

1. The Area described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby declared to be an Area infected with swine-fever.

2. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the twenty-sixth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

C. L. Peel.

SCHEDULE.

An Area comprising the borough of Rotherham.

(SWINE-FEVER.)

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 26th day of September, 1887.

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) Acts, 1878 to 1886, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. The following Areas (namely),—(1.) in the borough of Southport comprised within the following boundaries, that is to say, Marshside-road, Cambridge-road, the sea-shore, and a line drawn from Cambridge-road to the shore in a north-westerly direction behind the houses fronting Park-crescent, and (2.) comprising the Hesketh and Scarisbrick Wards in the borough of Southport,—which were declared by Orders of Council dated respectively the ninth and twenty-seventh days of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, to be Areas infected with swine-fever, are hereby declared to be free from swine-fever, and those Areas shall, as from the commencement of this Order, cease to be Areas infected with swine-fever.

2. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the twenty-seventh day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

Herbert M. Suft.

St. James's Palace, September 26, 1887.

THE Chapel Royal, Whitehall, will be reopened for Divine Service on Sunday next, the 2nd of October.

EDGAR SHEPPARD, Sub-Dean.

War Office, September 27, 1887.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Admiral His Serene Prince Ernest Leopold Victor Charles Auguste Joseph Emich of Leiningen to be an Additional Member of the Military Division of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, instead of Honorary rank in the same Division and Class thereof, as stated in the London Gazette of 1st July, 1887.

*Chancery of the Order of
Saint Michael and Saint George,
Downing Street, September 24, 1887.*

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:

To be an Ordinary Member of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

Major Francis Arthur Marindin, R.E., for services rendered in connection with the railways in Egypt.

Foreign Office, August 30, 1887.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Charles James Tarring, Esq., Assistant Judge in Her Majesty's Supreme Consular Court, and now Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Constantinople, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Constantinople.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Robert Wyndham Graves, Esq., now British Vice-Consul at Sophia, to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Sophia.

Foreign Office, September 24, 1887.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. F. Gordon as Consul for Sunderland and Seaham Harbour, to reside at Sunderland, for the German Empire.

Foreign Office, September 26, 1887.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Geo. Reid Tait as Consul at Lerwick, with jurisdiction over the Shetland and Orkney Islands, for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Frederic Charles Estill as Consul at Port Louis, Mauritius, for His Majesty the King of the Netherlands.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Jorge Miles as Consul at Birmingham for the Argentine Republic.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Thomas Patrick Fallon as Consul at Melbourne, Victoria, for the Republic of Chile.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. José Ignacio Barberi as Consul at Liverpool for the Republic of the Equator.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Manuel Rodriguez Escudero as Vice-Consul for Spain at Singapore.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Celestino Marconel y Guivelalde as Vice-Consul for Spain at Hong Kong.

Downing Street, September 24, 1887.

THE Queen has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Edward Noel Walker, Esq., C.M.G. (Colonial Secretary of Jamaica), to be Colonial Secretary of the Island of Ceylon.

Crown Office, September 26, 1887.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Kerry.—South Kerry Division.

Denis Kilbride, Esq., in the room of John O'Connor, Esq., who has accepted the office of Steward or Bailiff of Her Majesty's Chiltern Hundreds.

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*Board of Trade (Harbour Department),
London, September 26, 1887.*

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch, dated 17th instant, from Her Majesty's Representative at Madrid, enclosing an