of Bankruptcy should be disposed of by him, and all such part of the residue of the business of the said Court as could not be disposed of by the said Registrar thereof should be, and the same thereby was, transferred to the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool:

And whereas, by an Order of the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, dated the 30th of December, 1869, made by virtue of the said recited powers, it was, amongst other things, ordered that such part of the business of the Liverpool District Court of Bankruptcy as was pending on the 31st December, 1869, and was not transferred to any County Court by the said recited Order of the 30th of December, 1869, should, if undisposed of by the Registrar of the said Court by the 30th of December, 1870, be transferred on and from that day to the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool, and all property in any bankruptcy the business of which was pending on the 31st December, 1869, and which by the said Order of the 30th of December, 1869, or the Order now in recital, was transferred to any County Court, and which on the said 31st of December, 1869, was vested in Charles Turner, Official Assignee of the said Liverpool District Court of Bankruptcy by virtue of an Order of the said Lord High Chancellor of the 29th December, 1869, should, on and after the said 31st of December, 1870, be divested out of the said Charles Turner, and vest in the Registrar or Registrars for the time being of the said County Court holden at Liverpool, and all books, papers, documents, and money in the custody or control on the 31st of December, 1870, of any person who was an Officer of the said Liverpool District Court of Bankruptcy on the 31st of December, 1869, should be transferred to the said Registrar or Registrars of the said County Court :

And whereas under and pursuant to the said Orders the business of certain bankruptcies under Acts prior to the Bankruptcy Act, 1869, became transferred to the said County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool, and is now pending therein, and certain properties in such bank-ruptcies which, at the date of the said Order of the 31st of December, 1869, were vested in the said Charles Turner, as Official Assignee as aforesaid, are now vested in the existing Registrars of the said County Court, and it is expedient that the duties and functions not of a judicial character which relate to such bankruptcies which at the time of the passing of the Bankruptcy Act, 1883, were performed or exercised by the Registrars of the said County Court, should devolve upon and be performed by the Official Receiver of the District of the said County Court, and that all powers and authorities, and all estates, rights, and effects of and in relation to such bankruptcies, which are now vested in the said Registrars, should be vested in the said Official Receiver.

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered by the Board of Trade, with the approval of the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, pursuant to section 153 of the Bankruptcy Act, 1883, that all duties and functions not of a judicial character relating to the bankruptcies which by virtue of the said Orders of the 30th of December, 1869, and the 31st of December, 1870, were transferred to the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool, or any of such bankruptcies, and which at the time of the passing of the Bankruptcy Act, 1883, and at the date hereof, were and are performed or exercised by the Registrars of the said County Court, or either of them, shall devolve on and be performed by the Official Receiver of the District of the County Court of Lancashire, holden at Liverpool.

Dated the 24th day of August, 1887. Stanley of Freston, President of the Board of Trade.

I approve of this Order, Halsbury, C.

## THE CONTAGIOUS DISEASES (ANIMALS) ACTS, 1878 to 1886.

THE Lords of the Council have licensed the Local Authority for the county of Chester to destroy the carcases of Swine that have died of swine-fever, or that have been slaughtered in consequence of being affected with swine-fever, at the following place (that is to say):

At certain premises in the occupation of The Anglo-Swiss Condensed Milk Company, at Middlewich, in the county of Chester.

Agricultural Department, Privy Council Office, 1st September, 1887.

Civil Service Commission, September 6, 1887.

September 1, 1887.

AFTER LIMITED COMPETITION. Metropolitan Police Commissioners' Office: Second Class Clerk, Campbell Annesley.

# WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Customs: Boatman, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Joseph Rutherford.

Post Office: Sorter Dublin, Michael Burns. Postman (Carnforth), James Walker.

## September 2, 1887.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Lower Division : Boy Clerks, James Barratt, Thomas Henry Bull.

# WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners, Oldham Graham Barlow (Bath), Thomas Edwards (Rhyl), Mary Jane Gowland (Newcastle-on-Tyne), David Stevenson Hinshelwood (Glasgow), Edwin Watson (Preston).

Postmen, Charles Edward Murrell Alderton (Wells, Norfolk), David Cuttiford (Birmingham), Arthur Fletcher (Scarborough), George Phillips (Buxton), Ernest Lambert Thompson (Dereham), Frank Goddard Whitehead (Sevenoaks).

#### September 3, 1887.

## AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Lower Division: Boy Clerks, Bertrand George Cole Pearce, John Warne Pearse, Allan Cuthbertson Smith.

### WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Post Office: Sorters, London, Albert Edward Lofts, Albert Charles Moore, James John Pendreigh, Albert Robertson, Edgar John Smith.

Second Class Postman, London, Robert Alfred John Langley.

Sorting Clerk and Telegraph Learner (Newcustle-on-Tyne), Edith Mary Walker.

Postman (Cockermouth), John Daniel Taylor.