

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.

14. 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, 1876 and 1877, 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.

15. 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.

16. 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.

17. This Order, unless earlier revoked, shall be in force during the continuance of the Winter Assizes, 1883.

*C. L. Peel.*

**A**T the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 23rd day of *August*, 1883.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**I**N 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 North and East Riding Division and the West Riding Division (as defined by the Order in Council of the 9th day of July, 1864) of the County of York shall, for the purpose of the next Winter Assizes, be united together under the name of the Winter Assize County, No. 3.

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

3. The Court at the said Winter Assizes at York 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 Assizes Acts such prisoner would have been tried.

The provision of Section three of the Spring Assizes Act, 1879, shall apply to the execution of any capital sentence passed at such Assizes as herein mentioned; provided that the expression in the said Section "the Sheriff of the County for which such Assizes were held" shall mean the Sheriff of the County in which the prisoner so sentenced would have been tried if the Winter Assizes Acts, 1876 and 1877, had not been passed.

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

5. The precepts of the Judges to the said Sheriff shall direct him to summon the Grand Jurors and Petty Jurors from the County of York.

6. The Gaol Delivery precept of the Judges to the said Sheriff shall direct him to cause the prisoners from all the prisons in the said Winter Assize County who under the provisions of this Order will have to be tried at York, to be brought there, and the Sheriff shall cause such prisoners to be brought accordingly without any writ of Habeas Corpus.

7. All Justices of the Peace, Mayors, Coroners, Escheators, Stewards, Bailiffs, Gaolers, Constables, Officers, and persons having authority and being under an obligation to attend the Assizes for any of the Divisions comprised in the said Winter Assize County, or to certify, transmit, or deliver to the Court of Assize or the proper officer thereof any indictment, inquisition, recognizance, examination, deposition, or document, shall have the same authority, and be under the same obligation to attend at the said Winter Assizes held for the said Winter Assize County, and to certify, transmit, or deliver to the Court of Assize or the proper officer thereof such indictment, inquisition, recognizance, examination, deposition, or document.

8. In all indictments and presentments at the said Winter Assizes, the venue laid in the margin thereof shall, in addition to the name of the county where the offence is charged to have been committed, contain the words "Winter Assize County, No. 3."

9. Any person who after the date of this Order and before the said Winter Assizes, enters into a recognizance to appear and prosecute, or give evidence, or to appear and answer before a Court of Oyer and Terminer or General Gaol Delivery, to be holden for any of the Divisions constituting the said Winter Assize County, shall be bound to attend at the said Winter Assizes for the said Winter Assize County.

10. In all cases in which the like recognizances have been entered into in respect of any offence committed in any of the Divisions constituting the said Winter Assize County prior to the making of this Order, such recognizances shall be deemed to have been entered into for attendance at the said Winter Assizes for the said Winter Assize County, and every person bound by such recognizance shall be bound to appear at such last-mentioned Winter Assizes, or forfeit his recognizance.

11. Ten days before the day fixed for the opening of the Commission at York, a list of the prisoners to be removed for trial at the said Winter Assizes for the said Winter Assize County, so far as the same list can then be made out, shall, together with a short statement of the offences with which they are charged, be transmitted by the Gaoler of each prison in which such prisoners may be, to the Sheriff of the