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COUNTY BOROUGH OF BARROW-IN-FURNESS

ANNUAL REPORT OF MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH, 1969

SECTION I - STAFF

TABLE A

Name of Officer	Nature of Appointment	Date of Appointment	Qualifications	Any other Appointments held
Dr. D. J. Boberts	Port Medical Officer	Until 18.5.69	M.A., M.B., B.Chir., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H.	Medical Officer of Health
Dr. A. W. Hay	Port Nedical Officer	8.9.69	M.B., B.S., D.P.H.	Medical Officer of Health
Dr. P. A. Gardner	Deputy Port Medical Officer	Until 14.8.69	L.A.H., D.P.H.	Deputy Medical Officer of Health
Dr. J. H. Jackson	Deputy Port Medical Officer	15.8.69	L.R.C.P. (1) & L.M. L.R.C.S. (1) & L.M. D.P.H.	Deputy Medical Officer of Health

Address of the Port Medical Officer: Health Department, Hardy Street, Barrow-in-Furness.

Telephone No.: Barrow-in-Furness 24437.

SECTION II - AMOUNT OF SHIPPING ENTERING

THE DISTRICT BURDER THE

YEAR

TABLE - B

			Number Insp	pected	Number of older nemerical	
Ships From Number		Tonnage	By the Medical Officer of Health	By the Public Health Inspector	Number of ships reported as having, or having had during the voyage, infec- tious disease on board.	
Foreign Ports	76	65,011	NII.	21	NIL	
Coastwise	152	136,555	NIL	7	NIL	
Total	226	201,566	NXL	28	NIL	

SECTION III - CHARACTER OF SHIPPING

AND TRADE DURING THE YEAR

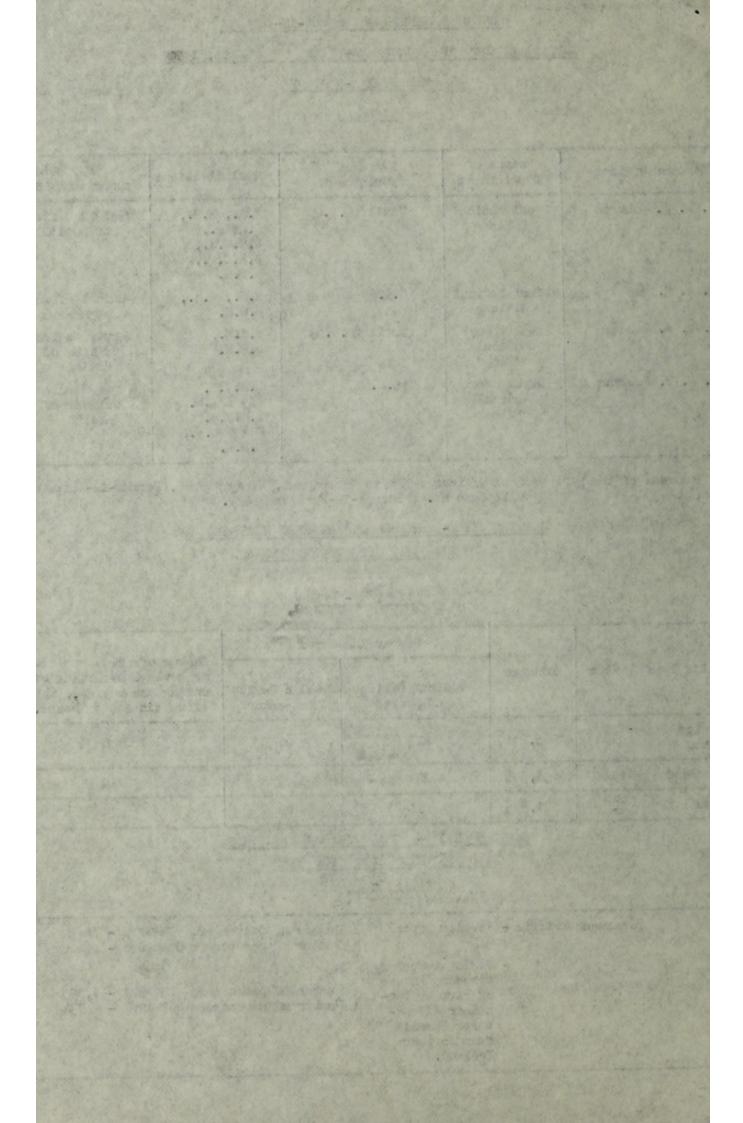
TABLE - C

Passenger Traffic - Foreign Ports

(Number of passengers INWARDS - 34-(Number of passengers CUTWARDS - 6

- During temporary three month use of Port by Container / Passenger Ferries from Northern Ireland.

(Number of passengers INWARDS - 1,093 (Number of passengers OUTWARDS - 734



Cargo Traffic

Principal IMPORTS - Woodpulp, Perlite, Irradiated fuel, Pig iron, Machinery and General Gargo in Containers.

Principal EXPORTS - Ingot moulds, Bricks, Scrap metal Machinery, Irradiated fuel.

PRINCIPAL PORTS from which ships arrive: - Ansio, Ardrossam, Belfast, Dublin, Glasgow, Hamina, Helsinborg, Heysham, Musum, Kemi, Kotka, Larne, Larvick, Liverpool, Manchester, Mantyluoto, No-I-Rana, Oristano, Oulu, Pembroke, Preston, Tofte and Udevalla.

SECTION IV - INLAND BARGE TRAFFIC

There is no inland barge traffic within the district.

SECTION V - WATER SUPPLY

(2) Twelve samples of the mains water supply in the vicinity of the docks were taken during the year by the Furness Water Board for bacteriological examination. The results were satisfactory.

SECTION VI - PUBLIC HEALTH (SHIPS) REGULATIONS, 1952

No Change.

SECTION VII - SHALLPOX

(1) Names of Isolation Hospitals to which smallpox cases are sent from the district:-

Elswick Leys Smallpox Hospital, Blackpool. Ainsworth Smallpox Hospital, Bury. Sankey Hospital, Warrington.

- (2) Arrangements have been made to remove all such cases by Corporation ambulances to the hospital. Members of the ambulance crews have been vaccinated recently.
 - (3) Names of smallpox consultants available: -

Dr. D. C. Liddle, Monsall Isolation Hospital, Newton Heath, Manchester, 10.

Dr. E. R. Peirce, Port Health Offices, Pier Head, Liverpool, 3.

Prof. A. B. Semple, Public Health Department, Gordon House, Belmont Grove, Liverpool, 6.

(4) Public Health Laboratory - Liverpool, Manchester and Preston.

SECTION VIII - VENERGAL DISEASE

No Change.

SECTION IX - CASES OF NOTIFIABLE AND OTHER INFECTIOUS DISEASES ON SHIPS TABLE D

Number of cases Number of during the year Disease ships Category Crew concerned Passengers Cases landed from ships NA1 MAL N4.1 NAL from foreign ports Cases which have occurred on ships from foreign ports HA1 NAL 1951 N4.1 but have been disposed of before arrival Cases landed from other ships N41 Nil N11 1111

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SECTION X - OBSERVATIONS ON THE OCCURENCE OF MALARIA IN SHIPS

Nomlaria occurred during the year.

SECTION XI - MEASURES TAKEN AGAINST SHIPS INFECTED

WITH OR SUSPECTED FOR PLAGUE

No vessels arrived at the port either plague infected or plague suspected. No vessels from plague infected ports during the year.

SECTION XII - MEASURES AGAINST RODENTS IN

SHIPS FROM FOREIGN PORTS

All vessels from foreign ports entering the port, are where necessary, systematically inspected by the Port Health Officers to ascertain the degree of rodent infestation on board.

A macroscopic examination of rats caught is carried out whenever possible by the Medical Officer and Port Health Officers. There were no rats sent for bacteriological examination during the year.

Arrangements have been made when necessary, for the deratting of ships by means of Hydrogen Cyanide to be carried out by a commercial contractor, Mesars. Hivey Fumigation Co. Ltd., 15 Cheapside, Liverpool.

It has not been found necessary to carry out any rat-proofing of ships during the year.

TABLE E

Rodents destroyed during the year in ships from foreign ports - NIL

TABLE F

DERATTING CERTIFICATES AND DERATTING EXEMPTION CERTIFICATES ISSUED DURING THE YEAR FOR SHIPS PROM

FOREIGN PORTS

No. of Deratting Certificates Issued					Number of Derat-	Total
After	ter funigation with After		After	Total	ting Exemption Certificates	Certifi- cates
HCH	Other funigant	trapping	poisoning	TOTAL	Issued	Issued
NAL	Nil	Nal	Nil	Ril	13	13

1 of the above-mentioned Certificates was issued following examination of a vessel at the Port of Heysham and 1 following an examination at the Port of Floetwood.

SECTION XIII - INSPECTIONS OF SHIPS FOR MUISANCES

TABLE G - INSPECTIONS AND NOTICES

Nature and Number of Inspections		Notice served		Results of
		Statutory Notices	Other Notices	Serving Notices
Routine Inspections and re-inspections	29	NAL	1 verbal inti- mation to Master	Nuisances absted prior to vessels leaving port.
Total	29	Nil	1	

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SECTION XIV - PUBLIC HEALTH (SHELL-FISH) REGULATIONS, 1934 & 1948

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SECTION XVI - MISCELLANEOUS

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