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FRIDAY, JULY 18, 1884.

At the Court at Windsor, July 15, 1884.

THE Queen, as Sovereign of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, has been graciously pleased by Letters Patent under Her Royal Sign Manual and the Great Seal of the Order, bearing date this day, to dispense with all the Statutes and regulations usually observed in regard to Installation, and and grant unto the Most Noble George Douglas, Duke of Argyll, Knight of the Most Ancient and Most Noble Order of the Thistle, and the Right Honourable Edward Henry, Earl of Derby, Knights of the said Most Noble Order, and duly invested with the Ensigns thereof, full power and authority to exercise, respectively, all rights and privileges belonging to a Knight Companion of the said Most Noble Order of the Garter, in as full and ample a manner as if they had been formally installed, any decree, rule, or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

Foreign Office, July 16, 1884.

MR. GRAVES, Her Majesty's Consul at Madagascar, reports, under date of May 31st, that on the 16th of that month he was informed by Admiral Micot, Commanding the French Naval Forces, that the Port of Mahanoro would be blockaded on the 17th of May. On the 28th of May, Mr. Graves was informed by the same officer that Fenoarivo would be blockaded from the 12th of June.

Foreign Office, July 18, 1884.

PASSPORT NOTIFICATION.

A DESPATCH has been received from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Berlin stating that travellers visiting Germany who neglect to provide themselves with passports thereby expose themselves to considerable inconvenience, more especially in Berlin and other large towns where the minor state of siege (*kleine Belagerungs Zustand*) is in force, as the police authorities in those cities are obliged to insist upon the production of a passport before the traveller is entitled to reside there for however short a time while that state of siege continues. British subjects intending to visit Germany are therefore recommended to provide themselves with passports.

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 16th day of July, 1884.

By Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

PRESENT :

Lord President.
Mr. Dodson.

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. Notwithstanding anything in The Foreign Animals Order of 1884, the cargo of cattle brought from Boston in the United States of America to the Port of Glasgow, which cattle are at the time of the making of this Order on board the vessel *Justitia* lying in Glasgow Harbour, may be transhipped in Glasgow Harbour from such vessel into another vessel (in this Order called the landing-vessel) for conveyance to the Foreign Animals Wharf known as the Foreign Cattle Market at Deptford in the port of London.

2. Those cattle shall be transhipped in the presence and under the supervision and control of an Officer of Customs ; and an Officer of Customs shall remain in charge of the cattle on board the landing-vessel until its arrival at the Foreign Cattle Market at Deptford in the port of London.

3. The landing-vessel shall, immediately after the landing of such cattle, and before the taking on board of any other animal or other cargo, be cleansed and disinfected in manner provided respecting vessels by Article 41 of The Foreign Animals Order of 1884.

4. The cattle so transhipped shall continue to be deemed foreign animals.

5. If anything is done or omitted to be done in contravention of any of the provisions of this Order, the owner or consignee of the animals, and the owner and the charterer and the master of the landing-vessel, each according to and in respect of his own acts or omissions, shall be deemed guilty of an offence against the Act of 1878.

6. Terms in this Order have the same meaning as in The Foreign Animals Order of 1884.

C. L. Peel.