

into consideration by His Privy Council, shall be published in the London Gazette, one month at least before such petition shall be so considered.

And whereas the inhabitant householders of the borough of Manchester, have presented a petition to Her Majesty in Council, praying a charter of incorporation for the said borough :

Her Majesty, having taken the said petition into consideration, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be taken into consideration, by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on Tuesday the first day of May next, at twelve of the clock at noon.

And Her Majesty is further pleased to order and direct, that all petitions and documents, whether in favour of or against the said charter, shall be lodged by the respective parties, at the Council Office, on or before the twenty-fourth of April next.

C. C. Greville.

AT the Court at Buckingham-Palace, the 26th day of February 1838,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the seventh year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, 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, 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 that the justices of the peace for such county, riding, parts or division, in quarter sessions or some special sessions assembled, as mentioned in the Act, passed in the third year of the reign of His said late Majesty, intituled "An Act to settle and determine the division of counties, and the limits of cities and boroughs, in England and Wales, in so far as respects the election of Members to serve in Parliament," shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide such county, riding, parts, or division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place :

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And whereas the justices of the peace acting in and for the north riding of the county of York, at the Epiphany general quarter sessions of the peace assembled at Northallerton, in the said riding, on the second of January one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, have presented their petition to Her Majesty, representing, that the number of polling places for the said riding is insufficient, and therefore praying, that the town of Leyburn may be a polling place for the said riding :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said petition into consideration, doth, pursuant to the said Act of the seventh year of the reign of His said late Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, declare, order, and direct, that the town of Leyburn shall be a polling place for the said riding; and further, that the justices of the peace for the said riding, assembled in quarter sessions or some special sessions, as mentioned in the said Act of the third year of the reign of His said late Majesty, shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide the said riding into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place.

C. C. Greville.

AT the Court at Buckingham-Palace, the 1st day of February 1838,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixth and seventh years of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for carrying into effect the reports of the Commissioners appointed to consider the state of the Established Church in England and Wales, with reference to ecclesiastical duties and revenues, so far as they relate to episcopal dioceses, revenues, and patronage," reciting, amongst other things, that His said late Majesty was pleased, on the fourth day of February, and on the sixth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, to issue two several commissions to certain persons therein respectively named, directing them to consider the state of the several dioceses in England and Wales, with reference to the amount of their revenues, and the more equal distribution of episcopal duties, and the prevention of the necessity of attaching, by commendam, to bishoprics, benefices with cure of souls; and to consider also the state of the several cathedral and collegiate churches in England and Wales, with a view to the suggestion of such measures as might render them conducive to the