calendar months from and after the date thereof.

And whereas, on the tenth day of March last, such Order was renewed for a period of six calendar months from the said tenth day of March;

And whereas certain parts of the United Kingdom are affected by a formidable epidemic, endemic, or contagious disease, and it is expedient that the said Order be again renewed : Now, therefore, it is hereby directed by the Lords and others of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council (of whom the Right Honourable Viscount Palmerston, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State is one), in pursuance and exercise of the powers so vested in them as aforesaid, that the said Order of the fifteenth day of September one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three be, and the same is hereby renewed for a period of six calendar months from and after the date of this present Order.

C. C. GREVILLE.

GENERAL BOARD OF HEALTH.

Renewal Order. (Scotland.) September 1854.

To the Parochial Boards of the several Parishes and Combinations throughout Scotland;

To all Magistrates of Burghs; Town Councils; Commissioners of Police; Trustees or Commissioners having the charge of the Paving of Streets; Trustees having the charge of Turnpike Roads and other Highways; Trustees or Commissioners having the charge of Docks, Ports, or Harbours; Inspectors, Sur-veyors, or other Officers acting under such Magistrates, Town-Councils, Commissioners, and Trustees; and all other Persons intrusted by law with the care and management of the Streets, and Public Ways and Places throughout Scotland;

To the Procurators Fiscal, and other Persons authorized to conduct Prosecutions before the Local Courts in Scotland;

To the Owners and Occupiers of Houses, Dwellings, Churches, Buildings, and Places of Assembly, and others having the care and ordering thereof, throughout Scotland;

And to all whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by the provisions of the " Nuisances "Removal and Diseases Prevention Act, 1848," for the prevention of epidemic, endemic, and contagious diseases, and by virtue of an Order of the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, bearing date the 15th day of September 1853, directing that the said provisions of the said Act be put in force throughout the whole of Great Britain, the General Board of Health are authorized to issue such Directions and Regulations as the said Board shall think fit, for the prevention (as far as possible) or mitigation of epidemic, endemic, or contagious diseases: And whereas by the said Act it is provided that the Directions and Regulations to be issued as aforesaid shall extend to all parts or places in which the said provisions of the said Act shall, for the time being, be in force, under the Order of Her Majesty's Privy Council; unless such Directions or Regulations shall be expressly confined to some of such parts of places, and then to such parts or places as in such Directified:

And whereas the said General Board did, under the authority of the said Order, issue certain

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that the said Order should continue in force for six | Directions and Regulations, bearing date respectively the 24th and the 29th days of September, and the 18th day of October 1853, to extend to Scotland, and be in force throughout that part of the United Kingdom :

> And whereas by an Order of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, bearing date the 10th day of March 1854, the said first-mentioned Order was renewed for a further period of six calendar months thence next ensuing:

> And whereas by an Order of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council bearing date the 7th day of September 1854, the said Örder was renewed for a further period of six calendar months from and after the said 7th day of September 1854, the date of such renewed Order in Council:

> Now, therefore, the said General Board of Health does hereby renew the said Directions and Regulations of the 24th and 29th days of September respectively, and of the 18th day of October 1853, to extend to Scotland, and to be in force throughout that part of the United Kingdom for such time as the said renewed Order shall continue in force.

> > Given under my hand, and under the seal of the General Board of Health, this eighth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-

L. S. (Signed) B. HALL.

> Board of Trade, Whitehall, September 9, 1854.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Minister at Stockholm, the copy of a Swedish Royal Proclama-tion, announcing that so long as the British Coasting Trade is open to Swedish vessels, the like privilege will be granted to British vessels in Sweden.

In pursuance of the directions of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled and An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made "in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of "His present Majesty as authorizes the Speaker" " of the House of Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs "for the election of Members to serve in Par-"liament, in the manner therein mentioned, and " for substituting other provisions for the like " purposes:"

I do hereby give notice that the death of Lieutenant-Colonel Lauderdale Maule, commonly called the Honourable Lauderdale Maule, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the shire of Forfar, hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said shire, at the end of fourteen days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand the 11th day of September 1854.

C. S. LEFEVRE, Speaker,