

and John George Barry], a prolongation for the term of seven years of certain Letters Patent for an invention of "improvements in the means employed for the purification of water," such Letters Patent having been originally granted to the said Gustav Bischof, and bearing date the nineteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and seventy (No. 2516), for the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the Channel Islands, and the Isle of Man.

(PORT OF LONDON—QUEENBOROUGH.)

AT the *Council Chamber, Whitehall*, the 12th day of *August*, 1884.

By Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

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 hereby define the following part of the Port of London, as a Foreign Animals Quarantine Station:

All that space situate at Queenborough Pier, at Queenborough, in the county of Kent, and included within a boundary line commencing at a point at the water-edge on the Pier twenty-five feet or thereabouts from the north-western corner of the Pier, and thence at right angles to the western edge of the Pier and in an easterly direction for a distance of four hundred feet or thereabouts, thence at an angle and in a north-easterly direction for a distance of five hundred and sixty feet or thereabouts, thence at an angle and in an easterly direction for a distance of four hundred and eighty feet or thereabouts, thence at a right angle and in a southerly direction for a distance of two hundred and sixty feet or thereabouts, thence at a right angle and in a westerly direction for a distance of two hundred and sixty feet or thereabouts, thence at a right angle and in a northerly direction for a distance of one hundred and sixteen feet or thereabouts, thence at a right angle and in a westerly direction for a distance of one hundred and eighty-four feet or thereabouts, thence at a right angle and in a northerly direction for a distance of one hundred and twelve feet or thereabouts, thence at a right angle and in a westerly direction for a distance of thirty-six feet or thereabouts, thence at an angle and in a south-westerly direction for a distance of five hundred and forty-six feet or thereabouts, thence at an angle and in a westerly direction for a distance of four hundred and forty feet or thereabouts, thence at a right angle and in a northerly direction for a distance of forty feet or thereabouts to the point aforesaid, all which space is coloured pink on the plan of Queenborough Pier deposited for the purposes of this Order at the Privy Council Office, copies of which are deposited at the offices of the Town Clerk of the City of London, and the Clerk of the Peace for the county of Kent.

C. L. Peel.

(FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE.)

AT the *Council Chamber, Whitehall*, the 14th day of *August*, 1884.

By Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

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:

1. The Area described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby declared to be an Area infected with foot-and-mouth disease.

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

C. L. Peel.

SCHEDULE.

An Area comprising so much of the parishes of Fishtoft and Frieston, in the Parts of Holland, Lincolnshire, as lies to the east of Hobhole Drain, and so much of the said parishes as lies to the south of the main-road leading from Boston to Wainfleet.

(FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE.)

AT the *Council Chamber, Whitehall*, the 15th day of *August*, 1884.

By Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

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:

1. The following Place (namely),—around the farm called Arnford Farm, situate in the township of Hellifield, in the West Riding of the county of York, in the occupation of Richard and William Hargreaves, comprised within the following boundaries, that is to say, commencing at Cow Bridge, thence along Flat-lane to Bend Gate (including the said lane), thence along the Marsden, Gisburn, and Long Preston-road (including the said road) to the point where Pan Beck runs under the said road, thence along Pan Beck to the river Ribble, and thence along the river Ribble to Cow Bridge aforesaid,—which was declared by Order of Council dated the fourteenth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, to be a Place infected with foot-and-mouth disease, is hereby declared to be free from foot-and-mouth disease, and that Place shall, as from the commencement of this Order, cease to be a Place infected with foot-and-mouth disease.

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

C. L. Peel.

Osborne, August 11, 1884.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty:—

Monsieur Leon Fernandez, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Republic of Costa Rica;

General Guzman Blanco, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Republic of Venezuela; and

Mr. Stephen Preston, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Republic of Haiti:

To which audience they were respectively introduced by Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.