

Whether any and if so what, steps should be taken to improve the administration of the Mines Acts and the discipline in Mines.

Whether any change is desirable in the present system of examination for Managers' and Under Managers' Certificates of Competency, whether the Managers of Metalliferous Mines should be compelled to hold such certificates, and whether certificates granted by Colonial Governments should not be accepted in this country:

And also to inquire and report what steps could be taken for the better prevention of Accidents in Quarries.

And for the better effecting the purposes of this Our Commission, We do by these Presents give and grant unto you, or any three or more of you, full power to call before you such persons as you shall judge likely to afford you any information upon the subject of this Our Commission; and also to call for, have access to and examine all such books, documents, registers and records as may afford you the fullest information on the subject, and to inquire of and concerning the premises by all other lawful ways and means whatsoever.

And We do by these Presents authorize and empower you, or any three or more of you, to visit and personally inspect such places as you may deem it expedient so to inspect for the more effectual carrying out of the purposes aforesaid.

And We do by these Presents will and ordain that this Our Commission shall continue in full force and virtue, and that you, Our said Commissioners, or any three or more of you, may from time to time proceed in the execution thereof, and of every matter and thing therein contained, although the same be not continued from time to time by adjournment.

And We do further ordain that you, or any three or more of you, have liberty to report your proceedings under this Our Commission from time to time if you shall judge it expedient so to do.

And Our further will and pleasure is that you do, with as little delay as possible, report to Us, under your hands and seals, or under the hands and seals of any three or more of you, your opinion upon the matters herein submitted for your consideration.

Given at Our Court at *Saint James's*, the eighteenth day of *May*, one thousand nine hundred and seven, in the seventh year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command.

H. J. Gladstone.

*Crown Office,
May 16, 1907.*

Days and Places appointed for holding the Summer Assizes, 1907:—

NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Channell.

Mr. Justice A. T. Lawrence.

Tuesday, June 18, at Appleby.

Thursday, June 20, at Carlisle.

Tuesday, June 25, at Lancaster.

Monday, July 1, at Manchester.

Monday, July 15, at Liverpool.

NORTH-EASTERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Grantham.

Mr. Justice Ridley.

Monday, June 24, at Durham.

Monday, July 1, at Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

Monday, July 8, at York.

Friday, July 12, at Leeds.

WESTERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Walton.

Mr. Justice Bray.

Friday, May 24, at New Sarum.

Wednesday, May 29, at Dorchester.

Monday, June 3, at Wells.

Friday, June 7, at Bodmin.

Wednesday, June 12, at Exeter.

Wednesday, June 19, at Winchester.

Wednesday, June 26, at Bristol.

SOUTH-EASTERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Phillimore.

Friday, May 24, at Huntingdon.

Monday, May 27, at Cambridge.

Thursday, May 30, at Bury St. Edmunds.

Wednesday, June 5, at Norwich.

Tuesday, June 11, at Chelmsford.

Mr. Justice Bigham.

Saturday, June 22, at Hertford.

Wednesday, June 26, at Lewes.

Saturday, July 6, at Maidstone.

Monday, July 15, at Guildford.

OXFORD CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Lawrance.

Mr. Justice Sutton.

Monday, June 3, at Reading.

Friday, June 7, at Oxford.

Tuesday, June 11, at Worcester.

Monday, June 17, at Gloucester.

Monday, June 24, at Monmouth.

Friday, June 28, at Hereford.

Wednesday, July 3, at Shrewsbury.

Tuesday, July 9, at Stafford.

MIDLAND CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Jelf.

Mr. Justice Sutton.

Commissioner Lord Coleridge, K.C.

Monday, June 3, at Aylesbury.

Thursday, June 6, at Bedford.

Monday, June 10, at Northampton.

Friday, June 14, at Leicester.

Thursday, June 20, at Oakham.

Friday, June 21, at Lincoln.

Thursday, June 27, at Derby.

Friday, July 5, at Nottingham.

Wednesday, July 10, at Warwick.

Tuesday, July 16, at Birmingham.

NORTH AND SOUTH WALES AND CHESTER CIRCUIT.

The Lord Chief Justice of England.

Mr. Commissioner Shee, K.C.

Friday, May 24, at Newtown.

Friday, May 24, at Haverfordwest.

Monday, May 27, at Dolgelly.

Tuesday, May 28, at Lampeter.

Thursday, May 30, at Carnarvon.

Friday, May 31, at Carmarthen.

Tuesday, June 4, at Beaumaris.

Tuesday, June 4, at Brecon.

Thursday, June 6, at Ruthin.

Friday, June 7, at Presteign.

Monday, June 10, at Mold.

Tuesday, July 9, at Chester.

Tuesday, July 16, at Swansea.