

4. Every Baker shall have a mark of his own for his bread, *Poulton Statutes at large, p. 111. & Rast. Weights 7.*

5. Every sort of bread shall be weighed according to the price of the middle sort of Corn.

6. No Man shall be a common baker, except he that hath been an Apprentice to that Trade by the space of seven years at the least.

7. The Statute doth appoint three sorts of bread to be made and sold to the Subjects, *viz.* White bread, Wheaten, and Household-bread, besides the Horse-bread.

8. The Bakers of Cities, Boroughs, and Corporate Towns, shall have 6 s. allowance for the baking of every Quarter of Wheat, over and above the second price of Wheat in the Market.

9. Bakers inhabiting out of Cities, Boroughs, and Corporate Towns, shall have 4 s. in allowance for his charges in baking of every Quarter, &c.

10. But Foreigners bread shall weigh six ounces in the Penny Loaf, more than the Town dwellers, for that they bear not such scot and lot as the others do.

11. Lastly, for Horse-bread, that three Horses Loaves be sold by the Baker for a penny, 13 d. for 12 d. and every Loaf to weigh the full weight of a penny White Loaf, at what price soever the Wheat be sold.

§. 19.
Bakers and
their pu-
nishment.

For the punishment of the Bakers for their unlawful bread; *Quære*, Whether they shall only be amerced &c. after Indictment and Conviction of their said Offence; or that the Justices of Peace (or sworn Officers in Leets) may take away their unlawful bread, and give it among the poor, as Officers in Corporate Towns are inabled or appointed to do in the end of the Book of Assize, Imprinted Anno 1597. And all Justices of the Peace are there willed and required to be aiding and assisting to the said Officers therein. But by the Statutes of 51 H. 3. & 13 R. 2. 8. Bakers and Brewers being convict for not observing the Assize the first, second and third time, they shall be amerced according to the Offence (if it be not grievous.) But if the Offence be grievous, or often, then shall they suffer punishment of the body without Redemption (or remitting of the Offence either for Gold or Silver) *sc.* a Baker to the Pillory and the Brewer to the Tumbrel (now called *The Cucking stool*, as it seemeth by Mr. Lambert 62. *Minslow* taketh Tumbrel for a Dung-Cart) or to some other Correction. See another Statute concerning Bakers and Brewers, and their punishments, and to the same effect made *incerto tempore, c. 2. & 6. Poulton Statutes at large fol. 111.*

All Process and Proceedings upon Indictments preferred of Bakers for breach of Assize of Bread were staid, for that it was doubted, whether this Court hath Jurisdiction to inquire, hear and determine the said Offence. Ord. Sess. Par. Middlesex 6 Dec. 7 Car.

Note, That within every Leet or Market there ought to be a Pillory and a Tumbrel to punish the Bakers and Brewers that offend, &c. *Fitz. Leet 12.* And for want thereof, the Lord of such Leet or Market shall make a Fine to the King, *Cro. 149.*

Also they which have the keeping and correction of the Assize of bread and beer, if they have not a Pillory and a Tumbrel to punish bakers and brewers that are faulty, they shall forfeit their Franchise, *Cro. 148.*

Also a Leet may be seized into the Kings hands, if the Steward there shall take mony to spare the punishment of the Tumbrel, where one shall offend in the Assize of Bread or Ale. *Libr. Intr. Cromp. 181.*

The Millers Toll-dish also must be according to the Standard.

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