

residing on such premises and under the control of such owner or occupier if the Health Officer or a Sanitary Inspector is of opinion that such person has been in contact with any one suffering from small-pox.

20. The Health Officer or a Sanitary Inspector may forbid any person who has been a patient or who has to his knowledge been in contact with a patient to act as vendor of any article for such period as may be specified in the order.

21. No person shall sell any article which has been in contact with a patient until it has been disinfected to the satisfaction of the Health Officer or a Sanitary Inspector.

22. The Health Officer or a Sanitary Inspector may issue general orders that by a specified date certain sanitary precautions of a simple nature, such as lime-washing of houses, clearing of latrines or the removal of filth or rubbish shall be carried out to his satisfaction.

23. The Health Officer or a Sanitary Inspector may prohibit persons from retaining or selling clothes taken from the bodies of persons who have died of small-pox and may cause any such clothes to be destroyed.

24. No person shall carry or permit to be carried in a public conveyance a patient except in the case where a patient is carried with proper precautions to a hospital.

25. No person shall expose in any street, shop, bazar or any public place any clothing, bedding or other article which has been in contact with a patient or shall cause or suffer such articles to be carried in any public conveyance, but nothing in this regulation shall apply to a person who transmits with proper precautions against spreading the disease any such article for the purpose of having the same disinfected.

26. No person shall carry or permit to be carried in a public conveyance the dead body of any person who has died of small-pox without the previous written permission of the Health Officer or the Sanitary Inspector, and without taking proper precautions against spreading the said disease.

27. No person shall, without the written permission of the Health Officer or a Sanitary Inspector dispose of any corpse except by burning or burial.

28. The Health Officer or a Sanitary Inspector may approve burning or burial grounds and may by order direct either generally or specially in respect to any specified area, that corpses shall not be burnt or buried at places other than those so approved by him.

29. Any person burning or causing to be burnt any corpse shall cause the same to be completely reduced to ashes, and shall likewise cause the clothes or other articles brought with such corpse to be reduced to ashes.

30. The Health Officer or a Sanitary Inspector may direct that no person shall bury or cause to be buried any corpse which, in the opinion of the Health Officer, is likely to spread small-pox in a grave not constructed of a masonry or less than six feet deep.

31. The Health Officer or a Sanitary Inspector may order that no *dome* or other servant of the Municipality employed for the disposal of corpses shall withdraw from his duties without the permission of the Health Officer or a Sanitary Inspector unless such *dome* or other servant of the Municipality has given notice in writing not less than one month previously of his intention so to withdraw.

32. The Health Officer or a Sanitary Inspector may through any person authorised by such officer or inspector in that behalf seize and dispose of any corpse, which in the opinion of the said officer or inspector, is infected with or is likely to spread small-pox unless the relatives or friends of the deceased person satisfy him that they are prepared and able to dispose of the corpse in a manner which will prevent the spread of small-pox.

33. (1) The Health Officer or a Sanitary Inspector may require any person who appears to be acquainted with facts in connection with any case or suspected case of small-pox to attend before him at a time to be stated in the order and at any place not more than one mile from the place where such person resides or is staying when the order is issued, and such person shall appear as so required.

(2) When the person summoned to appear under paragraph (1) is a female who, by the custom of the country, does not appear in public, suitable precaution shall be taken to respect the said custom.

34. (1) The Health Officer or a Sanitary Inspector may examine orally any person who appears to be acquainted with the facts and circumstances of a case or suspected case of small-pox.

(2) When the person to be examined under paragraph (1) is a female who, by the custom of the country, does not appear in public, the officer shall take her statement under such conditions as shall admit of due respect to the said custom.

(3) Such person shall be bound to answer all questions relating to such case put to him or her by such officer, other than questions the answers to which would have a tendency to expose him or her to any criminal charge.

35. The Health Officer or a Sanitary Inspector may, with such assistants (if any) as he thinks fit, enter upon any land, or after two hours' notice in writing, into any premises or buildings used for human habitation at any time between sunrise and sunset for the purpose of carrying out any measure or making any enquiries authorised by these regulations.

36. The crew of any inland steam-vessel or boat which plies in any canal or river and other persons residing on such vessel or boat shall be subject to these regulations.

37. (1) All vaccinations under these regulations shall be performed gratuitously provided they be done (a) at such public vaccination stations as may be opened by the Municipality or (b) by house to house visits in the case of such females as are by the custom of the country unable to attend at public vaccination stations and are too poor to pay fees.

(2) Persons desirous of being vaccinated in their own houses other than those specially exempted under sub-regulation (1) shall pay a fee of two annas for each vaccination for which they shall get a printed receipt, provided that the total amount of fees payable for any number of operations performed in one family at the same house and at the same time shall not exceed annas eight:

Provided also the Municipal Commissioners at a meeting may, by a resolution direct, vaccination of persons in their own houses to be carried out free of charges.

38. (i) Orders issued by the Health Officer or a Sanitary Inspector under these regulations shall be in writing.

(ii) The Officer issuing such orders shall cause copies of them to be served upon any person named in them.