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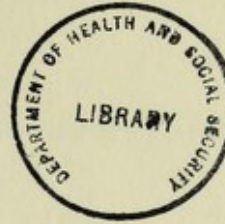
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CHEPSTOW URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

Regent House,
CHEPSTOW,
MON. NP6 5YP.

To The Chairman and Members of the Chepstow Urban District Council,
Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

I beg to submit my Seventh Annual Report upon the activities of the Port of Chepstow for the year ended the 31st. December, 1971.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Mr. Turner and Mr. Cullinane for their help and co-operation.

I remain,

Your Obedient Servant,

M.S. MATHARU,

MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH.

JANUARY. 1972.



CHESTNUT URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

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W.S. MATHEW,

MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH.

JANUARY, 1926.

SECTION 1. - Staff.

TABLE A.

Name of Officer	Nature of Appointment	Date of Appointment	Qualifications	Any Other Appts.
David John TURNER	PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR	1st. June. 1955.	Cert. of the Royal Society of Health Meat & Other Food Cert. Royal Soc. of Health.	-
Brendan Paul CULLINANE	ADDITIONAL PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR.	14th. Sept. 1970.	Diploma of Public Health Inspectors Education Board.	-

SECTION II.

Amount of shipping entering the district during the year.

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SHIPS FROM	NUMBER	TONNAGE	Number Inspected		NO. OF SHIPS REPORTED AS HAVING OR HAVING HAD DURING THE VOYAGE INFECTIOUS DISEASE ON BOARD.
			By the Medical Officer of Health.	By the Public Health Inspector.	
FOREIGN PORTS	32	15,122	-	29	-
COAST-WISE	58	28,949	-	2	-
TOTAL :	90	44,071	-	31	-

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FOREIGN PORTS	25	12,122	-	29	-
COAST-WISE	28	28,949	-	2	-
TOTAL :	53	41,071	-	31	-

SECTION III - Character of Shipping
and trade during the year.

TABLE C.

PASSENGER TRAFFIC	(Number of passengers (Number of passengers	INWARDS - OUTWARDS -
CARGO TRAFFIC	(Principal IMPORTS (Principal EXPORTS	- Fertilisers, Sand, Raw Talc, Timber, Ferro-Chrome. - Fertilisers, Steel Scrap.
Principal Ports from which ships arrive		- Dutch, French & German

SECTION V - Water Supply.

The whole of the district is supplied with a piped water supply by the Gwent Water Board. All water is suitably treated and routine samples are taken for both chemical and bacteriological examination to ensure that a satisfactory standard of purity is maintained.

SECTION VI - Public Health.
(Ships) Regulations. 1952.

RADIO MESSAGES.

Arrangements are made for direct radio-telephonic communication with either the Sharpness or Barry Ports for the assistance of Trinity House Pilots to enter Port.

Ships are also in direct telephonic communication with Medport Limited via Ilfracombe Radio Station, if required.

MOORING STATIONS.

No such "mooring stations" are available at the Port of Chepstow. If the necessity ever arises due to the arrival of an infected ship or a suspected ship, it will be necessary to divert such vessels to Portishead.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

Hospital accommodation for infectious diseases is provided at the Allt-yr-yn Hospital, Newport, or to such other hospitals as directed by the Welsh Regional Hospital Board.

SECTION VII - Smallpox.

In the event of smallpox cases entering the Port of Chepstow, instructions will have to be taken from the Welsh Regional Hospital Board as to the arrangements for Hospital accommodation to which smallpox cases will have to be sent, arrangements for the transport of such cases to that hospital and the facilities to be made available for laboratory diagnosis of smallpox.

SECTION III - Operation of Shipping
and Trade during the year.

TABLE C.

PASSENGERS	TYPIC	(Number of passengers)	
		IMPORTS	EXPORTS
CARGO TONNAGE		(Principal Imports)	(Principal Exports)
		- Fertilizers, Sand, New Talc, Timber, Ferro-Chrome, Fertilizers, Steel Scrap.	- Dutch, French & German

SECTION V - Water Supply.

The whole of the district is supplied with a piped water supply by the Great Water Works. All water is suitably treated and routine samples are taken for both chemical and bacteriological examination to ensure that a satisfactory standard of purity is maintained.

SECTION VI - Public Health.
(Ship) Regulations, 1925.

RADIO MESSAGES.

Arrangements are made for direct radio-telephonic communication with either the Sharnbrook or Barry Ports for the assistance of Trinity House Pilots to enter Port.

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The Ministry of Health's Panel of Smallpox Consultants available for this area if needed is as follows :-

Dr. E. Waddington, Pembroke House, St. Winifred's Hospital, Romilly Crescent, Cardiff.

Dr. G.F.J. Thomas, St. David's Hospital, Cardiff.

Dr. M.S. Pathy, "Mathern", Cefn Coed Crescent, Cardiff.

Dr. F.J. Doherty, Aberanman Uchaf, Aberdare, Glam.

SECTION IX - Cases of Notifiable and other infectious diseases on ships.

TABLE D.

CATEGORY	DISEASE	No. of cases during the year.		NO. OF SHIPS CONCERNED.
		PASSENGERS	CREW	
Cases which have occurred on ships from foreign ports but have been disposed of before arrival.	-	-	-	-
Cases landed from ships from foreign ports.	-	-	-	-
Cases landed from other ships.	-	-	-	-

SECTION XII - Measures against rodents in ships from foreign ports.

This section does not apply since the Port of Chepstow is not an "approved port" for the issue of Deratting Exemption Certificates.

SECTION XIII - Inspection of Ships for Nuisances.

TABLE G.
Inspections and Notices.

Nature and Number of Inspections	Notices Served		Result of Serving Notices.
	Statutory Notices	Other Notices	
	N I L		

The Ministry of Health's Form of Sanitary Certificate available for this use is as follows :-

Dr. E. Waddington, Pembroke House, St. Winifred's Hospital, Beatty Crescent, Cardiff.
 Dr. G. V. L. Thomas, St. David's Hospital, Cardiff.
 Dr. M. E. Harty, "Wentworth", Coth Road Crescent, Cardiff.
 Dr. F. J. Roberts, Aberystwyth Road, Aberystwyth, Glam.

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