Thames, also at the office of the undersigned Clerk and Solicitor to the Authority.

Any authority company body or person desirous of bringing before the Electricity Commissioners any objections respecting the application must do any objections respecting the application must do so by letter sent by registered post addressed to the Secretary, Electricity Commission, Savoy Court, Strand, London W.C.2 and despatched on or before the 1st day of May 1942 and a copy of any such objections must at the same time be forwarded to the undersigned Clerk and Solicitor to the Authority.

Dated this 31st day of March 1942.

LESLIE GORDON, Clerk and Solicitor to the Authority, 5-6, Lancaster Place, Strand, (178) London, W.C.2.

SPECIAL ENACTMENTS (EXTENSION OF TIME) ACT, 1940.

UNDER the above Act the Minister of War Transport has made the Brighton Corporation (Compulsory Purchase) (Upper Russell Street and Kent's Court) Order 1938 (Extension of Time) Order 1942 extending the time within which the powers of compulsory purchase conferred by the Brighton Corporation (Compulsory Purchase) (Upper Russell Street and Kent's Court) Order 1938 may be exercised.

Copies of the Order may be obtained from the Ministry of War Transport, Berkeley Square House, Berkeley Square, London, W.I., price 1d. each (post free 2d.). (185)

STATEMENT showing the QUANTITIES SOLD and AVERAGE PRICE of BRITISH CORN per Hundredweight of 112 Imperial Pounds,\* as received from the Inspectors of Corn Returns in the week ended 28th March, 1942, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, and the Corn Sales Act, 1921:—

| British Corn. |     |         |       |       |     |           | Quantities Sold. | Average Price per Cwt. |  |  |  |
|---------------|-----|---------|-------|-------|-----|-----------|------------------|------------------------|--|--|--|
|               |     |         | -     |       | ·   |           | Cwt.             | s. d.                  |  |  |  |
| WHEAT         | ••• | •••     | •••   | • • • | ••• |           | 407,630          | 15 10                  |  |  |  |
| BARLEY        | ••• | •••     | • • • | •••   | ••• |           | 158,642          | 57 2                   |  |  |  |
| OATS          |     | • • • • | •••   |       |     | <u> l</u> | 70,588           | 15 2                   |  |  |  |

<sup>\*</sup> Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, as amended by Section 2 of the Corn Sales Act, 1921, provides that, in the weekly summary of quantities and prices, each sort of British corn shall be computed with reference to the hundredweight of one hundred and twelve imperial standard pounds.

Note:—The prices in the statement above are based on returns received from Inspectors during the week ending 28th March, 1942, and represent on the whole the average prices ruling in the week ending 21st March, 1942.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, Hotel Majestic, St. Annes, Lytham St. Annes, Lancs.

C. NATHAN, Principal Assistant Secretary.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 to 1937, and AGRICULTURE ACT, 1937 (PART IV), GREAT BRITAIN · MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

 OUTBREAKS OF SCHEDULED (NOTIFIABLE) DISEAS BEEN CONFIRMED BY THE MINISTRY during the period RETURN No. 5/1942. (NOTIFIABLE) DISEASES WHICH HAVE 1st to 15th MARCH, 1942.

Summary of Returns of outbreaks of certain scheduled (notifiable) diseases which have been confirmed by the Ministry during the period 1st to 15th March, 1942.

| Period.   |                                   |              |     | Anthrax.                |                         | Foot-and-Mouth<br>Disease. |   | Parasitic<br>Mange.*    |                      | Sheep<br>Scab.          | Swine Fever.            |                         |
|---|-----------------------------------|--------------|-----|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|---|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
|   |                                   |              |     | Outbreaks<br>confirmed. | Animals<br>attacked.    | Outbreaks<br>confirmed.    | An imals slaughtered as diseased or exposed to infection. | Outbreaks<br>confirmed. | Animals<br>attacked. | Outbreaks<br>confirmed. | Outbreaks<br>confirmed. | Swine<br>slaughtered.   |
| Period 1st to 15t<br>Corresponding<br>period in | th March,<br>1941<br>1940<br>1939 | 1942<br><br> | ,   | 11<br>24<br>25<br>31    | 24<br>25<br>33          | 38<br>2<br>3               | 194<br>3,415<br>61<br>217                                 | 3                       | 7†<br>1<br>6<br>8    | 7<br>5<br>8<br>10       | 14<br>66<br>131<br>68   | 2<br>22<br>92<br>38     |
| Total 1st Jan. t<br>Corresponding<br>period in  | 0 15th Ma                         |              | 942 | 67<br>112<br>129<br>208 | 70<br>120<br>141<br>220 | 11<br>115<br>14<br>29      | 1,328<br>11,276<br>2,243<br>4,357                         | 13<br>5<br>8<br>17      | 25<br>13<br>20<br>33 | 87<br>79<br>82<br>129   | 87<br>506<br>789<br>277 | 41<br>234<br>441<br>172 |

Note.—The figures for the current year are approximate only.

Note.—The following diseases were eradicated from Great Britain in the years indicated:—Cattle plague or rinder-pest (pestis bovina), 1877; pleuro-pneumonia (peripneumonia contagiosa bovum), 1898; sheep pox (variola ovium), 1850; rabies, 1922; epizootic lymphangitis (lymphangitis epizootica), 1906; and glanders (including farcy) (malleus), 1928. Dourine (exanthema coitale paralyticum) has never existed in Great Britain.

No case of Fowl Pest (pestis avium) has been confirmed in Great Britain since the 11th January, 1937, the

date as from which the disease was first notifiable. So far as is known, however, Fowl Pest has not existed in

Great Britain since 1933.

## TUBERCULOSIS ORDER OF 1938.

Notices of Intended Slaughter have been issued by the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries under the Tuberculosis Order of 1938 during the period 1st to 15th March, 1942, in respect of 572 bovine animals.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 31st March, 1942.

<sup>\*</sup> Excluding outbreaks in Army Horses.

<sup>† 3</sup> of these animals refer to outbreaks confirmed prior to 1st March, 1942.