of the Borough Treasurer and of the Officers of the Corporation shall be audited by a District Auditor appointed by the Ministry of Health in like manner as accounts of an Urban Authority and their Officers are audited under Sections 247 and 250 of the Public Health Act, 1875, in lieu of the audit required by the Municipal Corporations Act, 1882.

- (2) To provide that if and when the said Urban District is created a Municipal Borough as aforesaid that the Corporation may out of the Borough Fund defray any reasonable expenditure incurred by them upon any of the following purposes:—
 - (a) Annual or other subscriptions to the funds of any association of municipal corporations or other local authorities or their officers.
 - (b) In the attendance of members or officers of the Corporation at conferences or meetings of any such association and in the purchase of reports of the proceedings.
 - (c) In connection with the presentation of the Freedom of the Borough to persons whom the Corporation may resolve to admit as honorary Freemen; or
 - (d) In connection with occasions of public ceremony or rejoicing or in the reception or entertainment of distinguished persons.
- (3) To repeal so much of Section 105 of the said Local Act of 1904 as relates to the Council's power to require a separate receptacle for ashes and house refuse to be provided at or in connection with buildings.
- (4) To enable the Council to prescribe the size materials and construction of ashbins for use within the district and to provide that any ashbin required by the Council to be provided by the owner or occupier of any premises shall be of the size materials and construction so prescribed.
- (5) To enable the Council to require the owner or occupier of any premises where no ashbin or other receptacle for refuse has been provided to provide an ashbin of the prescribed size materials and construction.
- (6) To enable the Council in any case in which an ashbin already provided by the owner or occupier of any premises is not of the size materials and construction so prescribed and in any case in which any other receptacle for refuse not being an ashbin of the size materials and construction so prescribed is in use in connection with any premises, either
 - (a) themselves at the cost of the owner or occupier to provide or supply an ashbin of the prescribed size and materials and construction;
 - (b) to require the owner or occupier to substitute such an ashbin for the ashbin or other receptacle in use.
- (7) To provide that the Council shall give to the owner of any existing ashbin or other receptacle which shall be replaced and which but for the prescription of the Council would have been a sufficient and suitable receptacle for refuse credit for the value of such existing ashbin or other receptacle.

(8) To provide that the owners or occupiers of all premises in connection with which an ashbin of the prescribed size, materials and construction has been provided shall on receipt of a requisition to that effect pay to the Council annually such a sum not exceeding ten shillings as the Council may from time to time determine for or towards the maintenance repair and renewal by them of such ashbins; such payment to be in satisfaction of the obligations of such owners or occupiers in regard to such maintenance repair and renewal.

(9) To provide for an extension of the time mentioned in sub-section 2 of section 35 of the Local Act of 1898 within which the Council are to signify their approval or disapproval of an intended temporary or

movable building.

(10) For the several purposes of the Application or for purposes connected with, incidental to, or consequent on those purposes to make any such alteration or amendment of the said Local Acts, or of any other Local Act or of any Act confirming a Provisional Order made in pursuance of any of the Sanitary Acts or of the Public Health Act, 1875, in force in the said District as may be necessary or desirable:

And whereas it is proposed that a Provisional Order should be issued in compliance with the

said Application:

Notice is hereby given that E. C. H. Salmon, Esq., M.C., one of the Inspectors of the Ministry of Health, will attend at the Town Hall, on Friday, the nineteenth day of March, 1926, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to hold a Local Inquiry into the subject-matter of the said Application and the proposed Provisional Order.

And notice is hereby further given that any person interested may attend at such Inquiry and be heard with reference to the said Application and the proposed Provisional Order.

G. Gibbon,
Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Health, Whitehall, S.W. 1. 1st March, 1926.

ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.. (Dated 2nd March, 1926.)

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE DECLARA-TION OF INFECTED AREAS ORDER. OF 1926 (No. 42).

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 1925, and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

Substitution of Infected Areas. .

1.—(1) The Foot-and-Mouth Disease Declaration of Infected Areas Order of 1926 (No. 39) shall be read and have effect as if the Areas