

(FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE.)

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 8th day of February, 1884.

By Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

THE Lords and others of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, 1878, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. The following Area declared by Order of Council to be an Area infected with foot-and-mouth disease (namely),—the parishes of Benwick, Doddington, March, Wimblington, Whittlesey, and Stanground, in the Liberty of the Isle of Ely, —is, except such portions thereof as are included in the Areas described in Article 2 of this Order, hereby declared to be free from foot-and-mouth disease, and the Area above described, except as aforesaid, shall, as from the commencement of this Order, cease to be an Area infected with foot-and-mouth disease.

2. The following Areas (namely),—(1.) the parishes of Benwick, Doddington, March, and Wimblington, in the Liberty of the Isle of Ely; and (2.) the parish of Stanground, in the Liberty of the Isle of Ely,—shall continue to be and are hereby declared to be Areas infected with foot-and-mouth disease.

3. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the ninth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

C. I. Peel.

Foreign Office, January 16, 1884.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Colin Mackenzie Ford, Esq., to be one of Her Majesty's Vice-Consuls at Shanghai.

Foreign Office, January 25, 1884.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Sir Brooke Boothby, Bart., to be a Third Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Downing Street, February 7, 1884.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Frederic Condé Williams, Esq. (late a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of Natal), to be a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Mauritius.

[The following notice is substituted for that which appeared in the London Gazette of Tuesday, January 8, 1884.]

Whitehall, January 5, 1884.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto George Morice, Pasha, Retired Commander, Royal Navy, Controller-General of Egyptian Lighthouses and Ports, Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Third Class of the Order of the Osmanieh, which His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan, has been pleased to confer upon him, in recognition of his services whilst actually and entirely employed by His Highness beyond Her Majesty's Dominions.

Whitehall, February 7, 1884.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting unto the Very Reverend John Oakley, D.D., the Deanery of Her Majesty's Cathedral Church of Manchester, now void by the cession of the Very Reverend Benjamin Morgan Cowie, D.D., now Dean of Exeter.

(H. 1207.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, February 8, 1884.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Monte Video, intimating that three days quarantine of observation will be imposed upon all arrivals from Brazilian ports.

(H. 1239.)

*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, February 8, 1884.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for the Colonies a copy of a Proclamation issued by His Excellency the Governor of Gibraltar, notifying that all arrivals from Egypt and ports beyond the Suez Canal will be admitted to free pratique, provided they have made a healthy voyage and have good health on board at the time of arrival.

Admiralty, 5th February, 1884.

Navigating Lieutenant Thomas Hawkins Smith has been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 30th January, 1884.

Admiralty, 7th February, 1884.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 30th April, 1877—
Engineer George Mackney has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 16th January, 1884.

War Office, 8th February, 1884.

MILITIA.

ARTILLERY.

2nd Brigade, Scottish Division, Captain James Alexander Ross-Hume resigns his Commission. Dated 9th February, 1884.

ENGINEER.

Royal Anglesey, Captain James Tayler Johnston, Royal Engineers, to be Adjutant in succession to Captain A. Porcelli, Royal Engineers, who resigns that appointment. Dated 1st March, 1884.

INFANTRY.

3rd and 4th Battalions, the King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment), Lieutenant William Jerome Murphy to be Captain. Dated 9th February, 1884.

3rd Battalion, the Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Horace Westropp McMahon, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1884.

4th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Robert Howard Rudyerd Helpman, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1884.

5th Battalion, the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment), Edward Snell Wallis, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1884.