

IT has been made a Question how the first Principles of the Constitution can consist in a Renewal of the System of the Publick Boards?

To which he answers, that the Preservation of the Rights and Privileges of the Subject consists principally in the Union or Harmony of the three great Powers which form the Commonwealth, *viz.* King, Lords, and Commons; and that the Strength and Vigour of the Government depend wholly upon the proper Exercise of the Regal Power, which again depends not only upon the due Administration of Justice, but also in a great Measure upon a strict Adherence to the antient Rules or System of the Publick Boards. So that in this Respect the System of the Publick Boards is to be considered as one of the first Principles of the Constitution, upon which the Unity of Action, or the uniform Prosecution of Business, wholly depends. As in a Watch, if any of the Parts be put out of Order, the Whole is rendered useles.

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