the United Kingdom, the Isle of Man or any of the Channel Islands to a place in any of those countries or from a place in any of those countries to a place outside those countries and have on or before the abovementioned date been discharged from their importing ship or aircraft, or despatched from the premises in any of the said countries from which they are consigned, as the case may be, or where goods are so discharged or despatched within seven days after the abovementioned date the owners thereof will be entitled under the provisions of Section 3 of the War Risks Insurance Act, 1939, to claim compensation for any loss or damage occasioned to such goods in the United Kingdom, the Isle of Man or any of the Channel Islands in consequence of King's Enemy Risks, if such loss or damage occurs whilst the goods are in transit between the ship or aircraft from which they are discharged and their destination or whilst the goods are in transit from the premises from which they are consigned and the ship or aircraft as the case may be.

3rd September, 1939.

Board of Trade, Great George Street, London, S.W.1.

WAR RISKS INSURANCE ACT, 1939. (PART II).

NOTICE PUTTING INTO OPERATION THE COMMODITY INSURANCE SCHEME.

The Board of Trade in exercise of the powers conferred on them by Section 7 of the War Risks Insurance Act, 1939, hereby put into operation a scheme whereby the Board undertake, in relation to persons carrying on business in the United Kingdom as sellers of goods, the liabilities of insuring such persons against the King's enemy risks in respect of goods insurable under Part II of the said Act which are from time to time owned by such persons in the course of such business.

Any liability of the Board of Trade as insurers under the scheme will be determined by a policy of insurance issued in such form and in respect of such period as is prescribed by order of the Board of Trade.

The premium payable under a policy so issued will be at such rate and in respect of such period as is prescribed by order of the Board of Trade.

The amount of any one premium payable under a policy so issued will be not less than such sum as is prescribed by order of the Board of Trade.

Orders prescribing the above matters have been made by the Board and are respectively entituled the War Risks (Commodity Insurance) (No. 1) Order, 1939, and the War Risks (Commodity Insurance) (No. 2) Order, 1939.

Applications for insurance may be made to any of the corporations designated by notice of the Board of Trade dated the 24th August, 1939, as authorised to receive applications for registration under Section 8 of the said Act on forms to be approved by the Board of Trade, and policies of insurance will be issued on behalf of the Board by such corporations, who are further authorised to receive the premiums payable.

Pending the approval by the Board of Trade of forms of application for insurance and during the period of twenty eight days from the date of this notice, a person may apply to be insured (provided that the application relates to all goods insurable under Part II of the Act, which are for the time being owned by him in the course of his business, and is in respect of a sum representing not less than the value of the said goods for the time being) by letter, or on the prescribed form of application for registration under Section 8 of the Act suitably amended, giving his name and address, the nature of his business, and the sum for which he desires to be insured. A remittance for the amount of the premium must accompany the letter or form. In any case, where application for insurance is duly made in accordance with this paragraph, and such application is approved, the policy issued will afford cover, where the application is received on behalf of the Board within ten days from the date declared by the Board to be the date of the outbreak of war, as from the date, and where the application is received after the expiration of the said ten days, as from the date on which it is so received.

The Board of Trade hereby declare 3rd September, 1939 to be the date of the outbreak of war.

Board of Trade, 3rd September, 1939.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION FOR NORTHERN IRELAND.

The Civil Service Commissioners for Northern Ireland hereby announce that Certificates of Qualification have been issued in favour of the following persons:— PRINCIPAL.

7th July, 1939—John Dunlop. VETERINARY INSPECTOR.

31st July, 1939—John McKinnon, Archibald McDougall Fyfe.

ASSISTANT ENGINEER 3rd CLASS.

24th July, 1939—Percy Desmond Francis Tweedie Huss.

CLERK.

- 8th July, 1939—Henry Mussen Magrath. JUNIOR SUPERINTENDENT OF WORKS.
- 2nd September, 1939—Walter John Macauley, Robert James Allen. PRISON OFFICER.
- 2nd September, 1939—Mary Ann Acheson, Mary Brannigan, John Alexander Crowe, Robert Allenby Hamilton, Robert Hegarty, Robert John Marks, Thomas McKinney, James McNeill, George Neeson.

CLERICAL ASSISTANT GRADE II.

4th August, 1939—Elizabeth Jane Stewart Gamble.

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