

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT, 1950—GREAT BRITAIN.

OUTBREAKS OF NOTIFIABLE DISEASES WHICH WERE CONFIRMED
BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES DURING THE PERIOD
1ST TO 15TH FEBRUARY 1951.

Period.	Anthrax.		Foot-and-Mouth Disease.		Fowl Pest.	Parasitic Mange.*		Sheep Scab.	Swine Fever.	
	Outbreaks confirmed.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Animals slaughtered as diseased or exposed to infection.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine slaughtered.
1st to 15th February 1951 ...	25	25	2	127	110	—	—	1	51	24
Corresponding period in { 1950 ...	19	19	4	822	6	—	—	3	—	—
{ 1949 ...	8	8	1	431	27	—	—	3	1	—
{ 1948 ...	10	11	—	—	14	1	1	5	1	2
1st to 15th February 1951 ...	81	82	15	1,145	368	—	—	4	124	36
Corresponding period in { 1950 ...	56	61	4	822	27	—	—	13	—	—
{ 1949 ...	24	24	1	431	72	—	—	10	3	—
{ 1948 ...	16	17	—	—	68	1	1	15	4	2

* Excluding outbreaks in Army Horses.

NOTE.—The following diseases were eradicated from Great Britain in the years indicated:—Cattle plague or rinder-pest (*pestis bovina*), 1877; pleuro-pneumonia (*peripneumonia contagiosa bovum*), 1898; sheep pox (*variola ovium*), 1850; rabies, 1922; epizootic lymphangitis (*lymphangitis epizootica*), 1906; and glanders (including farcy) (*malleus*), 1928. Dourine (*exanthema cutiale paralyticum*) has never existed in Great Britain.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, Hook Rise, Tolworth, Surbiton, Surrey.
20th February 1951.

STATEMENT showing the QUANTITIES SOLD and AVERAGE PRICES of BRITISH CORN per cwt. of 112 Imperial lb.,* computed from returns received by the MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES in the week ended 24th February 1951, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, the Corn Sales Act, 1921, and the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1943.

British Corn.	Quantities Sold.		Average Price per Cwt.	
	Cwt.		s.	d.
WHEAT ...	368,852		28	8
BARLEY ...	186,697		35	3
OATS ...	68,662		23	0

* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, as amended by Section 2 of the Corn Sales Act, 1921, provides that in the weekly summary of quantities and prices each sort of British Corn shall be computed with reference to the cwt. of 112 Imperial Standard lb.

NOTE.—The above statement is based on returns received from 108 prescribed towns in England and Wales in the week ended 24th February 1951. The prices represent the average for all sales at these towns, which include transactions between growers and merchants, and some transactions between merchants, during the week ended 17th February 1951.

P. G. ELLIS.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries,
36-38 Chester Terrace,
London, N.W.1.

Scottish Office Provisional Order, 1951.

HARBOURS, PIERS, AND FERRIES (SCOTLAND)
ACT, 1937.

PORTNAGUIRAN PIER.

NOTICE is hereby given that application has been made in the month of February 1951 to the Right Honourable the Secretary of State, Scottish Office, London, S.W.1, by the County Council of the County of Ross and Cromarty, whose address is County Buildings, Dingwall, under the provisions of the Harbours, Piers, and Ferries (Scotland) Act, 1937, for a Provisional Order (hereinafter referred to as "the Order") under the above name or short title and intitled "(Draft) Provisional Order for the construction of "a pier and other works at Portnaguiran in the Parish of "Stornoway, Island of Lewis and County of Ross and "Cromarty; and for other purposes."

A full Notice of the application for the Order will be

published in the "Stornoway Gazette" newspaper of the ninth day of March 1951.

And Notice is hereby given that a copy of the Draft Order and Plans and Sections of the proposed works may be inspected free of charge, and copies of the Draft Order may be purchased, at the price of one shilling per copy, at the office of the Clerk of the County at County Buildings, Dingwall, and at the offices of Messrs. Macleod, Sons & Company, Merchants, Portvoller, Portnaguiran, Stornoway.

Dated this second day of March 1951.

T. S. H. BURNS & SON,
Park Street,
Dingwall,
Solicitors.

BEVERIDGE & Co.,
Europe House,
Smith Square,
Westminster,
London, S.W.1,
Parliamentary Agents.

COUNTY OF AYR.

ROAD TRAFFIC ACT, 1930—SECTION 46.

ROAD AND RAIL TRAFFIC ACT, 1933—SECTION 29.

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the fifteenth day of February 1951, the Minister of Transport modified and confirmed the County of Ayr (Roads Restriction) (No. 3) Order, 1950, made by Ayr County Council under Section 46 of the Road Traffic Act, 1930, and Section 29 of the Road and Rail Traffic Act, 1933.

The effect of the Order, as modified, is (1) to remove from the section of Loch Doon Road, Dalmellington, between the Bridge of Ness and Garpel Burn, the existing restriction on heavy vehicles imposed by the County of Ayr (Roads Restriction) Order, 1927, as amended; and (2) to continue in force the aforesaid restriction, with the same exemptions as at present, on the section of Loch Doon Road between Garpel Burn and Craigmalloch Lodge at the southern end of Loch Doon.

The Order is available for inspection in the County Clerk's Office, County Buildings, Ayr.

Dated this twenty-second day of February 1951.

THOMAS PATE, County Clerk.