For Bihar and Orissa ... Hindustani.
For Burma ... ... Burmese.
For Bombay ... ... Marathi.
(Unless it is the Candidate's mother tongue.)
For Madras ... ... Tamil or Telugu.
(At the option of the Candidate.)

In Hindustani the Candidate will be required to be acquainted with both the Persian and the Nagari character.

A Candidate assigned to Bengal or Assam, whose mother tongue is Bengali, must offer for examination Hindustani; a candidate assigned to Bombay, whose mother tongue is Marathi, must offer for examination Hindustani; and a Candidate assigned to Madras, whose mother tongue is either of the languages shown against his Province, must offer the other for examination.

8. Selected Candidates may in addition offer in the Final Examination one of the following optional subjects:—

	Marks
1. Hindu and Mohammadan Law ...	450
2. Sanskrit	400
3. Arabic	400
4. Persian	400
5. Hindustani	400

No Candidate who offered Sanskrit or Arabic at the Open Competition may offer the same language at the Final Examination; and only Candidates assigned to the Province of Burma may offer Hindustani as an optional subject.

9. In the Final Examination, as in the Open Competition, the merit of the Candidates examined will be estimated by marks (which will be subject to deductions in the same way as the marks assigned at the Open Competition), and the number set opposite to each subject denotes the greatest number of marks that can be obtained in respect of it. The examination will be conducted on paper and *viva voce*, as may be deemed necessary.

If any Candidate is prevented by sickness or any other adequate cause from attending such examination, the Commissioners may, with the concurrence of the Secretary of State for India in Council, allow him to appear at the Final Examination to be held in the following year, or at a special examination.

In consequence of the proposed alterations specified above, the Regulations now numbered 8, 9, and 10 will be numbered 10, 11 and 12 respectively.

It is intended that the changes should come into force for the Open Competitive Examination of 1914 and subsequent years.

Copies of the foregoing new Rules may be obtained from the Secretary, Judicial and Public Department, India Office, London, S.W.

NATIONAL INSURANCE ACT, 1911.

(1 & 2 Geo. V, c. 55.)

WELSH INSURANCE COMMISSION.

Notice is hereby given, under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that it is proposed by the Welsh Insurance Commissioners, after the expiration of at least forty days from this date, in pursuance of the powers conferred on them by the National Insurance Act, 1911, to make regulations under section 59 (2) (c) of the Act as to the election of medical representatives to serve upon Insurance Committees.

Draft copies of the said regulations will shortly be placed on sale and will be obtainable, either directly or through any bookseller, from Messrs. Wyman & Sons, Ltd., Fetter Lane, E.C., and 54, St. Mary Street, Cardiff.

Dated this 20th day of May, 1913.

National Health Insurance Commission (Wales),
City Hall, Cardiff.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 22ND MAY 1913.)

(SWINE-FEVER INFECTED AREA.)

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 1911, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

Contraction of Limits of Swine-Fever Infected Area.

1. The limits of the Swine-Fever Infected Area declared by Order of the Board dated the seventh day of March, nineteen hundred and thirteen, are hereby contracted so as to comprise only the Area described in the Schedule to this Order, and the Area so described is hereby declared to be a Swine-Fever Infected Area for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1908.

Commencement.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the twenty-sixth day of May, nineteen hundred and thirteen.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have hereunto set their Official Seal this twenty-second day of May, nineteen hundred and thirteen.

L. S.

A. W. Anstruther,
Assistant Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

An Area in the administrative county of Oxford comprising the parishes of Sydenham, Emmington, Chinnor, and Crowell.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.