

WINCHESTER REGISTERS: JOHN DE PONTISSARA

The Bishop's letter of 25 October 1301, directing the Dean of Ewell to induct the Abbey's proctor into corporal possession of the appropriated Rectory of Morden, is recorded in his Register, transcribed and published by Surrey Record Society as Regestrum Johannis de Pontissara Episcopi Wyntoniensis Vol. I (1913) pp. 117-8:-

INDUCTIO IN ECCLESIAM DE MORDON - *J. dei gracia etc. dilecto filio ... Decano de Ewell salutem*
INDUCTION INTO THE CHURCH OF MORDEN. J., by grace of God, etc, to the beloved son ... the
[etc.].

dean of Ewell, greetings, [etc].

Quia ecclesiam de Mordon nostre diocesis vacantem per resignacionem magistri Gerardi de Standon
Because, with justice persuading us, we assigned the church of Morden of our diocese, vacant by the
nuper Rectoris ejusdem Religiosis viris ... Abbati et Conventui Monasterii de Westminstre ex certis et
resignation of Master Gerard de Standon, late rector of the same, to the religious men ... the abbot and the

legitimis causis assignavimus equitate suadente, vobis mandamus quatinus eorundem Religiosorum
convent of the monastery of Westminster out of certain and legitimate causes, we command you that you

procuratorem in corporalem possessionem dicte ecclesie inducatis et defendatis inductum. Data apud
induct the proctor of the same religious men into corporal possession of the said church and defend him once

Essere viij. Kalendas Novembris. Anno domini Millesimo ccc^{mo}. primo. Concecracionis nostre etc.
he has been inducted. Dated at Esher 8th kalend of November AD 1301, of our consecration, etc.