

the Department can assume no responsibility for untoward effects following their use.

Anthrax vaccines are prepared at the Biological Laboratory and are supplied only through the office of the Veterinary Director-General to qualified veterinarians. They are sold at their approximate cost or five cents per dose. Full instructions for their use accompany each shipment.

**Anthrax in Man.**—In man anthrax is usually seen as a local infection in the skin and nearby tissues. The persons most liable to infection are those who come in contact with diseased or dead animals. Veterinarians, herders, butchers, and labourers who work on hides, hair, bristles, or wool are most commonly victims of accidental infection. Intestinal infection is rarely seen in man although an infection of the lungs may take place from the inhalation of infected dust.

Anyone suspicious of being infected with anthrax should consult a physician without delay in order that a proper diagnosis may be made and suitable treatment applied. The treatment usually consists of the surgical removal of the local point of infection or the treatment with a serum prepared for this disease.

Veterinarians, farmers and others who have reason to suspect the existence of Anthrax are compelled, under the Animal Contagious Diseases Act, to promptly notify the Minister of Agriculture, the Veterinary Director-General, or the nearest Veterinary Inspector.