

Act, 1933 (23 and 24 Geo. V., Ch. 25), amending the Poisons Rules, 1935.

A copy of the draft Rules may be obtained from the Under Secretary of State, Home Office, Room 132, St. Stephen's House, Victoria Embankment, London, S.W.1.

St. Stephen's House,
Victoria Embankment, London, S.W.1,
October 1947.

FACTORIES ACT, 1937.

The Minister of Labour and National Service hereby gives notice that he has made the Pottery (Health) Special Regulations, 1947, under Section 60 of the Factories Act, 1937.

These Regulations relate to factories where the manufacture or decoration of pottery is carried on. They provide for the prohibition of the use of glazes other than "leadless" or "low solubility" glazes, and restrict the use of ground or powdered flint or quartz.

Copies of the Regulations (S.R. & O., 1947, No. 2161) are obtainable from H.M. Stationery Office at York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13A Castle Street, Edinburgh, 2;

39-41 King Street, Manchester, 2; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol, 1; or through any bookseller, price 1d. net.

COAL ACT, 1938.

COAL INDUSTRY NATIONALISATION ACT, 1946.

PURSUANT to paragraph 6 (2) of the Second Schedule to the Coal Act, 1938, the National Coal Board hereby give notice that they propose to exercise the right to withdraw support, vested in them by virtue of paragraph 6 (1) of the said Schedule and the Coal Industry Nationalisation Act, 1946, so far as said right applies in relation to any land within an area situated in the Parish of Cambusnethan and County of Lanark indicated on a Plan which is deposited and open for inspection at the office of the Board's Estates Mining Engineer, 29 Walker Street, Edinburgh, 3.

Dated 2nd October 1947.

L. E. BURKE, Secretary.

National Coal Board,
Scottish Division,

1 Eglinton Crescent, Edinburgh.

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DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1937, AND AGRICULTURE ACT, 1937 (PART IV.).

GREAT BRITAIN.

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

RETURN No. 18/1947. OUTBREAKS OF SCHEDULED (NOTIFIABLE) DISEASES WHICH HAVE BEEN CONFIRMED BY THE MINISTRY during the period 16th to 30th SEPTEMBER 1947.

Summary of Returns of outbreaks of certain scheduled (notifiable) diseases which have been confirmed by the Ministry during the period 16th to 30th September 1947.

Period.	Anthrax.		Foot-and-Mouth Disease.		Fowl Pest.	Parasitic Mange.*		Sheep Scab.	Swine Fever.	
	Outbreaks confirmed.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Animals slaughtered as diseased or exposed to infection.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine slaughtered.
Period 16th to 30th September 1947...	No. 11	No. 13	No. —	No. —	No. 101	No. —	No. —	No. 7	No. 3	No. —
Corresponding period in { 1946	2	2	2	220	—	—	—	5	9	1
{ 1945	8	8	1	21	—	—	—	45	51	27
{ 1944	5	5	11	894	—	—	—	3	129	70
Total 1st January to 30th September 1947 ...	87	103	103	10,890	861	1	2	64	29	7
Corresponding period in { 1946	69	71	33	3,930	—	7	8	66	326	204
{ 1945	88	101	110	8,642	—	6	6	96	753	517
{ 1944	138	151	83	6,711	—	7	22	80	994	681

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

* Excluding outbreaks in Army Horses.

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 (*eranthema costale paralyticum*) has never existed in Great Britain.

TUBERCULOSIS (ATTESTED HERDS) SCHEMES.

The number of Attested Herds, i.e. herds officially certified as free from Tuberculosis, as at 30th September 1947, was as follows:—

ENGLAND.	WALES.	SCOTLAND.	TOTAL (GREAT BRITAIN).
8,799	10,936	9,596	29,331

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries,
8th October 1947.

DAVID CALLENDER & SONS LTD.

A PETITION has been presented to the Court of Session by the above-named Company, which was incorporated under the Companies Acts, and has its Registered Office at Bonnington Tannery, Newhaven Road, Leith, Edinburgh, setting forth that the Capital is in excess of the wants of the Company, and praying the Court to confirm the Reduction of the Capital from £120,000 to £90,000, divided into 4500 Ordinary Shares of £10 each, all issued and fully paid, and 4500 additional Shares of £10 each unissued, such reduction being effected by returning to the Holders of 3000 Cumulative

Preference Shares of £10 each paid-up Capital to the extent of £10 per Share, together with a Bonus of £2 10s. per Share, and that upon such reduction taking effect the Capital shall be increased to £120,000 by the creation of a further 3000 new Shares of £10 each, on which Petition there has been pronounced an Interlocutor, dated 10th October 1947, ordering intimation and advertisement, and allowing Answers to be lodged within seven days.

ROBSON, M'LEAN & PATERSON, W.S., Solicitors
for the Petitioners.

28 Abercromby Place, Edinburgh.