

any country or place out of Her Majesty's dominions within which Her Majesty has power or jurisdiction.

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased by and with the advice of Her Privy Council by another Order in Council of the 28th day of March 1868 to ordain (amongst other things) that in addition to the powers then vested in the Supreme Court of Hong Kong the said Supreme Court might have jurisdiction over and take cognizance of all crimes and offences committed by British subjects at any place on land being within six miles of any part of the Colony of Hong Kong, and not being on the mainland of China, and of and over all disputes and differences between British subjects being in any such place within such limit as aforesaid.

And whereas it has seemed to Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to be expedient to revoke the said last-mentioned Order in Council and to extend the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of Hong Kong in respect to matters arising in the neighbourhood of the Colony of Hong Kong.

Now therefore, Her Majesty by virtue of the powers in this behalf by the said recited Act, or otherwise vested in Her, is pleased by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order and it is hereby ordered as follows:—

1. In addition to the powers now vested in the said Supreme Court of Hong Kong, the said Supreme Court may have jurisdiction over and take cognizance of all crimes and offences committed by British subjects at any place on land, being within ten miles of any part of the Colony of Hong Kong and of and over all disputes and differences between British subjects being in any such place within such limit as aforesaid, and the said Court shall and may deal with, try, hear, and determine all such cases as fully and effectually as if such crimes or offences had been committed or such disputes or differences had arisen by or between British subjects within the said Colony of Hong Kong.
2. The said Order in Council of the 28th day of March 1868 is hereby revoked except for the purpose of completing any proceedings criminal or civil which may have been commenced thereunder before this Order is published in the said Colony of Hong Kong and any proceedings so commenced may be completed and any sentences and judgments given therein may be executed as fully and effectually as if this Order had not been made.
3. The jurisdiction hereby conferred upon the Supreme Court of Hong Kong shall be in addition to and concurrent with any power or jurisdiction now possessed by the Supreme Court for China or Japan or any Provincial Court under the said Order in Council of the 9th of March 1865 to deal with, try, hear, and determine such cases as are herein mentioned and nothing in this Order contained shall affect the power of the said Supreme Court for China or Japan or of any Provincial Court under the said last-mentioned Order in Council to deal with, hear, try and determine the said cases.

And the Right Honourable the Earl of Carnarvon, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions therein accordingly.

C. L. Peel.

At the Court at Balmoral, the 23rd day of October, 1877.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the Sea Fisheries Act, 1868, it is (among other things) enacted that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty by Order in Council from time to time to do all or any of the following things, namely:

- (a.) To make regulations for carrying out, enforcing, and giving effect to both the entry and registry of British sea-fishing boats, and also Articles four, five, six, seven, and eight of the Convention then recently concluded between Her Majesty and the Emperor of the French concerning the Fisheries in the seas adjoining the British Islands and France, and set out in the first schedule to the Act:
- (b.) To adopt in such regulations any existing system of registry or lettering and numbering of boats, and to provide for bringing any such system into conformity with the requirements of the said Convention and the Act, and with the said regulations:
- (c.) To define the boats or classes of boats to which such regulations or any of them are to apply, and to provide for the exemption of any boats or classes of boats from such regulations or any of them, and from the provisions of Part II of the Act with respect to entry or registry and the possession of a certificate of registry and official papers:
- (d.) To apply to the entry and registry respectively of sea-fishing boats so defined, and to all matters incidental thereto, such (if any) of the enactments contained in any Act relating to the registry of British ships, and with such modifications and alterations as may be found desirable:
- (e.) To impose penalties not exceeding twenty pounds for the breach of any regulations made by any Order in Council, for the breach of which a punishment cannot be provided by the application of the enactments contained in any Act relating to the registry of British ships:
- (f.) To alter and revoke an Order so made;

And that every such Order shall be of the same force as if it were enacted in the said recited Act:

And whereas Her Majesty did, in pursuance of the said recited Act, on the 18th day of June, 1869, by Order in Council, make certain regulations for the lettering, numbering, and registering of British sea-fishing boats under Part II of the Act, which are now in force:

And whereas it is expedient that in addition to the classes already exempted by No. 1 of such regulations provision should be made for the exemption of the classes of boats mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed:

And whereas it is also expedient that a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds should be imposed for the breach of No. 14 of such regulations:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty's, in exercise of the power vested in Her by the said recited Act, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to make the regulations which are set forth in the schedule hereto annexed, and to direct that the same shall come into force from the date of the present Order.

C. L. Peel.