

Second Lieutenant Arthur Weatherall. Dated 16th July, 1915.

The KING has approved the retirement of the undermentioned Officer of the Indian Medical Service:—

Colonel Charles James Bamber, M.V.O. Dated 12th July, 1915.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 14TH SEPTEMBER 1915.)

MIDDLESBROUGH AND DISTRICT (SWINE-FEVER) ORDER OF 1915.

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 1914, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

*Prohibition of Movement of Swine out of Certain Area.*

1. No swine, fat or store, shall be moved out of the Area described in the Schedule hereto, except as expressly authorised by this Order: Provided that nothing in this Article shall be deemed to apply to the movement of swine where they are moved through such Area by railway from a place outside such Area to another place outside such Area without unnecessary delay and without the swine being untrucked within such Area.

*Swine to be Moved out of Area for Immediate Slaughter only.*

2.—(1.) Swine (not being in a Swine-Fever Infected Place) may be moved out of the Area described in the Schedule hereto to a bacon factory or slaughterhouse, or to any lairs, market or saleyard specially authorised by the Local Authority under the Swine-Fever (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1908, or the Swine-Fever (Movement from Ireland) Order of 1904, if accompanied by a Licence granted by an Inspector of the Local Authority of the District in which the premises from which the swine are to be moved are situate and subject to the following conditions (namely):

- (i.) The swine shall 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 of each of the swine, thus +, each line being not less than nine inches long.
- (ii.) The swine shall be moved, by railway so far as is practicable, to the bacon factory, slaughterhouse, lairs, market, or saleyard specified in the Licence, and during such movement shall not be permitted to come in contact with swine not marked under this Article.
- (iii.) The Licence shall be in force for not more than eight days inclusive of the day

of issue and shall specify the name and address of the person to whom the Licence is granted and the name or description of the bacon factory or slaughterhouse, lairs, market, or saleyard to which the swine are to be moved.

(iv.) A copy of a licence under this Order which authorises movement of swine to premises in a District other than the District for which the person granting the licence acts as Inspector shall forthwith be sent by the Inspector to the Local Authority of the District in which the place of destination specified in the licence is situate.

(v.) Swine moved with a licence under this Order to a bacon factory or slaughterhouse shall be there detained until they are slaughtered.

*Licences after Completion of Movement.*

3.—(1.) Where swine are moved with a licence under this Order to any lairs, market or saleyard, the licence shall be delivered up in exchange for the licence for movement of the swine from such premises.

(2.) Where swine are moved with a licence under this Order to a bacon-factory or slaughterhouse the licence shall forthwith after completion of the movement be delivered up at, or sent by post to, the nearest Police Station in the same District by the person in charge of the swine at the time of completing the said movement.

*Production of Licences; Names and Addresses.*

4.—(1.) Any person in charge of a pig being moved, where under this Order a licence is necessary, shall, on demand of a Justice, or of a constable, or of an Inspector or other officer of the Board or of a Local Authority, produce and show to him the licence, if any, authorising the movement, and shall allow it to be read and a copy of or extract from it to be taken by the person to whom it is produced.

(2.) Any person so in charge shall, on demand as aforesaid, give his name and address to the Justice, or constable, or Inspector or other officer.

*Local Authority to enforce Order.*

5. The provisions of this Order shall be executed and enforced by the Local Authority.

*Granting of Movement Licences.*

6.—(1.) A movement licence granted under this Order shall not be available if granted by the owner of the swine to be moved, or by his agent, or by the consignee of the swine, or by the occupier of the farm or premises or slaughter-house from or to which the swine are to be moved, or by any individual member of an Executive Committee or Sub-Committee of a Local Authority.

(2.) A movement licence shall not be granted by an Inspector if, in his opinion, it is undesirable to grant it.

*Offences.*

7.—(1.) If a pig is moved in contravention of this Order, the owner of the pig, and the person for the time being in charge thereof, and the person causing, directing, or permitting the movement, and the person moving or conveying the pig, and the consignee or other