

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1937—*continued*.
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 16th to 31st March, 1938	No. 44	No. 48	No. 10	No. 458	No. 5	No. 7	No. 9	No. 14	No. 12
Corresponding period in { 1937 ...	23	28	—	—	4	5	6	61	24
{ 1936 ...	31	34	—	—	3	8	7	118	127
{ 1935 ...	25	27	—	—	4	12	18	72	23
Total 1st Jan. to 31st March, 1938	259	270	113	15,012	35	53	83	96	41
Corresponding period in { 1937 ...	178	205	3	262	57	88	96	311	179
{ 1936 ...	153	187	4	379	49	167	120	552	404
{ 1935 ...	121	132	22	4,692	52	78	153	409	159

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

§ Excluding outbreaks in Army Horses.

NOTE.—The following diseases were eradicated in Great Britain in the years indicated:—Cattle plague, or rinder-pest (*pestis bovina*) 1877; pleuro-pneumonia (*peripneumonia contagiosa bovinum*) 1898; sheep pox (*variola ovium*) 1850; rabies 1922; epizootic lymphangitis (*lymphangitis epizootica*) 1906; and glanders (including farcy) (*malleus*) 1928. Dourine has never existed in Great Britain.

No case of Fowl Pest has been confirmed in Great Britain since the 11th January, 1937, the date as from which the disease was first notifiable. No case of Fowl Pest has been known to exist in Great Britain since 1933.

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 16th to 31st March, 1938.

Counties (including all Boroughs therein).	Number of Bovine Animals.	Counties (including all Boroughs therein).	Number of Bovine Animals.
ENGLAND.		ENGLAND—continued.	
Bedford ...	1	Isle of Wight ...	2
Berks ...	7	Stafford ...	103
Bucks ...	1	Suffolk ...	23
Isle of Ely ...	1	Surrey ...	13
Chester ...	93	Sussex, East ...	23
Cornwall ...	20	Sussex, West ...	9
Cumberland ...	4	Warwick ...	2
Derby ...	36	Westmorland ...	2
Devon ...	14	Wilts ...	44
Dorset ...	9	Worcester ...	5
Durham ...	9	Yorks, East Riding ...	1
Essex ...	50	Yorks, North Riding ...	20
Gloucester ...	6	Yorks, West Riding ...	40
Hereford ...	1		
Hertford ...	2		
Huntingdon ...	4		
Kent ...	34		
Lancaster ...	35		
Leicester ...	29		
Lincoln, Holland ...	6		
Lincoln, Kesteven ...	8		
Lincoln, Lindsey ...	22		
London ...	1		
Middlesex ...	5		
Norfolk ...	29		
Northampton ...	4		
Northumberland ...	6		
Nottingham ...	24		
Oxford ...	5		
Salop ...	56		
Somerset ...	20		
Southampton ...	11		
		TOTAL ...	840
		WALES.	
		Anglesey ...	9
		Caernarvon ...	5
		Cardigan ...	10
		Carmarthen ...	2
		Denbigh ...	18
		Flint ...	7
		Glamorgan ...	23
		Merioneth ...	9
		Monmouth ...	4
		Montgomery ...	6
		Pembroke ...	1
		TOTAL ...	94