

Doory, Drumnacur (E.D. Ardelinis), Falrusklin, Foriff, Glassmullen, Greenaghan, Kilmore, Red Bay, Tamlaght, Toberwine, Warren, all in the Barony of Glenarm Lower in the Administrative County of Antrim.

III. *Commencement.*

This Order shall come into operation on the first day of January, 1934.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland is hereunto affixed this fourteenth day of December, nineteen hundred and thirty-three.

(L.S.)

(Signed)

J. Taylor

Assistant Secretary.

Elm Trees and Conifers.

THE IMPORTATION OF ELM TREES AND CONIFERS (PROHIBITION)
(NORTHERN IRELAND) ORDER, 1933, DATED 14TH
NOVEMBER, 1933.

1933. No. 114.

The Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in it under the Destructive Insects and Pests Acts, 1877 and 1907 (40 and 41 Vict., c. 68, and 7 Edw. 7, c. 4), and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, orders, and it is hereby ordered as follows:—

Commencement.

1. This Order shall come into operation on the first day of December, nineteen hundred and thirty-three.

Prohibition of Importation of Elm Trees and Certain Conifers.

2.—(1) For the prevention of the introduction of diseases and pests injurious to elm trees and forest trees the landing in Northern Ireland is hereby prohibited of:—

- (a) Any living plant of the genus specified at (1) in the Schedule hereto from any country outside Ireland.
- (b) Any living plant of any of the genera mentioned at (2) in the Schedule hereto from any country other than Great Britain, the Irish Free State, the Channel Islands, or the Isle of Man.

(2) In this Article "plant" includes tree and shrub and the roots, layers, cuttings and other parts of a plant, but does not include seed.

Restriction on Importation of Plants.

3. The certificates prescribed in Article 4 of the Importation of Plants Order (Northern Ireland), 1933, shall, except in the case

of a consignment consisting wholly of potatoes, include a statement to the effect that the consignment does not include any plant of any of the genera mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

Procedure where Plants are landed in contravention of this Order.

4. If plants mentioned in the Schedule hereto are landed in Northern Ireland in contravention of this Order, they shall forthwith be destroyed or re-exported at the expense of the importer unless they are otherwise disposed of in accordance with the terms of a licence issued by the Ministry or by an Inspector of the Ministry, and any person failing to comply with the terms of a licence granted under this Article shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding ten pounds.

Definitions.

5. In this Order :—

“ Ministry ” means the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland ;

“ Inspector ” means an Inspector or other authorised officer of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland ;

“ Importer ” includes any person who, whether as owner, consignor, or consignee, agent or broker, is in possession of, or in any wise entitled to the custody or control of the article.

Revocation of Order.

6. The Importation of Elm Trees (Prohibition) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1929, is hereby revoked, provided that such revocation shall not—

- (i) affect the previous operation of such Order, or anything duly done or suffered under such Order ; or
- (ii) affect any penalty incurred in respect of any offence committed against such Order, or any legal proceedings in respect of any penalty.

Short Title.

7. This Order may be cited as the Importation of Elm Trees and Conifers (Prohibition) (Northern Ireland) Order, 1933.

In Witness whereof the Official Seal of the Ministry of Agriculture for Northern Ireland is hereunto affixed this fourteenth day of November, nineteen hundred and thirty-three.

(L.S.)

(Signed),

G. S. Robertson,

Secretary.