the produce of the provinces of Friesland and Groningen, parts of the said dominions belonging to His said Majesty the King of the Netherlands, and doth hereby authorise any such cattle to be imported into any port or place in Great Britain, from the ports of Harlingen, in the province of Friesland, and Delfzyl, in the province of Groningen, only, subject nevertheless to all the regulations heretofore or hereafter to be made by the Lords of the said Council, or by any Local Authority under the Order of such lords, applicable to the importation of foreign cattle or sheep into any port or place in Great Britain.

This Order shall be construed as the said recited Order of the twenty-fourth day of March last, and

shall continue in force until revoked.

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

Arthur Helps.

A T the Court at Windsor, the 27th day of June, 1866.

## PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HEREAS Her Majesty, at the Court held at Buckingham Palace, the 24th day of March last, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, by an Order reciting that whereas it had been represented to Her Majesty that certain contagious or infectious disorders were then prevalent among cattle in the dominions and territories situated in Europe belonging to His Majesty the King of the Netherlands, and that there was danger of the said disorders being introduced into this country by means of cattle from such countries or places, did order that, on and after the twenty-eighth day of March then instant, no cattle should be imported or introduced into the United Kingdom which should some from or should have been at any place within the aforesaid territories and dominions cituate in Europe, belonging to His Majesty the King of the Netherlands; and also that, on and after the said twenty-eighth day of March then instant, no cattle should be imported or introduced into the United Kingdom which should be or should have been on board any vessels at the same time with any cattle which should have come from or should have been within the aforesaid territories and dominions;

And whereas by an Order, bearing even date herewith, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, hath revoked so much of the said Order as would apply to cattle the produce of the provinces of Friesland and Groningen, parts of the said dominions belonging to His said Majesty the King of the Netherlands, and authorised any such cattle to be imported into any port or place in Great Britain from the ports of Harlingen, in the province of Friesland, and Delfzyl, in the province of Groningen, only, subject nevertheless to all the regulations heretofore or hereafter to be made by the Lords of the said Council, or by any Local Authority under the Order of such Lords, applicable to the importation of foreign cattle or sheep into any port or place in Great Britain;

And whereas it has been represented to Her Majesty that is is advisable that certain provisions should be made with reference to the horns, hoofs,

and raw or wet hides and skins of cattle to be imported from the dominions and territories aforesaid into the United Kingdom;

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that on and after the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixtysix, no horn, hoof, raw or wet hide or skin of any such cattle as aforesaid shall be imported or introduced into the United Kingdom which shall come from, or shall have been at, any place within the aforesaid territories and dominions, situate in Europe, belonging to His Majesty the King of the Netherlands, other than the said provinces of Friesland and Groningen; and also that on and after the said first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, no horn, hoof, raw or wet hide or skin of any such cattle shall be imported or introduced into the United Kingdom which shall be, or shall have been, on board any vessels at the same time with any cattle which shall have come from, or shall have been within, the aforesaid territories and dominions, other than the said provinces of Friesland and Groningen.

And Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth hereby further order that, in the event of the horn, hoof, raw or wet hide or skin of any cattle being landed in any portion of the United Kingdom, contrary to the provisions of this Order, such horn, hoof, raw or wet hide or skin, the importation or introduction whereof is so hereby prohibited as aforesaid, shall, upon arrival in this country, be destroyed or otherwise disposed of, as the Commissioners of

Her Majesty's Customs may direct.

This Order shall continue in force until revoked

by any further Order.

The word "cattle" shall include sheep as well as bulls, cows, oxen, heifers, and calves.

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

Arthur Helps.

A T the Court at Windsor, the 27th day of June, 1866.

## PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

"Merchant Shipping Act Amendment "Act, 1862," it is enacted that "any rules concerning the lights or signals to be carried by vessels navigating the waters of any harbour, river, or other inland navigation, or concerning the steps for avoiding collision to be taken by such vessels, which have been or are hereafter made by or under the authority of any Local Act, shall continue and be of full force and effect, notwithstanding anything in this Act or in the schedule thereto contained:"

And whereas by the 32nd section of the said recited Act, it is further enacted that "in the case of any harbour, river, or other inland navigation, for which such rules are not and cannot be made by or under the authority of any Local Act, it shall be lawful for Her Majesty in Council, upon application from the harbour trust, or body corporate, if any, owning or exercising jurisdiction upon the waters of such harbour, river, or inland navigation, or if there is no such harbour trust, or body corporate, upon application from persons