Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain for the time being and his successors for ever.

"And we further recommend and propose that nothing herein contained shall prevent us from recommending and proposing any other measures relating to the matters aforesaid or any of them in accordance with the provisions of the said Acts or of any of them or of any other Act of Parliament."

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by Her Majesty in Council; now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and Her Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Saint Albans.

C. L. Peel.

Privy Council Office, August 19, 1885.

PYE-LAWS made by the School Attendance Committee of the undermentioned Union for the Parish named were approved by Her Majesty in Council on the 19th day of August, 1885:—

Union	Parish.
Barton Regis	Shirehampton

(Swine-Fever.)

A T the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 31st day of August, 1885.

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. The following Area (namely),—in the burgh of Edinburgh comprised within the following boundaries, that is to say, the road leading from Dalry Edinburgh to Gorgie towards the south, the Edinburgh Suburban railway towards the west and north, and the Granton branch of the Caledonian railway towards the east,—which was declared by Order of Council dated the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, to be an Area infected with swine-fever, is hereby declared to be free from swine-fever, and that Area shall, as from the commencement of this Order, cease to be an Area infected with swine-fever.

2. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the first day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

C. L. Peel.

THE CUNTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) TRANSFER OF PARTS OF DISTRICTS ACT, 1884.

THE Lords and others of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council approved on the 31st day of August, 1885, of an Agreement bearing date the 29th day of June 1885, made between

the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the borough of Droitwich of the one part, and the Justices of the Peace of the county of Worcester in General Quarter Sessions assembled of the other part, whereby the jurisdiction, for the purposes of The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act. 1878, of the whole of the district of the borough of Droitwich was, from and after the date of such approval by the Privy Council as aforesaid, transferred to the district of the county of Worcester.

Agricultural Department, Privy Council Office, 31st August, 1885.

Chancery of the Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Downing Street, September 1, 1885.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:

To be an Ordinary Member of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

John Fowler, Esq., C.E., for services rendered to Her Majesty's Government in connection with the recent operations in Egypt and the Soudan.

Whitehall, August 31, 1885.

THE Queen has been pleased to issue a Commission, under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, to the following effect:—

VICTORIA, R.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen, Defender of the Faith:—To Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin and Councillor Stafford Henry, Earl of Iddesleigh, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, one of the Commissioners for executing the offices of Treasurer of the Exchequer of Great Britain, and Lord High Treasurer of Ireland; Our right trusty and right well-beloved Cousin Wyndham Thomas, Earl of Dunraven and Mount-Earl, Knight of Our Most Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick; Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor George Sclater-Booth; Our trusty and well-beloved Sir James Joseph Allport, Knight; John Aird, Esquire; Thomas Birtwhistle, Esquire; Lionel Louis Cohen, Esquire; James Porter Corry, Esquire; David Dale, Esquire; Charles James Drummond, Esquire; William Farrer Ecroyd, Esquire; Henry Hucks Gibbs, Esquire; William Henry Houldsworth, Esquire; William Lawies Jackson, Esquire; George Auldjo Jamieson, Esquire; Nevile Lubbock, Esquire; Philip Albert Muntz, Esquire; Arthur O'Connor, Esquire; Robert Harry Inglis Palgrave, Esquire; Charles Mark Palmer, Esquire; William Pearce, Esquire; Bonamy Price, Esquire, Professor of Political Economy in Our University of Oxford; and Samuel Storey, Esquire: greeting!

Whereas We have deemed it expedient that a Commission should forthwith issue to inquire and report upon the extent, nature, and probable causes of the depression now or recently prevailing in various branches of trade and industry, and whether it can be alleviated by legislative or other

Now know ye that We, reposing great trust and confidence in your knowledge and ability, have authorized and appointed, and do by these presents authorize and appoint you, the said Stafford Henry,