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ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 22ND APRIL 1903.)

(SWINE-FEVER INFECTED AREA.)

The Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 and 1896, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

Declaration of Swine-Fever Infected Area.

1. The Area described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby declared to be an area infected with swine-fever for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Infected Areas) Order of 1902.

Commencement.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and three.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this twenty-second day of April, one thousand nine hundred and three.

A. W. Anstruther, Assistant-Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

An Area comprising the petry sessional division of Cirencester (except the parishes of Edgeworth and its detached part, Winstone, Syde, Brimpsfield, Elkstone, Colesborne, and Rendcomb), in the administrative county of Gloucester.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W

ORDER of the Local Government Board: Regulations as to Cholera, Yellow Fever, and Plague:-

PORT OF IPSWICH.

IPSWICH AND HARWICH PORT SANITARY AUTHORITIES.

To the Ipswich Port Sanitary Authority:— To the Harwich Port Sanitary Authority; To the Officers of Customs of the Ports of

Ipswich and Harwich;—
To the Medical Officers of Health of the said Port Sanitary Authorities ;-

To all Masters of Ships;-

To all Pilots;

And to all others whom it may concern.

Whereas by Section 1 of the Public Health Act, 1896, it is enacted that Regulations of the Local Government Board made in pursuance of

Section 130 of the Public Health Act, 1875, or in pursuance of that Section, as extended to London by the Public Health (London) Act, 1891, may provide for such Regulations being enforced and executed by the officers of Customs and the officers and men employed in the Coastguard as well as by other authorities and officers, and without prejudice to the generality of the powers conferred by those Sections may provide for-

(a) the signals to be hoisted by vessels having any case of epidemic, endemic, or infectious

disease on board; and

(b) the questions to be answered by masters, pilots, and other persons on board any vessel as to cases of such disease on hoard during the voyage or on the arrival of the vessel; and

(c) the detention of vessels and of persons on

board vessels; and
(d) the duties to be performed in cases of such disease by masters, pilots, and other persons on board vessels: Provided that the regulations shall be subject to the consent-

(a) so far as they apply to the officers of Customs, of the Commissioners of Her

Majesty's Customs; and

(b) so far as they apply to officers or men employed in the Coastguard, of the Admiralty; and

(c) so far as they apply to signals, of the

Board of Trade.

And whereas by a General Order dated the 9th day of November, 1896, as amended by a General Order dated the 24th day of December, 1902, We, the Local Government Board, in the exercise of the powers conferred on Us by the Public Health Act, 1875, the Public Health (London) Act, 1891, and the Public Health Act, 1896, made certain regulations (hereinafter referred to as "the Regulations") with a view to the treatment of persons affected with Cholera, Yellow Fever, or Plague, and for the prevention of the spread of such diseases;

And whereas it is expedient that the Regulations should be revoked so far as regards ships bound to the Port of Ipswich and coming or being within the Harwich Port Sanitary District, and that other rules and regulations should be prescribed with regard to the said ships;

And whereas the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and the Board of Trade have respectively signified their consent to the Regulations hereinafter set forth so far as they apply to the officers of Customs and to signals:

Now therefore, in exercise of the powers before referred to, We hereby rescind, so far as regards ships bound to the Port of Ipswich and coming or being within the Harwich Port Sanitary District, the said Orders dated the ninth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, and the twenty-fourth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and two, except in so far as such Orders may apply to any proceedings now pending; and We do, by this Our Order, and in exercise of the powers conferred on Us by the Public Health Act, 1875, and the Public Health Act, 1896, and every other power enabling Us in that behalf, make the following Regulations with regard to the said ships, and declare that they shall be enforced and executed by the Authorities and Officers hereinafter mentioned.

ARTICLE I.—In this Order—

The term "Ship" includes vessel or boat; The term "Officer of Customs" includes any person acting under the authority of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs;