

THE COLORADO BEETLE ORDER OF 1922.

(DATED 15TH DECEMBER 1922.)

(D.I.P. 534)

The Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in him under the Destructive Insects and Pests Acts, 1877 and 1907, and of every other power enabling him in this behalf, orders as follows:—

Commencement.

1. This Order shall come into operation on the first day of February, nineteen hundred and twenty-three.

Restriction on Importation of Vegetables and Plants from France.

2.—(1) For the prevention of the introduction of the Colorado Beetle the landing in England or Wales of any living plants or vegetables shipped from any port in European France is hereby prohibited unless the landing thereof is authorised by a licence issued by an Inspector of the Ministry or the plants or vegetables are accompanied by a declaration purporting to be made by the grower or exporter thereof in the form prescribed in the Schedule to this Order. Such declaration shall be delivered to an officer of Customs at the same time and together with the entry relating to the consignment.

(2) Living plants or vegetables shipped from any port in European France and landed in England or Wales without such a licence or declaration as is prescribed in this Order shall be forthwith destroyed by and at the expense of the importer unless the plants or vegetables are authorised to be disposed of otherwise by a licence issued by an Inspector of the Ministry, and any person failing to comply with the provisions of this Article as to destruction or with the conditions (if any) imposed by such licence shall on summary conviction be liable to a penalty of ten pounds.

(3) In this Article the expression "living plants or vegetables" means trees and shrubs, tubers, bulbs and flower roots, raw vegetables including potatoes, potato haulms and leaves, and tomatoes, and the expression "Ministry" means the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries.

(4) The restrictions hereby imposed shall not affect the requirements of the Destructive Insects and Pests Order of 1922.

Short Title.

3. This Order may be cited as the COLORADO BEETLE ORDER OF 1922.

In witness whereof the Official Seal of the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries is hereunto affixed this fifteenth day of December, nineteen hundred and twenty-two.



W. G. Lobjoit,
Authorised by the Minister.

SCHEDULE.

(ANNEXE—CERTIFICAT.)

I,

Le soussigné,

being the { grower } of the { living plants } included in the consignment described below,
le cultivateur } des { plantes vivantes } inclus dans l'envoi ci-dessous décrit,
l'exportateur } des { légumes }

do hereby declare that none of these { living plants } were grown in the Departments of
vegetables }

declare qu'aucun de ces { plantes vivantes } n'était produit dans les Départements de
légumes }

Gironde, Landes, Basses Pyrénées, Hautes Pyrénées, Haute Garonne, Ariège, Aude, Gers, Tarn, Lot-et-Garonne, Tarn-et-Garonne, Aveyron, Lot, Dordogne, Corrèze, Cantal, Puy de Dôme, Creuse, Haute Vienne, Charente, Charente Inférieure, Indre, Vienne, Deux Sèvres, Vendée, Loire Inférieure, Maine-et-Loire, Indre-et-Loire or Lozère.

Signed _____

Signé _____

Date _____

Description of Consignment.

Description de l'envoi.

No. and description of packages.
Nombre et description des colis.

Marks.
Marques distinctives.

Nature of Contents.
Nature du contenu.

Name and address of consignee.
Nom et adresse du destinataire.