

Durham Volunteer Regt.

To be temp. Lt.-Col. and County Commandant:—

Col. Rowland Burden (5th Durham L.I.).
20th Jan. 1917.

Worcestershire Volunteer Regt.

1st Bn.—The following announcement is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 13th Oct. 1916:—

Worcestershire Volunteer Regt.

1st Bn.—To be temp. Maj.:—

Maj. Frederick Edward Burcher (late 7th Bn., Worcester Regt. (T.). 9th Sept. 1916.

The following announcement is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 18th Oct. 1916:—

2nd Bn.—To be temp. Maj.:—

Lt.-Col. Albert Webb (late 2nd V.B., Worc. Regt.). 9th Sept. 1916.

The following announcement is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 16th Oct. 1916:—

3rd Bn.—To be temp. Maj.:—

Lt.-Col. Charles Frederic Milward (late 6th Bn., Worc. Regt.). 9th Sept. 1916.

(D. I. P. 453.)

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 16TH JANUARY 1917.)

(WART DISEASE OF POTATOES INFECTED AREA.)

The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in them under the Destructive Insects and Pests Acts, 1877 and 1907, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

Declaration of Wart Disease of Potatoes Infected Area.

1. The area described in the Schedule to this Order is hereby declared to be infected with Wart Disease and an Infected Area for the purposes of the Wart Disease of Potatoes (Infected Areas) Order of 1914.

Notification of Disease.

2. Reports of the existence of Wart Disease within the Infected Area shall be made to the Board, or to The Police Constable, Milton, Staffordshire.

Commencement.

3. This Order shall come into operation on the first day of February, nineteen hundred and seventeen.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have hereunto set their Official Seal this sixteenth day of January, nineteen hundred and seventeen.



A. G. L. Rogers,
On behalf of the Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

The allotments known as Sherrat's Allotments, in the parish of Norton in the Moors, in the county of Stafford.

(D. I. P. 454.)

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 15TH JANUARY 1917.)

THE WART DISEASE OF POTATOES ORDER OF 1917.

The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in them under the Destructive Insects and Pests Acts, 1877 and 1907, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

Prohibition of planting of Potatoes on premises where Wart Disease has occurred except by licence.

1. No person shall plant potatoes, or cause or permit potatoes to be planted, in any field, garden, or allotment in his occupation on which potatoes affected with Wart Disease have been grown in a previous year, unless such planting is authorised by, and is in accordance with the conditions (if any) imposed by, a licence granted by an Inspector of the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries or of the Local Authority, and any person who shall plant potatoes, or cause or permit potatoes to be planted, in contravention of this provision, or who shall permit to remain in any field, garden, or allotment in his occupation, potatoes planted in contravention of this provision, shall be liable on conviction to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds, unless he proves to the satisfaction of the Court that he did not know that potatoes affected with Wart Disease had been grown on the land in a previous year.

Extension of Restriction on Planting in Infected Area.

2. Any person who shall permit to remain in any field, garden, or allotment in his occupation, which is situate in an Infected Area declared for the purposes of the Wart Disease of Potatoes (Infected Areas) Order of 1914, potatoes which have been planted without the authority of a licence granted under that Order or otherwise than in accordance with the conditions imposed by a licence so granted, shall be liable on conviction to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.