




Vae qui iustificatis Impium pro muneribus,
& iustitiam iusti auferitis ab eo. *Ier. 5*

PLATE IX.—THE CARDINAL.

Which justify the wicked for reward, and take away the righteousness
of the righteous from him. ISAIAH, v. 23.

A MESSENGER has just presented to him, on his knees, the bull that constitutes him a cardinal. Death seizes this moment to make his appearance, and seems to want to turn his hat upon his head. The messenger is holding in his right hand a tin box, hung by a strap, in which he had, no doubt, carried the bull, which the new-made cardinal holds in his right hand with the seals appended to it.


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UN messenger vient de lui remettre, en faisant une g nuflexion, la bulle qui le fait cardinal. La Mort saisit ce moment pour paro tre, et semble vouloir lui faire tourner son chapeau sur la t te. Le messenger tient de la main droite une bo te de fer-blanc, pendue   une courroie, et dans laquelle il avoit sans doute apport  la bulle, que le cardinal nouvellement cr e  tient   la main droite avec les sceaux y affix s.