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COLCHESTER (COLCHESTER DIVISION) PORT HEALTH AUTHORITY.

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Table A. Staff : No changes. Section 1.

Table B. Shipping entering the Port during the year.

<u>Ships from</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Tonnage</u>	<u>Inspected by</u>			<u>Port Health Inspector</u>
			<u>M.</u>	<u>O.</u>	<u>H.</u>	
Foreign Ports	193	37,729		nil		7
Coastwise	2143	166,765		nil		94
	2336	204,494		nil		101

No. having had infectious disease on board = Nil.

Table C. Passenger traffic inward and outward = Nil.

Cargo traffic : Principal imports : Clay, coal, timber, petrol, corn, vegetables, and fertilizers.

Principal exports : Gravel, sand, flour and scrap iron.

Principal Ports from which ships arrive :- London, Newcastle, Fur (Denmark)

Miscellaneous ports in Holland, Finland, Sweden, Norway, and Belgium.

Sections 4 to 8 inclusive. As previously

Table D. Section 9. Nil throughout.

Sections 10, 11 and 12. As in 1960 - no changes.

Table E. Nil throughout. Table F. As for 1960.

Table G. Section 13. Inspection of ships for nuisances.

<u>Nature of Inspection</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Notices served</u>		<u>Result of serving Notice</u>
		<u>Statutory</u>	<u>Informal</u>	
For sanitary defects	94	Nil	7	Cleansing and repairs carried out.
Rat infestation	101	Nil	Nil	
Water boats	1	Nil	Nil	

General Remarks :

The main sanitary defects encountered lies in the barge trade but as the older vessels are gradually being withdrawn from use, the position is continually improving.

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