

MELMOTH, WILLIAM, an eminent advocate and an excellent writer, was born in 1666. He was a bencher of Lincoln's Inn, and in conjunction with Peere Williams, edited Vernon's Reports; but he is chiefly remembered now as the author of "The Great Importance of a Religious Life;" a valuable little book which has gone through numerous editions. Died, 1743.

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28 April 1709

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The

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Day of

May

1709

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Received then by me

Wm Melmoth

by Order dated the 2 Day of Decem
1704 of the Honourable Francis Robartes Esq;
One of the Four Tellers of the Receipt of Her Majesty's Ex-
chequer, the Sum of

Five pounds five
shillings

being for three Months Annuity, due the
27 Day of March 1709 by Vertue

and in Pursuance of a late Act of Parliament, (Entituled,
An Act for the Better and more Regular Paying and
Assigning the Annuities, after the Rate of Three Pounds
per Cent. per Annum, payable to several Bankers, and
other Patentees, or those claiming under them;) And
in lieu of

seven hundred
pounds Principal Money:

And to be paid Quarterly out of certain entire Weekly Pay-
ments of Three thousand seven hundred Pounds, arising and
issuing out of the Hereditary Rates and Duties of Excise
upon Beer, Ale, &c. as by the said Order does more fully
appear. I say Received by me

Bankers
Annuities out
of 3700 l.
per Week
Excise.

Witness
Morse

Wm Melmoth

Mr Melmoth pray
signe this blank
For y^e Serv^t R Barkewell

The
Author & Advocate
born 1666 died 1743

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The

Received then by me

of the Honorable Francis Roberts Esq
one of the Justices of the Peace for the County of Middlesex
the sum of

being for
and to the Treasurer of the County of Middlesex
An Act for the better and more regular paying and
Assigning the duties after the rate of three pounds
per cent. per annum payable to several Justices and
other Justices or their clerks (under certain
in favor of
and to be paid quarterly out of certain duties which shall be
assessed of three pence in the pound upon all houses and
signing out of the land tax and duties of three
upon Beer the Sec. as by the said Order and more fully
appear. I do Received by me

Francis Roberts
Justice of the Peace
for the County of Middlesex

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