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T the Court at Windsor, the 9th day of A T the Court at Windsor, the 9th day of July, 1869.

PRESENT, The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," it is provided that the following persons are required to register British ships, and shall be deemed to be Registrars for the purpose of that Act (that is to say) at any port or place approved by the Commissioners of Customs for the registry of ships within the limits of the charter, but not under the government of the East India Company, and at which no Customhouse is established, the Collector of Duties, together with the Governor, Lieutenaut-Governor, or other person administering the Government; and whereas by "The Merchant Shipping (Colonial) Act, 1869," it is provided that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty, by Order in Council, from time to time to declare, with respect to the British possession mentioned in the Order, the description of persons who are to be Registrars of British ships in that British possession, and to revoke any Order so made ; and that after the date specified in the Order, or if no date is specified, after the date of the proclamation of the Order in the British possession, the Order shall have effect as if it were contained in section thirty of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854 :" And whereas at Singapore, Penang, and Malacca

Ports, or places within the Straits Settlements, no Custom House is established; and whereas the Legislative Council of the Straits Settlements have, by an Ordinance (No. 3) of the twentyfourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, provided that the officers for the time being acting as Master Attendant at Singapore, and Harbour Masters at Penang and Malacca, shall be Registrars of Shipping under "The Imperial Merchant Shipping Act, 1854 :"

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue of the powers vested in Her by the said recited Acts, and by and with the advice of Her Privy Council is pleased to declare and direct that the officers for the time being acting as Master Attendant at Singapore, and Harbour Masters at Penang and Malacca, shall, from and after the date of the proclamation of this Order in the Straits Settlements, be Registrars of British ships in the Straits Settlements.

Arthur Helps.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

W HEREAS the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England have, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of Her Majesty, chapter seventy ; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-seven; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty, chapter fifty-five, duly prepared and laid before Her Majesty in Council a representation, bearing date the twenty-seventh day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine, in the words following ; that is to say :

"We, the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the Act of the eighth and ninth years of your Majesty, chapter seventy ; of the Act of the fourteenth and fifteenth years of your Majesty, chapter ninety-seven; and of the Act of the nineteenth and twentieth years of your Majesty, chapter fifty-five, have prepared, and now humbly lay before your Majesty in Council, the following representation as to the assignment of a consolidated chapelry to the consecrated church of All Saints, situate at New Shildon, in the parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Andrew, Auckland, in the county of Durham, and in the diocese of Durham.

"Whereas at certain extremitics of the said parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Andrew, Auckland, of the parish of Heighington, in the county and diocese aforesaid, and of the particular district of Shildon, in the same county and diocese, which said extremities lie contiguous one to another, and are described in the schedule hereunder written, there is collected together a population which is situate at a distance from the several churches of the said respective cures.

"And whereas it appears to us to be expedient that such contiguous portions of the said parish or parochial chapelry of Saint Andrew, Auckland, of the said parish of Heighington, and of the said particular district of Shildon, should be formed into a consolidated chapelry for all ecclesiastical purposes, and that the same should be assigned to the said church of All Saints, situate at New Shildon as aforesaid.

"Now, therefore, with the consent of the Right Reverend Charles, Bishop of the said diocese of