By the Board of Agriculture.

THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under The Board of Agriculture Act, 1889, and The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Acts, 1878 to 1890, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. From and after the commencement of this Order it shall not be lawful for any person to convey or cause to be conveyed to or from any port in England or Wales or Scotland animals taken on board for the purpose of importation in or on the steamship Hermann now owned by Messrs. Steinmann and Company of Antwerp, and such conveyance of animals by that vessel is prohibited accordingly.

2. If an animal is conveyed in contravention of the provisions of this Order, the owner and the charterer and the master of the vessel shall, each according to and in respect of his own acts, be deemed guilty of an offence against the Act of

1818.

3. This Order shall commence and take effect from and immediately after the thirty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

4. In this Order—

The Act of 1878 means The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, 1878:

Animals means cattle, sheep, and swine:

Master includes a person having the charge or command of a vessel:

Other terms have the same meaning as in the Act of 1878.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this ninth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

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G. A. Leach, Secretary.

General Register Office, December 8, 1890.

THE Registrar-General for England, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby gives notice that the situation of Office Keeper (non-resident) at the Census Office is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council dated the 4th June, 1870.

Civil Service Commission, December 9, 1890.

THE following Candidates have been certified by the Civil Service Commissioners as qualified for the appointments set against their respective names:—

December 4, 1890.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Post Office: Female Clerks, London, Jessie
Meikle Cumming, Annie Robson Paterson,
Marian Ridges.

Telegraph Learner, Edinburgh, William Henderson.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Kilmainham Hospital: Nurse, Mary Jenkins.

Post Office: Postman, London, Alfred John Skyram Dowdy.

Postmaster, Ilford, Edward Thomas.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Reginald Backhouse Bell (Liverpool), Hannah Agnes Pawson (Sunderland), Archibald Percy Poffley (Cambridge), James Coombe White (Alton, Hants).

Postmen, William Clowes (Manchester), John George Magrath (Glasgow), Herbert Sunderland (Manchester).

Under Clause VII of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870.

Science and Art Department: Instructor in Mine Surveying, Royal College of Science, London, Bennett Hooper Brough.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYISTS
Henry William Ellercamp, Richard Alfred
Keene, Percy Wormald Mann, Percival Stanley
Owen, William Prichard, Richard Sims Donkin
Rankine, Arthur Shanks, William George Sole,
Henry Edwin Wickert, Leonard Wire.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY MESSENGER.

Frederick Charles Cousins.

December 5, 1890.
WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Chatham Dockyard: Shipwrights, Thomas Reed Cann, Joshua Thomas Pollock Gard.

Portsmouth Dockyard: Joiner, Alexander Wilson Mackie.

Post Office: Postman, London, Charles Arthur Doughton.

Tracer, London, William Heath Butler. Skilled Lineman, Jeremiah Crowley.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY MESSENGER. David Springham.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYISTS.
Alfred Field, Ernest Gordon Mackay, Joseph
Rae, John George Rhodes, Charles Richards,
Henry Charles Waller.

December 6, 1890.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Sorter, London, Thomas Ernest Taylor.

Postmen, London, James Treadwell Bew, Charles Dixon Brown, Alfred Cottrell, Arthur Frank Davies, Thomas Hayter, Thomas Charles Roberts, Frederick Thomas Suffolk, James White.

Postmen, Robert Adams (Great Yarmouth), Matthew Edward Harris (Penryn).

Under Clause VII of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870.

Post Office: Sorting Clerk and Telegraph Learner, Jersey, Frederick Ernest Mills.

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY COPYISTS.

JOSEPH Francis Marie Holdom, Herbert Hotten,
John Jarvis, George Thomas Pipkin, George
Hector Shurlock, Arthur Charles Thomas,
Ronald Charlie Wills, Percy Charles Young.

MERSEY CONSERVANCY ACT. Mersey Conservancy,

5, King-Street, Westminster, 4th December, 1890.

THE Commissioners for the Conservancy of the River Mersey hereby give notice, pursuant to the 9th section of the Act 5 and 6 Victoria, cap. 110, intituled "An Act for better preserving the Navigation of the River Mersey," that they have received from Mr. G. R. Jebb, Engineer of the Shropshire Union Railways and Canal Company, a notice, given pursuant to the provisions of the abovementioned Act, of the intention of the said Company to place timber piling in front of the existing quay walls at Ellesmere Port, and to construct a new quay wall, in accordance with