provisions of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1877, the following Statute shall be added :—

XXIV. The Southampton Exhibitioners.

1. In any year in which a Candidate who is in the judgment of the College fit to be an Exhibitioner of the College shall offer himself, an Exhibition, to be called a Southampton Exhibition, shall be awarded to a person who shall have been educated within the Borough of Southampton for the two years last preceding the day of election, or last preceding the date of his matriculation in the University.

2. The Exhibition shall be of the value of one hundred pounds per annum, and shall be tenable in the first instance for two years. The Exhibition may be continued for one or two years if the College is satisfied with the conduct, diligence and progress of the Exhibitioner, but shall in no case be tenable for more than four years in all.

3. No person shall be eligible to a Southampton Exhibition who shall have exceeded the eighth term from that of his matriculation inclusive.

4. Any person elected to a Southampton Exhibition may also be elected to an Honorary Scholarship tenable with his Exhibition, if in the judgment of the Provost and Fellows he deserves that distinction.

5. No Southampton Exhibitioner shall be entitled to draw any emoluments in respect of his Exhibition unless he shall have satisfied the Provost that he is in need of support at the University. In any year one or more Southampton Exhibitioners may be elected who are not entitled to draw the emoluments of the Exhibitions, but there shall always be elected one entitled to draw his emoluments, in case a competent Candidate so qualified offers himself for examination, however many such Exhibitioners may be elected not entitled to draw the emoluments of their Exhibitions.

6. The Provost and Fellows may from time to time determine in what subject or subjects Candidates for Southampton Exhibitions may offer themselves to be examined. No Exhibitioner shall be entitled to receive any emolument in respect of his Exhibition till he has passed Responsions or some examination exempting a Candidate for the B.A. degree from passing Responsions.

7. The Southampton Exhibitions shall not in default of Candidates entitled under this Statute to preference be thrown open to general competition.

In witness whereof the College Seal has been affixed to this document on the tenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eight.

The College Seal was affixed in the presence of

L. S.

John R. Magrath, Provost. E. Armstrong, Bursar. C. H. Thompson, Fellow.

Privy Council Office, 4th July, 1908.

Notice is hereby given, that a Petition of the University College, Bristol, praying for the grant of a CHARTER for the Constitution of an University in Bristol, has been presented to His Majesty the county of Salop.

in Council; and His Majesty having referred the said Petition to a Committee of the Lords of the Council, notice is further given, that all petitions for or against such grant should be sent to the Privy Council Office, on or before the seventh day of August next.

Privy Council Office, 4th July, 1908.

Notice is hereby given, that a Petition of the Council of Bedford College, London, praying for the grant of a CHARTER FOR THE INCORPORATION of the College, has been presented to His Majesty in Council; and His Majesty having referred the said Petition to a Committee of the Lords of the Council, notice is further given, that all petitions for or against such grant should be sent to the Privy Council Office, on or before the seventh day of August next.

Privy Council Office, July 4, 1908.

÷

Notice is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to His Majesty in Council by certain Inhabitant Householders of the Urban District of Wallasey, in the county of Chester, praying for the grant of a MUNICIPAL CHARTER OF INCORPORATION; and notice is hereby further given, that the said Petition will be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the fourteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and eight.

Whitehall, July 7, 1908.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date the 2nd instant, to confer the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom upon The Right Honourable Sir Antony Patrick MacDonnell, G.C.S.I., K.C.V.O., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of Baron MacDonnell of Swinford in the county of Mayo.

٤,

Whitehall, July 7, 1908.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date the 3rd instant, to confer the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom upon The Right Honourable George Whiteley, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of Baron Marchamley of Hawkstone in the county of Salop.