ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 7TH OCTOBER 1909.)

CONVEYANCE OF HORSES ORDER OF 1909.

The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in them under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1903, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

Carriage by Railway of Unfit Horses.

1. No horse shall be permitted by the owner thereof, or his agent, or any person in charge thereof, to be carried by railway if, owing to age, infirmity, illness, injury, fatigue, or any other reason, it cannot be carried without un-necessary suffering during the intended transit by railway.

Carriage by Water of Unfit Horses.

- 2.—(1.) No horse shall be permitted by the owner thereof, or his agent, or any person in charge thereof, to be conveyed in a vessel from any port in Great Britain if, owing to age, infirmity, illness, injury, fatigue, or any other reason, it cannot be conveyed without unnecessary suffering during the intended passage.
- (2.) This Article shall not affect the operation of Article 1 (Prohibition of Exportation of Unfit Horses) of the Exportation of Horses Order of

Notification by Inspectors of Unfitness of Horses for Conveyance.

3. Where an Inspector of the Board or of a Local Authority is of opinion that a horse intended to be carried by a railway or conveyed in a vessel cannot owing to age, infirmity, illness, injury, fatigue, or any other reason, be so carried. or conveyed without unnecessary suffering, he shall serve a notice to that effect on the person in charge of the animal and also, when practicable, on an officer of the railway company or the master of the vessel, and until such notice is withdrawn by the Inspector it shall be unlawful to carry the animal by the railway or convey it in the vessel, and if the borse is carried or conveyed in contravention of this Article, the person in charge thereof, and the railway company or the master of the vessel, where the notice has been served on an officer of the company or master, shall be deemed guilty of an offence against the Act of 1894.

Local Authority to enforce Order.

4. The provisious of this Order, except where it is otherwise provided, shall be executed and enforced by the Local Authority.

Extension of certain Sections of Diseases of Animals Act, 1894.

5. Horses shall be animals for the purposes of section forty-three (Police), section forty-four (General Administrative Provisions), and also for the purposes of all other sections of the Act of 1894 containing provisions relative to or consequent on the provisions of those sections and this Order, including such sections as relate to offences or procedure.

Interpretation.

- 6. In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires,-
 - "The Board" means the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries:
 - "The Act of 1894" means the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894:
 - "Inspector" includes Veterinary Inspector:
 - "Master" includes a person having command or charge of a vessel:
 - Other terms have the same meaning as in the Act of 1894.

Commencement.

7. This Order shall come into operation on the eighteenth day of October, nineteen hundred and nine.

Short Title.

8. This Order may be cited as the Conveyance OF HORSES ORDER OF 1909.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have hereunto set their Official Seal this seventh day of October, nineteen hundred and nine.

T. H. Elliott,

Secretary.

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

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES. .

(DATED 8TH OCTOBER 1909.)

The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in them under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1903, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

The provisions of the Merionethshire (Migneint Mountain District) Sheep-Scab Order of 1909 shall not apply to sheep while being moved through the Area described in the Schedule to that Order by road from a place outside such Area to another place outside such Area, provided that such movement is authorised by a licence granted by an Inspector of the Local Authority of the county of Merioneth.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have hereunto set their Official Seal this eighth day of October, nineteen hundred and nine.

T. H. Elliott,

Secretary.

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