

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Glamorgan.

The Right Honourable Henry Campbell, Baron Aberdare, to be Deputy Lieutenant.
Alfred Thomas, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Rutland.

Richard Tryon, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.
Dated 2nd December, 1901.

OPENING OF TELEGRAPHIC COMMUNICATION WITH MUSCAT (ARABIA).

TELEGRAPHIC communication has been opened with Muscat (Arabia), and Telegrams can now be forwarded at the following rates:—

		Per word.
		s. d.
Via Indo-European Company	...	3 7
Via Turkey	3 3

REDUCTION OF RATE ON TELEGRAMS TO SECONDI (GOLD COAST).

THE Rate for Telegrams to Secondi, on the Gold Coast, has been reduced from 5s. 9d. to 5s. 7d. per word.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1901.

IN pursuance of section 1 of "The Rules Publication Act, 1893," notice is hereby given that the Secretary of State for the Home Department proposes, at the expiration of forty days from the publication of this notice, to make an Order under section 3 of the above-named Act, modifying the proportion of cubic space prescribed by that section, in the case of a workshop which is occupied by day as a workshop and by night as a sleeping-place, by the substitution of 400 for 250 cubic feet.

Copies of the draft of the proposed Order may be obtained from the Chief Inspector of Factories, Home Office, Whitehall, S.W.

Whitehall, December 5, 1901.

LIGHT RAILWAYS ACT, 1896.

MIDDLETON LIGHT RAILWAYS (DEVIATION, &C.) ORDER.

THE Light Railway Commissioners have submitted to the Board of Trade, for confirmation under the above-mentioned Act, an Order authorizing the deviation of a Light Railway authorized by the Middleton Light Railways Order, 1898, and for other purposes.

Any objections to the confirmation of the Order should be addressed to the Assistant-Secretary (Railway Department), Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W., and must be lodged with the Board on or before the 30th December,

1901, and should be accompanied by copies of any clauses or amendments that may be desired to remove the objections.

Copies of such objections and clauses or amendments should at the same time be sent to the Promoters' Agent named below.

Copies of the Order as submitted for confirmation may be obtained, on payment of not exceeding one shilling per copy, from Mr. Sydney Morse, 37, Norfolk Street, Strand, London, W.C. Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W., December 5, 1901.

LIGHT RAILWAYS ACT, 1896.

THE Board of Trade have, after modification, confirmed an Order made by the Light Railway Commissioners, and entitled the Bridgwater, Stowey, and Stogursey Light Railway Order, 1901, authorizing the construction of a Light Railway in the County of Somerset, from Bridgwater to Nether Stowey and Stogursey.

Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens, S.W.,
December 2, 1901.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 4TH DECEMBER 1901.)

(SWINE-FEVER INFECTED AREA.)

THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 and 1896, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. The Order described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby from and after the commencement of this Order revoked: Provided that such revocation shall not invalidate or make unlawful anything done under the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896 and the Order described in the Schedule to this Order before the commencement of this Order, or interfere with the institution or prosecution of any proceeding in respect of any offence committed against, or any penalty incurred under, those Orders before the commencement of this Order.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the ninth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and one.

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



T. H. Elliott,
Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Order Revoked.

No.	Date.	Subject.
6324	14 August 1901.	Declaring a Swine-Fever Infected Area comprising the petty sessional division of Mitford and Launditch, in the administrative county of Norfolk.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.