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PORT HEALTH AUTHORITY

A N N U A L R E P O R T

of the

ACTING MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH

FOR

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By

DR. J. L. R. P H I L I P, M.B., Ch.B.

To the Mayor Aldermen and Burgesses of the
B O R O U G H of M A L D O N

MR. MAYOR AND GENTLEMEN,

I beg to present the following report on the
Sanitary condition of the Port of Maldon during 1944.

Amount of Shipping entering the Port during
the year 1944.

TABLE A.

	Number Inspected.	No. Reported Defective.	No. of Orders Issued.
Foreign Steamers	Nil	Nil	Nil
Foreign Motor	Nil	Nil	Nil
Foreign Sailing	Nil	Nil	Nil
Foreign Fishing	Nil	Nil	Nil
Total Foreign	Nil	Nil	Nil
Steamers	2	Nil	Nil
Motor	52	Nil	Nil
Sailing	52	Nil	Nil
Fishing	-	Nil	Nil
Total Coastwise	54	Nil	Nil
Total Foreign and Coastwise	54	Nil	Nil

/ Includes mechanically propelled vessels other than
steamers.

TABLE C AND D.

There is nothing to report under these
headings.

V. MEASURES AGAINST RODENTS.

(1) Deratization or Deratization Exemption
Certificates of vessels inspected are examined.

(2) Foreign-going vessels very rarely lie at
quays. No trouble with rats has ever been experienced.

To the Hon. the Secretary of the

U. S. Department of the Interior

Washington, D. C.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst.

and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

Wm. H. Hunt

Special Agent in Charge

U. S. Department of the Interior

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(3) (a) There are no facilities in the Port for deratization of ships.

(b) There are no rat-infested premises in the vicinity of the quays.

(4) The Sanitary Inspector for the Borough and the Port stevedores have been instructed to report the occurrence of rats in the vicinity of the Port.

(5) No special measures of rat-proofing have been found necessary.

TABLES E AND F.

No rats have been destroyed during 1944 on board vessels. A few have been killed on shore by private individuals. None by the Port Sanitary Authority.

TABLES G, H AND I.

There is nothing to report under these headings.

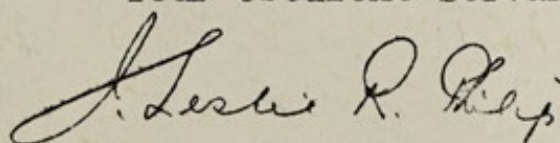
HYGIENE OF CREWS' SPACES.

TABLE J.

Nation- ality of Vessel.	Number inspected during 1944.	Defects of Original Construction.	Structural Defects through wear and tear.	Diet, Vermin and other conditions prejudicial to health.
British	54	None.		None.
Other Nations,	None.	None.		None.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,



Acting Medical Officer of Health.

