

licensed shall forthwith after their arrival thereat be marked by and at the expense of the owner by the painting with an indelible composition of red colour of a broad line down the back and another broad line across the loins thus +, each line being not less than nine inches long.

(ii.) Every pig that is exposed at the public sale so licensed, whether it is sold thereat or not, shall be slaughtered within four days after and exclusive of the day on which the sale is held.

(iii.) Swine exposed at the public sale so licensed shall not afterwards be exposed at any other public sale in England or Wales or Scotland, whether such other public sale is held in any District to which this Order extends or not.

(2.) A Licence of a Local Authority for a public sale of fat swine under this Article shall be signed by the clerk of the Local Authority, by special direction of the Local Authority, and shall give notice of the conditions contained in this Article by specifying the same as conditions on which the Licence is granted, and may impose such further conditions, if any, as the Local Authority think expedient, and shall be granted to the person entitled to hold the sale (as owner of a market, or as an auctioneer, or otherwise), and shall specify the place where the sale is to be held, and may authorize the holding of periodical sales on stated days for a time limited, not exceeding one month, but the Licence may be renewed from time to time, and shall be published in such manner as the Local Authority consider best fitted to insure publicity for the same, and the Local Authority may at any time revoke any such Licence.

(3.) The Licence for a public sale of fat swine under this Article or a copy of such Licence shall be posted and kept posted during the holding of such sale by the person holding the same at or near the gate or other entrance of the market, sale-yard, or other place where such sale is held.

(4.) A Local Authority shall not grant a Licence for a public sale of fat swine under this Article unless they are satisfied that the place where the sale is to be held is capable of being cleansed and disinfected in accordance with the next following Article.

(5.) A Local Authority shall forthwith send to the Board a copy of every Licence granted by them for the holding of a public sale of fat swine under this Article.

(6.) If the Board are of opinion, with respect to any Licence of a Local Authority for a public sale of fat swine under this Article, that the holding of the public sale thereby licensed is inexpedient, or that the Licence is objectionable in any particular, and direct the revocation thereof, the same shall thereupon cease to operate.

Cleansing and Disinfection of Market, Fair-ground, or Sale-Yard.

4. Every market, fair-ground, and sale-yard in which a public sale of fat swine is held under the last preceding Article, shall as soon as practicable after the sale, and in any case before it is again used for swine, be cleansed and disinfected as follows:

- (i.) all parts of the market, fair-ground, or sale-yard that have been used for swine shall be thoroughly swept and scraped, and all dung, sawdust, litter, or other matter effectually removed therefrom; then
- (ii.) the same parts shall be thoroughly washed or scrubbed or scoured with water; then

(iii.) the same parts shall be disinfected in such manner as the Local Authority may direct; and

(iv.) the sweepings and scrapings shall be well mixed with quicklime and be effectually removed from contact with animals.

Public or Private Sale of Swine, Fat or Store, without Licence of Local Authority.

5. A public or private sale of swine, fat or store, may be held without a Licence of the Local Authority in any case where the sale is held in accordance with the following conditions (namely):

(i.) that the sale is held on a farm or premises not in a Swine-Fever Infected Place; and

(ii.) that no pig on the farm or premises is affected with swine-fever; and

(iii.) that each pig exposed at the sale has been on the farm or premises for a period of not less than twenty-eight clear days immediately before the day on which the sale is held; and

(iv.) that during that period no pig has been brought on to the farm or premises, and that no pig on the farm or premises has during that period in any way been exposed to the infection of swine-fever.

Exhibition of Swine, Fat or Store, by Licence of Local Authority.

6.—(1.) An exhibition of swine, fat or store, may be held with a Licence of the Local Authority on such conditions, if any, as the Local Authority think expedient.

(2.) The Local Authority may, if they think fit, by such Licence authorize the public sale of swine exhibited at such exhibition on such conditions, if any, as the Local Authority think expedient.

(3.) A Licence of a Local Authority for an exhibition under this Article shall be signed by the clerk of the Local Authority, by special direction of the Local Authority, and shall give notice of the conditions, if any, on which the Licence is granted, and shall be granted to the person entitled to hold the exhibition (as owner of the place where the exhibition is to be held, or as an auctioneer, or otherwise), and shall specify the place where the exhibition is to be held, and shall be published in such manner as the Local Authority consider best fitted to insure publicity for the same, and the Local Authority may at any time revoke any such Licence.

(4.) If the Board are of opinion, with respect to any Licence of a Local Authority for an exhibition under this Article, that the holding of the exhibition thereby licensed is inexpedient, or that the Licence is objectionable in any particular, and direct the revocation thereof, the same shall thereupon cease to operate.

Sales or Exhibitions of Swine by Licence of Board.

7. Without prejudice to the foregoing provisions and in addition thereto a public or private sale of swine, fat or store, or an exhibition of swine, fat or store, may be held with a Licence of the Board, which Licence will only be granted where the Board after inquiry are satisfied that exceptional circumstances render such sale or exhibition necessary or expedient.

Saving as to Sales of Foreign Animals.

8. Nothing in this Order shall apply to any sale of swine in any Foreign Animals Wharf or Foreign Animals Quarantine Station or Landing-place for foreign animals.

Offences.

9.—(1.) If a public or private sale of a pig or of swine, fat or store, or an exhibition of swine, fat or store, is held in contravention of this Order