

Honourable Gathorne, Viscount Cranbrook, G.C.S.I., the oath of allegiance and the oath of office as Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster were accordingly this day taken by him.

Privy Council Office, August 3, 1886.

THIS day the Right Honourable Lord Randolph Churchill was, at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, in the presence of the Lord President of the Council, sworn Chancellor of the Exchequer.

Privy Council Office, August 3, 1886.

THIS day the Right Honourable Charles Thomson Ritchie was, at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, in the presence of the Lord President of the Council, sworn President of the Local Government Board.

Privy Council Office, August 4, 1886.

THIS day, at the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the Right Honourable Arthur James Balfour was sworn Secretary for Scotland, and the Right Honourable Sir Frederick Arthur Stanley, G.C.B., was sworn President of the Board of Trade, in the presence of the Lord President of the Council.

Privy Council Office, August 5, 1886.

THIS day, at the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the Right Honourable David Robert Plunket was, in the presence of the Lord President of the Council, sworn First Commissioner of Works.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 3rd day of *August, 1886.*

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Orders in Council relating to the exercise of Her Majesty's power and jurisdiction in China, Japan, and Corea;

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in this behalf by the Foreign Jurisdiction Acts, 1843 to 1878, and otherwise, in Her vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as "The China, Japan, and Corea Order in Council, 1886."

2. So much of the 47th section of the China and Japan Order in Council, 1881, as is contained in the second sub-section thereof, commencing with the word "provided," and ending with the word "appeal," and relating to the conditions on which jurisdiction may be exercised in the case of foreigners desiring to submit to the jurisdiction of Her Majesty's Courts, is hereby repealed as respects China, Japan, and Corea, and the following provision is substituted:—

(b.) Provided that the foreigner: (i) first files in the Court his consent to the jurisdiction of the Court; and (ii) also, if required by the Court, obtains and files a certificate in writing from a competent authority of his own Government to the effect that no objection is made by that Government to the foreigner submitting in the particular cause or matter to the jurisdiction of the Court; and (iii) also, if required by the Court, gives security to the satisfaction of the Court, to

such reasonable amount as the Court directs, by deposit of money or otherwise, to pay fees, costs, damages, and expenses, and to abide by and perform the decision to be given by the Court or on appeal.

3. This Order shall come into operation as from the date of its publication in the London Gazette, but until the first October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, proceedings may be taken either in accordance with the provision hereby repealed, or in accordance with the provisions of this Order.

And one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 3rd day of *August, 1886.*

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS it is expedient that the evidence by Commission Act, 1859, and the evidence by Commission Act, 1885, should be extended to Cyprus:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers in this behalf vested in Her by the Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1878, or otherwise, doth hereby, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, order and direct, and it is hereby ordered as follows:—

1. The Evidence by Commission Act, 1859, and the Evidence by Commission Act, 1885, shall extend to Cyprus from and after the date of this Order.

2. One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State is to give the necessary directions herein.

C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 3rd day of *August, 1886.*

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the third Section of the Revising Barristers Act, 1873, it was enacted that Her Majesty, by Order in Council, might vary from time to time, either by way of increase or decrease, the number of Revising Barristers to be appointed for any Counties, Cities, Boroughs, or places, in pursuance of section 28 of the Parliamentary Electors Registration Act, 1843, and that the number fixed by such Order should be substituted for the number fixed by the said section, or by any previous Order in Council made under the Revising Barristers Act, 1873, or any other Act:

And whereas by the Order in Council dated the ninth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, the number of Revising Barristers was prescribed as set forth in the Schedule of the same Order:

And whereas by section 2 (4) of the Revising Barristers Act, 1886, it is enacted that where any Judge appoints Barristers for Counties and Boroughs on any Circuit, he shall appoint them to act for all the Counties and Boroughs for which he has power to appoint Revising Barristers; and each Barrister, when acting for any County or Borough, shall have in all respects the same duties, powers, rights, and authorities as if he had been appointed sole Revising Barrister for such County or Borough:

It is therefore ordered by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice of