

- (8.) That the Agents-General for the several colonies be asked to appoint one (*i.e.*, the same) qualified veterinary surgeon at each port of shipment, to examine all stock intended to be exported to any of the colonies; such veterinary surgeon to give a certificate of health to accompany the animals.
- (9.) That animals intended to be introduced into any of the colonies, and all other animals on board the same vessel, be examined at the port of shipment by the veterinary surgeon appointed by the colonies, and be accompanied by a certificate from him that they are all free from infection, and that in their case the regulations have been complied with.
- (10.) That the skins of all animals which may have died or been slaughtered on board any foreign vessel during the voyage, and not destroyed or thrown overboard, be salted and securely packed in cases or casks, and not landed except for transhipment under the supervision of an Inspector.
- (11.) That a joint declaration be obtained from the captain of the vessel and attendant of the stock as to the health of foreign stock on board on arrival in port.
- (12.) That all stock intended for ship's use and all dogs arriving by any foreign vessel shall, within forty-eight hours of their arrival in port, be either removed to quarantine or killed under the supervision of an Inspector.

The carcases of any cattle, sheep, or pigs so killed may by instructions of an Inspector, and under his supervision, be sold and delivered ashore.

- (13.) That foreign animals intended to be landed in the colonies be examined on arrival by a veterinary surgeon and an Inspector of Stock, who shall report to the Chief Inspector of Stock whether or not such or any other animals on board such vessels are infected.
- (14.) That if foreign animals (except camels) are infected they be destroyed or disposed of as the Minister directs.
- (15.) That camels found on arrival to be infected with scab be dressed as the Chief Inspector directs.
- (16.) That if foreign animals are not prohibited, and are reported free from infection, and if the Chief Inspector be satisfied that they are not infected, they may, after being washed and disinfected when necessary as he shall direct, be landed for quarantine on sufficient bond and guarantee.
- (17.) That all foreign animals be conveyed by water, at the owners' risk and expense, to quarantine, and remain for the terms respectively prescribed for the different kinds of animals, at their owners' risk and expense, and that they be washed, dipped, or disinfected, as the Chief Inspector of Stock shall direct.
- (18.) That the quarantine for the several animals shall date from the day of landing, and shall be as follows:—
 - (a.) For horses, fourteen days.
 - (b.) For cattle, sheep, pigs, goats, deer, antelopes, llamas, and any other ruminants, sixty days.
 - (c.) For camels, ninety days.
 - (d.) For dogs, six months.
- (19.) That all foreign sheep landed in the colonies forthwith receive two or more dressings with tobacco and sulphur, or with lime and sulphur.
- (20.) That, on the expiry of the term of quarantine prescribed for foreign animals, they be examined by a qualified veterinary surgeon and an Inspector of Stock, and released on the order of the Chief Inspector.

10. That dogs be quarantined in the Government quarantine-grounds only.

11. That no foreign stock nor skins be transhipped without the permission in writing of an Inspector, and that no foreign stock be put on board any Australasian vessel unless such stock has undergone quarantine, and the regulations referring to foreign stock have otherwise been complied with.

12. That foreign stock, and the stalls and pens used by them, and the attendants' clothes and effects, on board a foreign vessel in any Australasian port be disinfected as the Chief Inspector may direct.

13. That Australasian stock coming into direct or indirect contact with foreign stock, or with infected stock, be deemed foreign or infected stock.

14. That if the Inspector at the port of arrival is doubtful as to the freedom of any stock from infection he may temporarily detain them on board ship, or remove them to some other vessel for a period not exceeding forty-eight hours, at the owners' expense, where they may be dressed or disinfected as the Inspector may direct.

15. That all stock during the period of quarantine be under the surveillance of a qualified veterinary surgeon.

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16. That no colony be deemed to be a clean colony in which scab exists or has existed within the next preceding two years, and no sheep nor sheepskins shall be introduced except from a clean colony.

17. That no sheep shall be imported by vessels that have traded to any but a clean Australasian colony within the next preceding three months, nor by any vessel which shall within that period have had any sheep on board from any colony or country other than a clean Australasian colony; and the captain of the vessel shall, when required, make a declaration to that effect.

18. That no stock, other than sheep, shall be imported by vessels that have, within the next preceding three months, had on board any infected stock, or any stock from any colony or country