

regulations, and declare that they shall be enforced and executed by the Authority or Authorities hereinafter specified:—

ART. 1. In this Order—

The term "Sanitary Authority" means Port Sanitary Authority, Urban Sanitary Authority, or Rural Sanitary Authority;

The term "Ship" includes vessel or boat;

The term "Officer of Customs" includes any person acting under the authority of the Commissioners of Customs;

The term "Master" includes the officer or person for the time being in charge or command of a ship.

ART. 2. From and after the date of this Order, and until the first day of November, 1884, no rags from Spain shall be delivered overside, except for the purpose of export, nor landed in any port or place in England or Wales.

Provided that nothing in this Article shall be deemed to prohibit the delivery overside or landing of any rags which may have been previously proved to the satisfaction of the Sanitary Authority into whose jurisdiction or district the same may be brought, or any officer duly authorised by the Sanitary Authority for that purpose, and certified accordingly by such Authority or Officer, not to have come either directly or indirectly from any place where Cholera has occurred during the present year.

ART. 3. If any rags shall be delivered overside or landed in contravention of this Order, they shall, unless forthwith exported, be destroyed by the person having control over the same, with such precautions as may be directed by the Medical Officer of Health of the Sanitary Authority within whose jurisdiction or district the same may be found.

ART. 4. All masters of vessels, consignees, and other persons having control of any rags prohibited under this Order from being delivered overside, except for the purpose of export, or landed, are required to obey these regulations.

ART. 5. All Officers of Customs are empowered to prevent the delivery overside or landing of rags in contravention of this Order.

ART. 6. It shall be the duty of the Sanitary Authority to take proceedings against masters of ships, consignees, or other persons having control over any rags, who shall wilfully neglect or refuse to obey or carry out, or shall obstruct the execution of any of these regulations.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this thirtieth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

L. S.

Charles W. Dilke,
President.

S. B. Provis, Assistant Secretary.

NOTICE.—The Public Health Act, 1875, provides by Section 130 that any person wilfully neglecting, or refusing to obey or carry out, or obstructing the execution of any regulation made under that Section shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding *Fifty Pounds*.

GENERAL Order of the Local Government Board:—Cholera Regulations.—(Rags from Italy.)—Extending date of Prohibition.

To all Port Sanitary Authorities;—
To all Urban and Rural Sanitary Authorities;—
To all Officers of Customs;—

To all Medical Officers of Health of the Sanitary Authorities aforesaid;—

To all Masters of Ships;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by a General Order dated the fifth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, We, the Local Government Board, in consequence of the prevalence of Cholera in parts of Italy, made certain regulations with reference to Ships having on board bales of Rags from that country, and declared that such regulations should be in force until the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Now therefore, We the Local Government Board, do, by this Our Order, and in pursuance of the powers conferred on Us in this behalf, hereby Declare that the regulations contained in the above-cited Order shall continue in force until the first day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this thirtieth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

L. S.

Charles W. Dilke,
President.

S. B. Provis, Assistant Secretary.

GENERAL ORDER of the Local Government Board:—Cholera Regulations.—(Rags from France.)—Extending date of Prohibition.

To all Port Sanitary Authorities;—

To all Urban and Rural Sanitary Authorities;—

To all Officers of Customs;—

To all Medical Officers of Health of the Sanitary Authorities aforesaid;—

To all Masters of Ships;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS by a General Order dated the eighth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, We, the Local Government Board, in consequence of the prevalence of Cholera in parts of France, made certain regulations with reference to Ships having on board bales of Rags from that country, and declared that such regulations should be in force until the fifteenth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four:

And whereas by a General Order dated the fifth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four, We declared that the regulations contained in the first above-cited Order should continue in force until the first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, do, by this Our Order, and in pursuance of the powers conferred on Us in this behalf, hereby Declare that the regulations contained in the first above-cited Order shall continue in force until the first day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this thirtieth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

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