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(SWINE-FEVER.)

**A**T the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 6th day of January, 1886.

By Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

**T**HE 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 declared by Order of Council dated the third day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, to be an Area infected with swine-fever (namely),—the Reading Petty Sessional Division, in the county of Berks,—is, except such portion thereof as is included in the Area described in Article 2 of this Order, hereby declared to be free from swine-fever, and the Area above described, except as aforesaid, shall, as from the commencement of this Order, cease to be an Area infected with swine-fever.

2. The following Area (namely),—the parish of Stratfield Mortimer, in the Reading Petty Sessional Division, in the county of Berks,—shall continue to be and is hereby declared to be an Area infected with swine-fever.

3. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the seventh day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

*Herbert M. Sufi.*

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Board of Trade (Harbour Department),  
January 8, 1886.

**T**HE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Representative at Constantinople, reporting that the quarantine on arrivals from Venice has been increased to five days, and that a similar term is applied to arrivals from Spain.

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Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens,  
January 7, 1886.

**T**HE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Manila, transmitting a translation of a Decree of the Spanish Government increasing the duties on certain articles imported for consumption into the Philippine Islands. The following is a list of the articles

referred to, with the amounts of the increases in the duties:—

Articles.	Amount of Increase in Duties.	
	dols.	cts.
Common spirits, of all kinds ... per litre	0	03
Fine spirits and liqueurs ... ..	0	05
Beer and cider ... ..	0	02
Preserved meats, fruits, &c., in tins or bottles ... .. per kilog.	0	05
Preserved meats, salted or smoked ..	0	02
Butter ... ..	0	05
Cheese ... ..	0	05
Effervescing wines ... .. per litre	0	05
Vinegar ... ..	0	02
Other wines ... ..	0	02
Spirits of wine ... ..	0	05

*Admiralty, 5th January, 1886.*

IN accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Paymaster Russell Hill has been placed on the Retired List of his rank. Dated 30th December, 1885.

The Reverend Eyre Stratford D'Alton, M.A., has been appointed Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 24th December, 1885.

*Admiralty, 6th January, 1886.*

The Reverend Hugh Singleton Wood, M.A., has been appointed Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 1st January, 1886.

The following promotions have been made:—

Commander Reginald Neville Custance to be Captain in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 31st December, 1885.

Lieutenant George Northmore Arthur Pollard to be Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet. Dated 31st December, 1885.

*War Office, 8th January, 1886.*

**THE HONOURABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY OF LONDON.**

Captain William Isaac Spicer retires into the Veteran Company, with the honorary rank of Major, and has permission to wear his uniform on retirement. Dated 9th January, 1886.