amended and continued until the Lords of the said Council should thereafter otherwise order :

And whereas by another Order of the said Council, bearing date the thirteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, the holding of markets with the licence of the Lords of the said Council, for the sale of animals, otherwise than for immediate slaughter, at any port or other place in England or Wales into which animals may be imported from any country not part of the United Kingdom was authorized: but it was provided that in ports or places in which licences to hold such markets as aforesaid should be granted, no cattle brought by sea from any place out of the United Kingdom, except the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man, should be landed, except at some part of such port or place to be defined in some Order or Orders of the Lords of the Council, nor until some such Order or Orders shall have been so made, and that they should not be moved from such part of such port or place, except to the nearest shed or slaughter-house in such port or place, which should have been duly licensed by the Lords of Her Majesty's Council for the reception or slaughter of foreign cattle, and it was ordered that they should be there slaughtered within four days from the day of landing, both days inclusive :

And whereas it is expedient that provisions should be made to enable sales of animals intended for immediate slaughter to take place from time to time within the part of any port or place so defined as aforesaid, under such restrictions as the said Lords of the Council shall deem requisite :

Now, therefore, the Lords of the Council do hereby order, that from and after the twentyninth day of June instant, the Lords of the said Council may, upon application from the Local Authority of the district in which the part of such port or place so defined as aforesaid is situate, license the holding of any sale or sales of animals intended for immediate slaughter at any place or places within such defined part, during such time and under such restrictions or conditions as to the said Council shall seem expedient or necessary : and thenceforth animals may he sold for immediate slaughter at such place or places, anything in the Orders of the said Council to the contrary notwithstanding.

The said Lords do further order, that animals exposed for sale at any such sale shall be slaughtered within six days from the date of the holding of such sale (if sold) by or by the order of the purchaser, or (if not sold) by or by the order of the owner, importer, or consignee, and such animals shall in no instance be kept alive beyond that time or be taken alive out of the part of such port or place so defined as aforesaid, and within which such sale shall have been so licensed to be held:

The words herein contained shall be construed as in the said Order of the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixtysix, and all the provisions therein contained relative to the offences for the contravention thereof, and the penalty for the same, and the provisions of the said Order in regard to the powers of officers employed under that Order and all other provisions of that Order, and the subsequent Orders altering the same now in force and not inconsistent with anything herein contained, shall, in respect of every matter to which they may be applicable, apply to the regulations contained in this Order and the enforcing of the same.

Arthur Helps.

A<sup>T</sup> the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 28th day of June, 1867.

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

## PRESENT,

## Lord President. Lord Robert Montagu.

WHEREAS by an Order of the Lords of VV Her Majesty's Privy Council, bearing date the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, reciting certain provisions of the Act of the eleventh and twelfth years of Her present Majesty's reign, chapter one hundred and seven, which has been continued by divers Acts, and lastly by an Act of the last session of Parliament, until the first day of August next, and the end of the then next session of Parliament, and the appearance and prevalence of a contagious and infectious disorder, generally designated the "Cattle Plague," amongst cattle in England and Wales, and sundry other matters, the said Lords did, in exercise of the powers given by the said Act so continued as aforesaid, make divers rules and regulations, and did, among other things, order that until the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, all cattle brought by sea from any place out of the United Kingdom into any town or place in England should be marked, by clipping the hair off the end of the tail; and that no such cattle should be removed alive from such town or place, except by sea, and that town or place in such regulation should, according to circumstances, be the area of any borough or such other limits as may be defined by the Privy Council in respect of such borough :

And whereas such Order hath, by a subsequent Order, bearing date the twenty-sixth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, been continued and amended until the Lords of the said Council should thereafter otherwise order:

And whereas cattle are brought by sea from places out of the United Kingdom into the borough of Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, but it is expedient that certain limits should be prescribed within the said borough, into which such cattle may be brought :

Now, therefore, the Lords of the Council do hereby define the limits of the said borough into and within which cattle may be brought by sea from places out of the United Kingdom as follows; that is to say :--

All that space within the said borough which is bounded by the following line, namely, a line commencing on the north at the west end of that part of the dock properly called Battery-street, proceeding eastwards along the north side of the said street, the north sides of Bankfield-street and Bankhall-street, to the west side of the Southport Railway, thence northwards along the said railway to the point at which it crosses the borough boundary, thence eastwards along the borough boundary to the east side of the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway, thence westwards along the east side of the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway to the junction of its dock branch, thence along the east and south sides of the said dock branch railway, to the west side of Regent-road, and