

wise, and shall be accounted for and paid over in such manner as the Governor in Council directs to the Colonial Treasurer of Western Australia to be by him paid into the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Colony.

6. Subject to the provisions of this Proclamation, the Branch Mint at Perth, shall, for the purposes of the coinage of gold coins be deemed to be part of Our Mint, and accordingly

(a) the Deputy Master shall comply with all directions he may receive from the Master of Our Mint, whether as regards the returns to be made, or the delivery of coin for public use, or the transmission of specimen coins to England or otherwise; and

(b) the said specimen coins shall be subject to the trial of the pyx under section twelve of "The Coinage Act, 1870," so, however, that they shall be examined separately from the coins coined in England; and

(c) the Deputy Master and other officers and persons for the purpose of carrying on the business of the Branch Mint may be appointed, promoted, suspended, and removed, and their duties assigned and salaries awarded, under section fifteen of "The Coinage Act, 1870."

7. The Governor of Western Australia in Council shall cause the store of gold bullion and coin at the Branch Mint at Perth to be inspected half-yearly, and cause the persons inspecting the same to report thereon to the Deputy Master of the Branch Mint, stating the exact amount of bullion and coin inspected by them; and such report shall be transmitted by the Deputy Master to the Master of Our Mint in London.

8. The Master of Our Mint shall in the execution of this Proclamation act in accordance with any regulations made or directions given by the Lords Commissioners of Our Treasury.

9. In this Proclamation,—

The expression "Mint" means Our Royal Mint in England;

The expression "Governor" includes the officer for the time being administering the Government of the Colony;

The expression "Deputy Master of the Branch Mint" includes any person who lawfully exercises at such Branch Mint the authority of Deputy Master of Our Mint.

10. This Proclamation shall come into force in Our Colony of Western Australia, on the expiration of six months from the date thereof, unless it is sooner promulgated in the Colony, and in that case, on such promulgation.

Given at Our Court at *Balmoral*, the thirteenth day of *October*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the sixty-first year of Our Reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 13th day of *October*, 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

His Royal Highness Prince Christian.

Lord James of Hereford.

Sir Fleetwood Edwards.

WHEREAS by section twenty (three) of "The Finance Act, 1894," it is enacted that Her Majesty the Queen may, by Order in Council, apply that section to any British Possession, where Her Majesty is satisfied that, by the law of such possession, either, no duty is leviable

in respect of property situate in the United Kingdom when passing on death, or that the law of such possession as respects any duty so leviable is to the like effect as the foregoing provisions of that section:

And whereas Her Majesty is satisfied that by the law of the Colony of Tasmania no duty is leviable in respect of property situate in the United Kingdom when passing on death.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the power by the aforesaid Act in Her Majesty vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the twentieth section of "The Finance Act, 1894," shall apply to the Colony of Tasmania.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 13th day of *October*, 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council bearing date the third day of August one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, certain arrangements as regards the Circuits of the Judges were approved:

And whereas it is expedient that the said Order be amended with respect to the North Wales Circuit:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered as follows:—

In the Order in Council relating to Circuits, dated the third day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, the name of *Welshpool* shall be substituted for the name of *Newtown* in the schedule to said Order; and the said Order in Council shall take effect subject to the substitution made by this Order, and any copy thereof hereafter printed may be printed with the substitution made by this Order.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 13th day of *October*, 1897.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the twenty-eighth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, it was directed that the Assizes as defined in the said Order should be holden as therein provided.

And whereas it is expedient to amend the said Order as regards the Autumn Assizes, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, for the county of Kent.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Most Honourable Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered as follows:—

1. The city of *Canterbury* shall, for the Autumn Assizes, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, be the place where Assizes are holden for the county of Kent.

2. So much of the said Order of the twenty-eighth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, as is inconsistent with this Order shall be repealed for the purposes of the said Autumn Assizes, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

Except where the context otherwise requires expressions used in this Order shall have the same meaning as in the said Order of the twenty-eighth