

Offences in connection with infected places.

17. If any animal, hide, skin, hair, wool, horn, hoof, offal, carcase, meat, dung, hay, straw, litter, or other thing is moved in contravention of the rules of this Act with respect to infected places, any person moving the same, or causing the same to be moved, shall be deemed guilty of an offence against this Act.

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Movement through infected places allowed.

18. The provisions of this Act with respect to infected places shall not restrict the moving of any animal or thing by railway through an infected place, such animal or thing not being detained within the infected place.

Powers and duties of Constables.

19. Any constable may proceed as follows: He may apprehend any person found committing an offence against the provisions of this Act with respect to infected places, and he shall take any person so apprehended, as soon as conveniently may be, before a Justice of the Peace to be examined and dealt with according to law; and a person so apprehended shall not be detained in custody by any constable without the order of a justice longer than is necessary for bringing him before a justice, or than twenty-four hours at longest. He may require that any animals or thing moved out of an infected place in contravention of those provisions be forthwith taken back within the limits of that place, and may enforce and execute such requisition.

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How places shall cease to be infected.

20. The Governor may, at any time, by order, declare any place to be free from contagious disease; and thereupon, as from the time specified in this behalf in the order of the Governor, the place shall cease to be an infected place.

21. An order of the Governor relative to an infected place shall supersede any order of a local authority inconsistent with it.

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Inspector may give notice to occupiers of lands, &c., adjoining infected places. Effect of notice.

22. Where, under this Act, an inspector makes a declaration which constitutes a place an infected place, he may also, if the circumstances of the case appear to him so to require, deliver a notice under his hand of such declaration to the occupiers of all lands and buildings adjoining thereto, any part whereof respectively lies within one mile of the boundaries of the infected place in any direction, and thereupon the provisions of this Act with respect to infected places shall, apply and have effect to and in respect of those lands and buildings as if the same were actually within the limits of the infected place.

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Penalty for entering an infected place in contravention of notice.

23. Where a person having cattle in his possession or keeping within the district wherein contagious disease exists, affixes at the entrance to a building or enclosed place in which such cattle are kept, a notice forbidding persons to enter into that building or place without his permission, then, if any person not having a right of entry or way into that building or place, enters into the same, or any part thereof, in contravention to the notice, he shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding *twenty dollars*.

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Duty of common carriers with respect to animals.

24. Every steamboat company, railway company and other company, and every person carrying animals for hire to or in Canada, shall thoroughly cleanse and disinfect, in such manner as the Governor may from time to time by order in Council direct, all steamers, vessels, boats, pens, carriages, trucks, horse-boxes, and vehicles used by such company or person for the carrying of animals.

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2. If any company or person on any occasion fails to comply with the requirements of any such order, in Council, such company or person shall, on every such occasion, be deemed guilty of an offence against this Act.

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