held in accordance with the following conditions:

(i.) That the sale is held on a farm or premises not in a place infected with foot-and-mouth disease:

(ii.) That no animal on the farm or premises is affected with foot-and-mouth disease:

(iii.) That every animal exposed for sale has been on the farm or premises not less than twenty-eight days immediately before the sale:

(iv.) That no animal exposed for sale has been in contact with any animal brought on to the farm or premises within those 28 days.

(b.) A movement licence for the movement of an animal exposed for sale as aforesaid shall not be granted except on a declaration such as is indicated in the form given in the Schedule hereto, or to the like effect, made by the occupier of the farm or premises on which the sale is held, or his agent authorized in writing for that purpose.

(c.) The declaration required by this Article shall be in addition to and not in substitution for any other declaration or any certificate required by any Order of Council as a condition precedent to the granting of a movement

licence

(d.) The Forms of movement licence (other than Occupation Licences) prescribed by any Order of Council may be used for the movement of animals in the cases provided for by this Article and be varied accordingly.

(e.) A person or company moving or conveying any animal on a movement licence shall not be bound to inquire whether or not the additional declaration prescribed by this Article has been made in relation to that animal.

C. L. Peel.

SCHEDULE.

Declaration of Occupier of Farm or Premises, or his Agent.

THE CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE (SALES IN INFECTED AREAS).

I, E.F., being the occupier of [or the duly authorized agent of the occupier of] the following farm or premises, (that is to say,) [here describe the place where the Sale was held] do hereby sincerely declare that each of the animals which are described below, and which were exposed for sale at a sale held on the farm or premises aforesaid on the day of has been on the farm or premises aforesaid not less than 28 days immediately before being so exposed for sale, and has not been in contact with any animal brought on to the farm or premises aforesaid within those 28 days, and that to the best of my knowledge and belief no animal on the farm or premises aforesaid is affected with foot-and-mouth disease.

Dated this

day of
[To be signed]

, 18 *E.F.*

Number and Description of Animals above referred to.

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Cattle	l
Sheep [Twenty Southdowns or as the case may be]	[20 or as the case may be]
Goats	
Swine	

(Number to be expressed both in words and in figures.)

Caution.—A person making a declaration false | No. 24947.

in any material particular, or obtaining or endeavouring to obtain a licence by means of a false pretence, is liable, under The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, 1878, to fine and imprisonment.

Whitehall, March 7, 1881.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland granting the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom unto the Right Honourable Sir Odo William Leopold Russell (commonly called Lord Odo William Leopold Russell), G.C.B., G.C.M.G., Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Emperor of Germany, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Ampthill, of Ampthill, in the county of Bedford.

Whitehall, March 7, 1881.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Sir Arthur Hobhouse, K.C.S.I., to be a Member of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, in the room of the Right Honourable Sir Joseph Napier, Bart., resigned, under the provisions of the Act of the fourth year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth.

Downing Street, March 7, 1881.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Major-General Sir Frederick Sleigh Roberts, G.C.B., C.I.E., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Natal, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Transvaal Province, and Her Majesty's High Commissioner for South Eastern Africa.

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Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, March 4, 1881.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs copies of Notices issued by the Portuguese authorities declaring the port of Para, together with the other ports of that Province, free from yellow fever since the 12th October last, and the port of Santos, together with the other ports of the Province of San Paulo, free from the same disease, since the 1st September last.

Admiralty, 4th March, 1881.

Assistant Paymaster Clement Phillimore Penny has been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 2nd instant.

Admiralty, 5th March, 1881.

THE following promotions have this day been made to date from 11th February, 1881:—

Inspector of Machinery Joseph Harrison Ellis to be Chief Inspector of Machinery in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Chief Engineer Harry Williams to be Inspector of Machinery in Her Majsty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 7th March, 1881.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February,

Captain Charles Matthew Buckle has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from this date.