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[The following Notification is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 18th instant.]

Foreign Office, October 18, 1887.

NOTIFICATION.

THE BRITISH PROTECTORATE OF THE NIGER DISTRICTS.

IT is hereby notified for public information that, under and by virtue of certain Treaties concluded between the month of July, 1884, and the present date, and by other lawful means, the territories in West Africa, hereinafter referred to as the Niger Districts, are under the Protectorate of Her Majesty the Queen.

The British Protectorate of the Niger Districts comprises the territories on the line of coast between the British Protectorate of Lagos and the right or western river bank of the mouth of the Rio del Rey. It further comprises all territories in the basin of the Niger and its affluents, which are or may be for the time being subject to the Government of the National African Company Limited (now called the Royal Niger Company), in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the said Company, dated the 10th July, 1886.

The measures in course of preparation for the administration of justice and the maintenance of peace and good order in the Niger Districts will be duly notified and published.

(SWINE-FEVER.)

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 19th day of October, 1887.

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) Acts, 1878 to 1886, 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 swine-fever.

2. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the twenty-first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

Herbert M. Suft.

SCHEDULE.

An Area comprising all that part of the parish of St. Mary Tenby (Out Liberty) as is within the jurisdiction of the Local Authority for the county of Pembroke.

(PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.)

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 20th day of October, 1887.

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) Acts, 1878 to 1886, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :

1. The following Area (namely), — in the county of Renfrew comprising the lands and farms of Gatehead, Paddockeraig, Millhill Kirklans, and Millbank, all in the parish of Erskine, and the parts of the lands and farm of Nethermill, in the parish of Houston forming Nos. 82, 88, and 91 of the Ordnance Survey, and including the public-road from the Drums-road at Hardgate Old Toll House leading past Gatehead to the north-east point of Millhill farm,— which was declared by Order of Council dated the twenty-fourth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, to be an Area infected with pleuro-pneumonia, is hereby declared to be free from pleuro-pneumonia, and that Area shall, as from the commencement of this Order, cease to be an Area infected with pleuro-pneumonia.

2. This Order shall take effect from and immediately after the twenty-first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

Herbert M. Suft.

(PLEURO-PNEUMONIA.)

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 21st day of October, 1887.

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) Acts, 1878 to 1886, and of every other power enabling them in