and also all hay, straw, fodder, litter, or manure, being or having been in or on board any vessels at the same time with any such cattle as last aforesaid, shall, upon their arrival in this country, be destroyed, or otherwise disposed of as the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Customs may direct.

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

C. C. Greville.

A T the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 27th day of August, 1857,

PRESENT.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the 410th section of "The Merchant Shipping Act, 1854," it is enacted, that upon the completion of any new lighthouse, buoy, or beacon, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, fix such dues in respect thereof, to be paid by the master or owner of any ship which passes the same, or derives benefit therefrom, as Her Majesty may deem reasonable; and may, from time to time, alter the amount thereof; and that such dues shall be paid and collected in the same manner, by the same means, and subject to the same conditions, in, by, and subject to which the Light Dues, authorised to be levied by the said Act, are paid and collected.

And whereas the Commissioners of Northern Lighthouses are erecting and about to light certain new lighthouses at the undermentioned places;

1st. At the north extreme of Rona Island, in the Sound of Skye.

2nd. On Gillian Island, off Kyleakin, in Loch Alsh.

3rd. On the Island of Oronsay, in Sleat Sound.
4th. At Ushenish, on the island of South Uist.
5th. At Rhu Vaal, on the north point of Islay.
6th. At Runa Gall, near Tobermory, in the Sound of Mull.

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers vested in Her by the said recited Act, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council is pleased to direct that upon the completion and lighting of the said lights respectively, there shall be paid in respect of each of the said lights for every British vessel, and for every foreign vessel privileged to enter the ports of the United Kingdom upon paying the same duties as are payable by British vessels, which may pass or derive benefit from such light, the toll of eight-sixteenths of a penny per ton, of the burthen of every such vessel, for every time of passing or deriving benefit therefrom, if on an oversea voyage; and one-sixteenth of a penny per ton, for each time of passing or deriving benefit therefrom, if on a coasting voyage; and for every foreign vessel not privileged in manner hereinbefore mentioned, double the amount of the respective tolls hereinbefore specified, according to the voyage on which she may be employed. And that the said tolls in respect of each of the said lighthouses shall be levied by the Commissioners of Northern Lighthouses, subject to the abatement or discount of 25 per cent. on vessels engaged in oversea voyages, and of 10 per cent. on vessels engaged in coasting voyages, provided for by an Order in Council, dated the 26th June, 1855; and subject also to the further abatement or discount of 15 per cent. on vessels engaged in oversea voyages,

and of 15 per cent. on vessels engaged in coasting voyages, provided for by an Order in Council, dated the 20th day of March, 1857; and subject also to the regulations and exemptions contained in the Consolidated Tables of Light Duties, sanctioned by the said Order in Council, dated the 26th day of June, 1855.

C. C. Greville.

A T the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 27th day of August, 1857.

PRESENT.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the session of Parliament held in the fifteenth and sixteenth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Act to amend the laws concerning the "burial of the dead in the metropolis;" it is enacted, that in case it appears to Her Majesty in Council, upon the representation of one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, that, for the protection of the public health, burials in any part or parts of the metropolis, or in any burialground or places of burial in the metropolis, should be wholly discontinued, or should be discontinued subject to any exception or qualification, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order that from and after a time mentioned in the Order, burials in such part or parts of the metropolis, or in such burial-grounds or places of burial, shall be discontinued wholly, or subject to any exceptions or qualifications mentioned in such Order, and so from time to time, as circumstances may require; provided that notice of such representation, and of the time when it shall please Her Majesty to order the same to be taken into consideration by the Privy Council, shall be published in the London Gazette, and shall be affixed on the doors of the churches or chapels of the parishes in which any burial-grounds or places of burial affected by such representation, shall be situate, or on some other conspicuous places within the part or parts of the metropolis affected by such representation, one calendar month at the least before such representation is so considered; provided always, that no such representation shall be made in relation to the burial-ground of any parish until ten days' previous notice of the intention to make such representation shall have been given to the Incumbent and the Vestry Clerk of such parish:

And whereas the Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Bart., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, after giving to the Incumbents and Vestry Clerks of the parishes hereinafter mentioned ten days' previous notice of his intention to make such representation, has made a representation stating that, for the protection of the public health, burials should be discontinued in the hereinafter mentioned places:

And whereas Her Majesty was pleased, by Her Order in Council of the twenty-fifth of June last, to give notice of such representation, and to order that the same be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, on the sixth of August instant, and such Order has been published in the London Gazette, and copies thereof have been affixed as required by the above recited Act.

Now, therefore, Her Majusty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that burials be discon-