

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1914—continued.

RETURN OF OUTBREAKS OF SCHEDULED DISEASES WHICH HAVE BEEN
CONFIRMED BY, OR NOTIFIED TO, THE MINISTRY during the Week ended
8th December, 1923.

SHEEP-SCAB.

Counties (including all Boroughs therein*).										Outbreaks reported by the Local Authorities.
ENGLAND.										No.
Derby ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Devon ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Dorset ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Durham ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Gloucester ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Kent ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Northampton ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Nottingham ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Oxford ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Salop ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Somerset ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
York, East Riding ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
York, North Riding ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
WALES.										
Anglesey ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Denbigh ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Merioneth ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
SCOTLAND.										
Dumfries ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Lanark ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
TOTAL										24

SUMMARY OF RETURNS.

Period.	Anthrax.		Foot-and-Mouth Disease.		Glanders (including Farcy).§†		Parasitic Mange.§		Rabies.		Sheep Scab.	Swine Fever.	
	Outbreaks confirmed.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Animals slaughtered as diseased or exposed to infection.	Outbreaks reported by the Local Authorities.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks reported by the Local Authorities.	Animals attacked.	Cases Confirmed.		Outbreaks reported by the Local Authorities.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine slaughtered.
									Dogs.	Other Animals.			
Week ended 8th Dec., 1923	No. 19	No. 21	No. 236	No. 8,342	No. 1	No. 1	No. 14	No. 22	No. ...	No. ...	No. 24	No. 33	No. 10
Corresponding week in { 1922 1921 1920	16	16	1	105	...	...	12	14	...	...	37	42	15
	14	19	...	110	...	1	20	23	...	...	24	26	10
	15	16	1	774	1	2	54	72	...	...	18	23	7
Total for 49 weeks 1923	680	796	944	36,819	8	13	748	1,066	...	...	530	1,873	781
Corresponding period in { 1922 1921 1920	476	558	1,187	55,428	4	4	957	1,836	1	...	570	1,279	477
	466	592	44	3,085	11	45	1,942	2,935	22	1	535	1,177	435
	417	494	80	11,276	15	25	3,421	5,577	34	...	417	1,743	695

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

* For convenience Berwick-upon-Tweed is considered to be in Northumberland, Stockport in Cheshire, and the city of London in the county of London. § Excluding outbreaks in Army Horses.
† Including outbreaks in recently imported animals.