

1894 to 1914, and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

Area Affected.

1.—(1) This Order applies to the Area described in the Schedule hereto. In this Order it is referred to as the Prohibited Area.

(2) If any farm (except any detached part) is partly within and partly outside the Prohibited Area the whole shall be deemed to be within the Prohibited Area.

Prohibition of Movement of Animals into, out of, or within Prohibited Area.

2.—(a) The movement of cattle, sheep, goats or swine into or out of the Prohibited Area is prohibited; provided that this Order shall not prevent the movement of animals through such Area direct by railway without avoidable delay if the animals are not untrucked within such Area.

(b) The movement of any such animal along or across any road or other highway or by water within the Prohibited Area is prohibited.

(c) No such animal shall be allowed by the owner or person in charge thereof to stray upon a road or other highway within the Prohibited Area.

(d) No slaughterhouse manure or refuse shall be moved out of the Prohibited Area or be brought into contact with animals in such Area.

Closing of Footpaths and Premises.

3.—(1) An Inspector of the Ministry or of the Local Authority may (notwithstanding the existence of any footpath or right of way) prohibit the entry of any person into any field, shed or other place in the Prohibited Area by giving notice in writing to that effect to the occupier. In such cases the owner of any cattle, sheep, goats or swine in such places or his agents or servants may enter for the sole purpose of feeding or tending the animals, but no other person shall enter any such place until such notice has been withdrawn by a further Notice from an Inspector, unless he has obtained a licence to do so from an Inspector of the Ministry or of the Local Authority.

(2) Copies of such Notices shall be affixed or exhibited by the Inspector in such manner as he may think desirable for ensuring notification of the restrictions thereby imposed.

(3) Copies of such Notices when served shall be sent to the Ministry.

Control of Dogs and Poultry.

4.—(1) An Inspector of the Ministry or of the Local Authority may, by a written notice served upon the occupier of any premises in the Prohibited Area on which dogs or poultry are kept, require such occupier to keep such dogs or poultry under such control as may be prescribed in the Notice, or to confine them to any specified part of the premises.

(2) Copies of such Notices when served are to be sent to the Ministry.

Local Authority to Enforce Order.

5. This Order shall be executed and enforced by the Local Authority.

Offences.

6. Any contravention of this Order or of any Notice served thereunder is an offence against the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894.

Short Title.

7. This Order may be cited as the MIDDLESEX AND DISTRICT (FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE) ORDER OF 1922.

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



S. Stockman,

Authorised by the Minister.

SCHEDULE.

Prohibited Area to which this Order applies.
An Area comprising:—

1. The administrative county of Middlesex (except the petty sessional divisions of Edmon-ton and South Mimms, the borough of Hornsey, and the parish of Friern Barnet);

2. In the administrative county of Surrey: The boroughs of Kingston-upon-Thames, Richmond, and Wimbledon, the petty sessional divisions of Mortlake, Kingston, Sutton, Woking (except the parishes of Pirbright and Worplesdon), and Chertsey, and the parishes of Merton, Morden, Cheam, Cuddington, Ewell, Epsom, Chessington, Ashtead, and Leatherhead, and such portions of the parishes of Fetcham, Great Bookham, and Little Bookham as lie to the north of the railway line from Guildford to Leatherhead.

3. In the administrative county of Berkshire:

The boroughs of Maidenhead and New Windsor, the petty sessional divisions of Windsor, and Maidenhead (except the parishes of Hurley and Remenham), and the parishes of Easthampstead, Warfield, Binfield, and Waltham St. Lawrence.

4. In the administrative county of Buckingham:

The borough of Chepping Wycombe, the hundred of Burnham (exclusive of the Chesham division), the petty sessional division of Slough, and the parishes of Marlow Urban, Little Marlow, Hedsor, Wooburn, Chepping Wycombe Rural, and Chenies;

5. In the administrative county of Hertford:

The borough of Watford, the petty sessional division of Watford, and the parish of Flaunden; and

6. In the administrative county of London:

The metropolitan boroughs of Hammer-smith, Fulham, and Wandsworth.

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

ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 20TH OCTOBER 1922.)

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in him under the Diseases of Animals Acts,