

any other Orders or Regulations for the purpose of giving effect to the provisions of the said Act, and again to revoke, alter, or vary any such Orders or Regulations; and that all provisions for any of the purposes aforesaid in any such Order or Orders contained shall have the like force and effect as if the same had been inserted in the said Act:

And whereas the said Act has been amended and explained by an Act passed in the twenty-ninth year of Her present Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the Act of the eleventh and twelfth years of Her present Majesty, chapter one hundred and seven, to prevent the spreading of contagious or infectious disorders among sheep, cattle, and other animals:"

And whereas the contagious or infectious disorder generally designated as the "Cattle Plague," which has lately prevailed among cattle in Scotland, has now ceased therein:

And whereas divers Orders have been made by the Lords of the said Council in relation to the cattle plague; and whereas it is expedient to suspend these Orders, so far as they relate to the regulation of the movements of cattle and other animals, and the sale of cattle within Scotland:

Now, therefore, the Lords of Her Majesty's Privy Council do hereby, in exercise of the powers given under the said Acts, order as follows:

1. This Order shall apply to Scotland only, subject to the limitation hereinafter expressed.

2. From and after the thirteenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, and subject to the further Orders of the Lords of the said Council, all the provisions contained in any Order of Council restraining or regulating the movements of animals within Scotland, or any part thereof, and all orders of any Local Authority in Scotland made under or in virtue thereof, and all the provisions contained in any Order of Council prohibiting or regulating the holding of markets, fairs, auctions, exhibitions, or sale of cattle within Scotland, or any part thereof, and all orders of any Local Authority in Scotland made under or in virtue thereof, shall be suspended; provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent any Local Authority in Scotland, or the officer or officers appointed thereby, from granting "fat stock or store stock" licences, under the Order of 11th April, 1866, for the removal of cattle from Scotland to England or elsewhere beyond Scotland.

3. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in any Order of Council, it shall, from and after the thirteenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, and subject to the further Order of the Lords of the said Council, be lawful to introduce cattle and other animals by land from England into any part of Scotland, provided the person introducing them has obtained a licence for that purpose from the Local Authority of the County of Berwick, or of Roxburgh, or of Dumfries, into whichever of these counties said animals have been first introduced, or from some officer or officers appointed by said Local Authority to grant such licence, and any person obtaining such licence shall fulfil all the conditions contained therein.

4. In the event of cattle plague breaking out in any district in Scotland, after the said thirteenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, it shall be the duty of the Clerk of the Local Authority thereof forthwith to summon a meeting of the said Local Authority, who shall proceed at once to slaughter the animals

which are affected with cattle plague, and to declare the place or places where the disease is or has been, "infected," in the manner provided for and subject to all the conditions contained in sections 26 and 27 of the Order of 11th April, 1866.

5. Nothing contained in this Order shall affect the Regulations at present in force under any Order of Council in regard to cattle brought by sea from any place in the United Kingdom, or out of the United Kingdom into any town or place in Scotland, nor shall it affect any prosecution for any offence against any Order of Council, or order of any Local Authority, committed before the said thirteenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

6. This Order shall be construed in like manner as the Order of the 11th April, 1866, and all the provisions therein contained shall apply to this Order, so far as the same can be applicable, and are not inconsistent herewith, and the violation of any part of this Order shall be an offence subject to the penalty incurred under the said Order by the committing any offence against it.

*Edmund Harrison.*

*Whitehall, August 13, 1866.*

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Reverend William Stubbs, M.A., to be Professor of Modern History in the University of Oxford, in the room of Goldwin Smith, Esq., M.A., resigned.

*Whitehall, August 13, 1866.*

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Charles Findlater Stevenson to the church and parish of Barry, in the presbytery of Arbroath, and county of Forfar, vacant by the resignation of the Reverend Robert Home.

*Westminster, August 10, 1866.*

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that *The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

An Act to apply a sum out of the consolidated fund and the surplus of ways and means to the service of the year ending thirty-first March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, and to appropriate the supplies granted in this session of Parliament.

An Act to confirm certain Provisional Orders under "The Local Government Act, 1858," relating to the districts of West Hartlepool, Tormoham, Harrogate, St. Leonard, Wednesfield, Aberdare, Bristol, Derby, Shrewsbury, Netherthong, Hove, New Windsor, Hanley, Burnley, and