Order of 1950 contains a provision that no bovine animal shall be moved into an Attested Area except under the authority of a licence. The amending Order, which comes into operation on 1st October, 1955, makes an exception from this restriction in the case of a movement into an Attested Area from an adjoining Attested Area by a route wholly within those two Attested Areas.

Copies of Statutory Instruments No. 1445 may also be obtained from the Secretary, Department of Agriculture for Scotland, St. Andrew's House, Edinburgh, I, and copies of Statutory Instruments No. 1449, 1450 and 1451 from the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, Hook Rise, Tolworth, Surbiton, Surrey.

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FOOD

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT, 1950

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of Section 85(3) of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1950, that the Minister of Agricultutre, Fisheries and Food has made the following Orders:

Statutory Instruments 1955 No. 1450
The Tuberculosis (South-West and Mid-Wales Attested
Area) Order, 1955

(Made 14th September, 1955)

This Order declares an area in Wales to be an Attested Area, for purposes connected with the control of bovine tuberculosis, with effect on 1st October, 1955. The area comprises the areas scheduled in the following Orders which the New Order revokes; the Tuberculosis (Mid-Wales Eradication Area) Order, 1955 and the Tuberculosis (South-West Wales Attested Area) Order, 1954.

Statutory Instruments 1955 No. 1451 The Tuberculosis (North-West England Attested Area) Order, 1955 (Made 14th September, 1955)

This Order declares an area in North-West England to be an Attested Area, for purposes connected with the control of bovine tuberculosis, with effect on 1st October, 1955. The area comprises the area scheduled in the Tuberculosis (North-West England Eradication Area) Order, 1955 which the new order revokes.

Copies of the above-mentioned Orders may be obtained from H.M. Stationery Office.

STATEMENT showing the QUANTITIES SOLD and AVERAGE PRICES OF BRITISH CORN per cwt. of 112 Imperial lb. computed from the returns received by the DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR SCOTLAND in the week ended 24th September 1955, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, the Corn Sales Act, 1921, the Agricultural (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1943 and the Agricultural (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1954.

		Br	itish Corn		
		Quantities Sold	Average Price per Cwt.		
WHEAT BARLEY OATS	 	cwt. 25,509 163,267 25,032	s. d. 20 5 22 9 20 4 91		

Note.—The above statement is based on returns received from 23 prescribed towns in Scotland in the week ended 24th September 1955. The prices represent the average for all sales returned at these towns and include transactions between growers and merchants and transactions between merchants during the week ended 17th September 1955.

R. ANDERSON.

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DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT, 1950—GREAT BRITAIN OUTBREAKS OF NOTIFIABLE DISEASES WHICH WERE CONFIRMED BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FOOD DURING THE PERIOD 1st to 15th SEPTEMBER 1955

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	Anthrax		Atrophic Rhinitis	Foot-and-Mouth Disease		Fowl Pest	Sheep Scab	Swine Fever	
Period	Outbreaks confirmed	Animals attacked	Outbreaks confirmed	Outbreaks confirmed	Animals slaughtered as diseased or exposed to infection	Outbreaks confirmed	Outbreaks confirmed	Outbreaks confirmed	Swine slaughtered
1st to 15th September 1955 Corresponding 1954 1953 1952	21 12 13 73	21 13 13 85	1 -		1,280	2 3 14 6	_ 	49 42 99 28	9 6 19 26
1st January to 15th September 1955 Corresponding	523 205 490 560	549 226 518 625	4 4 —	6 12 28 486	956 1,318 3,610 74,504	383 594 722 157	<u>-</u> 1	1,107 1,136 2,220 672	260 231 633 230

Note.—The following diseases were eradicated from Great Britain in the years indicated:—Cattle plague or rinder-pest(peniphovina), 1877; pleuro-pneumonia (peripneumonia contagiosa bovum), 1898; sheep pox (variola ovium), 1859; rabies, 1922; epizootic lymphangitis (lymphangitis epizootica), 1906; glanders (including farcy) (malleus), 1928; and parasitic mange (psoroptes et surcopus scablel equi), 1948. Dourine (exanthema coitale paralyticum) has never existed in Great Britain.

Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, Hook Rise, Tolworth, Surbiton, Surrey. 16th September, 1953.