

Privy Council Office, August 15, 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been addressed to Her Majesty in Council by certain Inhabitant Householdors of the Local Board District of Barton, Eccles Winton, and Monton, in the county of Lancaster, praying that a CHARTER may be granted to them, under the provisions of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1882; and notice is hereby further given, that the said Petition will be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

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NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty in Council by certain Inhabitant Householdors of the Local Government District of Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham, praying that a CHARTER may be granted to the Inhabitants of the said District, whereby the provisions of the Municipal Corporations Act may be extended to them; and notice is hereby further given, that the said Petition will be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

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NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty in Council by certain Inhabitant Householdors of the Town of Whitehaven, in the county of Cumberland, praying that a CHARTER may be granted to the Inhabitants of the said Town, whereby the provisions of the Municipal Corporations Act may be extended to them; and notice is hereby further given, that the said Petition will be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

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NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty in Council by the President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Trustees, Committee, and Members of "The Newspaper Press Fund," praying for the grant of a CHARTER of INCORPORATION. And Her Majesty having referred the said Petition to a Committee of the Lords of the Council, notice is further given, that all petitions for or against such grant should be sent to the Privy Council Office, on or before the first day of October next.

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NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty in Council by Sir Edward Birkbeck, Bart., on behalf of the Committee of Management of the Fund, praying for the grant of a CHARTER of INCORPORATION under the name or title of "The Royal Provident Fund for Sea Fishermen." And Her Majesty having referred the said Petition to a Committee of the Lords of the Council, notice is further given, that all petitions for or against such grant should be sent to the Privy Council Office, on or before the first day of October next.

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NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty in Council by certain Inhabitant Householdors resident within the Local Government district of Haslingden, in the county of Lancaster, praying that a CHARTER may be granted to the Inhabitants thereof, whereby the provisions of the Municipal Corporations Act may be extended to them; and notice is hereby further given, that the said Petition will be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

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NOTICE is hereby given, that a Petition has been presented to Her Majesty in Council by the Council of the Borough of Welshpool, praying, under the provisions of "The Municipal Corporations Act, 1882," for a division of the Borough into Wards; and notice is hereby further given, that Her Majesty has been pleased, by Her Order in Council of this day's date, to order that the said Petition be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the twenty-sixth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

Osborne, August 15, 1890.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty:—

His Excellency the Marquis de Casa Laiglesia, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from the Court of Madrid, to deliver his Credentials; :

To which audience he was introduced by Viscount Cranbrook, G.C.S.I., Lord President of the Council, acting for the Marquis of Salisbury, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

Downing Street, August 18, 1890.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable the Earl of Jersey, P.C., G.C.M.G., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of New South Wales and its Dependencies.

Downing Street, August 19, 1890.

THE Queen has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of William Hammond and Charles Joseph George, Esqrs., to be Unofficial Members of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Lagos.

*Master of the Horse's Office,
Royal Mews, Piccadilly, August 18, 1890.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Maurice Charles Andrew Drummond to be Page of Honour to Her Majesty, vice the Honourable Eric Richard Thesiger, resigned.