

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers by the above-recited Act in His Majesty vested, is pleased by and with the advice of His Most Honourable Privy Council to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

The Colonial Probates Act, 1892, shall apply to the British Possessions hereunder mentioned:—

The Province of Alberta, in the Dominion of Canada.

The Province of Saskatchewan, in the Dominion of Canada.

And the Right Honourable Lewis Harcourt, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 11th day of *February*, 1913.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS it is enacted by the County Courts Act, 1888, that it shall be lawful for His Majesty, by Order in Council, from time to time to alter the number and boundaries of the districts and the place of holding any Court:

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the 31st day of March, 1913, the boundary of the Colchester Clacton and Harwich District, of the County Court Circuit No. 38 shall be extended so as to include the whole of the Harwich Harbour and the whole of the River Stour between highwater mark from such harbour to Catterwade Bridge, Manningtree, and such part of the River Orwell between highwater mark situate in the Counties of Essex and Suffolk south of an imaginary line drawn from Bloody Point, Shotley, in a due easterly direction to Walton Battery, both in the County of Suffolk, and all the part of the Harwich Harbour, the River Stour and the River Orwell hereinbefore referred to, heretofore being part of the County Court Circuit No. 33, be incorporated into and become part of the said Colchester Clacton and Harwich District, and be excluded from and cease to be part of the County Court Circuit No. 33.

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

*Westminster, February 14, 1913.*

This day the Lords being met a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that *The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by His Majesty, for declaring His Royal Assent to the Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the*

said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to—

Agricultural Holdings Act, 1913.

Aerial Navigation Act, 1913.

Land Drainage (Braithwaite Moss) Provisional Order Confirmation Act, 1912.

Kirkcaldy District Water Order Confirmation Act, 1913.

Sheffield Corporation Act, 1912.

*Master of the Horse's Office,  
Royal Mews,  
Buckingham Palace,  
12th February, 1913.*

The KING has been pleased to appoint Captain Andrew Benbow, late Royal Horse Artillery, to be Superintendent of the Royal Mews, Buckingham Palace, in the room of Captain John Nicholas, M.V.O., retired 31st December, 1912.

*Foreign Office,  
February 12, 1913.*

With reference to the notification published in the London Gazette of the 11th instant, His Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received a further telegram from His Majesty's Minister at Athens reporting that the remaining lights on the Greek coast, as well as those on Chios, Mitylene, Psara, Icaria, and their dependencies, will be extinguished until further notice.

*Foreign Office,  
February 10, 1913.*

The KING has been pleased to approve of—  
Dr. J. D. van Ketwisch Verschuur as Consul-General of the Netherlands at Pretoria for British South Africa;  
Cavaliere Ferdinando Sola as Consul-General of Italy at Aden;  
Señor Dr. Don Lisandro Leiva Pereira as Consul of Colombia at Southampton;  
Mr. Henry Field as Consul of Austria-Hungary at Birmingham;  
Mr. John Dunbar Vella as Consul of Brazil at Malta;  
Mr. V. Parravicino as Consul of Paraguay at Barbados;  
Mr. James Reid as Vice-Consul of the Netherlands at Aberdeen for the Counties of Aberdeen, Banff, Elgin, Kincardine and Nairn; and  
Mr. Luis Mazzone as Vice-Consul of Paraguay at Malta.

*Whitehall, February 14, 1913.*

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, to confer the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom upon Sir George Kemp, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of Baron Rochdale, of Rochdale, in the County Palatine of Lancaster.