

these your attention will speedily be asked to the formation of a Supreme Court of Judicature, including provisions for the trial of Appeals.

Among the measures which will be brought before you, there will also be proposals for facilitating the Transfer of Land, and for the amendment of our system of Local Taxation, of certain provisions of the Education Act of 1870, and of the General Acts regulating Railways and Canals; together with various other Bills for the improvement of the Law.

I earnestly commend your deliberations to the guidance and favour of Almighty God.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 5th day of *February*, 1873.

HER Majesty, by the advice of Her Privy Council, doth order (the Clerk in Ordinary of the said Council being now absent) that Major-General Sir Thomas Myddleton Biddulph, K.C.B., shall, in respect of the business to be transacted at this day's Council, have and perform all the powers, duties, and functions, and be in the place of the Clerk of the Council in Ordinary.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 5th day of *February*, 1873.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

SHERIFFS appointed by Her Majesty in Council for the year 1873.

ENGLAND
(excepting Cornwall and Lancashire).

<i>Bedfordshire</i> ,	Harry Thornton, of Kempston, Esq.
<i>Berkshire</i> ,	John Alves Arbuthnot, of Cowarth Park, Old Windsor, Esq.
<i>Buckinghamshire</i> ,	James Edward McConnell, of The Woodlands, Great Missenden, Esq.
<i>Cambridgeshire and Huntingdenshire</i> ,	Sidney Stanley, of Long Stowe Hall, Esq.
<i>Cheshire</i> ,	Gilbert Greenall, of Walton Hall, Esq.
<i>Cumberland</i> ,	Thomas Holme Parker, of Warwick Hall, Esq.
<i>Derbyshire</i> ,	John Gilbert Crompton, of The Lilies, Derby, Esq.
<i>Devonshire</i> ,	John Henry Ley, of Trehill, Esq.
<i>Dorsetshire</i> ,	Sir Molyneux Hyde Nepean, of Loder's Court, Bart.
<i>Durham</i> ,	Charles Freville Surtees, of Mainsforth, Ferryhill, Esq.
<i>Essex</i> ,	Robert John Bagshaw, of Dovercourt, Esq.
<i>Gloucestershire</i> ,	Thomas Anthony Stoughton, of Owlpen Park, near Dursley, Esq.
<i>Herefordshire</i> ,	James Rankin, of Bryngwyn, Hereford, Esq.
<i>Hertfordshire</i> ,	Horace James Smith-Bosanquet, of Broxbournebury, Esq.

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<i>Leicestershire</i> ,	Isaac Harrison, of Newfound Pool, Esq.
<i>Lincolnshire</i> ,	Valentine Dudley Henry Cary Elwes, of the Manor House, Brigg, Esq.
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<i>Rutland</i> ,	Francis Heathcote, of Pilton, Esq.
<i>Shropshire</i> ,	Charles George Wingfield, of Onslow, Shrewsbury, Esq.
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<i>Suffolk</i> ,	Fuller Maitland Wilson, of Stowlangtoft Hall, Esq.
<i>Surrey</i> ,	Gordon Wyatt Clark, of Mickleham Hall, Dorking, Esq.
<i>Sussex</i> ,	Sir Charles William Blunt, of Heathfield Park, Bart.
<i>Warwickshire</i> ,	The Right Honourable Sir Frederick Peel, K.C.M.G., of Hampton in Arden.
<i>Westmorland</i> ,	Thomas Mason, of Kirkby Stephen, Esq.
<i>Wiltshire</i> ,	Nathaniel Barton, of Corsley House, Warminster, Esq.
<i>Worcestershire</i> ,	Harry Foley Vernon, of Hanbury Hall, Droitwich, Esq.
<i>Yorkshire</i> ,	George Lane Fox, of Bramham Park, Tadcaster, Esq.

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