

## CAP. VII.

**Admeasurement of Dower for the Gardian and the Heir: and the Process therein.**

A Writ of *Admeasurement of Dower* shall be from henceforth granted to a Gardian; (2) neither shall the Heir, when he cometh to full Age, be barred by the Suit of such a Gardian, that sueth against the Tenant in Dower feigned-**112** ly, \*and by Collusion, but that he may admeasure the Dower after, as it ought to be admeasured by the law of *England*. (3) And as well in this Writ, as in a Writ of *Admeasurement of Pasture*, more speedy Process shall be awarded than hath been used hitherto; (4) so that when it is come unto the great Distress, Days shall be given, within which two Counties may be holden, at the which open Proclamation shall be made, that the Defendant shall come in at the Day contained in the Writ, to answer to the Plaintiff; at which Day, if he come in, the Plea shall pass between them; (5) and if he do not come, and the Proclamation be testified by the Sheriff in manner abovesaid, upon his default they shall make Admeasurement.

Custodi decetero concedatur breve de Amensuratione dotis nec per sectam custodis si fide & per collusionem sequatur versus mulierem tenentem in dotem precludatur heres cum ad etatem pervenerit ad dotem amensurandam secundum quod per legem Anglie fuerit amensuranda. Et tam in brevi isto quam in brevi de Amensuratione pasture celerior quam prius decetero sit processus ita quod cum perventum fuerit ad magnam distractionem dentur dies infra quos duo comitatus teneantur ad quos publica fiat proclamatio quod defendens veniat ad diem in brevi contentum querenti responsurus ad quem diem si venerit procedat placitum inter eos & si non venerit & proclamatio supradicto modo per vicecomitem testificata fuerit procedatur per defaultam ad amensurationem faciendam.