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Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, March 23, 1882.

NOTICE is hereby given, that, owing to exceptional circumstances, Her Majesty's Birthday will this year be celebrated in England on Saturday, the 3rd of June.

In all other places Her Majesty's Birthday is to be kept, as usual, on the 24th of May.

A T the Court at Windsor, the 17th day of May, 1882.

PRESENT

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS in pursuance of the Bishoprics
Act, 1878, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, on the fourth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, certified to Her Majesty under their Common Seal, that the annual value of the Newcastle Bishopric Endowment Fund, together with the annual sum which will ultimately be derived in pursuance of the hereinbefore mentioned Act from the contributory Bishopric of Durham, was not less than three thousand five hundred pounds a-year:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the abovementioned Act, Her Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Most Honourable Privy Council, to order and declare as follows:

- 1. The Bishopric of Newcastle is hereby founded.
- 2. The diocese of the said Bishopric shall consist of the county of Northumberland, and the counties of the towns of Newcastle-upon-Tyne and Berwick-upon-Tweed, and to include such detached parts of any other county as are under any Act of Parliament deemed to form part of the county of Northumberland, or have been or can be transferred to the county of Northumberland by the Justices in General or Quarter Sessions assembled, and shall include also the ancient common law parish of Alston with its chapelries, in the county of Cumberland.
- 3. The parish church of Saint Nicholas at Newcastle-upon-Tyne, subject to the rights of the patron and incumbent of such church, shall be the cathedral church.
- 4. The Bishop of Newcastle is constituted a body corporate and is hereby invested with all such rights, privileges, and jurisdictions as are possessed by any other Bishop in England, and is

subjected to the metropolitan jurisdiction of the Archbishop of York.

5. This Order shall come into operation on the publication of the same in the London Gazette.

C. L. Peel.

A T the Court at Windsor, the 17th day of May, 1882.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the third and fourth years of Her Majesty, chapter one hundred and thirteen, and of the Act of the thirty-seventh and thirty-eighth years of Her Majesty, chapter sixty-three, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a scheme, bearing date the eleventh day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, in the words and figures following, that is to say:—

"We the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England in pursuance of the Act of the third and fourth years of your Majesty chapter one hundred and thirteen and of the Act of the thirty-seventh and thirty-eighth years of your Majesty chapter sixty-three, have prepared and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council the following scheme for dividing the Archdeaconry of Durham within the diocese of Durham and for constituting a new archdeaconry and for endowing the said new archdeaconry in the manner and to the extent hereinafter mentioned.

"Whereas the Right Reverend Joseph Barber Bishop of the diocese of Durham has proposed to us and has represented to us that it is in his opinion desirable that the Archdeaconry of Durham within the diocese of Durham should on account of the magnitude thereof be divided into two archdeaconries and that one of such archdeaconries should continue to be called 'The Archdeaconry of Durham' and that the other of such archdeaconry of Auckland' and should comprise and consist of that portion of the existing Archdeaconry of Durham which is described in the second schedule to this scheme annexed.

"And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that the said proposals of the said Bishop should be carried into effect in manner hereinafter recommended and proposed.

"Now therefore with the consent of the said Joseph Barber Bishop of the said diocese of Durham (in testimony of which consent he hath set his