

The Import Duties (Drawback) (No. 13) Order, 1947, relating to the reduction of drawback in respect of nitro cellulose photographic film base in rolls, used in the manufacture of unexposed sensitised photographic film.

The Order, which comes into operation on Thursday, the 1st January, 1948, is published as Statutory Rules and Orders 1947, No. 2729, and copies may be purchased (price 1d. net) direct from His Majesty's Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—80 Chichester Street, Belfast; York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13a Castle Street, Edinburgh, 2; 39-41 King Street, Manchester, 2; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol, 1; or from any bookseller.

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that they have made an Order under Section 10 of the Finance Act, 1926, continuing until the 19th August, 1948 (with certain exceptions) the exemption from Key Industry Duty of articles exempted from that duty by previous Orders which expire on the 31st December, 1947.

The Order also exempts from Key Industry Duty certain other goods, which from the 1st January, 1948, become chargeable with duty under the Import Duties Act, 1932.

The Order is entitled "The Safeguarding of Industries (Exemption) (No. 9) Order, 1947" and is published as Statutory Rules and Orders, 1947, No. 2715.

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INTOXICATING LIQUOR ACT (N.I.), 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of Section 3 of the Intoxicating Liquor Act (N.I.), 1923, as amended by subsequent enactments, the Ministry of Finance have made Rules entitled the "Intoxicating Liquor (Finance) (Amendment) Rules, 1947" the effect of which is to reduce the interest on the half-yearly instalment payable to the Government Loans Fund in redemption of the consolidated advance to the Claims Fund from 5% per annum to 4½% per annum. Copies of the Rules may be purchased from H.M. Stationery Office, 80 Chichester Street, Belfast, or through any bookseller.

GOVERNMENT OF NORTHERN IRELAND MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1935.

SUMMARY OF RETURN OF OUTBREAKS OF SCHEDULED DISEASES WHICH HAVE BEEN CONFIRMED BY OR NOTIFIED TO THE MINISTRY DURING THE PERIOD 16th Dec., 1947, TO 31st Dec., 1947.

| PERIOD | Anthrax | | Bovine Tuberculosis | | Foot and Mouth Disease | | Parasitic Mange | Sheep Scab | | Swine Fever | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|------------------|---------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------|-----------|---|--|
| | Outbreaks | Animals Attacked | Outbreaks | Animals Attacked | Outbreaks | Animals Attacked | | Outbreaks | Outbreaks | Swine Slaughtered as diseased or Exposed to Infection | |
| Fortnight ended 31st Dec., 1947. | — | — | 6 | 6 | — | — | — | 3 | — | — | |
| Previous Fortnight | — | — | 10 | 11 | — | — | — | 8 | — | — | |
| 1/1/47 to 31/12/47 | — | — | 389 | 392 | — | — | — | 47 | — | — | |

Note.—The following diseases have not appeared in Northern Ireland since the year shown after each disease:—Rinderpest (*Pestis Bovina*), 1877; Pleuro-Pneumonia (*Peripneumonia contagiosa bovum*), 1893; Sheep Pox (*Varioia ovinum*), 1850; Rabies (*Rage*), 1923; and Glanders (including Farcy) (*Malleus*), 1910. Epizootic Lymphangitis (*Lymphangitis Epizootica*) and Dourine have never existed in Northern Ireland.

Ministry of Agriculture,
Stormont
Belfast.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE IN NORTHERN IRELAND.

KING'S BENCH DIVISION—IN BANKRUPTCY

VINCENT A. BARBER, of 19 Strathmore Park North, in the County of the City of Belfast, Carriage Contractor, was on the 22nd day of December, 1947, adjudged bankrupt.

Public Sitings will be held before the Court at the Royal Courts of Justice (Ulster), Belfast, on Friday, the 16th day of January, 1948, and on Friday, the 23rd day of January, 1948, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, whereas the bankrupt is to attend, and to make a full disclosure and

discovery of his estate and effects. Creditors may prove their debts, and at the First Sitting choose a Creditors' Assignee. At the last Sitting the bankrupt is required to finish his examination.

All persons having in their possession any property of the bankrupt should deliver it and all debts due to the bankrupt should be paid, to William Moore, Official Assignee, Royal Courts of Justice (Ulster), Belfast, to whom creditors may forward their affidavits of debt.

R. N. McNEILL,
Registrar.

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