

any other animal except with the further permission of the Local Authority.

Rule 3. The Local Authority shall provide proper and suitable suits of Overall Clothes for the use of persons tending animals in a cow-shed, field or other place situate within a Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Place in which an animal affected with foot-and-mouth disease is kept. Such Overall Clothes are to be put on upon entering, taken off on leaving, and left in, such cow-shed, field or other place, and, previous to being removed therefrom, shall be properly disinfected with a solution of carbolic acid.

Rule 4. Every person upon leaving a cow-shed, field or other place situate within a Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Place in which an animal affected with foot-and-mouth disease is kept, shall thoroughly wash his hands with soap and water, and shall wash his boots with a solution of carbolic acid.

Rule 5. The Local Authority shall cause all utensils, substances and things which have been in contact with or used for or about animals in a cow-shed or other place situate within a Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Place in which an animal affected with foot-and-mouth disease has been kept to be disinfected with a solution of carbolic acid.

CHAPTER IV.—SLAUGHTER BY LOCAL AUTHORITY IN FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE.

Slaughter by Local Authority.

9. Any Local Authority may, if they think fit,

(a.) Cause any cattle, sheep, goats, or swine affected with foot-and-mouth disease to be slaughtered; or

(b.) Cause any cattle, sheep, goats, or swine being or having been in the same shed or herd or flock or pig-sty or in contact with any animal affected with foot-and-mouth disease to be slaughtered.

(c.) Provided, that if the owner of an animal gives notice in writing to the Local Authority, or their Inspector or other officer, that he objects to the animal being slaughtered, it shall not be lawful for the Local Authority to slaughter that animal except with the special authority of the Privy Council first obtained.

Compensation.

10. The Local Authority shall, out of the local rate, pay compensation as follows for cattle, sheep, goats, and swine slaughtered under this Chapter:

(a.) Where the animal slaughtered was affected with foot-and-mouth disease, the compensation shall be its value immediately before it became so affected:

(b.) In every other case the compensation shall be the value of the animal immediately before it was slaughtered.

Application of General Provisions.

11. The provisions of Section 30 (*General provisions relative to slaughter and compensation*) of the Act of 1878, and of Article 128 (*Withholding of Compensation*) and Article 129 (*Ascertainment of Value for Compensation*) of The Animals Order of 1884, shall apply to the case of an animal slaughtered under the provisions of this Chapter.

Movement of Diseased or Suspected Animals for Slaughter.

12. Where the slaughter under this Chapter of diseased or suspected animals in a Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Place in the District of a Local Authority is impracticable or would be highly inconvenient, animals affected with or suspected of foot-and-mouth disease may, not-

withstanding anything in The Animals Order of 1884, be moved out of a Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Place and Circle and Area on a highway or thoroughfare for the purpose of being slaughtered in manner and under the conditions following, and not otherwise:

(a.) The diseased or suspected animals shall be moved with a Licence of the Local Authority, to a slaughter-house in a float or cattle-van properly constructed so as to prevent contact of the diseased or suspected animals with other animals during the movement.

(b.) The diseased or suspected animals shall be moved to the slaughter-house in charge of an Inspector or other officer of the Local Authority; and the same officer shall enforce and superintend the immediate slaughter there of the animals, and shall forthwith report the fact of the slaughter to the Local Authority.

(c.) The float or cattle-van shall immediately after each occasion of use be cleansed and disinfected, by or under the superintendence of the same officer, in manner provided respecting vans by Article 103 of The Animals Order of 1884.

Nothing in this Chapter shall be deemed to authorize the movement of an animal affected with or suspected of foot-and-mouth disease into the District of another Local Authority, without the previous consent in writing of that other Local Authority or a Licence in that behalf of the Privy Council.

CHAPTER V.—REGULATIONS OF LOCAL AUTHORITY AS TO MOVEMENT INTO THEIR DISTRICT FROM OTHER DISTRICTS.

Power to Local Authority to make Regulations.

13. Any Local Authority in England or Wales or Scotland may, with the view of preventing the introduction of foot-and-mouth disease into their District, make, from time to time, such Regulations as they think fit for prohibiting or regulating the movement by land or by water of cattle, sheep, goats, or swine into their District from the District of any other Local Authority in England or Wales or Scotland or Ireland.

Animals that have been in Prohibited District during continuance of Regulation not to be Moved into District of Local Authority making the Regulation.

14. Where a Local Authority have made a Regulation under the provisions of this Chapter prohibiting the movement of cattle, sheep, goats, or swine into their District from the District of any other Local Authority in England or Wales or Scotland or Ireland, it shall not be lawful, so long as such Regulation is in force, for any person to move into the District of such first-mentioned Local Authority any animal so prohibited that may have been at any time during the continuance of such Regulation within the District of such other Local Authority: Provided that the provisions of this Chapter shall not extend to any such animal moved by Railway through such last-mentioned District, without untrucking.

Limitation as to Regulations.

15. No Regulation made by a Local Authority under this Chapter shall be deemed to apply to the movement of—

(a.) Cattle, sheep, goats, or swine into a Cattle-Plague Infected Place; or

(b.) Cattle into a Pleuro-Pneumonia Infected Place or Area; or

(c.) Cattle, sheep, goats, or swine into a Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Place or Circle or Area; or