

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE

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CONTROL OF LIVESTOCK

A new Order*, amending the Livestock (Control) Order, 1942, has been made by the Minister of Agriculture. It confers powers upon the Devon and Flint County War Agricultural Executive Committees to enable them to deal with the problem of straying cattle, sheep, goats, horses, asses and ponies, which has given rise to considerable difficulty on Dartmoor and the Halkyn Mountain area respectively. The new Order covers the following scheduled areas:—

In the Administrative County of Devon:—

The Parishes of Okehampton Hamlets	South Brent
Belstone	Harford
South Tawton	Cornwood
Throwleigh	Shaugh Prior
Gidleigh	Sheepstor
Chagford	Meavy
North Bovey	Walkhampton
Manaton	Sampford Spiney
Widecombe-in-the-Moor	Whitchurch
Holne	Marytavy
West Buckfastleigh	Bridestowe
Dean Prior	Sourton

In the Administrative County of Flint:—

The Urban District of Holywell	
The Parishes of Brynford	
Ysceifiog	Halkyn
Whitford	Northop

In these areas animals turned on to unenclosed land are required to be conspicuously marked with a mark indicating the identity of the owner. The mark must be registered with the County War Agricultural Executive Committee. Unmarked animals found upon unenclosed land, or animals whose mark has not been registered with the Committee and all animals found straying from such unenclosed land may be seized and sold.

*The Livestock (Control) (Amendment) Order, 1944, S.R. & O. 1944 No. 78.