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LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,

ST. JAMES' PALACE, February 26, 1900.

NOTICE is hereby given that Her Royal Highness The Princess of Wales will, on behalf of The Queen, hold Drawing Rooms at Buckingham Palace, on Tuesday the 13th and on Thursday the 15th of March next, at three o'clock.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACTS.

Alteration of Parish Areas.

PROPOSED ORDER No. XLVI.

PARISHES OF BOTHKENNAR, FALKIRK, AND POLMONT.

(NEW PARISH OF GRANGEMOUTH.)

WHEREAS it has been represented to me by the Parish Councils of the Parish of Bothkennar and the Parish of Polmont and the Commissioners of the Police Burgh of Grangemouth, that I should issue an Order, under section 51 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1889, and section 46 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1894, uniting the Parish of Bothkennar (except certain portions thereof) and the Parish of Polmont and portions of the Parish of Falkirk into one Parish, and transferring certain portions of the Parish of Bothkennar to the Parish of Falkirk:

And whereas, after consulting with the authorities concerned, and causing a local inquiry to be

held, I am of opinion that it is expedient to give effect to the said representation:

Now, therefore, I, the Right Honourable Alexander Hugh, Lord Balfour of Burleigh, Her Majesty's Secretary for Scotland, do, in virtue of the powers conferred upon the Secretary for Scotland by the Local Government (Scotland) Acts, order and direct as follows:—

1. The two portions of the Parish of Bothkennar situated to the south of the centre line of the River Carron shall cease to be parts of that Parish, and shall form part of the Parish of Falkirk.

2. The portion of the Parish of Falkirk situated to the east of the Kerse County Road and the portions of the said Parish situated to the north of the centre line of the River Carron shall cease to be parts of that Parish, and shall form part of the Parish constituted by this Order.

3. The Parish of Polmont, the Parish of Bothkennar excepting the aforesaid portions thereof, and the aforesaid portions of the Parish of Falkirk, shall be united into one Parish, to be called the Parish of Grangemouth.

4. The Parish Council of Polmont and the Parish Council of Bothkennar shall cease and determine, and their whole powers, rights, duties, property, liabilities, debts, officers, and servants shall be transferred to the Parish Council of the Parish constituted by this Order.

5. The Parish Councillors elected for the Parish of Polmont, the Parish Councillors elected for the Parish of Bothkennar, and the Parish Councillors elected for the Grangemouth Ward of the Parish of Falkirk, shall together form the Parish Council of the Parish constituted by this