THE DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS. 1894 to 1903.

BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

Notice is hereby given, in pursuance of section 49 (3) of the Diseases of Animals Act. 1894, that the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have made the following Orders:—

Date.	Subject.
1904.	
22nd December	An imported dog belonging to Mrs. Dowson.
24th December	Imported dogs belonging to (1) Sir William F. Haynes Smith, K.C.M.G.; (2) Miss Gwen- doline Williams; and (3) Mr. R. H. Hutchinson, respec- tively.
28th December	Imported dogs belonging to Major A. Nelson.
29th December	An imported dog belonging to Miss Christobel Ellis.
30th December	Imported dogs belonging to (1) Mr. Walter J. Fox, and (2) Mrs. Kate Gibson, respectively.
31st December	Imported dogs belonging to (1) Mr. James Colquhoun, and (2) Sir Percy Girouard, respec- tively.

Copies of these Orders may be obtained at 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

THE LONDON GOVERNMENT ACT, 1899. THE CITY OF WESTMINSTER.

Notice is hereby given, that the Commissioners under the London Government Act, 1899, have prepared a Draft Scheme with reference to the union of the parishes comprised in the Westminster Poor Law Union so as to form one parish for all civil purposes. Copies of the Draft Scheme may be inspected and obtained at the office of the Town Clerk of the City of Westminster, Westminster City Hall, Charing Cross-road, W.C.

C. Dalrymple Hay, Assistant Secretary. Privy Council Office, Whitehall, 3rd January, 1905.

THE LONDON GOVERNMENT ACT, 1899.

THE CITY OF WESTMINSTER.

Notice is hereby given, that the Commissioners under the London Government Act, 1899, have prepared a Draft Scheme with reference to the union of the parishes comprised in the St. George's Poor Law Union so as to form one parish for all civil purposes. Copies of the Draft Scheme may be inspected and obtained at the office of the Town Clerk of the City of Westminster, Westminster City Hall, Charing Cross-road, W.C.

C. DALRYMPLE HAY, Assistant Secretary. Privy Council Office, Whitehall, 3rd January, 1905.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

(Nos. 1223 to 1239 of the year 1904.)

[The bearings are magnetic, and those concerning the visibility of lights are given from seaward.]

No. 1223—PERSIAN GULF.

Abu Shahr (Bushire)—Beacon and Buoys
Established.

Information, dated 25th November, 1904, has been received from Captain T. W. Heming, in charge of the Marine Survey of India, that the undermentioned beacon and buoys have been established at Abu Shahr (Bushire):—

- 1. A red iron pile beacon surmounted by a cask with a red band has been erected at the south end of Ras al Marg in a position from which the Residency flagstaff bears S. 29° E., distant 23½ cables, and the Bar Abbásak single tree N. 83° E.
- 2. A black spar buoy surmounted by a diamond has been moored in a position from which the Residency flagstaff bears N. 62° E., distant 2½ miles, and the German Consulate flagstaff S. 61° E.
- 3. A red spar buoy surmounted by a diamond has been moored in a position with the Residency flagstaff bearing N. 65° E., distant 1 8 miles, and the German Consulate flagstaff S. 35° E.
- 4. A black spar buoy surmounted by a triangle has been moored in a position from which the Residency flagstaff bears S. 80° E., distant 2.70 miles, and the German Consulate flagstaff S. 31° E.
- 5. A black spar buoy surmounted by a triangle has been moored in position from which the Residency flagstaff bears S. 58° E., distant 25½ cables, and Bar Abbásak single tree N. 77° E.
- 6. A red spar buoy surmounted by a triangle has been moored in a position from which the Residency flagstaff bears S. 49° E., distant 2½ miles, and Bar Abbásak single tree N. 74° E.
- 7. A white spar buoy surmounted by a black triangle has been moored in a position from which the Residency flagstaff bears S. 31° E., distant 210 miles, and Bar Abbásak single tree East.

Also, that the tower on the south side of the entrance to Khor Bandarga apparently no longer exists, as it could not be identified.

Approximate position, Residency flagstaff, lat. 28° 59′ N., long. 50° 49½′ E.

[Variation Nil in 1904.]

This Notice affects the following Admiralty Plan:—Abu Shahr, No. 27. Also, Persian Gulf Pilot, 1898, pages 271, 273.

No. 1224.—JAPAN—YEZO, WEST COAST, OKUSHIRI TO.

Inaho Zaki-Fog Signal Established.

The Japanese Government has given notice that, on 1st December, 1904, an explosive fog signal would be established at Inaho Zaki Lighthouse, which will, during thick or foggy weather, give one report every twenty minutes.

Approximate position, lat. 42° $15\frac{1}{4}$ N., long. 139° $33\frac{1}{4}$ E.