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LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,
ST. JAMES' PALACE, March 25, 1897.

NOTICE is hereby given that The Queen's Birthday will be Celebrated in London alone on Wednesday the 26th of May next, and at all other Stations, Naval and Military, on Monday the 24th of May next.

CHANCERY OF THE ROYAL VICTORIAN
ORDER,

ST. JAMES' PALACE, March 26, 1897.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint His Highness Nicolas I., Prince and Hospodar of Montenegro, to be an Honorary Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order.

WHITEHALL, April 5, 1897.

The Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 3rd instant, to place the name of George Herbert Murray, Esq., C.B., upon the Royal Commission on Local Taxation, in lieu of that of Sir Alfred Milner, K.C.B., who has resigned.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF
AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 2ND APRIL 1897.)

ORKNEY (STRANGLES) ORDER OF 1897.

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:—

Extension of certain Sections of Diseases of
Animals Act, 1894.

1. Horses, asses, and mules shall be animals, and strangles of horses, asses, and mules (in this Order called strangles), shall be a disease for the purposes of this Order and of the following sections of the Act of 1894 (namely):—

Sections nineteen and twenty (slaughter and compensation);

Section forty-three (powers of police);

Section forty-four (powers of Inspectors);

and also for the purposes of all other sections of the said Act containing provisions relative to or consequent on the provisions of those sections and this Order, including such sections as relate to offences of procedure.

Separation of Diseased and Suspected Animals
and Notice of Disease.

2. Every person having in his possession or under his charge a horse, ass, or mule affected with or suspected of strangles shall, (a) as far as practicable, keep that animal separate from animals