

Order is hereby declared to be an area infected with foot-and-mouth disease.

2. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the twentieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

C. L. Peel.

SCHEDULE.

An area comprising so much of the townships of Gisburn Forest, and Tosside, in the West Riding of the county of York, as lies within the following boundaries, that is to say, commencing on the north side at Tosside Chapel Smithy, then along the Settle and Slaidburn-road to Pyethorns, then on the east side by Mere Syke (Beck) to William Nelson's barn, then on the south side by White Moss Carn (fence) to Burn Ridge Chapel, then on the west side by the Bolton and Tosside-road to the starting point at Tosside Chapel Smithy aforesaid.

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 20th day of April, 1882.

By Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

THE Lords and others of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, 1878, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the twenty-first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

2. The following areas (namely),—(1.) all lands and buildings in the parishes of Spalding, and Pinchbeck, in the petty sessional division of Elloe, in the Parts of Holland, Lincolnshire, bounded south by Pennygate, west and north by Woolram Waygate, in part east by the new railway to Sleaford, and in remaining part east by the new railway-road to Pennygate End, but exclusive of such roads, and (2.) all lands and buildings in the parishes of Spalding, and Cowbitt, in the petty sessional division of Elloe, in the Parts of Holland, Lincolnshire, bounded by the road leading from Cowbitt-church to Moulton Chapel known as Ravens Bank on the south, Fulney Drove otherwise Thornham on the west, Old Fen Dike otherwise Burr-lane on the north, and Wiggmere-drain otherwise Wykemere-drain on the east, but exclusive of such roads,—which were declared by Order of Council to be areas infected with foot-and-mouth disease, are hereby declared to be free from foot-and-mouth disease, and those areas shall, as from the commencement of this Order, cease to be areas infected with foot-and-mouth disease.

C. L. Peel.

Foreign Office, April 1, 1882.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint James Plaister Harriss-Gastrell, Esq., now Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Rio de Janeiro, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Lisbon.

Foreign Office, April 18, 1882.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Edouard Ghislain Lanwers as Consul-General at the Cape of Good Hope for His Majesty the King of the Belgians; of Mr. Benedict Row as Consul at Cardiff for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria; of Mr. Charles Kahlo as Consul at

Sydney for the United States of America; of Mr. Robert William Chamney as Consul at Port Louis, Mauritius, and of Mr. Louis Bicaise as Consul at Freetown, Sierra Leone, for His Majesty the King of the Belgians; of Mr. Paul Rousset as Consul at Glasgow for the French Republic; of Hadji Ibrahim Didi Bin Hadji Ali Didi Effendi as Consul at Point de Galle, Ceylon, for His Imperial Majesty the Sultan; and of Mr. Guillerme Law as Consul at Glasgow for the Oriental Republic of the Uruguay.

Admiralty, 18th April, 1882.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 30th April, 1877—Engineer James Shore has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 13th instant.

Admiralty, 19th April, 1882.

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 22nd February, 1870, and 30th April, 1877—Chief Engineer Walter Thomas Fry has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, 20th April, 1882.

THE undermentioned Engineers have been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineers in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority as stated against their names:—

James John Warren, 1st April, 1882.

William Edward Blackburne, 5th April, 1882.

War Office, Pall Mall,

21st April, 1882.

Royal Engineers, Lieutenant-General Charles Waterloo Hutchinson (late Bengal) to be Colonel-Commandant, vice General Sir W. E. Baker, deceased. Dated 17th December, 1881. For, Colonel Edward Metcalfe Grain retires upon retired pay, with the honorary rank of Major-General, dated 19th October, 1881, as stated in the Gazette of 18th October, 1881, Read, Colonel Edward Metcalfe Grain retires upon retired pay with a gratuity, and the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 19th October, 1881.

MEMORANDA.

Major-General John Bayly, C.B., Royal Engineers, to be Lieutenant-General, vice Sir R. M. Laffan, K.C.M.G., deceased. Dated 23rd March, 1882.

Colonel Charles George Gordon, C.B., Lieutenant-Colonel Royal Engineers, to be Major-General, vice J. Bayly, C.B. Dated 23rd March, 1882.

Colonel Anthony Charles Cooke, C.B., Royal Engineers, to be Major-General, vice Sir W. F. D. Jervois, G.C.M.G., C.B., placed on the Retired List. Dated 7th April, 1882.

The promotion of Lieutenant-Colonel J. P. Maquay, Royal Engineers, to the rank of Colonel, as notified in the Gazette of 18th October, 1881, is cancelled.

EXPLOSIVES ACT, 1875 (38 Vic., c. 17).

WHEREAS by Section 68 of the above-named Act, it is provided as follows:—

“The Council of any Borough which is assessed to the county rate of any county by the Justices of such county, and the Commissioners of any Improvement District, may, by order of a Secretary of State made upon the application of such Council