

2. LOCAL STANDARD MEASURES OF CAPACITY.

Denomination	Amount of error tolerated in excess or in deficiency.
Grains weight of water as measured by a graduated glass tube.	
Measures of Capacity :	
Four bushels ...	1000 grains
Bushel ...	256 "
Five gallons ...	160 "
Half-bushel ...	128 "
Peck ...	64 "
Gallon ...	32 "
Half-gallon ...	16 "
Quart ...	12 "
Pint ...	8 "
Half-pint ...	4 "
Gill ...	4 "
Half-gill ...	4 "
Quarter-gill ...	4 "

3. LOCAL STANDARD MEASURES.

Denomination	Amount of error tolerated in excess or in deficiency.
Length :	
100 feet ...	1/10 or 0.1 inch
66 feet or a chain of 100 links Rod, pole, or perch ...	
From 10 feet to 4 feet inclusive	1/100 or 0.02 inch
From 3 feet to 1 foot inclusive	1/100 or 0.01 inch
1 inch and sub-divisions of the inch	No appreciable error allowed

At the Court at Windsor, the 15th day of March, 1893.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the twenty-first day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, in the words following, viz. —

"Whereas by 'The Naval and Marine Pay and Pension Act, 1865,' it is enacted (among other things) that Your Majesty in Council may from time to time make such Orders in Council as seem meet for the better execution of any of the purposes of that Act. And whereas, in our opinion it is advisable that we should be authorized to pay the claims of Parish Authorities against Naval Pensioners for the maintenance of themselves or others whom they are liable to maintain, and for that purpose that we should have conferred on us like powers to those conferred on Your Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for War by an Act passed in the nineteenth and twentieth years of Your Majesty's reign entitled 'An Act for further regulating the payment of the Out-Pensioners of Greenwich and Chelsea Hospitals.'

We beg leave therefore humbly to recommend that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased by Your Order in Council to authorize the following provisions:—

If any relief be afforded to a Naval Pensioner or to any person whom he is liable to maintain,

by the Guardians of the Poor of any union or parish, or by the Overseers of any parish or township not under a Board of Guardians, or by the Parochial Board of any parish in Scotland, the Admiralty may in their discretion repay to such Guardians, Overseers or Parochial Board out of the pension of such Naval Pensioner the amount of relief so advanced to, or expended on his account, not exceeding in any case where relief has been administered to his wife or one child only whom he is bound to maintain, the amount of one half, or where such relief has been administered to two or more such children, or to his wife and one or more such child or children, the amount of two-thirds of his pension so advanced."

Her Majesty having taken the said Memorial into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed. And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. L. Peel.

At the Court at Windsor, the 15th day of March, 1893.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IN pursuance of the Spring Assizes Act, 1879, 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 shall, for the purpose of the next Spring Assizes, be united together under the name of the Spring Assize County, No. 2.

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

3. The Court at the said Spring Assizes at Manchester shall have jurisdiction to try any prisoner committed in the said Spring 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 Spring Assizes Act, 1879, 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 Spring Assizes Act, 1879, had not been passed.

4. The Sheriff of the County of Lancaster shall act for the purpose of the said Spring Assizes for the said Spring 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 Lancaster.

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 Spring Assize County who under the provisions of this Order will have to be tried at Manchester, 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, Con-