

"that the exclusive jurisdiction of the liberty of the Tower shall cease, and that the liberty shall be amalgamated with and form part of the county of London for all the purposes for which the Justices of the liberty of the Tower have hitherto exercised separate jurisdiction." And the said Justices by their said petition most humbly prayed that Her Majesty with the advice of Her Privy Council would be pleased to order that the liberty of the Tower should be united with the county of London, and that the parishes and places constituting the liberty should be added to and form part of the Tower Petty Sessional Division of the same county, or should be added to and form part of such other Petty Sessional Division of the same county as the Justices of the Peace in Quarter Sessions might from time to time order and direct in that behalf for all the purposes for which the Justices of the liberty have hitherto exercised separate jurisdiction on such terms and conditions and subject to such restrictions as to Her Majesty might seem fit.

And whereas the said petition was certified to Her Majesty under the hand of the Chairman of the said Justices present when the said petition was agreed to.

And whereas all the provisions of the said Act in relation to the said petition have been duly complied with.

And whereas no other petition has been presented to Her Majesty by any person concerning the said proposed union of the said liberty with the said county of London.

Now therefore Her Majesty having taken the said petition into consideration is pleased by and with the advice of Her Privy Council to order and it is hereby ordered that from and after the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, the exclusive jurisdiction of the liberty of the Tower shall cease and that the liberty of the Tower shall be united with and form part of the county of London for all the purposes for which the Justices of the liberty of the Tower have hitherto exercised separate jurisdiction and that the parishes and places constituting the said liberty shall be added to and form part of the Tower Petty Sessional Division of the same county or shall be added to and form part of such other Petty Sessional Division of the same county as the Justices of the Peace in Quarter Sessions may from time to time order and direct in that behalf for all the purposes for which the Justices of the liberty have hitherto exercised separate jurisdiction.

C. L. Peel.

Privy Council Office, May 10, 1894.

MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS ACT, 1882.

THE following Scheme for the adjustment of the property, rights, liabilities, &c., of the Trustees of the Town and Harbour of Whitehaven, in the county of Cumberland, and for other purposes, as settled by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, is published in pursuance of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1882:—

"WHEREAS by the Municipal Corporations Act 1882 it is enacted that where a petition for a Charter of Incorporation is referred to the Committee of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council and it is proposed by the Charter to extend the Municipal Corporation Acts to the Municipal Borough to be created by the Charter the said Committee of Council may settle a Scheme for the purposes in the said Acts named

and containing such provisions as are in the said Acts particularized:

"And whereas certain of the inhabitant householders of the Town of Whitehaven in the Administrative County of Cumberland in the month of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety petitioned Her Majesty the Queen praying for a grant of a Charter of Incorporation:

"And whereas the petition for a Charter was referred to the Committee of Council and subsequently it was proposed that by the said Charter the district of the 'Trustees of the Town and Harbour of Whitehaven' and the adjacent portion of the Parliamentary Borough of Whitehaven which is not included in the last-mentioned district should be created a Municipal Borough and that by the said Charter the inhabitants of the said last-mentioned district and of the said adjacent portion of the Parliamentary Borough should be incorporated and the Municipal Corporation Acts extended to the Municipal Borough so to be created subject as regards the Port and Harbour of Whitehaven and its railways and other appurtenances (hereinafter referred to simply as 'the Harbour of Whitehaven' or as 'the said Harbour') and also subject as regards other matters to the special provisions relative to the said Harbour and such matters which are hereinafter contained:

"And whereas under and by virtue of the divers local and other Acts of Parliament a particular whereof is set forth in the Third Schedule hereto (and which Acts are hereinafter referred to as 'the Whitehaven Town and Harbour Acts') the Town and Harbour of Whitehaven are at present governed both for municipal and for certain sanitary purposes and for harbour purposes by a body of Trustees twenty-one in number appointed as hereinafter mentioned the Town and the Harbour both being administered by the Trustees as one Board but the accounts of the Town and Harbour being kept distinct and under and by virtue of one of the said Acts to wit the Whitehaven Town and Harbour (Incorporation) Act 1885 (being the Statute 48 and 49 Vict. cap. cxxv) the said Trustees were constituted a body corporate under the name of 'The Trustees of the Town and Harbour of Whitehaven' (hereinafter called 'the Trustees') with perpetual succession and a Common Seal and the property then vested in or held by or in the name of any person or persons expressly or exclusively in trust for the purposes of any of the Whitehaven Town and Harbour Acts or for the Trustees as such was thereby transferred to and vested in or directed to be transferred to the Trustees as such corporate body as aforesaid in manner therein mentioned it being nevertheless thereby provided that property vested in the Trustees for town purposes should not be subject to any liabilities contracted or to be contracted for Harbour purposes and that property vested in them for Harbour purposes should not be subject to any liabilities contracted or to be contracted by them for Town purposes and all the powers of the Trustees as such were thereby transferred to them as such corporate body:

"And whereas under and by virtue of another of the Whitehaven Town and Harbour Acts to wit the Whitehaven Harbour and Town (Improvement) Act 1876 (being the Statute 39 and 40 Vict. cap. cv) the Trustees were constituted the Urban Sanitary Authority and as such were invested with and enabled to exercise the powers and authorities conferred upon Urban Sanitary Authorities by the Public Health Act 1875 within and with relation to the Town (but not also within and with relation to the Harbour) of Whitehaven: