

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace,
February 8, 1881.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed on and after Saturday next, the 12th instant, until further orders:

Colonial Office, February 8, 1881.

THE accompanying Despatch has been received by the Earl of Kimberley from Sir George Cumine Strahan, K.C.M.G., Administrator of the Cape of Good Hope:—

Government House, Cape Town,

MY LORD, *January 11, 1881.*

IN continuation of my Despatch, No. 16, of the 4th instant, I have the honour to enclose a return of casualties in the Colonial forces which have been since reported.

I have, &c.,

GEO. C. STRAHAN, Administrator.

The Right Hon. the Earl of Kimberley, &c., &c.
Colonial Office.

*Return of Casualties which have been Reported in
the Colonial Forces of the Cape of Good Hope
between the 4th and 11th January, 1881.*

Private William Botha, Beaufort Rangers, severely wounded, 27th December, Bashee Valley; since dead, 4th January, 1881, Umtata, Tembuland. Accidentally shot by one of our men on the 27th December, 1880.

Trooper John Brown, 3rd C.M. Yeomanry, severely wounded, 6th January; Tsitsa's Nek, Basutoland.

JOHN F. OWEN, Lieutenant-Colonel,
Acting Military Secretary.

Cape Town, January 11, 1881.

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 4th day of February, 1881.

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

PRESENT:

Lord President.

Mr. Mundella.

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) Act, 1878, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

Notwithstanding anything in The Markets and Fairs Temporary Order of 1881, the provisions of that Order shall, from and immediately after the eleventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, extend throughout Wales, as well as throughout England, except to—

- (i.) Foreign animals wharves in Wales; and
- (ii.) Areas in Wales for the time being declared by the Privy Council to be areas infected with foot-and-mouth disease (for which areas provision is made, as regards markets, fairs, exhibitions, and public sales, by The Foot-and-Mouth Disease (Infected Areas) Order of 1881, and The Foot-and-Mouth Disease Order (Amendment) of 1881).

C. L. Peel.

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 4th day of February, 1881.

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

THE Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, 1878, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. The limits of the area which is described in the Order of Council dated the eleventh day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, and is thereby declared to be an area infected with foot-and-mouth disease, namely—that portion of the parish of Headington, in the county of Oxford, lying on the north side of the Old Stokenchurch Turnpike Road;—are hereby extended so as to include the area described in the Schedule to this Order, except the lines of railway within that last-mentioned area, as far as those lines are used or required for the transit of animals through that last-mentioned area, without being untrucked within it, (with which transit nothing in this Order shall be deemed to interfere); and the area described in the Schedule to this Order, except as aforesaid, is hereby declared to be an area infected with foot-and-mouth disease.

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

C. L. Peel.

SCHEDULE.

An area comprising the Petty Sessional Division of Bullingdon, in the county of Oxford.

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 4th day of February, 1881.

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

THE Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Act, 1878, (in this Order referred to as the Act of 1878,) and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. The area described in the Schedule to this Order, except the lines of railway within that area as far as those lines are used or required for the transit of animals through that area, without being untrucked within it, (with which transit nothing in this Order shall be deemed to interfere,) is hereby declared to be an area infected with foot-and-mouth disease.

2. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the eleventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one; and words in this Order have the same meaning as in the Act of 1878.

C. L. Peel.

SCHEDULE.

An area comprising the Petty Sessional Division of Bulner West, in the North Riding of the county of York.

THE CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACT, 1878.

THE Lords of the Council have licensed, under and in pursuance of The Metropolis (Foot-and-Mouth Disease) Order of 1881, the under-mentioned Lairs for the reception of Animals that