Office of the High Commissioner for India, 1940.

The Secretary of State for India has appointed Mr. Robert Webster, a Deputy Superintendent in the Mercantile Marine Office at West Hartlepool to superintend the transfer of lascars or other persons, and to grant the certificate required under section 125 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894 (57 and 58 Vic. cap. 60).

The fee to be paid for every lascar, or other person, in respect of whom such certificate is applied for, is limited to three shillings and in no case is the total amount of fees in respect of one crew to exceed five pounds.

CIVIL DEFENCE ACT, 1939.

The Minister of Transport hereby gives notice that in pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by the above-mentioned Act that he has made the Central Electricity Board (Civil Defence) Borrowing Regulations, 1940, which regulations are in substitution for provisional Regulations made on the 23rd October, 1939.

Copies of the Regulations can be obtained from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh 2; 26, York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's

Crescent, Cardiff.

Dated this 8th day of April, One thousand nine hundred and forty.

G. F. Stedman, An Assistant Secretary.

Metropole Buildings, Northumberland Avenue, London, W.C.2.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1937.

Notice is hereby given, in pursuance of Section 49 (3) of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894, that the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries has made the following Order:—

Order No. 5940.

(Dated 10th April, 1940.)

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE (INFECTED AREAS) SPECIAL ORDER NO. 31 OF 1940.

SUBJECT.

Contracts the Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Area around Lytham St. Annes. Lancs. as from the 14th April, 1940, so as to comprise an area (on the north side of the estuary of the River Ribble) of approximately 5 miles round the Infected Place at Lytham St. Annes. The area is situate wholly in the county of Lancashire.

Copies of the above Order may be obtained from the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 23-25, Soho Square, London, W.I.

Notice is hereby given that a Public Local Inquiry will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, 25th April, 1940, at Wansted Borough Offices, High Road, Woodford, Essex, by Mr. A. R. A. Weston of the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, into representations which have been made with respect to the Order submitted to the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries by the River Roding Catchment Board under Section 45 (2) of the Land Drainage Act, 1930 providing for the compulsory purchase of land at Eastern Avenue (Nr. Red Bridge), Wansted, Essex.

D. B. Toye, Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 10, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.1.

10th April, 1940.

INCOME TAX.

Whereas it has become necessary to renew the List of Persons to supply Vacancies amongst the Commissioners appointed to act in the Division of Eddisbury, in the County of Chester, as Commissioners for the General Purposes of the Acts of Parliament relating to Income Tax: Now we, two of the Commissioners of Inland Revenue, in pursuance of the Powers vested in us in that behalf, do hereby convene a Meeting of the Land Tax Commissioners having jurisdiction with regard to Land Tax within the Division aforesaid being respectively qualified to act as such Commissioners, to be holden at The Court House in Oakmere, Cheshire, on Monday, the 6th day of May, 1940, at 10.15 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of choosing fit and proper Persons to be Commissioners to supply vacancies amongst the Commissioners for the General Purposes of the aforesaid Acts for the Division of Eddisbury aforesaid.

W. V. Bradford. C. H. Wakely.

Inland Revenue,
Somerset House, London.
11th April, 1940.

BOROUGH OF HYDE.

CONFIRMATION OF BYELAWS.

Notice is hereby given that the Town Council of Hyde intend, after the expiry of one calendar month from the date of the publication of this notice, to apply to the Minister of Health for confirmation of Byelaws made by the Council under the Public Health Act, 1936, for the regulation of offensive trades, businesses or manufactures and the trade or business of fish frying.

JOHN BINNS, Town Clerk.

12th April, 1940.

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