

**Certificate from John Catisby to justices of peace, Surrey, concerning certain prisoners of her Majesty's Bench, 1581/1582 March 11: autograph manuscript signed, Papers of the More family of Loseley Park, Surrey. Transcription by Early Modern Manuscripts Online (EMMO). MS L.b.202, Folger Shakespeare Library, Washington, DC.**

**leaf 1 recto**

Right worshipp:<sup>ll</sup> Maie it please yo<sup>w</sup> to vnderstand  
That in the Prisonne of her Ma:<sup>ties</sup> Benche there  
are onlie Two prisonners, of whom I am to infourme  
yo<sup>r</sup> worshipps: Thone named Thomas Clyfton  
preeste. The other called Edwarde Risheton a preeste  
also. The said Clyfton was committed into my custody  
by the Iudges of the Court of her Ma:<sup>t{es}</sup> benche from the  
highe barre the xii<sup>th</sup> daie of Aprill laste paste: in case of <sup>^</sup>premunire  
The said Risheton was committed to my charge the  
xiii<sup>th</sup> of Novembre Laste paste by the said Iudg{es} from the  
said Court, and is one of the Compaynie that were condemned  
w<sup>th</sup> Campion at the highe barre in Michms terme laste for  
treason. Other prisonners in my custodie in the  
said Benche, are none, for or concerninge matter of religion  
in anie wise. And soe I take my leave: ffrom my  
lodging in the Prysonne of the benche this pnte the xi<sup>th</sup>  
of Marche 1581.

by me Ihon Catisbye  
Deputie Marshall

**leaf 1 verso**

**leaf 2 recto**

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11.Mar.1591  
Certifies 2 priests  
Prisoners in the  
Kings Bench one  
Edw. Risheton has  
been tried at the high  
bar for Treason, with  
Campion.

To the right worshipp<sup>ll</sup> the  
Quene her ma<sup>t{es}</sup> Iustic{es}  
of peace w<sup>th</sup>in the Countie  
of Surrey geve these

Recusant{es}

