. 1440-1503)

GUTH DeLloyd J.

Description: From Estrangement, Enterprise & Education in Fifteenth Century England, ed. S. D. Michalove &

A. C. Reeves

Date of publication: 1998

Synopsis: Examines the extent to which a civil service existed, and the ways in which it functioned, through the

career of Reynold Bray.

Richard Ill, Henry VII and the City: London Politics and the 'Dun Cow'

GUTH DeLloyd J.

Description: From Kings and Nobles in the Later Middle Ages: A Tribute to Charles Ross, ed. R. A. Griffiths

Date of publication: 1982

Synopsis: The City of London's cautious welcome to each change of government.

War, Politics, and Diplomacy in England, France and the Low Countries, 1475-1500. An Entangled

History

HAEMERS Jelle BUYLAERT Frederik

Description: From The Yorkist Age: Proceedings of the 2011 Harlaxton Symposium, ed. H. Kleineke & C. Steer

Date of publication: 2013

Synopsis: The tangled international politics of these regions in the late fifteenth century viewed on their own terms rather than 'as the cradle of a political constellation that ... would remain in place up to and including

World War II'.

The Legislation of Richard III

HANBURY H

Description: From American Journal of Legal History, Vol. 6

Date of publication: 1962

Synopsis: Detailed examination of the Acts passed by Richard Ill's parliament.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

Edmund de la Pole and the Spies 1499-1506 (Some Revisions)

HANHAM Alison

Description: From Parergon, New Series, No. 6

Date of publication: 1988

Synopsis: Examines the career and motives of some of the 'spies' connected with Edmund de la Pole.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

English Law Courts in the Later Middle Ages

HARDING Alan

Description: Chapter 3 of The Law Courts of Medieval England

Date of publication: 1973

Synopsis: Chapter covering the breakdown of the eyre, the development of county commissions of the peace,

and the development of the central courts.

Aids, Loans and Benevolences

HARRISS G. L.

Description: From Historical Journal, Vol. 6, No. 1

Date of publication: 1963

Synopsis: On borrowing by the Crown in the fifteenth century.

Political Society and the Growth of Government in Late Medieval England

HARRISS Gerald

Description: From Past and Present, No. 138

Date of publication: February 1993

Synopsis: Challenges the view that between the death of Henry III and the emergence of the Tudors warfare

crippled royal authority and prevented further development of government institutions.

The Struggle for Calais: An Aspect of the Rivalry between Lancaster and York

HARRISS G. L

Description: From EHR, Vol. 75, No. 296

Date of publication: 1960

Synopsis: The struggle between the Dukes of York and Somerset in the mid-1450s for the control of Calais gives an insight into the political rivalries which developed into civil war.

Clothed by the Tudors: Yorkist Prisoners in the Tower 1485-1547

HAYWARD Maria

Description: From The Yorkist Age: Proceedings of the 2011 Harlaxton Symposium, ed. H. Kleineke & C. Steer

Date of publication: 2013

Synopsis: On the way Yorkist political prisoners of different rank were clothed; based on documentary evidence dating from the 1490s onwards.

Select Cases in the Exchequer Chamber

HEMNANT M. (editor & compiler)

Description: From Select Cases in the Exchequer Chamber before All the Justices of England, Vol. 2, 1461-

1509

Date of publication: 1948

Synopsis: The records of several cases the hearings of which Richard Ill attended and participated in.

Attainder, Resumption and Coercion 1461-1529

HICKS Michael

Description: From Parliamentary History, Vol. 3

Date of publication: January 1984

Synopsis: Explores the ways in which kings used these various forms of 'the big stick' in order to enforce the

obedience of their greater subjects.

Bastard Feudalism, Overmighty Subjects and the Idols of the Multitude during the Wars of the Roses

HICKS Michael

Description: From History, Vol. 85, Issue 279

Date of publication: July 2000

Synopsis: Considers how and why a handful of overmighty subjects came to exercise such a disproportionate

influence on the events of the Wars of the Roses.

Crowland's World: A Westminster View of the Yorkist Age

HICKS Michael

Description: From History, Vol. 90, pp. 172-190

Date of publication: April 2005

Synopsis: Starting from the traditional assumption that the continuator was a single Westminster clerk, Hicks analyses the said clerk's personality and access to events and concludes that, with all his prejudices, he 'offers important insights to his world.' This article is a precursor to his 2007 identification of the continuator as

Richard Lamport.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Source Material]

Descent, Partition and Extinction: The Warwick Inheritance

HICKS M. A.

Description: From BIHR, Vol. 52, No. 126

Date of publication: 1979

Synopsis: Discussion of the division of Warwick the Kingmaker's lands after 1471.

Edward IV, the Duke of Somerset and Lancastrian Loyalism in the North

HICKS M. A

Description: From Northern History, Vol. 20

Date of publication: 1984

Synopsis: Shows that Edward's policy of appeasement and reconciliation did not work with Somerset because

he remained loyal to Lancaster. [LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

Edward IV's Brief Treatise and the Treaty of Picquigny of 1475

HICKS Michael A.

Description: From Historical Research, Vol. 83, Issue 220, pp. 253-265

Date of publication: 2009

Synopsis: An examination of a propaganda tract setting out the Yorkist claim to the three crowns of France, England and Castile, and a discussion of evidence that a copy was taken on the French campaign in 1475.

The Beauchamp Trust 1439-87

HICKS M. A.

Description: From *BIHR*, Vol. 54, No. 130 Date of publication: November 1981

Synopsis: Studies the operation of the trust set up under the will of Richard Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick, in part to fund the building of the Beauchamp Chapel.

The Neville Earldom of Salisbury 1429-71

HICKS M. A.

Description: From Wiltshire Archaeological Magazine, Vol. 72-73

Date of publication: 1980

Synopsis: Indicates that some of the lands of the earls of Salisbury were acquired by underhand means.

The Yorkist Age?

HICKS Michael

Description: From The Yorkist Age: Proceedings of the 2011 Harlaxton Symposium, ed. H. Kleineke & C. Steer

Date of publication: 2013

Synopsis: Introductory paper to the Symposium, discussing the meaning and usefulness of the term 'Yorkist

Age' and the nature of government and society during this period.

Henry Tudor's Treasure

HOROWITZ Mark R.

Description: From Historical Research, No. 217 (special issue: Who Was Henry VII?)

Date of publication: August 2009

Synopsis: In an attempt to establish whether Henry VII did indeed amass a fortune as alleged, or whether modern historians are correct in claiming that he died penniless, the author conducted a study of the income

raised by Henry VII's policy of using bonds.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

Policy and Prosecution in the Reign of Henry VII

HOROWITZ Mark R.

Description: From Historical Research, No. 217 (special issue: Who Was Henry VII?)

Date of publication: August 2009

Synopsis: Traces Henry VII's policy of control through bond-taking from the use of bonds in the administration

of the Duchy of Lancaster and wider society.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

Financial Memoranda of the Reign of Edward V: Longleat Miscellaneous Manuscript Book II

HORROX Rosemary (ed.)

Description: From Camden Miscellany No. 29, Camden 4th Series, Vol. 34

Date of publication: 1987

Synopsis: Transcript, with introduction and notes, of financial surveys of money in hand at Edward IV's death, and current and expected income and expenditure including the expense of defending Berwick and Calais.

What Did the Royal Almoner Do in Britain and Ireland, c. 1450-1700?

HOUSTON R

Description: From EHR, Vol. 125, No. 513

Date of publication: April 2010

Synopsis: Study of the roles of the royal almoners of England, Scotland and Ireland (the last not instituted until

1617). The main focus is on the English royal almoner in the sixteenth and early seventeenth centuries.

The 'Revolution' in Northern Borough Representation in Mid-fifteenth-century England

JALLAND Patricia

Description: From Northern History, Vol. 11

Date of publication: 1976

Synopsis: An analysis of the parliamentary returns for the northern boroughs between 1450 and 1470.

Note. For commentary on this article, see Palliser below.

Edward IV, the Earl of Warwick and the Yorkist Claim to the Throne

JONES Michael K.

Description: From Historical Research, Vol. 70, Issue 173, pp. 342-352

Date of publication: 1997

Synopsis: Discussion of a reward made to Warwick in 1463 for the dangerous and costly journey he had made

from Calais to Ireland to visit the Duke of York in 1460.

Les Ambassades de Roger Machado, le Héraut Richmond en Bretagne (1490)

JONES Michael

Description: From 1491: La Bretagne, Terre d'Europe, ed. Centre de Recherche Bretonne et Celtique/ Société

Archéologique Finistère Date of publication: 1991

Synopsis: Machado's account of his embassies to Brittany on behalf of Henry VII. In French.

Welsh Nationalism and Henry Tudor

JONES W. Garmon

Description: From Transactions of the Honourable Society of Cymmrodorion, Session 1917-18

Date of publication: 1919

Synopsis: The part played by Welsh nationalism, as shown in poetry, in the success of Henry Tudor.

Parliamentary and Prerogative Taxation in the Reign of Edward IV

JURKOWSKI Maureen

Description: From Parliamentary History, Vol. 18, Part 3

Date of publication: 1999

Synopsis: An examination of Edward IV's taxation policy between 1472 and 1475.

The Making of English Criminal Law: (1) The Beginnings – A General Survey of Criminal Law and Justice down to 1500

KAYE J. M.

Description: From Criminal Law Review

Date of publication: 1977

Synopsis: An overview of the development of the criminal justice system from the Anglo-Saxon period to the

end of the Middle Ages.

Note. For Part (2), see under BARNES above.

English Military Experience and the Court of Chivalry: The Case of Grey v. Hastings

KEEN Maurice H.

Description: From Guerre et Société en France, en Angleterre et en Bourgogne, XIVe-XVe siècle (Lille), ed. P.

Contamine, C. Giry-Deloison and M. Keen, pp. 123-42

Date of publication: 1992

Synopsis: The author discusses a rare survival from the Court of Chivalry: the case of 1407-1410 between Lord Grey of Ruthin and Sir Edward Hastings over the right to bear the *manche gules* (red sleeve) device of the late

Hastings earls of Pembroke.
[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Social History]

The Attainder of the Yorkists in 1459: Two Contemporary Accounts

KEKEWICH Margaret

Description: From BIHR, Vol. 55, No. 131

Date of publication: May 1982

Synopsis: Description of two accounts (one a piece of political propaganda and one from a monastic chronicle)

of the events leading to the attainder of the Duke of York and his adherents after the rout at Ludlow.

English Kings and the Fear of Sorcery

KELLY H. A.

Description: From Medieval Studies, Vol. 39

Date of publication: 1977

Synopsis: Discussion of political witchcraft accusations in the fifteenth century, including Edward's marriage to

Elizabeth Woodville, Clarence's downfall and Richard Ill's withered arm.

The Lancaster Myth

KELLY H. A.

Description: From Divine Providence in the England of Shakespeare's Histories

Date of publication: 1969

Synopsis: How political writers of the Lancastrian era legitimised the régime by recourse to a narrative of divine intervention, and at how in the sixteenth century this was synthesised with the dynastic myths of the Yorkists and Tudors.

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The Anglo-Scottish Marches and the Perception of 'the North' in Fifteenth-century England

KING Andy

Description: From Northern History, Vol. 99, Issue 1

Date of publication: March 2012

Synopsis: Explores the use of Yorkist propaganda against northerners in the 1450s and 1460s to enflame existing southern prejudices, and the (somewhat ironic) fateful consequences of this for Richard III.

English History in Contemporary Poetry; No 2: Lancaster and York

KINGSFORD Charles Lethbridge (ed.)

Description: Booklet Date of publication: 1913

Synopsis: Discusses, with quotations, contemporary ballads and satires on political and historical subjects

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Source Material]

The London Pageants for Margaret of Anjou: A Medieval Script Restored

KIPLING Gordon

Description: From Medieval English Theatre, 1982, 4 (1)

Date of publication: 1982

Synopsis: Sets the pageants in their historical and cultural context. Includes script and route map.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Dramatic & Lit. Crit.: Other Plays: Commentaries]

Baldwin Hyde, Clerk of the Parliaments in the Readeption Parliament of 1470-71

KLEINEKE Hannes ROGER Euan C.

Description: From Parliamentary History, Vol. 33, Part 3

Date of publication: 2014

Synopsis: A challenge to the traditional view, that Hyde's appointment in November 1470 was a political

change initiated by the government of the restored Henry VI.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: Hyde]

Late Medieval Churchwardens' Accounts and Parish Government: Looking beyond London and Bristol

KÜMIN Beat

Description: From EHR, Vol. 119. No. 480

Date of publication: February 2004

Synopsis: An attempt to balance Clive Burgess's in-depth studies of churchwardens' accounts, which were

based exclusively on London and Bristol.

Aspects of Fifteenth Century Studies

LANDER J. Ř

Description: Introductory chapter to Crown and Nobility 1450-1509

Date of publication: 1976

Synopsis: Reviews changing ideas about the fifteenth century and especially about the relationship between the

nobility and the Crown.

Attainder and Forfeiture, 1453-1509

LANDER J. R

Description: From Historical Studies of the English Parliament, ed. E.B. Fryde and E. Miller, Vol. 2

Date of publication: 1970

Synopsis: Studies of attainders for treason and their reversals under Henry VI, Edward IV, Richard III and

Henry VII.

Note. First published in Historical Journal, Vol. 4, 1961.

Bonds, Coercion and Fear: Henry VII and the Peerage

LANDER J. R.

Description: From Crown and Nobility 1450-1509, ed. J. G. Rowe and W. H. Stockdale

Date of publication: 1976

Synopsis: On Henry Vll's need for, and control of, the nobility.

Note. First published in Florilegium Historiale: Essays Presented to Wallace K. Ferguson, 1976.

Council, Administration and Councillors 1461-1485

LANDER J. R.

Description: From *BIHR*, Vol. 32, No. 86 Date of publication: November 1959

Synopsis: On the Council's activities, and its membership, with lists of councillors.

The Crown and the Aristocracy in England 1450-1509

LANDER J. R.

Description: From Albion, Vol. 8, No. 3

Date of publication: Fall 1976

Synopsis: The nobility were wary of becoming involved in national politics, but were important to the Crown

as local administrators, maintaining law and order in their own areas, etc..

Yorkist Council and Administration, 1461 to 1485

LANDER J. R. Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 73 Date of publication: January 1958

Synopsis: On the importance of the Yorkist Council, and the source material available for its study.

Urban Policy and Urban Political Culture: Henry VII and his Towns

LEE James

Description: From Historical Research, No. 217 (special issue: Who Was Henry VII?)

Date of publication: August 2009

Synopsis: The article examines Henry's relations with urban polities and argues that, in the king's political interaction with larger provincial centres in politically sensitive areas such as Bristol, York and Exeter, can be witnessed a burgeoning urban policy, albeit one that, rather than centralising, encouraged the development of local urban government.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

Tudor Dynastic Problems 1460-1571 (extracts)

LEVINE Mortimer

Description: Extracts from the above book

Date of publication: 1973

Synopsis: Extracts covering the period from Richard Duke of York's claim to the throne to circa 1520,

focusing on the search for secure succession.

War Propaganda and Historiography in Fifteenth-century France and England

LEWIS P. S.

Description: From Transactions of the Royal Historical Society, Vol. 15

Date of publication: 1965

Synopsis: The role of itinerant singers of England and France in expounding to their compatriots the claims to

the French throne of their respective monarchies.

Popular Politics in the Late Medieval City: York and Bruges

LIDDY Christian D.

HAEMERS Jelle

Description: From EHR, Vol. 128, No. 533

Date of publication: August 2013

Synopsis: A fresh examination of the underlying causes of the repeated outbreaks of civic unrest during the fourteenth and fifteenth centuries in two very different cities, Bruges and York, in a search for common causes.

The King's Ships and the Keeping of the Seas; 1413-1480

LOADES David

Description: From Medieval History, Vol. 1, No. 1

Date of publication: 1991

Synopsis: On the means used to maintain a supply of ships for keeping the seas during this period before the

development of an official royal navy.

John Rous and the Survival of the Neville Circle

LOWRY Martin Description: From *Viator*, Vol. 19

Date of publication: 1988

Synopsis: On Rous and the literary/administrative circle to which he belonged.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

Patronage, Violence and Revolt in the Reign of Henry VII

LUCKETT D. A.

Description: From Crown, Government and People in the Fifteenth Century, ed. Rowena Archer

Date of publication: 1995

Synopsis: How Henry VII coped with the inevitable royal juggling act of rewarding past supporters without

alienating others.

The Thames Valley Conspiracies against Henry VII

LUCKETT D. A.

Description: From Historical Research, Vol. 68, No. 166

Date of publication: June 1995

Synopsis: Examines the reasons why the Thames Valley was the only area in southern England to become a

centre of Yorkist conspiracy during the early years of Henry VII's reign.

'Of good name and fame in the countrey': Standards of Conduct for Henry VII's Chamber Officials

McGLYNN Margaret

Description: From Historical Research, No. 217 (special issue: Who Was Henry VII?)

Date of publication: August 2009

Synopsis: Examination of Henry VII's Chamber machinery through the lens of two documents produced by

auditors in the office, one a comment on a 1512 statute, the other a pay dispute.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

The Coronation Oil of the Yorkist Kings

MCKENNA J. W. Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 82 Date of publication: 1967

Synopsis: On the use of the miraculous oil of St. Thomas a Becket to add sanctity to the anointing during the

coronation service.

The Myth of Parliamentary Sovereignty in Late Medieval England

MCKENNA J. W.

Description: From EHR, Vol. 94, No. 372

Date of publication: July 1979

Synopsis: Questions the theory of parliamentary supremacy put forward by Dunham and Wood in The Right to

Rule in England.

The House of York and the Low Countries

MELHUISH J. M. Description: Text of a talk Date: February 1975

Synopsis: England's relations with Burgundy in the fifteenth century, and the personalities involved.

The Liber Niger of Edward IV: A New Version

MERTES Kate

Description: From BIHR, Vol. 54, No. 29

Date of publication: May 1981

Synopsis: On a recently discovered manuscript of Edward IV's Household ordinances, including material not in

the texts used by A. R. Myers for his edition of the Black Book.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: Edward IV]

The King's Affinity in the Polity of Yorkist England

MORGAN D. A. L.

Description: From Transactions of the Royal Historical Society, 5th Series, Vol. 23

Date of publication: 1973

Synopsis: On the retinue and household of the Yorkist kings.

An Official Progress through Lancashire and Cheshire in 1476

MYERS A. R.

Description: From Crown, Household and Parliament in Fifteenth Century England

Date of publication: 1985

Synopsis: Transcript and discussion of TNA DL/5/1, ff.136r-148v, the record of a perambulation or tour of inspection of the Duchy of Lancaster lands in the North-west by Lord Stanley and members of the Duchy Council. The tour began at Congleton in Cheshire and took in, amongst other places, Widnes, Liverpool,

Preston, Kirkby Lonsdale, Blackburn and Salford.

A Parliamentary Debate of the Mid-Fifteenth Century and A Parliamentary Debate of 1449

MYERS A. R.

Description: From Bulletin of the John Rylands Library, Vol. 22, No. 2, and Crown, Household and Parliament

*in Fifteenth Century England*Dates of publication: 1938 and 1985

Synopsis: Rare survivals of the records of parliamentary debates shed light on the debate between the Lords Spiritual and Temporal on whether to send reinforcements to Normandy and Guienne in February 1449. (The first article is based on BL Harl. MS 6849, f. 77, and the latter on BL Harl. MS 78, f. 1 and College of Arms MS 2 H13, f. 390.)

Parliamentary Petitions in the Fifteenth Century

MYERS A. R.

Description: Chapter 1 of Crown, Household and Parliament in Fifteenth Century England

Date of publication: 1985

Synopsis: A study of the evolving nature of petitions submitted to parliament, both by individuals and groups of

individuals, and by the Commons as a body.

Some Household Ordinances of Henry VI

MYERS A. R.

Description: From Bulletin of the John Rylands Library, Vol. 36, No. 2

Date of publication: March 1954

Synopsis: Provisions for regulating the Royal Household in 1445(?).

Some Observations on the Procedure of the Commons in Dealing with Bills in the Lancastrian Period

MYERS A. R.

Description: Chapter 2 of Crown, Household and Parliament in Fifteenth Century England

Date of publication: 1985

Synopsis: On the procedures developed by the Commons to deal with their increasing role as sponsors of

private petitions

Perceptions of Financial Mismanagement and the English Diagnosis of Defeat

NALL Catherine

Description: From The Fifteenth Century, Vol. 7, ed. Linda Clark

Date of publication: 2007

Synopsis: A study of the ways in which the English public at large explained the loss of the country's French

possessions.

The Pre-contract and its Effect on the Succession in 1483

O'REGAN Mary

Description: From Richard III: Crown and People, ed. J. Petre

Date of publication: 1985

Synopsis: Article first published in *The Ricardian*, vol. 4, No. 54, September 1976. Explores the implications

for the succession of the claim of a precontract of marriage between Edward IV and Eleanor Butler.

The King's Secretary in the Fifteenth Century

OTWAY-RUTHVEN J.

Description: From Transactions of the Royal Historical Society, Fourth Series, Vol. 19

Date of publication: 1936

Synopsis: Attempt to piece together the workings of the Signet Office from the patchy surviving records.

Fifteenth-century Borough Representation: A Comment

PALLISER D. M.

Description: From Northern History, Vol 13, pp. 245-6

Date of publication: 1977

Synopsis: Comment on Dr. Jalland's article (see above).

Diplomatic Relations between England and Scotland during the Yorkist Period c.1455-1485

PARTRIDGE Maralyn

Description: Typescript

Date: Undated

Synopsis: An explanation of the alternating periods of truce and hostilities between England and Scotland.

Edward IV and the Politics of Conciliation

PAYLING S. J.

Description: From The Yorkist Age: Proceedings of the 2011 Harlaxton Symposium, ed. H. Kleineke & C. Steer

Date of publication: 2013

Synopsis: Questions Edward IV's reputation for maintaining a general policy of conciliation towards his

enemies.

Law and Arbitration in Nottinghamshire 1399-1461

PAYLING Simon J.

Description: From People, Politics & Community in the Later Middle Ages, ed. J. Rosenthal & C. Richmond

Date of publication: 1987

Synopsis: Examines the operation of peacekeeping through local arbitration in Nottinghamshire during the

Lancastrian period.

Letters of Mosen Diego de Valera

PENNA D. Mario (ed.)

Description: From Biblioteca de Autores Españoles, Vol. 116, Prosistas Castellaños del Siglo XV, pp. 3-51

Date of publication: 1959

Synopsis: Collection of de Valera's letters to various individuals including King Ferdinand and Queen Isabella,

followed by notes plus a smaller number of letters from Isabella and Ferdinand to de Valera.

The Middleham Connection: Richard III and Richmondshire 1471-1485

POLLARD A. J.

Description: Text of a public lecture given at York University

Date of publication: June 1983

Synopsis: Examines Richard's acquisition of the Lordship of Middleham and his relations with those members

of his northern affinity who were connected with the lordship.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

Faces of Crime in Later Medieval England

POST J. B.

Description: From History Today, Vol. 38

Date of publication: January 1988

Synopsis: On the problems of studying crime in the Middle Ages: viz. there is a lack of source material for either a statistical or sociological survey, although details of individual crimes can be found in family letters and

legal records.

Arbitration and the Law in England in the Late Middle Ages

POWELL Edward

Description: From Transactions of the Royal Historical Society, 5th Series, Vol. 33

Date of publication: 1983

Synopsis: On the widespread use of arbitration for settling legal disputes.

The House of Lords in the Middle Ages (extracts)

POWELL J. Enoch (ed.)
WALLIS Keith (ed.)
Description: Extracts from the above book

Date of publication: 1968

Synopsis: Extracts covering the composition and role of the Lords in the Yorkist period.

The Chancellor, the Chancery and the Council at the End of the Fifteenth Century

PRONAY Nicholas

Description: From British Government and Administration: Studies Presented to S. B. Chrimes, ed. H. Hearder

and H. R. Loyn

Date of publication: 1974

Synopsis: On the rise of the Chancery, and its personnel and cases, and the declining importance of the Council.

Wars of the Roses: Exhibition of Records

PUBLIC RECORD OFFICE
Description: Exhibition catalogue
Date of publication: March-May 1961

Synopsis: Catalogue of exhibition tracing the history of the period and the dynastic power struggle through

official documents.

The Parliament of Richard III: 1484

PUBLICK Chris

Description: Text of address given to Sydney Branch of Richard III Society

Date of presentation: Saturday 7 October 1989

Synopsis: Overview, by an Australian parliamentarian, of the role and organisation of parliament in the

fifteenth century, and an examination of Richard's legislation.

'He Contents the People Wherever He Goes'. Richard III: His Parliament and Government

PUBLICK Chris

Description: Text of address given to Sydney Branch of the Richard III Society

Date of presentation: 10 February 2007

Synopsis: Updated version of the 1989 address (see above).

The 'Indenture for the Marches' between Henry VII and Edward Stafford (1477-1521) Duke of Buckingham

PUGH T. B. Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 71 Date of publication: July 1956

Synopsis: On Henry VII's and Henry VIII's policy of maintaining law and order in Wales.

The Magnates, Knights and Gentry

PUGH T. B.

Description: Chapter 5 of Fifteenth Century England 1399-1509: Studies in Politics and Society, ed. S. B.

Chrimes, C. D. Ross & R. A. Griffiths

Date of publication: 1972

Synopsis: A study of the lords and gentry and the parts they played in politics and society.

Some Indications of Awareness by the Kings of Portugal in the 15th Century of their Status vis-à-vis the House of Lancaster

PYE Roger F.

Description: From The Coat of Arms, New Series, Vol. 4, No. 113, with subsequent correspondence from No.

114

Date of publication: Spring 1980

Synopsis: Heraldic evidence suggests that Alfonso V, grandson of Henry IV's elder sister, considered himself

to be Henry VI's heir between the death of Gloucester in 1447 and the birth of Prince Edward in 1453.

Retained Legal Counsel c.1275-1475

RAMSAY Nigel

Description: From Transactions of the Royal Historical Society, 5th Series, Vol. 35

Date of publication: 1985

Synopsis: On the practice of annual payments to lawyers by institutions and private individuals to retain their

services and advice.

Richard III and the Office of Arms

RAMSAY Nigel

Description: From The Yorkist Age: Proceedings of the 2011 Harlaxton Symposium, ed. H. Kleineke & C. Steer

Date of publication: 2013

Synopsis: Richard's contribution to the professional practice of heraldry. Includes studies of his possible influence on the practice of heraldry as Constable of England and his grant of incorporation to the officers of arms as King. The text of ordinances for the officers of arms appearing to date from Richard's term as Lord Constable is given as an appendix.

Henry VII and Edward, Duke of Buckingham: The Repression of an 'Over-mighty Subject'

RAWCLIFFE Carole

Description: From Historical Research, Vol. 53, Issue 127, May 1980, pp. 114-118

Date of publication: May 1980

Synopsis: A short but informative account of Henry VII's use of financial constraints to curb the power of this

potential rival; includes a transcript of the Duke's petition for redress to Henry VII's executors.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical – Buckingham]

Tudor Policy in Wales

REES J. F.

Description: From Historical Association Pamphlet, No.101

Date of publication: 1935

Synopsis: Tudor policy, based on Yorkist foundations, of curbing the power of the Marcher Lords and

gradually integrating Wales into England.

An English Mafia?

RICHMOND Colin

Description: From Nottingham Medieval Studies

Date of publication: 1992

Synopsis: Review of Ormrod's *The Reign of Edward III*, Payling's *Political Society in Lancastrian England*, Pollard's *North-eastern England during the Wars of the Roses*, and Walker's *The Lancastrian Affinity 1361-1399*, all of which the author claims follow McFarlane in assuming the medieval political classes to have been 'a predatory governing elite'.

English Naval Power in the Fifteenth Century

RICHMOND C. F.

Description: From History, Vol. 52, No. 174

Date of publication: February 1967

Synopsis: On the changing role of the navy under Henry V, Henry VI, Edward IV and Richard III.

Propaganda in the Wars of the Roses

RICHMOND Colin

Description: From History Today, Vol. 42

Date of publication: July 1992

Synopsis: An overview of various forms of political propaganda, from proclamations and news-bills to political

badges.

The Nobility and the Wars of the Roses, 1459-61

RICHMOND Colin

Description: From Nottingham Medieval Studies, Vol. 21

Date of publication: 1977

Synopsis: An examination of the proportion of the nobility involved in the armed conflicts of 1459-61, and on

which side they fought.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed Under Battles and Warfare]

The Nobility and the Wars of the Roses: The Parliamentary Session of January 1461

RICHMOND Colin

Description: From Parliamentary History, Vol. 18, Issue 3, pp. 261-269

Date of publication: 1999

Synopsis: Analysis of a 'fragmentary list' of lords dating from the first six weeks of 1461 which excludes committed Lancastrians but also 'distinguishes between those who were committed Yorkists... and certain

uncommitted (newtri) men. . . '.

Feuds and Private Peace-making: A Fifteenth-century Example

ROSENTHAL Joel

Description: From Nottingham Medieval Studies, Vol. 14, pp. 84-90

Date of publication: 1970

Synopsis: The author demonstrates the success of private arbitration by reference to the feud between the

Pierpoints and the family of Lord Hastings.

Kings, Continuity and Ecclesiastical Benefaction in 15th Century England

ROSENTHAL Joel T.

Description: From People, Politics & Community in the Later Middle Ages, ed. J. Rosenthal & C. Richmond

Date of publication: 1987

Synopsis: The importance of royal benefaction in maintaining the tradition of large public foundations.

Extracts from The Commons and Their Speakers in English Parliaments 1376-1523

ROSKELL J. S.

Description: Chapter 10 of the above work

Date of publication: 1965

Synopsis: Gives an outline of the main business of each parliament during the Yorkist period; plus brief

biographical notes on the Speakers.

The Office and Dignity of Protector of England, with Special Reference to its Origins

ROSKELL J. S. Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 68 Date of publication: April 1953

Synopsis: Mainly on the origins of the role during the minority of Henry VI.

Forfeiture for Treason in the Reign of Richard II

ROSS C. D.

Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 71, No. 281 Date of publication: October 1956

Synopsis: Studies the forfeitures arising from the attainders of the Merciless Parliament and seeks to establish whether the statute passed towards the end of the parliament protecting entailed estates from forfeiture was observed. Contains a useful analysis of the question of the property rights of the wives and widows of traitors.

Rumour, Propaganda and Popular Opinion during the Wars of the Roses

ROSS Charles

Description: From Patronage, the Crown and the Provinces in Later Medieval England, ed. R. A. Griffiths

Date of publication: 1981

Synopsis: Study of the increased use of propaganda in the second half of the fifteenth century.

The Reign of Edward IV

ROSS C. D.

Description: Chapter 3 of Fifteenth Century England 1399-1509: Studies in Politics and Society, ed. S. B.

Chrimes, C. D. Ross & R. A. Griffiths

Date of publication: 1972

Synopsis: Steers a course between the older view of the 'temperamental and politically immature prince' and

the revisionist vision of an iron-willed statesman and man of action.

A Governing Elite? The Higher Nobility in the Yorkist and Early Tudor Period

ROSS James

Description: From The Yorkist Age: Proceedings of the 2011 Harlaxton Symposium, ed. H. Kleineke & C. Steer

Date of publication: 2013

Synopsis: Re-examines the traditional notion that Edward IV promoted noble rule in the regions, whilst Henry

VII sought to limit it.

Arbitration in Gentry Disputes of the Later Middle Ages

ROWNEY Ian

Description: From History, Vol. 67, No. 221

Date of publication: October 1982

Synopsis: Discusses the mechanisms of arbitration and the reasons for its popularity in the late Middle Ages.

Propositio Johannis Russell

Russell John Guppy Henry

Description: Modern reprint of John Rylands Facsimile edition

Date of publication: 1919

Synopsis: Booklet containing (1) a facsimile of Caxton's edition of the Latin oration given by Russell to Charles, Duke of Burgundy, in February 1470 on the Duke's investiture with the Order of the Garter, and (2) an introduction by Henry Guppy. An English translation of the oration can be made available.

[Library note. Filed under Source Material.]

Five Indentures between Edward IV and Warwick the Kingmaker

SCOFIELD Cora L.

Description: From EHR, Vol. 36, No. 141

Date of publication: 1921

Synopsis: Brief article detailing the terms of Warwick's captaincies of Calais, Guisnes, Rysbank, Hammes and

Carlisle.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Neville]

Painting from Life?

SCOTT Jennifer

Description: From The Yorkist Age: Proceedings of the 2011 Harlaxton Symposium, ed. H. Kleineke & C. Steer

Date of publication: 2013

Synopsis: Comments on the date and function of the early portraits of Elizabeth Woodville and Elizabeth of

York in the Royal Collection.

A Conflict of Interest? Chancery Clerks in Private Service

SMITH Charles W.

Description: From People, Politics & Community in the Later Middle Ages, ed. J. Rosenthal & C. Richmond

Date of publication: 1987

Synopsis: During the fourteenth century it had been common for clerks to work simultaneously for Chancery and for private magnates, but this practice was outlawed in 1406. Smith examines the reasons for the change in public attitude that lay behind this ruling.

Acts of Attainder

SOMERVELL Donald

Description: From Law Quarterly Review, Vol. 67

Date of publication: 1951

Synopsis: Comparative study of these Acts during the fifteenth century and the reign of Henry VIII.

From Feud to Faction: English Politics circa 1450-1550

STARKEY David

Description: From *History Today*, Vol. 32 Date of publication: November 1982

Synopsis: Aristocratic faction as a force in politics had been destroyed by the Wars of the Roses. Henry VII did

not allow it to revive, but the situation changed under Henry VIII.

The Financial Background of the Wars of the Roses

STEEL Anthony

Description: From *History*, Vol. 40, Nos. 138-9 Date of publication: February and June 1955

Synopsis: Summary of Steel's study, Receipt of the Exchequer 1377-1485.

Models of Kingship: Arthur in Medieval Romance

STONE Brian

Description: From *History Today*, Vol. 37 Date of publication: November 1987

Synopsis: How King Arthur both reflected and inspired medieval ideals of kingship.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Social History]

English Officers of State, 1399-1485

STOREY R. L.

Description: From 'Notes and Documents', BIHR, Vol. 31, Issue 83

Date of publication: May 1958

Synopsis: List of the Chancellors, Treasurers, Keepers of the Privy Seal, Stewards of the Household and Treasurers of the Household who served between the above dates. Gives exact dates of appointment and

dismissal.

The North of England

STOREY R. L.

Description: From Fifteenth Century England 1399-1509: Studies in Politics and Society, ed. S. B. Chrimes, C.

D. Ross & R. A. Griffiths Date of publication: 1972

Synopsis: Chapter 6 of the above book, covering the power centres of the region, government policy and the

influence of the North in the affairs of the kingdom.

Wardens of the Marches of England towards Scotland 1377-1489

STOREY R. L

Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 72, No. 285 Date of publication: October 1957

Synopsis: Details of the Wardens and their contracts, with a complete list of Wardens 1377-1489.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: General]

'Peace, love and unity': Richard III's Charters to His Towns

SUTTON Anne F.

Description: From The Yorkist Age: Proceedings of the 2011 Harlaxton Symposium, ed. H. Kleineke & C. Steer

Date of publication: 2013

Synopsis: Considers the role of the king in relation to the government of towns, and the grants of incorporation

made by Richard during his two-year reign.

Richard III's 'tytylle & right': A New Discovery and Correspondence

SUTTON Anne F.

Description: From Richard III: Crown and People, ed. J. Petre

Date of publication: 1985

Synopsis: Twin articles first published in *The Ricardian*, Vol. 4, No. 57, June 1977, and No. 59, September 1977. In the first article Anne Sutton refutes Charles Wood's suggestion that Richard's title to the throne as expressed in Titulus Regius was an 'improvement' on the claims put forward in the summer of 1483. The second article consists of responses from Charles Wood and Charles Ross plus a further piece of evidence from Anne Sutton.

The Feast of the Order of the Garter at Windsor, 1476

SUTTON Anne F. VISSER-FUCHS Livia

Description: From St George's Chapel Windsor: History and Heritage, ed. N. Saul & T. Tatton-Brown

Date of publication: 2010

Synopsis: A description of the particularly lavish Garter ceremonies of 1476.

Reaction to Henry VII's Style of Kingship and its Contribution to the Emergence of Constitutional Monarchy in England

TUCKER Penny

Description: From Historical Research, No. 217 (special issue: Who Was Henry VII?)

Date of publication: August 2009

Synopsis: Examination of contemporary reaction to Henry VII's 'arbitrary' style of kingship through the

writings of the London élite at the time of his death.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

The Early History of the Court of Chancery: A Comparative Study

TUCKER P.

Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 115, No. 463 Date of publication: September 2000

Synopsis: How and why the court of Chancery increased its significance, and its workload, during the late

medieval period.

An Election Dispute of 1483

VIRGOE Roger

Description: From *BIHR*, Vol. 60, No. 141 Date of publication: February 1987

Synopsis: Details of the election of knights of the shire for Norfolk in 1483 where the results were challenged,

and its significance in regional and national politics.

The Benevolence of 1481

VIRGOE Roger

Description: From EHR, Vol. 104, No. 410

Date of publication: January 1989

Synopsis: On Edward IV's method of raising money for the proposed Scots campaign of 1481.

The Composition of the King's Council, 1437-61

VIRGOE R

Description: From Historical Research, Vol. 43, Issue 108, pp. 134-160

Date of publication: November 1970

Synopsis: Discussion of the surviving sources for membership of the council during this period, which includes the two protectorates of Richard, duke of York. Extant lists of members and attendees are reproduced in the appendices.

The Meeting of the Duke and the Emperor: The English Survival of a Lost Text by Olivier de la Marche

VISSER-FUCHS Livia

MEALE Carol M.

Description: From The Yorkist Age: Proceedings of the 2011 Harlaxton Symposium, ed. H. Kleineke & C. Steer

Date of publication: 2013

Synopsis: Text and discussion of a surviving English copy of a lost letter written by Olivier de la Marche describing the nine-week meeting of Emperor Frederick III and Charles Duke of Burgundy at Trier in 1473.

A Power in the North? The Percies in the 15th Century

WEISS Michael

Description: From Historical Journal, Vol. 19, No. 2

Date of publication: 1976

Synopsis: Suggests that the Percies were not as powerful as some historians have stated.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical]

Royal Charter Witness Lists and the Politics of the Reign of Edward IV

WESTERVELT Theron

Description: From Historical Research, Vol. 81, No. 212

Date of publication: 2008

Synopsis: Suggests that the choice of witnesses to royal charters may contribute to an understanding of the

power politics of Edward's reign.

Warrants under the Signet in the Reign of Edward IV

WESTERVELT Theron

Description: From Historical Research, Vol. 83, No. 222

Date of publication: November 2009

Synopsis: The author has examined the surviving warrants in order to shed light on the purposes of the

increased use of the Signet during Edward IV's reign.

Richard III and his Overmighty Subjects: In Defence of a King

WILLIAMS Daniel

Description: From England in the 15th Century: proceedings of the 1992 Harlaxton Symposium, ed. Nicholas

Rogers

Date of publication: 1994

Synopsis: An assessment of Richard's reign as a failed attempt, in an age of self-seeking and treacherous

nobility, to restore impartial rule for the common good.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: Richard III]

English Politics after Bosworth

WILLIAMS Penry

Description: From *History Today*, Vol. 35 Date of publication: September 1985

Synopsis: An examination of how the Tudors achieved political dominance without relying on the great

magnates.

Web of Intrigue

WILSON Derek

Description: From History Today, Vol. 63, Issue 4

Date of publication: April 2013

Synopsis: A description of Henry's years in exile, and an analysis of the influence of the continental method of

government on his own rule. Several colour illustrations.

[LIBRARY NOTE: Filed under Biographical: Henry VII]

Acts of Resumption in the Lancastrian Parliaments 1399-1456

WOLFFE B. P. Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 73 Date of publication: October 1958

Synopsis: Study of these Acts, intended to recover and reorganize alienated royal estates.

The Management of English Royal Estates under the Yorkist Kings

WOLFFE B. P. Description: From *EHR*, Vol. 71 Date of publication: January 1956

Synopsis: An examination of the organisation of the royal lands and land revenues in order to determine whether Edward IV's declaration that he intended to 'live of his own' was backed up by administrative changes.

The Personal Rule of Henry VI

WOLFFE B. P.

Description: Chapter 2 of Fifteenth Century England 1399-1509: Studies in Politics and Society, ed. S. B.

Chrimes, C. D. Ross & R. A. Griffiths

Date of publication: 1972

Synopsis: Attributes the downfall of the House of Lancaster not to the effects of a long minority but to the

nature of Henry VI's personal rule as an adult.

Yorkist and Early Tudor Government 1461-1509

WOLFFE B. P.

Description: From Historical Association Aids For Teachers, Series No. 12

Date of publication: 1966

Synopsis: Stresses continuity between Yorkist and Tudor styles of government.