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AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 12th day of *December*, 1885.

PRESENT,

The **QUEEN'S** Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS, by "The Merchant Shipping Act Amendment Act, 1855," it was enacted, that in any case in which any lighthouse, buoy, or beacon had been, or should be thereafter erected or placed on or near the coasts of any British possession, by or with the consent of the Legislative Authority of such possession, Her Majesty might, by Order in Council, fix such dues in respect thereof to be paid by the owner or master of every ship which passes the same or derives benefit therefrom as Her Majesty might deem reasonable, and might in like manner from time to time increase, diminish; or repeal such dues; and that from the time specified in such Order for the commencement of the dues thereby fixed, increased, or diminished the same should be leviable throughout Her Majesty's dominions in manner thereafter mentioned:

And whereas a lighthouse was, by and with the consent of the Legislative Authority of the Colony of Newfoundland, erected on Cape Race, in the said Colony, and a light exhibited therein; and a steam fog whistle has also been erected at that station:

And whereas by an Order in Council dated the twenty-third day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, Her Majesty was pleased to direct that the dues to be paid in respect of ships passing and deriving benefit from the said light and fog signal, as in the said Order in Council appearing, should be one-eighth of a penny per ton of the burden of every such ship:

And whereas it has been made to appear to Her Majesty that it is expedient that the dues in respect of the said lighthouse and fog signal should cease to be levied:

Now therefore, Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers vested in Her by the said recited Act, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to direct, that on and after the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, all dues hitherto leviable in respect of the said lighthouse and steam fog whistle upon Cape Race, shall cease to be levied.

C. L. Peel.

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The **QUEEN'S** Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, after giving to the Incumbents and the Churchwardens of the parishes hereinafter mentioned ten days' previous notice of his intention to make such representation, has, under the provisions of 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," made a representation stating that, for the protection of the public health no new burial-ground should be opened in the undermentioned parishes without the previous consent of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and that burials should be discontinued therein with the following modifications, viz.:

NORTH HARBORNE.—Forthwith and entirely in the parish church of North Harborne, in the county of Stafford; and also in the churchyard after the thirty-first December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, except as follows:

(a.) In such vaults and wholly walled graves as are now existing in the churchyard burials may be allowed on condition that every coffin buried therein be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

(b.) In such partly walled graves as are now existing in the churchyard, provided that the earth above them can be opened to the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains, burials may be allowed of so many of the relations of those interred therein at the date of the Order as can be buried at or below that depth.

(c.) In such earthen graves now existing in the churchyard as can be opened to the depth of five feet without exposing coffins or disturbing human remains burials may be allowed of so many of the relations of those interred therein at the date of the Order as can be buried at or below that depth.

NORTON-JUXTA-MALTON.—Forthwith and entirely in the parish church cemetery of Norton-juxta-Malton in the county of York