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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1877.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of *November*, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.
His Royal Highness Prince Leopold.
Lord President.
Mr. Chancellor of the Exchequer.

WHEREAS by section 18 of "The Extradition Act, 1870," it is among other things enacted that if by any law made after the passing of the said Act by the Legislature of any British Possession, provision is made for carrying into effect within such Possession the surrender of fugitive criminals who are in, or suspected of being in, such British Possession, Her Majesty may by the Order in Council applying the said Act in the case of any Foreign State, or by any subsequent Order, either—

Suspend the operation within any such British Possession of the said Act, or of any part thereof, so far as it relates to such Foreign State, and so long as such Law continues in force there and no longer;

Or direct that such Law or Ordinance or any part thereof shall have effect in such British Possession, with or without modifications and alterations, as if it were part of the Act.

And whereas by a Law enacted by the Legislature of Jamaica, the short title of which is, "The Extradition Act Jamaica, 1877," it is provided that "all powers vested in and acts authorized or required to be done by a Police Magistrate or any Justice of the Peace in relation to the Surrender of Fugitive Criminals in the United Kingdom under 'The Extradition Acts, 1870 and 1873,' are thereby vested in and may in the Colony be exercised and done by any Police or Stipendiary Magistrate in relation to the Surrender of Fugitive Criminals under the said Acts":

And whereas it is further provided by the said Law that the said Law shall not come into operation until Her Majesty shall by Order in Council direct that the said Law shall have effect within the Colony as if it were part of "The Extradition Act, 1870," but that the said Law shall thereafter come into operation as soon as such Order in Council shall have been publicly made known in the Colony.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in pursuance of "The Extradition Act, 1870," and in exercise of the power in that behalf in the said Act con-

tained, doth by this present Order, by and with the advice of Her Majesty's Privy Council, direct that the said Law shall have effect in the Colony of Jamaica without modification or alteration, as if it were part of "The Extradition Act, 1870."

And the Right Honourable the Earl of Carnarvon, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 23rd day of *November*, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IN pursuance of the Winter Assizes Acts, 1876 and 1877, Her Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Most Honourable Privy Council, to order as follows:—

1. The Northern and Salford Divisions (as defined by the Order in Council of the 4th day of May, 1864) of the County of Lancaster, the County of Cumberland, and the County of Westmoreland shall, for the purpose of the next Winter Assizes, be united together and form one county, under the name of the Winter Assize County, No. 1.

2. The said Winter Assizes for the said Winter Assize County shall be held at Manchester.

3. The Court at the said Winter Assizes at Manchester shall have jurisdiction to try any prisoner committed in the said Winter Assize County who may be brought before it, and shall have the same powers with respect to the trial of and passing sentence upon such prisoner as a Court of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery would have had at the Assizes in the county where, but for the said Winter Assize Acts, such prisoner would have been tried, and for the purpose of giving effect to any sentence, whether it be capital or a sentence of penal servitude or imprisonment, shall have power to remit the prisoner back to the gaol to which he would have been remitted, had he been tried at the Assizes in the county where, but for the said Winter Assizes Acts, he would have been tried, there to be dealt with according to law.

4. The Sheriff of the County of Lancaster shall alone act for the purpose of the said Winter Assizes for the said Winter Assize