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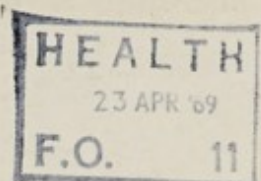
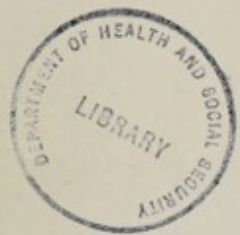
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TEIGNMOUTH PORT HEALTH AUTHORITY

ANNUAL REPORT
of the
MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH
and the
CHIEF PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR
for 1968

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SECTION 1 - Staff

TABLE A

Name of Officer	Nature of Appointment	Date of Appointment	Qualifications	Any other Appointments held
Dr. H.M.Davies	Port Medical Officer	10th July, 1953	M.A., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., D.P.H.	Medical Officer of Health: Ashburton U.D.C. Dawlish U.D.C. Newton Abbot R.D.C. Newton Abbot U.D.C. Teignmouth U.D.C. Assistant County Medical Officer: Devon County Council
P. Langston	Port Health Inspector	1st April, 1959	M.A.P.H.I., Cert.S.I.E.J.B., Cert. Meat Inspector.	Public Health Inspector and Housing Officer: Teignmouth U.D.C.
K. Davies	Assistant Port Health Inspector	1st November, 1967	Cert.P.H.I.E.B., Dip. M.& F.	Assistant Public Health Inspector: Teignmouth U.D.C.

SECTION 11 - Amount of shipping entering the district during the year

TABLE B

Ships from	Number	Tonnage	Number Inspected		Number 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	247	58,337	3	136	Nil
Coastwise	347	88,600	7	224	Nil
Total:	594	146,937	10	360	Nil

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SECTION 111 - Character of shipping and trade during the year

TABLE C

PASSENGER TRAFFIC	Number of passengers INWARDS	...
	Number of passengers OUTWARDS	...

This is not a port approved under the Aliens Order, 1920

CARGO TRAFFIC	Principal IMPORTS:	Coal, Timber, Tiles, Fertilizer, Grain (Animal Foodstuffs), Fruit Pulp, Hardboard and Potatoes.
	Principal EXPORTS:	Clay and Scrap Metal.

PORTS from which Ships arrive

Amsterdam, Antwerp, Bayonne, Bilbao, Bremen, Brest, Caen, Calais, Capella, Cherbourg, Concarneau, Dieppe, Dordrecht, Duvarnenez, Dunkirk, Fecamp, Gijon, Granville, Ghent, Gruvon, Guernsey, Hamburg, Hamina, Honfleur, Kasko, Kemi, Kiel, Kotka, Le Guildo, Le Havre, La Pallice, Morlaix, Nantes, Pafajef, Pelluden, Pontrieux, Quimper, Randers, Roscoff, Rotterdam, Rouen, Rumpst, Santander, St. Brieuc, St. Helier, St. Malo, St. Nazaire, St. Peter Port, Scheveningen, Treguir, Treport, Uddeualla, Zaandam.

COASTWISE

Amble, Appledore, Ardrossan, Avonmouth, Barnstaple, Barrow, Barrydock, Belfast, Bideford, Birkenhead, Blyth, Bridgwater, Bridport, Bristol, Cardiff, Charlestown, Coleraine, Cork, Cowes, Dartmouth, Dover, Dublin, Dundalk, Dungarven, Exmouth, Falmouth, Felixstowe, Flushing, Fowey, Galway, Garston, Glasgow, Goole, Grangemouth, Greenock, Great Yarmouth, Ipswich, Hayle, Hull, Kilkeel, Kilrush, Kinsale, Lancaster, Limerick, Littlehampton, Liverpool, London, Londonderry, Manchester, Middlesbrough, Milford Haven, Mostyn, Newhaven, Newport, New Ross, Par, Penzance, Plymouth, Poole, Portsmouth, Preston, Runcorn, Sharpness, Shoreham, Silloth, Southampton, Swansea, Totnes, Truro, Waterford, Weymouth.

SECTION 1V - Inland barge traffic

Numbers and tonnage using the district and places served by the traffic - Nil.

SECTION V - Water supply

No change.

SECTION VI - Public Health (Ships) Regulations, 1952

No change.

SECTION VII - Smallpox

1. The Isolation Hospital to which Smallpox cases will be sent from the district, is the Smallpox Hospital, Liskeard, Cornwall. Tel. No. 2385.
2. Transport arrangements will be made by the Plymouth Ambulance Service. Tel. No. 64101.
3. The following Consultant is available as and when necessary:-

Dr. W.H.St.John-Brooks,
West Cornwall Hospital,
Penzance, Cornwall.

Tel. No. Penzance 2382

4. Specimens for laboratory diagnosis will be sent to the:-

Virus Reference Laboratory,
Central Public Health Laboratory,
Colindale Avenue,
London, N.W.9.

SECTION VIII - Venereal Disease

No change.

SECTION IX - Cases of notifiable and other infectious diseases on ships

No cases of notifiable and other infectious diseases were reported during the year.

SECTION X - Observations on the occurrence of malaria in ships

No cases of malaria were notified during the year.

SECTION XI - Measures taken against ships infected with or suspected for plague

No action was necessary under this section.

SECTION XII - Measures against rodents in ships from foreign ports

1. Procedure for inspection of ships for rats
Enquiries are made from Masters of vessels using the Port, by the Public Health Inspector, regarding the presence of rats.
2. Arrangements for the bacteriological or pathological examination of rodents, with special reference to rodent plague, including the number of rodents sent for examination during the year.

Facilities are available for the bacteriological examination of rodents at the Public Health Laboratory, Exeter. No rodents were sent for examination during the year.

3. Arrangements in the district for deratting ships, the methods used, and, if done by a commercial contractor, the name of the contractor.

A ship requiring deratting can now be dealt with at Teignmouth.

4. Progress in the rat-proofing of ships.

No action was taken in this matter at Teignmouth during 1968.

Rodents destroyed during the year in ships from foreign ports

No rats were destroyed at Teignmouth during 1968, in ships from foreign ports.

Deratting Certificates and Deratting Exemption Certificates issued during the year for ships from foreign ports

No Deratting Certificates were issued during 1968. Forty-one Deratting Exemption Certificates were issued during 1968.

SECTION XIII - Inspection of ships for nuisances

Inspections and Notices

One hundred and thirty-six inspections were carried out during 1968 of ships from foreign ports. One informal Notice was served.

SECTION XIV - Public Health (Shell-fish)
Regulations, 1934 and 1948

No change.

SECTION XV - Medical Inspection of Aliens

Not applicable to this Authority.

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A ship requiring assistance can now be dealt with as follows:

1. Procedure in the event of a ship requiring assistance.

No action was taken in this matter at Jeddah during 1968.

Ships destroyed during the year in ships from foreign ports.

No ships were destroyed at Jeddah during 1968, in ships from foreign ports.

Ships from foreign ports and ships from Jeddah during 1968.

The year for ships from foreign ports.

No ships from foreign ports were issued during 1968. Forty-one

Ships from foreign ports were issued during 1968.

SECTION 2 - Inspection of ships from foreign ports.

Ships from foreign ports and ships from Jeddah.

The number and value of ships from foreign ports were carried out during 1968 of

ships from foreign ports. The total value was carried.

SECTION 3 - Ships from Jeddah (1968-1969).

Ships from Jeddah, 1968 and 1969.

No change.

SECTION 4 - Ships from Jeddah (1968-1969).

No change in the number.

