of Health for the issue of a Provisional Order under Sections 297 and 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, partially to repeal, alter or amend the said local Act, so as:—

(I) To repeal the said Section 25;

(2) For the purpose of this Application or for purposes connected with, incidental to, or consequent on that purpose to make any such alteration or amendment of the said Local Act, 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 Urban 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 the Minister of Health will consider any objections or representations made in writing before the tenth day of May, 1940, by any person or body interested in the subject matter of the said Application and the proposed Provisional Order. Such objections or representations should be addressed to the Secretary, Ministry of Health, Whitehall, London, S.W.I, and copies of them should be sent at the same time to the Clerk to the Urban District Council, Town Hall, Shipley.

> F. Slator, Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Health, Whitehall, S.W.1. 27th April, 1940.

EMERGENCY POWERS (DEFENCE).

ROAD TRAFFIC.

The Minister of Transport hereby gives notice that in pursuance of the powers conferred upon him under Regulation 70 of the Defence (General) Regulations, 1939, he has made The County of Dorset (Bovington) (Built Up Areas) Order 1940 imposing a speed limit of 30 miles per hour on King George's Road, Bovington, between its junction with Menin Road and its junction with the road which adjoins the eastern side of the recreation ground.

Notice is hereby given that the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him under Section 4 (3) of the Land Drainage Act, 1930, proposes to make an Order confirming a Scheme submitted to him by the River Great Ouse Catchment Board, under Section 4 (1) (b) of the Act, making provision for the extension of the period of office of the first members of the March and Whittlesey Internal Drainage Board until the 1st day of November, 1940.

A copy of the draft Order has been deposited, together with a copy of the Scheme at the offices of the River Great Ouse Catchment Board, Elmhurst, Brooklands Avenue, Cambridge, for public inspection for a period of thirty-one days from the date of this notice and may be inspected during the ordinary hours of business.

Copies of the draft Order may be obtained from the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries at the address mentioned below.

Any objection to the draft Order shall be made in writing and sent by post addressed to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, within thirty-one days from the date of this notice.

> D. B. Toye, Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 10, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.1. 29th April, 1940.

> Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.

Notice is hereby given, in pursuance of Section 49 (3) of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894, that the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries has made the following Order:—

Order No. 5945.

(Dated 28th April, 1940.)

Foot-and-Mouth Disease (Infected Areas) Special Order, No. 34 of 1940.

Subject.

I. Maintains restrictions in the Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Area around Petersham, Surrey.

II. Revokes Article 2 of Order No. 5942.

Copies of the above mentioned Order may be obtained from The Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 23-25, Soho Square, London, W.I.

BOROUGH OF BRIGHOUSE.

CONFIRMATION OF BYELAWS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Town Council of Brighouse intend, after the expiry of one calendar month from the date of the publication of this notice, to apply to the Minister of Health for confirmation of Building Byelaws made by the Council.

ERNEST H. CLEGG, Town Clerk.

Town Hall, Brighouse. (043) 23rd April, 1940.

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THE PRESCOT AND DISTRICT GAS COMPANY.

(Application for Order under Section I of the Gas Undertakings Act, 1929.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the Prescot and District Gas Company (hereinafter referred to as "the Company") whose principal office is at the Gas Offices, Prescot, intend to apply to the Board of Trade for an Order under Section I of the Gas Undertakings Act, 1929, for the following among other purposes (that is to say):—

I. To authorise the Company to raise by the creation and issue of consolidated ordinary shares or of ordinary stock or of preference shares or stock or wholly or partly by one or more of those modes respectively capital to an

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