

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 to 1927—continued.

SHEEP-SCAB.

Counties (including all Boroughs therein*).	Outbreaks confirmed.
SCOTLAND.	
Lanark	No. 4
TOTAL	4

* For convenience Berwick-upon-Tweed is considered to be in Northumberland, Stockport in Cheshire, and the city of London in the county of London.

SUMMARY OF RETURNS.

Period.	Anthrax.		Foot-and-Mouth Disease.		Parasitic Mange. §		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 confirmed.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine slaughtered.
Period 1st to 15th April, 1931	No. 31	No. 31	No.	No.	No. 7	No. 15	No. 4	No. 85	No. 36
Corresponding period in { 1930	16	17	...	...	13	22	5	123	48
{ 1929	19	24	...	...	6	16	9	77	32
{ 1928	38	39	3	237	11	18	9	79	33
Total 1st January, to 15th April, 1931 ...	170	182	5	515	64	110	142	427	153
Corresponding period in { 1930	146	153	...	...	110	169	231	767	301
{ 1929	142	161	20	1,804	113	223	277	391	165
{ 1928	202	224	90	7,573	151	336	252	490	223

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

§ Excluding outbreaks in Army Horses.

NOTE.—The following diseases were eradicated in Great Britain:—Rinderpest (*Pestis Bovina*) in 1877; Pleuro-Pneumonia (*peripneumonia contagiosa bovis*) in 1898, Sheep Pox (*variola ovium*) in 1850; Rabies in 1922; Epizootic Lymphangitis (*lymphangitis epizootica*) in 1906; and Glanders (including Farcy) (*Malleus*) in 1928. Dourine has never existed in Great Britain.

TUBERCULOSIS ORDER OF 1925.

Number of Bovine Animals in respect of which Notices of Intended Slaughter issued by Local Authorities under the Tuberculosis Order of 1925 have been received by the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries during the period 1st to 15th April, 1931.

Counties (including all Boroughs therein*).	Number of Bovine Animals.	Counties (including all Boroughs therein*).	Number of Bovine Animals.
ENGLAND.			
Bedford	3	Derby	25
Berks	2	Devon	2
Buckingham	1	Dorset	9
Cambridge	—	Durham	23
Isle of Ely	—	Essex	38
Chester	72	Gloucester	9
Cornwall	7	Hereford	1
Cumberland	1	Hertford	3
		Huntingdon	3