

scope, which shall have been, or shall be, condemned in the High Court of Admiralty, in any Vice-Admiralty Court, or any Court of Mixed Commission, from and after the first day of August one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, inclusive; and hereby further directing, that distribution be made according to the scale authorised by Our Proclamation, dated the third of February one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, in regard to the proceeds of all captures made within its scope, which shall have been, or shall be, condemned in any such Courts as aforesaid, from and after the first day of July one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, inclusive; save and except, that in cases of distributions already made, the proceedings therein are not to be subject to revision, as being in any way vitiated by this Our Royal Proclamation.

Given at Our Court at Brighton, this thirtieth day of November, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, and in the seventh year of Our reign.

GOD save the KING.

**A**T the Court at *Brighton*, the 30th day of *November* 1836,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS by an Act, passed in the last session of Parliament, intituled "An Act for rendering more easy the taking the poll at county elections," it is enacted, that it shall be lawful for His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, from time to time hereafter, on petition from the justices of any county, riding, parts, or division in England or Wales, in quarter sessions assembled, representing that the number of polling places for such county, riding, parts, or division is insufficient, and praying that the place or places mentioned in the said petition may be a polling place or polling places for the county, riding, parts, or division of the county within which such place or places is or are situate, to declare that any place or places mentioned in the said petition shall be a polling place or polling places for that county, riding, parts, or division:

And whereas the justices of the peace of the county of Nottingham, assembled in quarter sessions

at the Shire-hall in Nottingham, on Monday the seventeenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, presented their humble petition to His Majesty, therein stating, that the number of polling places for the said county is insufficient, and that the directions prescribed by the said Act of Parliament, in regard to the said petition, have been complied with, and, therefore, humbly praying, that His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, would be pleased to declare that the several places thereinafter mentioned should be additional polling places for the said county (that is to say), East Leake, Lowdham, and Sutton-upon-Trent, in the southern division, and Nuttall, in the northern division:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, having taken the said petition into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order and declare, and it is hereby ordered and declared accordingly, that the several places mentioned in the said petition (that is to say), East Leake, Lowdham, and Sutton-upon-Trent, in the southern division, and Nuttall, in the northern division of the county of Nottingham, shall be additional polling places for the said county.

C. C. Greville.

*Foreign-Office, December 9, 1836.*

DISPATCHES, dated the 24th of October last, have been received by Viscount Palmerston, G. C. B. His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Mr. Pakenham, His Majesty's Minister Plenipotentiary in Mexico, transmitting decrees of the Mexican Government, of which the following are translations:

(Translation.)

THE President of the Mexican Republic to its inhabitants: know that, taking into consideration the difficulties which experience has taught of completely fulfilling the provisions of the fourth article of the law of the 31st March 1831, with regard to the presentation of particular manifests, in triplicate, of every consignment, signed by the Mexican Consuls or Vice-Consuls nearest to the port of shipment, through its not having been possible to proceed to the definitive arrangement of the provisions of the fifth article of the same law, and in the exercise of the authority with which I am invested by the decree of the 20th September last, have thought