

such candidates as appear to have the requisite qualifications for any of the existing or prospective vacancies to the Lord President of the Council for nomination. Candidates thus nominated shall be submitted to the Civil Service Commissioners, who, if dissatisfied with the number or quality of candidates for any vacancy, may require further search to be made for qualified candidates.

6. *Education.*—Candidates must satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners that they have received such systematic education, general or technical, or general and technical together, as in their opinion fits them for the post. Candidates thus recommended and approved may, at the discretion of the Civil Service Commissioners, be submitted to a qualifying examination in English, Arithmetic and General Knowledge.

7. *Health and Character.*—Candidates must satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners as to their health and character.

Until further order, and other things being equal, preference will be given by the Selection Board to candidates whose choice of occupation is limited by a physical impairment due to the War, but not of such a nature as to interfere with the discharge of any of the duties of the post.

8. *Competitions.*—Candidates who have been approved by the Civil Service Commissioners and who, if required to take the qualifying examination, have passed that examination, will be summoned to an interview before a

Selection Board, who will recommend for the vacancies existing those candidates who appear to them to possess the highest qualifications, and their decision will be final. The Selection Board shall be nominated by the Commissioners in consultation with the authorities of the Department, who shall be represented on the Selection Board, and one of the Commissioners shall be the Chairman. The Selection Board will take into consideration the candidate's record of experience and education, any recommendations that they may receive from persons named by any candidate as having direct knowledge of his work in the past, and the personal qualities of the candidate as shown at his interview; and on their estimation of all the above evidence they will frame their decisions.

9. *Warning.*—Any attempt on the part of a candidate to enlist support for his application through Members of Parliament or other influential persons will disqualify him for appointment. The Selection Board will disregard spontaneous recommendations from persons who are not personally acquainted with the candidate's work, whether at school, at the University, in the Forces, or otherwise.

10. *Fee.*—If a qualifying examination is held, each candidate admitted thereto will be required to pay a fee of £3. A Selected Candidate will be required to pay a fee of £8, towards which the fee paid at the qualifying examination (if any) will count, before the issue of the certificate of qualification for appointment.

ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF
AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 25TH JULY 1922.)

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in him under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1914, and of every other power

enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

The Order described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby revoked.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this twenty-fifth day of July, nineteen hundred and twenty-two.



J. Jackson,
Authorised by the Minister.

SCHEDULE.

Order Revoked.

No.	Date.	Subject.
1029	1922. 2nd June	Declaration of the following Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Place:—The orchard, paddock and buildings at Copeland Farm, at Abbey Hulton, in the occupation of James Edward Green, in the county borough of Stoke-upon-Trent.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 4, Whitehall Place, S.W. 1.