

mission to the said Gaol, and their maintenance by the way, and the Gaoler of the said Gaol shall receive such prisoners into his charge and custody on their arrival, and shall keep and maintain them in the said Gaol until they are either ordered to be discharged or remanded by proper authority, or until they shall have been tried and sentenced, and proper arrangements have been made for their being sent back to the prison from which they were sent for trial, or sent to any other prison which has been duly appointed as an alternative for such prison. If, however, the said Gaol has itself been duly appointed as an alternative prison for the prison from which such prisoners were sent to trial, the Governor of the said Gaol shall, subject to the orders of the Secretary of State, keep and maintain in the said Gaol such prisoners after sentence, until they are discharged in due course of law.

15. The Clerk of Assize at the said Winter Assizes for the said Winter Assize County shall have all powers of taxation of Bills of Costs, expenses of prosecution and witnesses, and all other powers necessary for checking and paying such costs relating to the trial of prisoners that the Clerk of Assize in the county where such prisoners were committed would have had, if such prisoner had been tried at the Assizes held in such last-mentioned county.

Where any person is committed for trial in the said Winter Assize County, any Judge of the High Court of Justice, or the committing Justice or Justices, or any two of the Justices of the county or place from which he is committed, may, upon the application of such prisoner, direct the Treasurer of the county or place where the prisoner was committed to advance to the prisoner a sum not exceeding 20*l.* to enable him to defray the travelling expenses of such of his witnesses as may have been bound by recognizances to appear on his behalf, and the Treasurer shall advance such sum, and shall deduct it out of the amount ultimately allowed in respect of such witnesses.

16. In any case where money is ordered by the Court at the said Winter Assizes for the said Winter Assize County to be paid in respect of costs and expenses of prosecutors and witnesses, the same shall be paid by the Treasurer of the county or place by whom the same would have been payable had a like order been made by a Court of Oyer and Terminer or Gaol Delivery in the county where the trial would have taken place but for the Winter Assizes Acts, and this Order; and every such Treasurer, or some known agent on his behalf, shall attend the said Winter Assizes during the sitting of the Court to pay all such orders.

17. Where the Court at the said Winter Assizes for the said Winter Assize County remand a prisoner or adjourn any trial, or otherwise make an order respecting a prisoner committed for trial but not acquitted or convicted, the Court may make such order with respect to the removal of such prisoner to a prison in the county or place in which he was committed for trial as to the Court seems just, and the prisoner may be removed accordingly without any writ of Habeas Corpus.

18. Nothing in this Order shall authorize the trial or require the attendance at the said Winter Assizes for the said Winter Assize County of any person who shall have been admitted to bail, and shall not at the time of the holding of such Winter Assizes for the said Winter Assize County be in custody, unless such person is jointly charged with another person in actual custody.

19. Except where the context otherwise requires, terms used in this Order shall have the

same meaning as that which the same terms have in the Winter Assizes Acts, 1876 and 1877.

20. This Order, unless earlier revoked, shall be in force during the continuance of the Winter Assizes, 1881. *C. L. Peel.*

At the Court at *Holyrood Palace*, the 26th day of *August*, 1881.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by "The Supreme Court of Judicature Act, 1873," it is enacted that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by Order in Council, from time to time to direct that there shall be District Registrars in such places as shall be in such Order mentioned for districts to be thereby defined, from which writs of summons for the commencement of actions in the High Court of Justice may be issued, and in which such proceedings may be taken and recorded as are herein-after mentioned; and Her Majesty may thereby appoint that any Registrar of any County Court, or any Registrar or Prothonotary or District Prothonotary of any local Court whose jurisdiction is hereby transferred to the said High Court of Justice, or from which an appeal is hereby given to the said Court of Appeal, or any person who, having been a District Registrar of the Court of Probate, or of the Admiralty Court, shall under this Act, become and be a District Registrar of the said High Court of Justice, or who shall hereafter be appointed such District Registrar, shall and may be a District Registrar of the said High Court for the purpose of issuing such writs as aforesaid, and having such proceedings taken before him as are hereinafter mentioned:

And whereas by "The Supreme Court of Judicature Act, 1875," it is provided that where any such Order has been made, two persons may, if required, be appointed to perform the duties of District Registrar in any district named in the Order, and such persons shall be deemed to be joint District Registrars, and shall perform the said duties in such manner as may from time to time be directed by the said Order, or any Order in Council amending the same:

And whereas Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, did, on the 12th day of August, 1875, order that there should be District Registrars in certain places in England:

And whereas by such Order it was ordered that two persons should be the District Registrars in Liverpool:

And whereas Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, did, on the 26th day of October, 1875, and the 12th day of August, 1876, order the manner in which the duties of the District Registrars in Liverpool should be performed:

And whereas it is desirable that the said two last-mentioned Orders should be amended: Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice aforesaid, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that on and after the 1st day of November next the said last-mentioned Orders shall be amended as follows:—

The District Registrars in Liverpool, shall perform all the duties of a District Registrar in respect of all actions, causes, or matters commenced or proceeded with, or which may be commenced or proceeded with, in the District Registry in Liverpool, in such manner as they may arrange, for the division and performance of such duties.

*C. L. Peel.*