T the Court at Buckingham-Palace, the 13th day of June, 1853.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HEREAS by the "Foreign Deserters Act, 1852" it is provided, that whenever it is made to appear to Her Majesty that due facilities are or will be given for recovering and apprehending seamen who desert from British Merchant Ships in the territories of any Foreign Power, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, stating that such facilities are or will be given, declare that seamen, not being slaves, who desert from Merchant Ships belonging to a subject of such Power, when within Her Majesty's do-minions, or the territories of the East India Company, shall be liable to be apprehended and carried on board their respective ships, and may limit the operation of such Order, and may render the operation thereof subject to such conditions and qualifications, if any, as may be deemed expedient:

And whereas it hath been made to appear to Her Majesty, that due facilities have been or will be given for recovering and apprehending seamen who desert from British Merchant Ships in the territories of His Royal Highness the Grand

Duke of Oldenburg:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue of the powers vested in her by the said "Foreign Descriters Act, 1852," and by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order and declare, and it is hereby ordered and declared, that from and after the publication hereof in the London Gazette, seamen, not being slaves, who desert from Merchant Ships belonging to subjects of the Grand Duke of Oldenburg, when within Her Majesty's dominions, or the territories of the East India Company, shall be liable to be apprehended and carried on board their respective

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, and the Commissioners for the affairs of India, are to give the

necessary directions herein accordingly.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

T the Court at Buckingham-Palace, the 13th day of June, 1853. :

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament, held in the eighth and ninth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act "for the general regulation of the Customs," it is amongst other things enacted, that the several sorts of goods enumerated in the table therein following, denominated "a table of prohibitions restrictions inwards," shall either be absolutely prohibited to be imported, or shall be imported only under the restrictions mentioned in such table.

And whereas, among other sorts of goods, the following are enumerated in the said table, viz.:

"Goods of places within the limits of the East India Company's Charter, unless into ports approved of by the Lords of the Treasury, and declared by Order in Council to be fit and proper for such importation." And whereas the port of Grimsby has been ! approved of by the Lords of Her Majesty's

Treasury for that purpose;

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to declare, and it is hereby declared, that the port of Grimsby is fit and proper for the importation of goods of places within the limits of the East India Company's Charter.

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

T the Court at Buckingham-Palace, the 13th day of June, 1853.

PRESENT.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THEREAS by an Act passed in the session of Parliament, held in the first year of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend an "Act for the regulation of municipal corporations "in England and Wales," it is amongst other things enacted, that if the inhabitant householders of any town or borough in England or Wales shall petition Her Majesty to grant to them a charter of incorporation, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty by any such charter, if she shall think fit, by the advice of Her Privy Council, to grant the same, to extend to the inhabitants of any such town or borough, within the district to be set forth in such charter, all the powers and provisions of the Act of the fifth and sixth William the Fourth, chapter seventy-six, for regulating corporations, whether such town or borough be or be not a corporate town or borough or be or be not named in either of the schedules to the said Act; provided nevertheless that notice of every such petition and of the time when it shall please Her Majesty to order that the same be taken into consideration by her Privy Council, shall be published by the London Gazette, one month at least before such petition shall be so considered.

And whereas the inhabitant householders of the town of Brighton, in the county of Sussex, and of the borough of Aberavon, in the county of Glamorgan respectively, have presented petitions to Her Majesty in Council, praying that charters of incorporation may be granted to the said town and borough; Her Majesty was this day pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the said petitions be taken into consideration by a committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on Saturday, the sixteenth day of July next.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

T the Court at Buckingham-Palace, the 13th day of June, 1853,

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the tenth year of the reign of Her Majesty, intituled "An Act for the more easy recovery of small "debts and demands in England," it is, among other things, enacted, that it should be lawful for Her Majesty, with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that the said Act be put in force in such county or counties as to Her Majesty, with the advice aforesaid, should seem fit, and to divide the whole or part of any such county (including all counties of cities and counties of