

mentioned in the Act passed in the second and third years of the reign of His said late Majesty, intituled "An Act to settle and determine the divisions of counties and the limits of cities and boroughs in England and Wales, in so far as respects the election of members to serve in Parliament," shall, conformably to the said last-mentioned Act, divide such county, riding, parts, or division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling place :

And whereas the Justices of the Peace for the county palatine of Lancaster, assembled in general quarter session of the peace held by adjournment at Salford, on the 9th day of April, 1860, have presented a petition to Her Majesty in Council, representing that the number of polling places for the southern division of the said county is insufficient, and praying that that part of the town or village of Bacup which is in the hamlet of Brandwood Higher End, may be a polling place for the said division, within which such place is situate :

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, having taken the said petition into consideration, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to declare, order, and direct, and it is hereby declared, ordered, and directed, that that part of the said town or village of Bacup which is in the hamlet of Brandwood Higher End shall be a polling place for the said southern division of the county palatine of Lancaster ; and that the Justices of the Peace for the said county, in quarter sessions or some special sessions assembled, as mentioned in the said Act passed in the second and third years of the reign of His said late Majesty, shall, conformably to the said Act, divide such division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling-place.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

AT the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 10th day of *May*, 1860,

PRESENT.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS, by the four hundred and tenth section of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," it is enacted that, upon the completion of any new lighthouse, buoy, or beacon, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, fix such dues in respect thereof, to be paid by the master or owner of any ship which passes the same, or derives benefit therefrom, as Her Majesty may deem reasonable ; and may from time to time alter the amount thereof ; and that such dues shall be paid and collected in the same manner, by the same means, and subject to the same conditions, in, by, and subject to which the light dues, authorized to be levied by the said Act, are paid and collected. And whereas the Commissioners of Northern Lighthouses are erecting and about to light certain new lighthouses at the undermentioned places, viz. :

- 1st. On Corran Point, Loch Eil.
- 2nd. On the Island of Phladda, north entrance of Jura Sound.
- 3rd. On MacArthur's Head, Sound of Islay.

Now therefore Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers vested in Her by the said recited Act, and by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to direct that, upon the completion and lighting of the said lights respectively, there shall be paid in respect of each of the said lights for every British vessel, and for every foreign vessel privileged to enter the ports of the United King-

dom upon paying the same duties as are payable by British vessels which may pass or derive benefit from such light, the toll of eight-sixteenths of a penny per ton of the burden of every such vessel for every time of passing or deriving benefit therefrom, if on an oversea voyage : and one-sixteenth of a penny per ton, for each time of passing or deriving benefit therefrom, if on a coasting voyage ; and for every foreign vessel not privileged in manner hereinbefore mentioned, double the amount of the respective tolls hereinbefore specified, according to the voyage on which she may be employed. And that the said tolls in respect of each of the said lighthouses shall be levied by the Commissioners of Northern Lighthouses, subject to the gross abatement or discount of fifty per cent. on vessels engaged in oversea voyages, and of thirty-five per cent. on vessels engaged in coasting voyages, mentioned in an Order in Council, made under the authority of the said recited Act, and dated the second day of February, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine ; and subject also to the regulations and exemptions contained in the consolidated tables of light duties, sanctioned by an Order in Council, dated the twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, and to the further exemption, sanctioned by an Order in Council, dated the twelfth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine.

Wm. L. Bathurst.

AT the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 10th day of *May*, 1860,

PRESENT.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the sixteenth and seventeenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the laws concerning the burial of the dead in England, beyond the limits of the metropolis, and to amend the Act concerning the burial of the dead in the metropolis;" it is enacted, that in case it appears to Her Majesty in Council, upon the representation of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, that, for the protection of the public health, the opening of any new burial-ground in any city or town, or within any other limits, save with the previous approval of one of such Secretaries of State, should be prohibited, or that burials in any city or town, or within any other limits, or in any burial-ground or places of burial, should be wholly discontinued, or should be discontinued subject to any exception or qualification; it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that no new burial-ground shall be opened in any city or town, or within such limits, without such previous approval, or (as the case may require), that after a time mentioned in the Order, burials in such city or town, or within such limits, or in such burial-grounds or places of burial, shall be discontinued wholly, or subject to any exceptions or qualifications mentioned in such Order, and so from time to time, as circumstances may require; provided always, that notice of such representation, and of the time when it shall please Her Majesty to order that the same be taken into consideration by the Privy Council, shall be published in the London Gazette, and shall be affixed on the doors of the churches or chapels of, or on some other conspicuous places within, the parishes affected by such representation, one month before