# FOREIGN AND COLONIAL PARCEL POST.

JN pursuance of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, Her Majesty's Postmaster-General hereby gives notice that a Warrant, dated the 18th day of September, 1897, has been made on his representation by the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the Post Office Acts, ordering, directing, and declaring that on and from the first day of October, 1897, parcels may, subject to the provisions of the said warrant, and at the rates of postage therein specified, and in accordance with the regulations therein contained, be transmitted by post between the United Kingdom and the several countries and places therein mentioned.

And the Postmaster-General further gives notice that copies of the said Warrant may be purchased, either directly or through any bookseller, from Eyre and Spottiswoode, East Hardingstreet, Fleet-street, E.C.; or John Menzies and Co., 12, Hanover-street, Edinburgh, and 90, West Nile-street, Glasgow; or Hodges, Figgis, and Co. Limited, 104, Grafton-street, Dublin.

Dated this 20th day of September, 1897.

### TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

1. THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Tuesday, the 28th instant, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vic., cap. 2, and 52 Vic., cap. 6, to the amount of £2,000,000, in part replacement of Bills paid off.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 4th October, 1897, and will be payable at three months, or six months, or twelve months, after date (at the option of the persons tendering), viz.:—on the 4th January, 1898, or 4th April, 1898, or 4th October, 1898, respectively.

3. The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for; and the Tenders of private individuals must be made through a Loudon Banker.

4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Wednesday, the 29th instant, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than three o'clock, on Monday, the 4th proximo.

6. The Lords Commissioners of Her Maj sty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, September 21, 1897.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent.

Henry John Philip Sidney Roper-Curzon, Lord Teynham, to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Laurence Hardy, Eeq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Norman Watney, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Anglesey.

Henry Cyril Paget, Esq., commonly called the Earl of Uxbridge, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 18th August, 1897.

Claud Hamilton Vivian, Eq., commonly called the Honourable Claud Hamilton Vivian, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 18th August, 1897.

## ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 20th SEPTEMBER 1897.)

(Swine-Fever Infected Area.)

THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 and 1896, 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 for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1896 dated the fourteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the twenty-seventh day of September, one thousand

eight hundred and ninety-seven.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this twentieth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.



J. T. Tennant,
Assistant Secretary.

#### SCHEDULE.

An Area comprising the civil parishes or townships of Golcar, Slaithwaite, Linthwaite, Marsdenin-Huddersfield, Scammonden, South Crosland, Lepton, Kirkheaton, Rishworth, Stainland, Rastrick, Soyland, Clifton, Skircoat, Sowerby (including its detached part), Barkisland, Fixby, Elland, Greetland, Upper Greetland, Hipperholme, Brighouse, Southowram, Norland, Wike, Cleckheaton, Liversedge, Hartshead, Ravensthorpe, and Mirfield, in the West Riding of the county of York, and also comprising the boroughs of Halifax and Huddersfield.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

# ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 20TH SEPTEMBER 1897.)

THE Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 and 1896, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

The Order described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby revoked: Provided that nothing herein shall be deemed to interfere with the institution or prosecution of any proceeding in respect of any offence committed against, or any penalty incurred under, the Order hereby revoked, before the date of this revocation.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereumo set their Official Seal this twentieth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.



J. T. Tennani, Assistant Secretary.