

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FOOD

Hook Rise South, Tolworth, Surbiton, Surrey.

June, 1965.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACT, 1950—GREAT BRITAIN
OUTBREAKS OF NOTIFIABLE DISEASES WHICH WERE CONFIRMED
BY THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FOOD DURING THE PERIOD
16th to 31st May 1965

Period	Anthrax		Foot-and-Mouth Disease		Fowl Pest	Swine Fever	
	Out-breaks confirmed	Animals attacked	Out-breaks confirmed	Animals slaughtered as diseased or exposed to infection	Out-breaks confirmed	Out-breaks confirmed	Swine slaughtered as diseased or exposed to infection
16th to 31st May, 1965	22	24	—	—	22	4	1,335*
Corresponding period in { 1964	4	4	—	—	67	15	3,153
{ 1963	17	18	—	—	67	70	21,887
{ 1962	17	23	2	292	283	98	22†
1st January to 31st May, 1965	393	422	1	154	393	80	26,317*
Corresponding period in { 1964	111	122	—	—	1,629	232	62,831
{ 1963	192	233	—	—	931	736	128,117
{ 1962	161	178	3	798	1,774	658	120†

* Provisional figures.

† Slaughtered for diagnostic purposes.

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STATEMENT showing the QUANTITIES SOLD and AVERAGE PRICES of BRITISH CORN per cwt. of 112 Imperial lb. computed from returns received by the MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FOOD in the week ended 5th June 1965, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act 1882, the Corn Sales Act 1921 and the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1943.

British Corn	Quantities Sold	Average Price per cwt.
	cwt.	s. d.
WHEAT	468,595	24 2
BARLEY	204,434	24 0
OATS	13,092	24 3

NOTE: The prices represent the average for all sales at 173 prescribed towns in England and Wales and include transactions between growers and merchants, and transactions between merchants, during the week ended 29th May 1965.

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DESTRUCTIVE INSECTS AND PESTS ACTS, 1877 TO 1927

The Progressive Wilt Disease of Hops Order, 1965

1. Notice is hereby given that the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food has made an Order under the Destructive Insects and Pests Acts, 1877 to 1927, entitled *The Progressive Wilt Disease of Hops Order, 1965*.

2. This Order re-enacts the Progressive Verticillium Wilt of Hops Order, 1957, with amendments, and comes into force on the 14th June 1965.

3. Occupiers are required to give to the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food notice of the presence, or suspected presence, on their farms of progressive wilt disease of hops and to destroy dead or dying bines and leaves of hop plants on infected farms.

4. Hop plants grown on an infected farm are not to be planted elsewhere except under licence and restrictions are imposed on the planting of hop plants grown in Herefordshire, Surrey, Hampshire, Kent and Sussex.

5. The Minister or an inspector may, by notice served on the occupier of infected land, impose other requirements or restrictions with a view to

preventing the spread or recurrence of the disease. These include—

- the destruction of entire hop plants or of the bines and leaves of hop plants;
- control of the cropping of land;
- the erection and maintenance of fencing;
- the treatment, destruction or other disposal of soil or things capable of harbouring or spreading progressive wilt (e.g. destruction of hop waste or treatment of machinery);
- restrictions on the movement of hop plants, hop poles and material derived from hop plants.

6. If the requirements of the notice are not carried out the inspector may act in default. Certain occupiers and other persons may be required to give information about the purchase, planting, sale, offer for sale, disposal or movement of hop plants, hop poles or material derived from hop plants and to produce relevant records and other documents.

7. Copies of the Order (S.I. 1965 No. 1184) may be obtained from H.M. Stationery Office, York House, Kingsway, London W.C.2, or from any bookseller price 9d. (by post 1s. 1d.).

PUBLIC HEALTH (IMPORTED FOOD) REGULATIONS, 1937 AND 1948

China

The Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food gives notice in pursuance of the above-named Regulations that the Official Certificate reproduced in the Schedule to the Notice published in the *London Gazette* of 15th April 1958, for the importation of fully cooked meat products, lard and animal casings from China is hereby modified to the extent that recognition is restricted to those Certificates which are completed by the insertion of one of the appropriate establishment numbers listed in the Schedule hereto.

The Notice published in the *London Gazette* of 4th May 1965, is hereby revoked.

SCHEDULE

In relation to fully cooked meat products, other than canned meat, the recognition of the Certificate is restricted to those which are completed by the insertion of one of the following establishment numbers:

9, 10, 11, 12, 13.

In relation to animal casings, the recognition of the Certificate is restricted to those which are completed by the insertion of one of the following establishment numbers:

1, 2, 3, 4.