

(PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.)

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 29th day of April, 1887.

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) Acts, 1878 to 1886, 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 Inverness, comprised within the following boundaries, that is to say, Chapel-street on the east, Friars-street on the west, Globe-street on the north, and Friars-lane on the south,—which was declared by Order of Council dated the thirty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, to be an Area infected with pleuro-pneumonia, is hereby declared to be free from pleuro-pneumonia, and that Area shall, as from the commencement of this Order, cease to be an Area infected with pleuro-pneumonia.

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

C. L. Peel.

Foreign Office, April 27, 1887.

IT is hereby notified that Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received from the Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Peru, in London, a Note, dated the 14th of April, stating that the Government of Peru has cancelled the Commissions of—

Mr. Roberto P. Pooley as Consul at St. Helena;
Mr. Roberto George Larke as Consul at Glasgow;
Mr. Guillermo Moran as Consul at Hull;
Mr. Jorge B. Day as Consul at Montreal; and
Mr. Guillermo Federico Barni as Vice-Consul at Bristol; for the Republic of Peru.

St. James's Palace, April 27, 1887.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel William Chaine to be Her Majesty's Assistant-Master of the Ceremonies, in the room of Augustus Savile, Esq., deceased; and also been pleased to appoint the Honourable Richard Charles Moreton to be Her Majesty's Marshal of the Ceremonies, in the room of Lieutenant-Colonel William Chaine, promoted.

St. James's Palace, April 27, 1887.

THE Queen has been pleased, on the nomination of the Earl of Rosslyn, to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel John Edward Varty Rogers, retired pay, late Royal Dublin Fusiliers, to be one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, vice Major Arthur Campbell-Walker, deceased.

Whitehall, April 26, 1887.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint, under the provisions of "The Educational Endowments (Scotland) Act, 1882," George Robertson Gillespie, Esq., B.A., Advocate, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Commissioners under the said Act, in the room of Alexander Gibson, Esq., deceased.

Westminster, April 28, 1887.

THIS day the Lords being met a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them, that *The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by Her Majesty, for declaring Her Royal Assent to several Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to

Army (Annual) Act, 1887.
County Courts' (Expenses) Act, 1887.
Merchant Shipping (Fishing Boats) Act, 1887.
Isle of Man (Customs) Act, 1887.
Local Government Board (Ireland) Provisional Order Confirmation (Carrick-on-Suir) Act, 1887.
Munster Bank Limited Liquidation Act, 1887.
Manchester, Sheffield, and Lincolnshire Railway Act, 1887.
Northampton Gas Act, 1887.
Carlisle Corporation Act, 1887.
Kirkheaton, Dalton, and Lepton Gas Act, 1887.
Belfast Corporation (Lagan Bridge) Act, 1887.
Bristol (River Frome) Act, 1887.
Glasgow Barony Parochial Board (Woodilee Asylum) Act, 1887.
Manchester Corporation Act, 1887.
Renfrew County and Paisley Burgh Buildings' Act, 1887.

(H. 3355.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, April 28, 1887.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the following copy of a Despatch, dated 22nd instant, from Her Majesty's Representative at Stockholm, respecting Quarantine Notices at present in force in Sweden:—

By a Notice, dated the 19th instant, the Swedish Board of Trade declares Catania, in Sicily, and the "environs of the Argentine Confederation" free from cholera, and the following named places infected with it:—Ports in the Red Sea (except those situated in the Province of Hedjaz in Arabia), Beyrout and Damascus in Syria, the ports of British East India, Chalon and Saigon in Cochin China, Tonkin, the Island of Mindanao (one of the Philippine group), China and Japan, Wladiwostok (in East Siberia), Montevideo, Chili, and Australia.

(H. 3356.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, April 28, 1887.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for the Colonies the following copy of a Notice from Her Majesty's Government of Malta, relating to quarantine:—

Government Notice.

The Officer Administering the Government, having heard the opinion of the Board of Health, has been pleased to give the following directions:—

1. Passengers arriving from any port in the Mediterranean, or Constantinople, as well as those embarking at Alexandria, Suez, and Port Said, will not be permitted to land at Malta, unless provided with British Consular certificates stating that they have not resided or been in Sicily during