

business by the shepherd where the dogs are not fed by the employer.

The above rates do not apply to Foresters, Market Gardeners, Nurserymen, and Agricultural or Arboricultural Students, who will be separately considered.

J. P. GRANT, Chairman.

J. M. MIDDLETON, Secretary.

29th October 1918.

Applications for permits of exemption from the operation of the Minimum Wage Provisions of the Corn Production Act under the Proviso to Section 5 (3) should be addressed to the Secretary, District Agricultural Wages Committee for the Moray Firth District (No. 2), 2 Inglis Street, Inverness, from whom Forms of application for a permit can be obtained.

Complaints under Section 6 regarding the inadequacy of payments for piece-work, and complaints under Section 7 regarding infringement of the Orders fixing minimum rates should be sent to the same address.

NOTE.—If the Central Agricultural Wages Committee do not disallow the above minimum rates within three months from this date, the Provisions of this Order will take effect as from the 29th October 1918, and will remain in force until cancelled or varied either wholly or in part by the Committee.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 to 1914.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS^d of SWINE FEVER in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 2nd November 1918, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs):—

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been Exposed to Infection.
	No.	No.
Fife	2	1
Lanark	—	2
TOTAL	2	3

The following Areas are now "Scheduled Areas" for the purposes of the Swine Fever (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1908:—

Ayrshire, &c.—An Area comprising the counties of Ayr and Wigtown, and the burghs of Ayr, Irvine, and Kilmarnock (16th June 1917).

Scotland.—An Area comprising Scotland (*except the counties of Ayr and Wigtown, and the burghs of Ayr, Irvine, and Kilmarnock*) (16th June 1917).

See also under *Ayrshire, &c.*

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the under-mentioned DISEASE in SCOTLAND for

the Week ended 2nd November 1918, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs):—

ANTHRAX.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Animals Attacked.			
		Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Horses.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Aberdeen	1	1	—	—	—
Wigtown	1	1	—	—	—
TOTAL	2	2	—	—	—

SHEEP SCAB.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.
	No.
Argyll	1
Ross and Cromarty	1
Stirling	1
Sutherland	1
TOTAL	4

PARASITIC MANGE.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.	Animals Attacked.
	No.	No.
Ayr	—	2
Lanark	3	8
TOTAL	3	10

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,
5th November 1918.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 4TH NOVEMBER 1918.)

The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in them under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 to 1914, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

The Orders described in the Schedule to this Order are hereby revoked on the fifteenth day of November, nineteen hundred and eighteen.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have hereunto set their Official Seal this fourth day of November, nineteen hundred and eighteen.

L. S.

W. H. CHAMBERLAIN,
Authorised by the President.

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