

§. 2.  
Record.

Confession of the Offender or upon proof of Witnesses) if upon such conviction, the Offender to be committed to the Gaol, the Justices of Peace ought to make a Record in writing under their Hands of all the matter, and of the proofs, &c. which Record notwithstanding in many cases they may keep by them, &c.

Also if upon such Conviction the Offender be to be fined to the King, then the Justices of Peace are to estreat such Fine, and to deliver or send the Estreat into the Exchequer, whereby the Barons of the Exchequer may cause the said Fine (or Forfeiture) to be levied to the King's use.

And here I will shortly point you our some particular Offences which by the Statutes are referred to the Justices of Peace to hear and determine (out of their Sessions) as aforesaid, and will leave the rest to your own search.

§. 3.  
Where one  
Justice may  
hear and  
determine  
out of Ses-  
sions.

1. Some Particulars where one Justice of Peace upon his own view or hearing of the offence may punish the Offenders.

Alehousekeepers, &c. suffering Townsmen or any other person to continue drinking in their houses contrary to the Statute, 1 Jac. c. 9. & 21 Jac. 7. *Vide antea tit. Alehouses.*

Townsmen or Strangers tipling in Alehouses, &c. contrary to the Statute, 4 Jac. cap. 5. & 21 Jac. c. 7. *ibid.*

Persons that shall ride or go armed contrary to the Statute, 2 E. 3. c. 5. *Vide antea tit. Armour.*

Persons that shall have any Teinters, &c. for the deceitful stretching of Cloth. *Vide antea tit. Cloth.*

Offenders in Forcible entries or Detainers contrary to the Statute. See *antea tit. Forcible entry.*

Keepers of places for unlawful gaming. *Antea tit. Games unlawful.*

Players in such places. *Ibid.*

Players at unlawful Games, wheresoever, contrary to the Statutes. See as before.

Swearing profanely or Cursing in the hearing of any Justice of Peace, &c. *Antea tit. Swearing.*

2. Where one Justice of Peace may punish Offenders as convict upon their own confession.

Alehousekeepers, Innkeepers or Victuallers, suffering Townsmen or Strangers to continue or be tipling in their houses, &c. See *antea tit. Alehouses.*

Townsmen or Strangers continuing tipling in any Inn, Alehouse or Victuallinghouse. *Vide ibid.*

Sheriffs, &c. entring Plaints in their Courts unduly. *Vide antea tit. Sheriffs.*

Persons not repairing every Sunday to Church. *Vide antea tit. Recusants.*

Profane Swearers or Cursers. *Hic antea tit. Swearing.*

Trespassers in Corn, Orchards or Woods, &c. contrary to the Statute, 43 El. 7. *Vide antea tit. Trespass.*

Offences in Tile-making contrary to the Statute. *Vide antea tit. Tile.*

Offences in Watermen contrary to the Statute. *Videa ante Watermen.*

3. Where one Justice of Peace may punish Offenders as convict upon examination and oath of Witnesses.

Alehousekeepers, &c. suffering Townsmen or Strangers to be tipling in their houses contrary to the Statute, 1 Jac. & 21 Jac. *Vide antea tit. Alehouses.*

Alehousekeepers, &c. selling less Beer or Ale than according to the Statute, 1 Jac. *ibid.*

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