

justice to all parties interested which scheme has been transmitted by the said Lord Bishop to us for our consideration.

"The representation and scheme of the said Lord Bishop are hereunto annexed.

"And we the said Archbishop being on full consideration and enquiry satisfied with the said scheme do hereby pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the first and second years of your Majesty's reign chapter 106 certify the same to your Majesty in Council to the intent that your Majesty in Council may in case your Majesty in Council shall think fit so to do make and issue an Order for carrying the said scheme into effect.

"As witness our hand the sixth day of February one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

"A. C. Cantuar."

Now therefore Her Majesty in Council by and with the advice of Her said Council is pleased to order and it is hereby ordered that the said scheme of the said Lord Bishop of Lincoln be carried into effect.

C. L. Peel.

Privy Council Office, February 22, 1879.

**BYE-LAWS**, made by the School Boards and School Attendance Committees for the following Places, were approved by Her Majesty in Council on the 22nd day of February, 1879:

SCHOOL BOARDS.

Awkley.  
Billingborough.  
Birmingham (Borough).  
Capel (United District).  
Cusop.  
Desborough.  
Llangendearne.  
Mayland and Althorne (United District).  
Oytermouth.  
Pinxton.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE COMMITTEES.

Arlington.  
Bedlingtonshire (Urban Sanitary District).  
Broseley.  
Burrington.  
Chinnor.  
Colchester (Borough).  
Coundon.  
Croston.  
Downton.  
Drakelow.  
Emneth.  
Eville.  
Hawkshead and Monk Coniston with Skelwith.  
Kingsey.  
Llanllwyn.  
Lower Holker.  
Radbourne.  
St. Helen's Auckland.  
Worminghall.

(H. 1908.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, March 5, 1879.

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 Stockholm, reporting that the following additional

measures of precaution have been prescribed by the Government of Sweden in consequence of the outbreak of plague in Russia:—

Passengers from Finland, inclusive of the Aland Islands, by land or sea, or from Russian ports in the Baltic, are bound to provide themselves at their place of departure with a certificate from the competent Swedish and Norwegian Minister or Consul, or, in the absence of such Minister or Consul, from the local authority, not more than 48 hours before the passenger sets foot on Swedish soil, or before the departure of the vessel, showing that such passenger has not visited a plague-stricken place within the previous 20 days.

Masters of vessels introducing passengers in contravention of these regulations will be liable to a fine of 50 to 500 kroner.

The importation of the following articles from Russia or Finland is prohibited, viz:—

Linen, articles of clothing which have been worn, bedding, rags, fur or fur clothing, raw hides, wrought or unwrought sheep or goat skins, hair, horsehair, bristles, feathers, down, felt, smoked or dried fish, intestines (fresh, salted, or dried), and caviare.

An exception to this prohibition is made in favour of clothes and travelling necessaries for personal use brought by passengers provided with health certificates.

Raw and manufactured woollen articles contemplated by the Royal Ordinance of May 30th, 1873, may still be imported.

(H. 1909.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, March 5, 1879.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Koenigsburg reporting that orders have been received at the seaports, Memel, Pillau, and Dantzic, that all vessels coming from Russian ports are to be subjected to certain precautionary measures on account of the plague alleged to be existing in the Russian Dominions.

(H. 1956.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
Whitehall Gardens, March 5, 1879.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's High Commissioner in Cyprus reporting that, in consequence of the epidemics in Russia and Turkey, he has ordered all vessels arriving in Cyprus from the Black Sea, the Sea of Azov, Russian ports, Turkey in Europe, Asia Minor, Syria, Tripoli, Tunis, Greece, or Montenegro to be repelled.

Admiralty, 4th March, 1879.

Assistant Paymaster Robert John Moore Macleod has this day been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 6th March, 1879.

Staff Surgeon Henry Nanton Murray Sedgwick has been promoted to the rank of Fleet Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 17th ultimo, and to appear on the list as senior to Fleet Surgeon Arthur Borough Johnson.