

the Coroners' Districts theretofore existing, and that such additional District do comprise the area of the borough of Andover aforesaid and that the name of such district be the Andover District, and that the said county exclusive as aforesaid be divided into five Coroners' Districts accordingly, and that Her Majesty might be pleased to direct the issue of a writ de coronatore eligendo for the purpose of authorizing the election of an additional Coroner above the number of those theretofore elected in the said county, which said petition together with a description of the several proposed districts and of the boundaries thereof with the reasons upon which the petition is founded was duly certified to Her Majesty :

And whereas all the provisions of the hereinbefore firstly recited Act in that behalf have been strictly complied with in relation to the said petition :

And whereas no petition was presented to Her Majesty by any Coroner of the same county concerning such proposed alteration :

And whereas Her Majesty has, with the advice of Her Privy Council, taken into consideration the said petition, and is minded to make such alteration as aforesaid, and also to direct the issue of a writ de coronatore eligendo for the election of a fifth Coroner for the said county :

Now therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, direct and declare, and it is hereby ordered, directed, and declared that,—

(1) A writ de coronatore eligendo for the election of a fourth Coroner for the county of Wilts shall forthwith be directed to the Wilts County Council.

(2) From and after the date hereof the area and district of the said borough of Devizes shall be and form a district for the purposes of the said firstly-recited Act, and such district shall be named the "Devizes District."

(3) The Mid Wilts District shall from and after the date hereof consist of all such parts of the existing Mid Wilts District as do not form part of the area and district of the said borough of Devizes.

(4) The North Wilts and South Wilts Districts shall comprise the several parishes and places, and have the boundaries prescribed and ordered in that behalf in and by the said Order in Council dated twenty-sixth October, one thousand eight hundred and sixty.

(5) This Order shall be published in the London Gazette. C. L. Peel.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 8th day of *February*, 1890.

PRESENT.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament passed in a session of Parliament holden in the seventh and eighth years of Her Majesty's reign intituled "An Act to amend the Law respecting the office of County Coroner" it is (amongst other things) enacted that when and as often as it shall seem expedient to the Justices of any county that such county should be divided into two or more districts for the purposes of that Act or that any alteration should be made of any division theretofore made under that Act it shall be lawful for the said Justices in General or Quarter Sessions assembled to resolve that a petition shall be presented to Her Majesty praying that such division or alteration be made and thereupon to adjourn the further consideration of such petition until notice thereof shall be given to the Coroner

or Coroners of such county as in that Act thereafter provided: and that the Clerk of the Peace shall give notice of any such resolution to every Coroner for such county and of the time when the petition will be taken by the said Justices into consideration and the Justices shall confer with every such Coroner who shall attend the meeting of the Justices for that purpose touching such petition having due regard to the size and nature of each proposed district the number of the inhabitants the nature of their employments and such other circumstances as shall appear to the Justices fit to be considered in carrying into execution the provisions of that Act and that such petition with a description of the several proposed districts and of the boundaries thereof with the reasons upon which the petition is founded shall be certified to Her Majesty under the hands and seals of two or more of the Justices present when such petition shall be agreed to and the Clerk of the Peace for such county shall forthwith give or send a true copy of such petition certified under his hand to every Coroner for such county and that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty if She shall think fit with the advice of Her Privy Council after taking into consideration any such petition and also any petition which may be presented to Her by any Coroner of the same county concerning such proposed division or alteration or whenever it shall seem fit to Her Majesty to direct the issue of a writ de coronatore eligendo for the purpose of authorizing the election of an additional Coroner above the number of those who have been theretofore customarily elected in such county to order that such county shall be divided into such and so many districts for the purposes of that Act as to Her Majesty with the advice aforesaid shall seem expedient and to give a name to each of such districts and that every such order shall be published in the London Gazette :

And whereas by an Order in Council duly made at a Court holden at Osborne House Isle of Wight on the thirteenth day of August one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven, under and in accordance with the said Act, the county of Kent was divided into five districts for the purpose of the said Act respectively named "Ashford District" the "Sittingbourne District" the "Cranbrook District" the "Greenwich District" and the "Tonbridge District" and such districts were by the said Order respectively to comprise the several parishes and places and have the boundaries in that behalf in the said Order mentioned or set forth :

And whereas under and by virtue of the Local Government Act 1888 the powers and business of the said Justices in relation to the matters aforesaid have been transferred to the County Council for the county of Kent :

And whereas a petition praying for the alteration of the said division, by taking out of the Cranbrook District the parts parishes or places hereinafter in that behalf set forth but leaving the said Ashford Sittingbourne Greenwich and Tonbridge Districts to continue to comprise respectively the same parishes places and boundaries as heretofore, was on the twentieth day of August one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine presented to Her Majesty by the Kent County Council which said petition with a description of the several proposed districts and of the boundaries thereof with the reasons upon which the petition is founded was duly certified to Her Majesty :

And whereas all the provisions of the hereinbefore firstly recited Act have been strictly complied with in relation to the said petition :