from a point on the borough boundary in the centre of the road at the eastern end of Maidenhead Bridge and proceeding thence in a westerly direction along the centre of Maidenhead Bridge, Bridge-road, Bridge-street and High-street to the junction of the latter street with King-street and proceeding from thence in a southerly direction along the centre of King-street and Braywick-road to a point at which the latter road is crossed by the borough boundary and following in an easterly direction the line of the said borough boundary to the point on the eastern side of Maidenhead Bridge from which the line commenced.

Belmont Ward.

The Belmont Ward shall comprise so much of the borough of Maidenhead as is contained within a line drawn from a point in the centre of High-street opposite the Town Hall in a line with the centre of Market-street and proceeding in a northerly direction along the centre of the said Market-street and Cookham-road to the junction of the latter road with Norfolk-road and turning in a westerly direction along the centre of Norfolk-road to its junction with Marlow-road and from thence following the centre of the said Marlow-road to a point at which the latter road is crossed by the borough boundary at Linden-avenue and from thence following in a westerly direction the line of the said borough boundary to a point at which it crosses the centre of the Bath-road and from thence in an easterly direction along the centre of the said Bath-road, Castle Hill and High-street to the point from which the line commenced. And I the said which the line commenced. And I the said Commissioner in further pursuance of the terms of the said warrant and for the purposes aforesaid do hereby assign and apportion all the existing Councillors of the said borough of Maidenhead among the wards as hereinbefore determined of the said borough as follows namely:-

1. To Saint Mary's Ward three Councillors namely:—Sydney Reeve Langton, Charles Rockley, and William Fergusson Good.

2. To Boyn Hill Ward three Councillors namely:—David Wilton, Percy Matthew Lever and William Grierson.

Ward 3. To Oldfield three Councillors namely:-Benjamin Hobbis, Edwin Hewitt and Arthur Upson.

4. To Belmont Ward three Councillors namely:—Andrew Millar Inglis, John Wesley Walker, and Philip Disney Thompson.

W. E. Hume-Williams.

Dated the seventh of July nineteen hundred and five.

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, doth hereby approve of the said scheme of the said Commissioner, and doth order the same to be published in the London Gazette accordingly.

A. W. FitzRoy.

At the Court of Saint James, the 7th day of August, 1905.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HEREAS it is enacted by the County Courts Act, 1888, that it shall be lawful for His Majesty by Order in Council, from time to time to order, amongst other things, the con- | notice, at the Privy Council Office, Whitehall

solidation of any two or more districts, and to order by what name and in what towns and places a Court shall be held in any district:

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered that the District of the County Court of Oxfordshire held at Oxford and the District of the County Court of Oxfordshire held at Bicester shall be consolidated under the name of the County Court of Oxfordshire held at Oxford and Bicester, and a Court shall be held in that District at both Oxford and Bicester until further order.

A. W. FitzRoy.

Privy Council Office, August 7, 1905.

Notice is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to His Majesty by the Council of the County Borough of South Shields, praying, under the provisions of the "Municipal Corpora-tions Act, 1882," as amended by the "Municipal Corporations Act, 1893," and under the "South Shields Corporation Act, 1896," for an alteration of the number and boundaries of the Wards of the Borough, and for an increase of the number of Aldermen and Councillors; and notice is hereby further given, that His Majesty has been pleased, by His Order in Council of this day's date, to order that the said Petition be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the twenty-fifth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and five.

Privy Council Office, August 7, 1905.

LONDON GOVERNMENT ACT, 1899.

HIS MAJESTY in Council was this day pleased to confirm a scheme made under the provisions of the above-mentioned Act, entitled "The London and Surrey (Adjustment) Scheme, 1905. A. W. FitzRoy.

> Privy Council Office, August 8, 1905. MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that, after the expira-tion of forty days from the date hereof, it is proposed to submit to His Majesty in Council, in pursuance of the above-mentioned Act, the draft of an Order in Council amending paragraph & of Article 10 of the Regulations scheduled to the Order in Council of 11th August, 1884, for preventing Collisions at Sea.

And notice is hereby further given that, in accordance with the provisions of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, copies of the proposed draft Order in Council can be obtained by any public body, within forty days of the date of this paties of the Privy Council Office Whitehall