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FRIDAY, JUNE 2, 1916.

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

RELATING TO THE IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN ARTICLES INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM.

GEORGE R.I.

WHEREAS by Section forty-three of the Customs Consolidation Act, 1876, it is provided that the importation of arms, ammunition, gunpowder, or any other goods may be prohibited by Proclamation:

And whereas by various Proclamations entitled Prohibition of Import Proclamations the importation of certain goods has been prohibited accordingly:

And whereas it is expedient that the importation into the United Kingdom of certain other goods should be prohibited, and the existing prohibition imposed on the importation of certain goods removed:

Now, therefore, We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, in pursuance of the said Act and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby proclaim,, direct and ordain as follows:—

(1) As from and after the eighth day of June 1916, subject as hereinafter provided, the importation into the United Kingdom of the following goods is hereby prohibited, viz.:—

Aluminium, manufactures of. Baths of metal.

Beer.

Carpet sweepers. Cash registers.

Hops.

Lawn mowers.

Leather, manufacturers of, other than belting, boots and shoes, and gloves.

Matches.

Sewing machines.

Stoves and ranges.

Toilet articles containing glycerine.

Wringers and mangles.

Provided always, and it is hereby declared, that this prohibition shall not apply to any such goods which are imported under licence given by or on behalf of the Board of Trade, and subject to the provisions and conditions of such licence.

(2) As from and after the date hereof the prohibition imposed by the Prohibition of Import (No. 5) Proclamation, 1916, on the importation of the following goods shall be removed, and the said Proclamation amended accordingly, viz.:—

Starch, dextrine, farina and potato flour.

This Proclamation may be cited as the Prohibition of Import (No. 6) Proclamation, 1916.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this first day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and in the Seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

Scottish Office, Whitehall,

May 31, 1916.

HE following Address of the Ministers and Elders of the Chamber of Elders of the Church of Scotland, convened in General Assembly, having been transmitted by His Grace the Lord High Commissioner to the Right Honourable Thomas M'Kinnon Wood, His Majesty's Secretary for Scotland. has been by him laid before the King, who was pleased to receive the same very graciously :-

> To the King's Most Excellent MAJESTY.

May it Please Your Majesty,-

WE, Your Majesty's devoted and loyal subjects, met in General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, have received with feelings of profound gratitude the gracious letter sent to us by Your Majesty through His Grace the Lord High Commissioner.

We rejoice that our endeavours for the religious, moral, and social welfare of Your Majesty's subjects in Scotland have gained the approval of Your Majesty, and the knowledge that Your Majesty is deeply interested in our meeting and proceedings will stimulate us to labour with renewed diligence and faithfulness.

We receive with lively gratification the repeated assurance of Your Majesty's constant solicitude for the welfare of the Church of Scotland, and of Your Majesty's resolution to uphold and support it in the full enjoyment of its rights and privileges.

We gratefully accept Your Majesty's generous gift of Two Thousand Pounds, which it will be our care to administer in furtherance of the purposes for which it has been bestowed.

His Grace the Duke of Montrose, whom Your Majesty has commissioned to act as Your Majesty's Representative in our General Assembly, has been most heartily welcomed by us. It is our earnest hope that he will be able to report to Your Majesty that our deliberations have been directed towards the advancement of true religion and the comfort and support of our people amid the tria.s and sorrows which they, in common with the whole Empire, have at present to endure.

The expression of Your Majesty's pride and gratification in view of the spirit in which Your Majesty has been pleased to declare that the people of Scotland have borne the sacrifices entailed upon them in this time of war is very precious to us, and we are deeply moved by the assurance of Your Majesty's unfeigned satisfaction with the zeal of the Ministry of the Churches in Scotland in the performance of their duties at home and abroad, and of Your Majesty's high appreciation of their courage and endurance in facing the perils of war and in ministering to the sick and sorrowful.

Most respectfully do we assure Your Majesty of our unswerving loyalty to Your Majesty's person and throne, of our sincere admiration of the noble example Your Majesty has shown to the Nation of self-denial, fortitude, and devotion amid arduous and trying duties, of our firm persuasion that our cause is righteous, and of our steadfast confidence that the reliant and self-sacrificing efforts of Your Majesty's Forces

and those of our Allies will, by the help of God, be crowned with victory and a lasting peace.

That the blessing of Almighty God may evermore rest on Your Majesty and Your Royal House, and that the Divine Grace and lovingkindness may abound towards Your Majesty, is our most sincere and earnest prayer.

May it Plcase Your Majesty,-We are, ·

> Your Majesty's faithful and loyal subjects the Ministers and Elders of the Church of Scotland, convened in General Assembly.

Signed in our name, in our presence, and at our appointment by-

JOHN BROWN, D.D., Moderator.

Edinburgh, 26th May 1916.

Scottish Office, Whitehall, May 31, 1916.

A LOYAL and Dutiful Address from the General Assembly of the United Free Church of Scotland, having been forwarded to the Secretary for Scotland for presentation to the King, has been presented accordingly to His Majesty, who was pleased to receive the same very graciously.

> Scottish Office, Whitehall, May 30, 1916.

The Secretary for Scotland has been pleased, by Warrant under his hand and seal, bearing date the 29th instant, to appoint Mr. Robert Guy to be Sheriff Clerk of the County of Lanark, in the room of Mr. William Weir Grieve, deceased.

By the Lords Justices General and General Governors of Ireland.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS disaffection and unrest still prevail in certain parts of Ireland, causing anxiety and alarm amongst the peaceful and law abiding subjects of His Majesty:

Now we, the Lords Justices General and General Governors of Ireland, do hereby proclaim that a state of

MARTIAL LAW

shall continue to exist throughout Ireland until further order.

> Given at His Majesty's Castle of Dublin. this 26th day of May 1916.

RICHARD R. CHERRY, L.C.J. J. O. WYLIE.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 23rd day of May 1916.

PRESENT.

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HEREAS on the 20th day of January 1914 an International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea, and for purposes incidental thereto, was duly entered into by His Majesty and the other Signatory Powers more especially referred to and set out in the said Convention:

And whereas a Statute 4 & 5 Geo. V., c. 50, intituled "An Act to make such amendments of the Law relating to Merchant Shipping as are necessary or expedient to give effect to an International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea" (being the Convention above referred to), was passed on the 10th day of August 1914, the short title of which is "The Merchant Shipping (Convention) Act. 1914":

And whereas by Section 29. Sub-section 5. of the said Act. it was provided as follows:—

"This Act shall come into operation on the

1st day of July 1915:

"Provided that His Majesty may, by Order in Council, from time to time postpone the coming into operation of this Act for such period not exceeding on any occasion of postponement one year as may be specified in the Order:"

And whereas by Order in Council dated the 2nd day of June 1915, His Majesty did postpone the coming into operation of the said Act until the 1st day of January 1916:

And whereas by Order in Council dated the 30th day of November 1915. His Majesty did further postpone the coming into operation of the said Act until the 1st day of July 1916:

And whereas His Majesty deems it expedient, owing to a state of war, that the provisions of the Merchant Shipping (Convention) Act, 1914, should be further postponed:

Now, therefore. His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, in pursuance of the powers vested in Him by the above-recited provision, and of all other powers Him thereunto enabling, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that the provisions of the Merchant Shipping (Convention) Act, 1914, shall be postponed from coming into operation until the 1st day of January 1917.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

EXCHEQUER BONDS.

Per Acts 29 Vict. c. 25; 52 Vict. c. 6; and 5 & 6 Geo. V. c. 55.

Bearing Interest from the date of purchase at £5 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly on the 5th April and the 5th October.

Repayable at Par on :-

1. 5th October 1919.

2. 5th October 1921.

Price of Issue fixed by H.M. Treasury at £100 per Cent.

The Governor and Company of the Bank of England are authorised by the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury to receive on the 2nd June 1916, and thereafter until further notice, applications for Exchequer Bonds as above.

The Principal and Interest of the Bonds are chargeable on the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom.

The Bonds will be issued in denominations of £100, £200, £500, £1000, and £5000, and will bear interest at £5 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly by coupon, the first coupon on each Bond representing interest from the date upon which payment for the Bond is made until the next succeeding day on which a half-yearly payment of interest is due.

In the event of future loans (other than issues made abroad or issues of Exchequer Bonds, Treasury Bills, or similar short-dated securities) being raised by His Majesty's Government for the purpose of carrying on the War, Bonds of this issue will be accepted, together with all undue Coupons, as the equivalent of cash to the amount of their face value for the purpose of subscription to any such loan. Interest accrued to the date of the surrender of a Bond will be paid in cash.

Bonds of this issue, and the Interest payable from time to time in respect thereof, will be exempt from all British taxation, present or future, if it is shown in the manner directed by the Treasury that they are in the beneficial ownership of a person who is neither domiciled nor ordinarily resident, in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland. Where a Bond belongs to such a holder, the relative Coupons will be paid without deduction for Income Tax. or other taxes, if accompanied by a declaration of ownership in such form as may be required by the Treasury.

Every application must specify whether the Bonds applied for are to be repayable on the 5th October 1919, or on the 5th October 1921. Two Forms of Application must be used where Bonds of each maturity are required.

Applications for Bonds, which must in every case be accompanied by payment of the full amount payable in respect of the Bonds applied for, may be lodged by hand at the Bank of England. Threadneedle Street, E.C., on any business day between the hours of 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. (Saturdays between 10 a.m. and 12 noon); or they may be forwarded to the Bank through the post. Where payment is made otherwise than in cash or Banker's draft on the Bank of England, the amount of the first interest payment in respect of the relative Bonds will be calculated as from the date on which the proceeds of the payment are actually received by the Bank.

In all cases in which the Bank are asked to forward Bonds by post, the Bonds will be despatched by Registered Post at the risk of the Applicant, who must himself effect any insurance that may be desired.

Bonds of this issue (ex the first Coupon, which will be for interest in respect of a broken period) may be lodged for registration in the books of the Bank of England on payment of a fee of one shilling per Bond. Applicants who intend to register their holdings forthwith should notify the fact on the Form of Application, in which case they will not be required to take delivery of the actual Bonds.

Bonds may be registered in either of the following forms, viz.:—

1. Registered 5 per Cent. Exchequer Bonds, 1919 or 1921. Transferable in the Bank Transfer Books;

2. Registered 5 per Cent. Exchequer Bonds,

1919 or 1921, Transferable by Deed.

Holdings of Registered Bonds, which will be transferable in any sums which are multiples of £5, may be re-converted at any time in whole or in part (in multiples of £100) into Bonds to Bearer with Coupons attached, such re-conversion being effected by means of a transfer executed under the provisions ordinarily applying to the transfer of Government Stocks.

In case of registration the first Coupon, for interest in respect of the broken period, will be detached before Bonds are registered. Such Coupons may, however, be left in the custody of the Bank, in which case a cheque for the amount of the interest payable will be forwarded when due to the Holder, or, in the case of a joint holding, to the first Holder, in whose name the Bonds are originally registered. Subsequent dividends on registered holdings will be paid by warrants, which will be transmitted by post.

Subject to the necessary statutory authority (for which application is being made to Parliament) the dividends on registered Bonds of this issue and on registered Bonds issued under the prospectus dated 16th December 1915, will be paid without deduction of Income Tax. income derived from such dividends will be assessable to Income Tax in the hands of the recipients at the rates of tax appropriate to their respective incomes.

Applications must be made upon the printed forms which may be obtained, together with copies of this Prospectus, at the Bank of England; at the Bank of Ireland; of Messrs. Mullens, Marshall & Co., 13 George Street, Mansion House, E.C.; and at any Bank, Money Order Office, or Stock Exchange in the United

Kingdom.

Bank of England, London, 27th May 1916.

Foreign Office,

May 27, 1916.

CARGOES ON GERMAN AND AUSTRIAN VESSELS IN PORTUGUESE HARBOURS. PORTUGUESE PRIZE COURTS.

With reference to the notification which was published in the London Gazette of the 25th ultimo, a translation is now appended of the Articles of the Portuguese Decree of April 20th, 1916, relating to the release of Allied and Neutral cargoes on German vessels seized by the Portuguese Government.

His Majesty's Minister at Lisbon reports that cargoes on Austrian vessels will be released in the same manner as those on German vessels; and that delivery orders formerly issued by the enemy shipowners to cargo-owners, with a view to the latter taking possession of their goods, will be accepted by the Portuguese authorities as evidence of title.

TRANSLATION.

Regulations with regard to enemy vessels and their cargoes.

Art. 32.—Merchandise belonging to Allies or to neutrals found on board these ships or dis-

charged from them shall be delivered, with or without a guarantee, by the Procurator of the Republic of the respective judicial district, provided always that the Government have the right to requisition it on payment of an indemnity. Delivery shall be requested from that officer within a period of thirty days, without prejudice of postponement authorised by the Ministry of Finance in special cases.

- (1) The guarantee shall always be demanded when the owner is unable to present shipping documents in proper form, there being applicaable to such a case the provisions of the second paragraph of Art. 478 of the Decree of the 31st January 1889.
- (2) The decision of the Procurator of the Republic shall be communicated to the Ministry of Finance, and the order for delivery, should there be one, will be given to the interested party and for all purposes shall take the place of the ordinary Bill of Lading as regards the Custom House or other authorities.

Art. 33.—Should the neutral or friendly character of goods on board an enemy vessel or discharged therefrom not be clearly established, or should the owner not be known, the goods shall be presumed to be enemy property.

Art. 34.—The Prize Court shall decide, in accordance with established procedure, all difficulties which may arise regarding the nationality or regarding the storage, care, or delivery of merchandise referred to in the previous articles.

Art. 35.-The Tribunals of Commerce shall be competent to try and judge prize cases in accordance with Art. 179 of the Commercial Code.

- (1) The judgment shall always be delivered by the Tribunal of Commerce of Lisbon even though the case may have been tried by Colonial Tribunals of Commerce.
- (2) The proceedings shall be in summary form in accordance with the terms of Decree No. 3 of the 29th May 1907, and the judge, should he not be in Lisbon, should conclude the case within the 24 hours stipulated in Art. 10 of the same decree.
- (3) There shall be neither costs nor stamps in these proceedings.

Art. 36.—The State shall be represented before the Prize Courts by the Public Ministry, and the interested party, should he be an enemy or an assignee of one, by the agent appointed to take charge of the cargo, when the case relates to merchandise, or by a lawyer appointed by the judge when the case relates to a ship.

Foreign Office,

May 30, 1916.

The following additions or corrections to the lists published as a supplement to the Edinburgh Gazette of 16th May 1916, of persons to whom articles to be exported to China and Siam may be consigned, are notified by order of the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, in accordance with the provisions of the Proclamation relating to the exportation of articles to China and Siam during the present war, issued on the 24th day of September 1915:-

CHINA.

Foreign Office. (Foreign Trade Dept.) 25th May 1916.

The following names are added to the list of persons and bodies of persons to whom articles to be exported to China may be consigned :-

British Municipal Council, Hankow. Central Insurance Co. Limited. China Commercial Co. (S.S. Somekh). Culty Dairy Co. Limited, Shanghai.

De Mao Heng & Co., Tientsin. Essex & Suffolk Equitable Insurance Society Limited.

Farmer, William, & Co., Canton. Foochow Electric Co., Foochow. Kwang Chi Shiang, Tientsin.

Lester, W. H., Kiukiang.

Liverpool, London, & Globe Insurance Co. Limited.

Mack, J., & Co., Tientsin.

Missionary Home & Agency, Shanghai.

Metropole Café, Tientsin.

National Provincial Plate Glass & General Insurance Co. Limited.

Pang Hing Co., Foochow.

Peking Electric Co. Limited, Peking.

Pengkalan Durian Estate Limited, Shanghai. Price, H., Nanchang.

Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Co. Limited.

Stewardson, R. E., Shanghai.

Sungala Rubber Estate Limited. Tiriolo, C., & Co., Antung.

Tung Chi Dispensary, Shanghai.

The following removal is notified in the list of persons and bodies of persons to whom articles to be exported to China may be consigned :-

Watt, J. A. D., Tientsin.

The following corrections are notified in the list of persons and bodies of persons to whom articles to be exported to China may be con-

Chinese Electric Light and Power Co. should read Peking Chinese Electric Light & Power Co., Peking.

Church Missionary Mission should read Church Missionary Society Mission.

Des Remedios, A.G., should read Dos Remedios A.G.

Hong Kong & Shanghai Bank should read Hong Kong & Shanghai Banking Corpora-

Loan Kung Mow Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co. should read Laon Kung Mow Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co.

Naval College, Pagoda, should read Naval College, Pagoda Anchorage.

Protopapos & Co. should read Protopapas & Co.

Whiteway, Laidlaw & Co. should read Whiteaway, Laidlaw & Co.

SIAM.

Foreign Office. (Foreign Trade Dept.) 26th May 1916.

The following names are added to the list of persons and bodies of persons to whom articles to be exported to Siam may be consigned :-

Chan Kim Kee, Bangkok.

Divan Ahmad Haji Peer Mahomed, Bangkok.

Fook Loong & Co., Bangkok.

Gulam Mydin, Bangkok.

Hajee Sakur Gunny, Bangkok.

Ho Hin, Renong.

Kee E. (Chinese correspondence for Loh Kve

Juay & Co.), Bangkok.

Kim Seng Lee, Bangkok. Kim Tai Seng, Bangkok.

King's College, Bangkok. Kwong Ying Chroung, Bangkok.

Loh Kye Juay & Co. (European correspondence

for É. Kee), Bangkok. Murakami, R., Bangkok.

Springer, N. (Major), Bangkok.

Thakur Singh Ladha Singh, Bangkok.

Yong Nguan, Bangkok.

The following corrections are notified in the list of persons and bodies of persons to whom articles to be exported to Siam may be consigned :-

Heng Heng Guan Seng, also written Heng Hin Guan Seng.

Ho Hin. Substitute for Ban Heng Bee. (This firm having recently changed its name).

The following name is removed from the list of persons and bodies of persons to whom articles to be exported to Siam may be consigned :-

Ban Heng Bee, Renong.

Whitehall. May 27, 1916.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto the undermentioned Officers His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear Decorations (as stated against their respective names) which have been conferred upon them by the President of the French Republic in recognition of valuable services rendered by them:-

Grand Officer of the Legion of Honour.

Lieutenant-General (temporary General) Sir John Grenfell Maxwell, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., C.V.O., D.S.O., Colonel of the Black Watch (Royal Highlanders).

Officer of the Legion of Honour.

Captain (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Gilbert Falkingham Clayton, C.M.G., retired pay (Reserve of Officers), late Royal Artillery.

Chevalier of the Legion of Honour.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel Stewart Francis Newcombe, D.S.O., Royal Engineers:

Second Lieutenant (temporary Lieutenant) William Walford, 2nd County of London ${f Yeomanry}$;

Temporary Captain Thomas Edward Lawrence, Special List.

COAL MINES ACT, 1911.

The Secretary for the Home Department gives notice that on the 15th May 1916 he made an Order entitled "The Safety Lamps Order of the 15th May 1916." in pursuance of Section 33 of the Coal Mines Act, 1911. The effect of the Order is—

(a) to approve the following safety lamps:—
Best's "Excelsior" Lamp, No. 3.
Best's "Gauzeless" Lamps, No. 1 and
No. 1a.
"Prove ick Petent Protection OS" Lamps

"Prestwich Patent Protector 08" Lamp.
Rothwell & Co.'s "A3." "B3." "C3."
"D3." and "E3" Lamps.

"D3," and "E3" Lamps.
Teale's Mueseler or Thornburry No. 6
and No. 6A Lamps.

Teale's No. 1 Miners³ Electric Safety Lamp.
(b) to make certain amendments to the Schedules to previous Safety Lamp Orders.

. A complete list of the safety lamps which have been approved by Order under Section 33 of the Act is printed as an Appendix to the Order.

The Order will shortly be placed on sale and copies will be obtainable either directly or through any bookseller from H.M. Stationery Office (Scottish Branch). 23 Forth Street, Edinburgh.

Whitehall, 31st May 1916.

Chancery of the Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Downing Street, 31st May 1916.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, in recognition of services in connection with Transport duties at the Dardanelles; the appointments to date from 1st January 1916:—

To be Additional Members of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

Captain Lionel de Lautour Wells. R.N. Commander (Acting Captain) Henry Valentine Simpson. R.N.

Admiralty, S.W., 31st May 1916.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of the undermentioned Officers to be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order in recognition of their services whilst employed on Transport duties at the Dardanelles:—

Capt. Robert Cathcart Kemble Lambert, R.N., H.M.S. "Europa."

As Beachmaster on "V" Beach on 25th April 1915, and subsequent days, by his coolness under fire, zeal, and energy, showed a magnificent example to his subordinates in a most difficult and dangerous position.

Has since proved a most able assistant to the Principal Naval Transport Officer, Mudros.

Cdr. Henry George Muir, R.D., R.N.R., H.M.S. "Sarnia."

"Sarnia" has carried out the arduous duties of a ferry steamer, plying between Mudros and the peninsula, carrying troops and military stores, entailing constant moving and going alongside other ships.

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Commander Muir has handled his ship well and it is owing to his zeal and attention to duty that the work has been satisfactorily

performed under trying conditions.

Lieut.-Cdr. Frank Eyers, R.N.R., M.F.A., "Carrigan Head."

Has performed meritorious service in the Eastern Mediterranean during the past nineteen months, including the saving of his unarmed ship when attacked by an enemy submarine.

The KING has further been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Distinguished Service Cross to the undermentioned Officers in recognition of their services whilst employed on Transport duties at the Dardanelles:—

Lieut. Matthew Boggan, R.N.R., Troop Carrier "Ermine."

Has carried out the arduous duties of ferry service between Mudros and the peninsula, carrying troops and military stores, entailing constant moving and going alongside other ships, in a zealous and most satisfactory manner, the service being frequently carried out under fire.

Lieut. Edward Davey, R.N.R., Cargo Carrier "Wheatberry."

Whilst unloading alongside under the lee of the outer hulk, Helles beach, during a gale on 17th November 1915, the wind rose so suddenly that it was not considered safe for the ship to leave, and he was ordered to secure with extra hawsers. At the height of the gale one of the sternfasts parted, and it became evident that the ship would break adrift. Leutenant Davey, with great judgment, eased off his lines, turned his ship in a very confined space, and successfully got her to sea.

Lieut. Archibald Lamont, R.N.R., Cargo Carrier "Asteria."

In command of "Asteria," has done excellent work in carrying supplies to Cape Helles and other beaches. Always anxious to load quickly and proceed as often as possible, regardless of weather.

Has frequently experienced heavy shell fire alongside the pier at Cape Helles, during which he has coolly superintended the un-

loading of his ship.

Act. Lieut. Percival John Pycraft, R.N.R., H.M.S. "Europa."

Whilst in command of a motor lighter this officer handled his craft in a most seaman-like manner, and on many occasions unloaded troops in bad weather, under the enemy's fire, at Anzac, showing skill and ability.

Sub-Lieut, John Stewart, R.N.R., H.M. Tug | "Flying Witch."

When H.M. Transport "East Point," containing hay and forage, caught fire at Suvla, due to shell fire, this officer volunteered and offered his help; he worked for three hours under very trying conditions, and thereby greatly assisted in getting the fire under.

Mid. George Tombeur Creft, R.N.R., H.M.S. "Europa."

In command of a motor lighter. Has done excellent work off the Gallipoli Peninsula, landing troops and stores, often under shell fire, and especially during the evacuation of Cape Helles, when he handled his craft extremely well.

Charles B. Andersson, Captain of H.M.T. "Roman Prince."

Has carried out many trips between Mudros and the peninsula with valuable cargoes, the ship being generally used for conveyance of special material, such as guns, &c. Owing to this officer's zeal and energy the work has been carried out with invariable success. His ship has frequently been under fire, and he is a thorough seaman and handles his ship admir-

David P. M'Donald, Captain of H.M.T. "Queen Louise."

Has displayed great energy, determination and keenness in the working of his ship and for the special purposes for which she has been used, viz., taking guns and valuable cargo to the peninsula. His ship has been frequently under fire.

Frederick Uren, Captain of H.M.T. "Trewellard."

Has been frequently under fire off the peninsula. Has displayed much energy, determination, and good seamanship.

Lawrence V. James, Captain of H.M.T. "Huntsgreen."

Took the place of H.M.S. "Hannibal" for the evacuation of Helles, and showed courageous and skilful handling of his ship.

Robert Cumming, Captain of H.M.T. "Ajax." Performed good work off the peninsula, where his ship was twice damaged by shell fire. Was attacked by enemy submarine on voyage from Alexandria to Mudros on 10th October 1915, and brought his ship safely into port.

Horace J. Young, Captain of H.M.T. "East Point."

Performed good work off the peninsula, where his ship was set on fire by enemy shell fire, whilst unloading supplies.

Alfred R. Murley, Chief Officer of H.M.T. " Cardiganshire."

Responded to the call for volunteers to man S.S. "Jessie" on 22nd April 1915, and for a few weeks during the first landing operations did invaluable work in keeping up an unfailing supply of ammunition to the beach.

Harold G. E. Wightman, Officer Commanding cable ship "Levant."

Rendered good services in connection with the laying of the cable from Imbros to Suvla on the night of the Suvla landing, and in laying and repairing cables off the peninsula frequently under heavy fire.

The following Officers are mentioned for good services whilst employed on Transport duties at the Dardanelles:-

Cdre. (now Rear-Adml.) Richard F. Phillimore, C.B., M.V.O.

Cdre. Maurice S. Fitzmaurice, C.M.G., R.N. Capt. Arthur B. Hughes, R.N., H.M.S. "Europa." Cdr. John E. Edwards, R.D., R.N.R., Special Service Vessel "Bacchus."

Act. Cdr. Gordon S. Horsburgh, R.N.R., H.M.S. "Europa."

Eng. Cdr. Henry T., Knapman, R.N., H.M.S.

Lieut.-Cdr. (now Cdr.) Arthur H. Bird, R.D., R.N.R., H.M.S. "Europa."

Staff Payr. Francis W. Walshe, R.N., H.M.S. "Europa" (Secretary to S.T.O., Mudros).

Payr. Paul Heather, R.N., H.M.S. "Europa" (Secretary to P.N.T.O., Mudros).

Cdr. George Gregory, R.D., R.N.R. Lieut, Cdr. Ronald N. Kempe, R.N., H.M.S. " Europa."

Carp. Lieut. "Europa." John M'Leod, R.N., H.M.S.

Lieut. Richard T. Montgomery, R.N.R., F.M. " Redbreast."

Lieut. William H. Vennings, R.N.R., F.M. " Barry.

Lieut.-Odr. George L. Porter, R.N.R., F.M. " Brighton.'

Lieut. James B. Boal, R.N.R., F.M. "Princess

Lieut. John R. Rvall, R.N.R., F.M. "El Kahira." Act. Lieut. Arthur S. Wright, R.N.R., F.M. " Prince Abbas."

Act. Lieut. Albert E. Kenyon, R.N.R., F.M. " Osmanieh."

Lieut. David Smith, R.N.R., F.M. "Susetta," Lieut. Holwell Walshe, R.N.R., F.M. "Wexford Coast.

Lieut, James E. Boyde, R.N.R., F.M. "Perdita." Act. Lieut. Henry E. G. Scott-Smith, R.N.R., H.M.S. "Europa."

Act. Lieut. Claude V. Cardinall, R.N.V.R., H.M.S. "Europa."

Act. Lieut. Matthew R. Melville, R.N.R., "Galioubich."

Sub.-Lieut. Cyril A. Phillips, R.N.R., "Krini."

Act. Lieut. Francis Fells, R.N.R.. "Faithful." Act. Lieut. William A. Bell, R.N.R., "Provider." Sub.-Lieut. Douglas Leslie, R.N.R., "Flying

Mist.' Sub.-Lieut. William M'Kee, R.N.R., "Sir Joseph Pease."

Sub-Lieut. (now Lieut.) Andrew Barlow, R.N.R. (temp.), "Hendon."

Asst. Payr. Sidney E. Franklin, R.N.R., H.M.S. " Europa.

Mr. Richard Bolster, Clerk, R.N., H.M.S. "Europa."

Proby. Mid. John M. H. Garriock, R.N.R., H.M.S.

Proby. Mid. Willis B. Gaudion, R.N.R., H.M. Tug " Andros."

Proby. Mid. John D. Ross, R.N.R., H.M. Tug " Nord.'

Edwin Senior, Captain, Admiralty Collier " Laristan."

G. King, Captain, Admiralty Collier "Nevisbrook.

David Finlay, Captain, F.M. "Abbassieh."

J. B. Carmichael, Captain, F.M. "Pebble."
Cdr. Charles A. Smith, R.D., R.N.R., Captain,
H.M.T. "Aquitania."

Cdr. Arthur H. Rostron, R.D., R.N.R., Captain, H.M.T. "Alaunia."

Stephen Gronow, Captain, H.M.T. "Ascania." Lieut.-Cdr. Frederick W. Corner, R. N. R., Captain, H.M.T. "Canada."

James Blaikie, Captain, H.M.T. "Caledonia."

John Parry, Captain, H.M.T. "Georgian."

J. Blanchard Henry, Captain, H.M.T. "Ionian."

Harry Carey, Captain, H.M.T. "Itonus."

Lieut. Edwin R. Large, R.N.R., Captain, H.M.T. " Karroo.

Albert Lockett, Captain, H.M.T. "Nile." David Taylor, Captain, H.M.T. "Saturnia."

Robert M'Killop, Captain, H.M.T. "Scotian." Lieut.-Cdr. Bernard Burt, R.N.R., Captain, H.M.T. "Galeka."

Edgar W. Morrison, Captain, H.M.T. "Arcadian."

Ridgway, Captain, H.M.T. "Clan W. H. M'Gillivray.

William S. Main, Captain, H.M.T. " Empress of Britain."

Francis O. Hasker, Captain, H.M.T. "Minneapolis.

Richard O. Jones, Captain, H.M.T. "North-

George A. Millington, Captain, H.M.T. "Borda." John Hall, Captain, H.M.T. "Grampian."

Alexander H. Acheson, Captain, H.M.T. "Neuralia.'

ames I. Rogers, Captain, H.M.T. "Orange Branch." James I.

Keasly Jenkins, Captain, H.M.T. "Simla."

W. J. Simmons, Captain, H.M.T. "Comedian." William Trantor, Captain, H.M.T. "Tintoretto."

Anson F. Clarke, Captain, H.M.T. "Umsinga." Cdr. Bertram F. Hayes, R.D., R.N.R., Captain, H.M.T. "Olympic."

S. N. Braithwaite, Captain, H.M.T. "Cardigan-

Harry A. Sharpe, Captain, H.M.T. "Varsova." Arthur H. Dobree, 2nd Officer, H.M.T. "Cardiganshire."

Francis E. Martin, 4th Engineer, H.M.T. "Cardiganshire."

A. Wilson, 2nd Officer, H.M.T. "Queen Louise." William M'Combie, 3rd Officer, H.M.T. "Queen Louise.'

Alan Henry Black, Chief Officer, cable ship " Levant.

Alfred L. Spalding, Chief Electrician, cable ship "Levant."

Thomas C. Birbeck, Assistant Electrician, cable ship "Levant."

Alexander S. Henderson, Chief Engineer, cable ship "Levant."

Arthur Hill, Cable Jointer, cable ship "Levant."

Admiralty, May 31, 1916.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the appointment of the undermentioned officers to be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order :--

Cdr. Geoffrey Basil Spicer-Simson, R.N.

In recognition of his services in command of an Allied flotilla on Lake Tanganyika on the 9th February 1916, when, after a chase and running fight lasting 31 hours, he sank the German gunboat "Hedwig von Wissmann."

Cdr. Francis Newton Allen Cromie, R.N. Cdr. Francis Herbert Heaveningham Goodhart, R.N.

In recognition of their services in command of British submarines operating in the Baltic

Cdr. Gordon Campbell, R.N. Lieut. Cdr. Alfred Geoffrey Peace, R.N. Lieut.-Cdr. Arthur Drummond Borton, R.N.V.R.

In recognition of most valuable services in command of a detachment of R.M. machine guns in difficult and dangerous parts of the line in the Gallipoli Peninsula.

Tempy. Major Joseph William Teale, R.M.

In recognition of most valuable services throughout the whole of the evacuation of the Gallipoli Peninsula. With very limited resources he constructed the pier at which practically the whole of the guns and stores were embarked, and was in charge of the destruction of all ammunition, etc., which was left behind at Lancashire Landing.

The KING has further been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Distinguished Service Cross to the undermentioned officers :-

Lieut. George Arthur Coxall Sharp, R.N.

In recognition of his services in a British submarine operating in the Baltic Sea.

Lieutenant \mathbf{Alfred} Edward Wainwright, R.N.V.R.

In recognition of his services in command of a motor-boat on Lake Tanganyika on the occasion of the destruction of the German gunboat "Hedwig von Wissmann" on the 9th February 1916.

Acting Lieutenant Joseph M'Loughlin, R.N.R. Flight Sub-Lieut. Henry Karslake Thorold, R.N.A.S.

Sub-Lieut. Reginald Henry Portal, R.N.

For conspicuous gallantry during a combat with an enemy aeroplane in the Dardanelles. At the outset Flight Sub-Lieut. Thorold, the Pilot, was severely wounded in the back, and Sub-Lieut. Portal, the Observer, in the thigh and arm. The Pilot momentarily lost control and the machine nose dived, but he soon regained control and the Observer succeeded in firing another two magazines, whereupon the enemy aeroplane sheered off and disappeared. The Pilot took his machine safely back to the aerodrome, a distance of about twenty-five miles, and, after making a perfect landing, lost consciousness. Skipper Walter Samuel Wharton, R.N.R. Skipper Alfred Robert Thompson, R.N.R.

The following awards have also been approved:—

To receive the Conspicuous Gallantry Medal.

Acting Leading Seaman John Dewar, R.N.V.R., Clyde Z/232.

On the 20th November 1915, in the Gallipoli Peninsula he threw away a live grenade, which had fallen in the trench, just in time to save a serious accident.

Acting Corporal Frank Pilgrim, R.M.L.I., Po./846 (S).

On the 20th November 1915, at Cape Helles, he threw a live Turkish grenade out of a trench and thereby avoided a dangerous accident.

Private Ernest Arnold Grinddey, R.M.L.I., Po./15585.

On the 25th November 1915, at Cape Helles, he extinguished a fuse in a live grenade and threw it out of our trench, thereby avoiding a serious accident.

Private Mark Turner, R.M.L.I., Po./343 (S).

On the 31st October 1915, at Cape Helles, he picked up and threw a live bomb out of our barricade, thereby avoiding a serious accident.

Leading Seaman George William Matthews, R.N.V.R., Sussex, 1/218.

On the 31st October 1915, during a bomb action he threw back the enemy's bombs, thereby saving many casualties among his comrades. During this action he was severely wounded.

To Receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

Wireless Telegraph Operator (First Class) Allan Andrews, R.N.R., O.N. 13 W.T.S.

Engine-Room Artificer Albert William Morrison, R.N.R., O.N. 1831 E.A.

Chief Petty Officer (Pensioner) George Henry Truscott, O.N. 140440 (Dev. A/3140).

Petty Officer Richard Tozer, O.N. 193194. Chief Petty Officer Harry Ernest Trust, O.N. 153986.

Leading Seaman Wilfred Albert Samuel, O.N. 213336.

Acting Serjeant-Major (now temporary Quartermaster and Honorary Lieut.) Robert Bell, R.M.L.I.

Private George Smith, R.M.L.I., No. Ply/191 (S).

Able Seaman George Webster, R.N.V.R., No. K.W.747.

Acting Corporal Robert M'Dowell, R.M.L.I., No. Po./855(S). Petty Officer Mechanic John Victor Hurst, O.N. F./1255.

Petty Officer Mechanic Frederick Bernard Bird, O.N. F./586.

Deck Hand George H. Tooke, R.N.R., D.A. 8863. Second Hand William Murray, R.N.R., S.A. 2297. Petty Officer John W. Faith, O.N. 160445, R.F.R. Po./B/1224.

Second Hand Benjamin W. Newson, R.N.R., O.N. D.A.893.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 to 1914.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE FEVER in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 27th May 1916, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs):—

Ce	OUNTY.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as diseased or as having been Exposed to Infection.		
				No.	No.
Clackmannan Lanark Wigtown		···		1 1	=
TOTAL	•••	•••		3	_

The following Area is now an "Infected Area" for the purposes of the Swine Fever (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1908:—

Midlothian.—An Area comprising the Parish of Corstorphine, in the County of Midlothian (4th January 1916).

The following Areas are now "Scheduled Areas" for the purposes of the Swine Fever (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1908:—

Aberdeenshire, &c.—An Area comprising the Counties of Aberdeen, Argyll, Banff, Bute, Caithness, Clackmannan, Elgin, Fife, Forfar, Inverness, Kincardine, Kinross, Nairn, Orkney, Perth, Ross and Cromarty, Stirling, Sutherland, and Zetland, and the detached part of the County of Dumbarton; the Cities of Aberdeen, Dundee, and Perth; and the Burghs of Peterhead, Campbeltown, Elgin, Dunfermline, Kirkcaldy, Arbroath, Brechin, Forfar, Montrose, Inverness, Falkirk, and Stirling (1st October 1911).—See also under Dumbartonshire, &c.

Argyllshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Ayrshire.—An Area comprising the County of Ayr, and the Burghs of Ayr, Irvine, and Kilmarnock (1st October 1911).

Banffshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Berwickshire, &c.—An Area comprising the Counties of Berwick, Roxburgh, and Selkirk, and the Burghs of Hawick and Galashiels, and also comprising the Parish of Stow, in the County of Midlothian (1st October 1911).

&c.

Buteshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c. Caithness. - See under Aberdeenshire, &c. Clackmannan.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c. Dumbartonshire, &c.—An Area comprising the Counties of Dumbarton (except its detached part), Lanark, Peebles, and Renfrew, and the Burghs of Airdrie, Dumbarton, Greenock, Hamilton, Paisley, Port-Glasgow, and Rutherglen, and the City of Glasgow (1st October 1911).—See also under Aberdeenshire, &c. Dumfriesshire, &c.—An Area comprising the Counties of Dumfries and Kirkcudbright, and the Burgh of Dumfries (1st October Elgin.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c. Fife.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c. $For farshire. -See \ under \ Aberdeen shire, \ \&c.$ Haddingtonshire.—An Area comprising County of Haddington (1st October 1911). Inverness-shire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c. Kincardineshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Kinross.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Kirkcudbrightshire.—See under Dumfriesshire.

Lanarkshire.—See under Dumbartonshire, &c.

Linlithgow, &c. - An Area comprising the Counties of Linlithgow and Midlothian (except the Parish of Stow), the Burghs of Leith and Musselburgh, and the City of Edinburgh (1st October 1911).—See also under Berwickshire, &c.

Midlothian.—See under Linlighgow, &c., and also under Berwickshire, &c. See also under

"Infected Area.' Nairn.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c. Orkney.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c. Peebles.—See under Dumbartonshire, &c. Perthshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c. Renfrew.—See under Dumbartonshire, &c. Ross and Cromarty. - See under Aberdeenshire, &c. Roxburghshire.—See under Berwickzhire, &c. Selkirkshire.—See under Berwickshire, &c. Stirlingshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c. Sutherland.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c. Wigtownshire.—An Area comprising the County of Wigtown (1st October 1911). Zetland.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, 30th May 1916.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN per Quarter of 8 Bushels, Imperial Measure, * as received from the Inspectors of Corn Returns, in the Week ended 27th May 1916, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

BRITISH CORN.				QUANTITI	ES SOLD.	AVERAGE	AVERAGE PRICE		
				Qrs.	Bus.	` s.	d,		
$\mathbf{W}_{\mathbf{heat}}$	•••	•••		70,296	5	54	7		
Barley	•••	•••		3, 212	1	52	9		
Oats		•••		13 ,855	6	33	4		

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1909 to 1915.

Corresponding Week in		QU.	ANTITIES SOL	AVERAGE PRICE.				
		WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	
	.	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
1909		24,127 0	393 3	7,373 6	43 1	25 7	21 3	
1910		44,007 6	1,983 0	5,299 3	30 2	21 8	17 10	
1911		38,315 6	1,583 1	4,725 0	3 2 5	24 10	19 5	
1912	İ	28,106 6	1,406 7	3,920 0	3 6 10	30 O	23 9	
1913		41,905 5	2,098 2	4.372 5	32 7	26 1	20 1	
1914		50,661 2	4.270 0	11,577 0	3 3 9	26 1	19 4	
1915	•••	49,698 6	4,983 6	9,819 2	61 11	34 8	32 7	

^{*} Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, provides that where returns of purchases of British Corn are made to the Local Inspector of Corn Returns in any other measure than the imperial bushel or by weight or by a weighed measure, that Officer shall convert such returns into the imperial bushel, and in the case of weight or weighed measure the conversion is to be made at the rate of sixty imperial pounds for every bushel of wheat, fifty imperial pounds for every bushel of barley, and thirty-nine imperial pounds for every bushel of oats.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, 3 St. James's Square, London, S.W., · 27th May 1916.

R. H. REW.

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 27th May 1916, together with the Quantities imported in the Corresponding Week of the Years 1914 and 1915.

								Quantities.	
				-			1914.	1915.	1916.
nimals, liv				***					
	Bulls, Co		Calves	•••	•••	Number	46	41	5
	ind Laml	os	•••	•••	•••	,,	—	_	_
Swine	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	,, ,,		961	
Нотвев	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	, ,	232	261	11
resh Meat	:— icluding	Defries	noted or	d Trac		Cwts.	181, 40 2	100,222	90,54
Mutton	_	_			•		60,801	52,236	27,43
Pork	••	,		,		,,,	5,569	468	36
	unenum	erated.	Fresh	(incl	uding	"	3,300		
	igerated a			•••		,,	18,173	9,571	10,82
alted or Pr						"	·		•
Bacon	•••	• • • •	•••	•••		,,	92,894	118,610	226,50
Beef	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	,,	336	1,607	2,74
\mathbf{Hams}	•••		•••	•••	•••	,,	19,598	33,309	40,33
Pork	•••	•••		•••	•••	,,	5,521	2,211	2,43
	inenumer			•••		"	2,667	2,134	1,0
	reserved,				alting		00 550	00 561	60.0
	uding Ti			ed)	•••	1)	32,756	26,5 6 1	33,2
airy Produ						-	79 401	53 ,910	33,1
Butter Margar	ine	•••	•••	•••	•••	"	73,401 28,124	29,619	67,3
Cheese		•••	•••	•••	•••	22	36,297	22,239	30,8
	resh, in			•••	•••	"			
	ream		•••	•••	•••	23	390	35	_
**	Condense		•••	•••	•••	, , ,	19,178	30,303	72,2
	reserved			•••	•••	,,	58	169	. ,
ggs	•••		•••			Gt. Hundreds	539,734	138,052	83,7
oultry	•••	•••	•••	•••		Value £	13,242	7,807	,
ame	•••	•••	•••	•••		,,	2,333	10	2,8
abbits, des	d (Fresh	and Fr	ozen)	•••	•••	Cwts.	$\bf 362$	10,101	26,8
ard	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	,,	24,816	20,475	77,1
orn, Grain	, Meal, a	nd Flou	г:—	•••	•••	1			
Wheat	:		•••	•••	•••	23	1,302,900	1,514,900	2,515,1
	Meal and	d Flour	•••	•••	•••		124,200	151,300	318,2
Barley	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	"	202,000	27,700	473,8
Oats	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	11	280,500	571,300	2
Peas Beans	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	"	14,538	23,010	6,5
	or Indian	Corn	•••	•••	•••	"	4,230 665,200	6,460 222,700	8, 3 43 8, 5
ruit, Raw:		Corn	•••	•••	•••	"	005,200	222,100	400,0
Apples							35,5 81	28,170	45,5
	s and Pe	aches	•••	•••	•••	"	826		10,0
Banana		•••	•••	•••	•••	Bunches	203,173	118,657	55,0
Cherrie	B		•••	•••	•••	Cwts.	16,751	802	1
Curran	ts	•••	•••	•••	•••	,,		<u> </u>	
Gooseb	erries	•••	•••	•••	•••	,,	300	56	
Grapes	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	,,	203	41	
Lemon		•••	•••	•••	•••	,,	23,659	16,790	19,4
Orange	8	••••	•••	• • •	•••	,,	62,462	64,807	185,6
Pears	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	,,,	1,453	1,067	8
Plums		*** .	•••	•••	•••	,,			_
Strawb	_	•••	•••	•••	•••	"	5,157 354	904	
-	merated	•••	•••	•••	•••	Tons	314 316	904 49	6:
.ay traw	***	•••	***	•••	•••	1	21	48 i	_
loss Litter	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	,,	1,351	516	
loss Litter lops	•••		•••	•••	•••	Cwts.	515	6,025	8,0
ocust Bear		•••	•••	•••	•••	 			82,8
egetables,		•••	•••	•••	•••	"	- 		02,0
Onions		•			•••	Bushels	114,817	178,686	86,1
Potato		•••	•••	•••	•••	Cwts.	333,644	48,695	83,44
Tomate		•••	•••	•••	•••	,,	43,152	42,190	32,9
	merated	•••	•••	•••	•••	Value £	18,307	13,053	15,08
egetables,			•••	•••	•••	Cwts.	3,434	5,340	47,0
- ,	Preserve	_				1	5,230	9,642	12,9

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 to 1911.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASES in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 27th May 1916, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs):—

ANTHRAX.

	ks d.	Animals Attacked.						
County.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Horses.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.			
Forfar Kirkeudbright	1	1	_	_	_			
Ross and Cromarty	1	1						
TOTAL	3	3	_	_				

PARASITIC MANGE.

Count	COUNTY.							
				No.	No.			
Lanark Linlithgow City of Edinburgh	•			3 1 1	8 1 3			
TOTAL				5	12			

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, 30th May 1916.

MAJOR WILLIAM MCOMBIE DUGUID MCOMBIE, Royal Scots Greys, of Easter Skene and Lynturk, Aberdeenshire has presented an Initial Writin the Sherifidom of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banfi at Aberdeen, praying the Court to grant a Decree authorising the Pursuer to borrow certain sums for Improvement Expenditure, and to charge the Fee and Rents of the Estates of EASTER SKENE and LYNTURK, other than the Mansion House, Offices, and Policies thereof, with a Bond and Disposition in security for three-fourths of the sum so authorised to be borrowed, and for the other purposes specified in the said Writ; and the Sheriff has, by Deliverance granted at Aberdeen on the twenty-fourth day of May nineteen hundred and sixteen, appointed a Curator-ad-litem to three of the next Heirs of Entail, who are in minority, and a Tutor-ad-litem to one of the next Heirs of Entail who is in pupilarity; and the Sheriff has, by further Deliverance granted at Aberdeen on the said twenty-fourth day of May nineteen hundred and sixteen, granted Warrant to cite the next Heirs of Entail specified in the said Writ, and the said Curator-ad-litem and Tutor-ad-litem; and nas further appointed the Pursuer to intimate the import of the crave of the Writ and of the Deliverances thereon by advertisement once in each of the Edinburgh Gazette and Abordeen Journal newspapers; and has appointed any person desiring to oppose the crave of the Writ to lodge a Notice or Notices of Appearance in the hands of the Clerk of Court at Aberdeen within an induciae of fourteen days, under certification of being held as contessed

Of all which Intimation is hereby given.

PETERKIN & DUNCANS, Agents for the

21 Golden Square, Aberdeen, 1st June 1916. King's and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's Office, Exchequer Chambers, Edinburgh, 31st May 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Estate of MISS MARGARET STEVENSON otherwise MARGARET HARVIE, 5 Cogan Street, Pollokshaws, who died at Darnley Hospital, Nitshill, on 19th January 1916, has fallen to His Majesty as ultimus hæres.

KENNETH MACKENZIE, K. & L. T. R.

King's and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's Office, Exchequer Chambers, Edinburgh, 31st May 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Estate of ANN JANE BROWN, 17 St. James' Square, Edinburgh, who died there on or about 30th April 1916, has fallen to His Majesty as ultimus hæres.

KENNETH MACKENZIE, K. & L. T. R.

King's and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's Office, Exchequer Chambers, Edinburgh, 31st May 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Estate of Miss ELIZABETH S. KERR, Ropeworker, Mains Street, Shettleston, who died there on 7th December 1912, has fallen to His Majesty as ultimus heres.

KENNETH MACKENZIE, K. & L. T. R.

King's and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's Office, Exchequer Chambers, Edinburgh, 31st May 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Estate of PETER DONALDSON, Sportsfield, Cairnies, Glenalmond, who died there on 15th September 1915, has fallen to His Majesty as ultimus hæres.

KENNETH MACKENZIE, K. & L. T. R.

King's and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer's Office, Exchequer Chambers, Edinburgh, 1st June 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Estate of MARGARET CONOLLY, 23 Havelock Street, Glasgow, who died there on 20th September 1913, has fallen to His Majesty as ultimus hieres.

KENNETH MACKENZIE, K. & L. T. R.

To the Creditors and other Persons interested in the Succession of the Decessed JOHN SUTHERLAND, Licensed Bottler, 84 Shore Street, Fraserburgh.

19 Frithside Street, Fraserburgh, having been appointed by the Sheriff of Aberdeen, Kincardine, and Banff Judicial Factor on the Estate of the said deceased John Sutherland under Section 163 of the Bankruptey (Scotland) Act, 1913, and relative Acts of Sederunt, requires all the lawful Creditors of the said John Sutherland, and other persons interested in his Estate, to lodge with the Judicial Factor within four months after the date of this notice, a Statement of their claims as Creditors of the deceased or as otherwise interested in his Estate, with such vouchers or other written evidence as they may have to found upon in support of their claims, in order to the same being considered and reported upon by the Judicial Factor.

H. G. ANDERSON.

19 Frithside Street, Fraserburgh, 30th May 1916.

JAWCRAIG COAL COMPANY LIMITED.

PETITION has been presented to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division,—Mr. Paton, Clerk) by the above-named Company, praying their Lordships, inter alia, to make an Order confirming the

Reduction of the Capital of the said Company, resolved on by the following Special Resolutions of the Company passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on 7th April 1916, and confirmed at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting held on 22nd April 1916, viz. :

"I. That the Capital of the Company, which is £25,000, divided into 800 6 per cent. cumulative pre"ference shares of £10 each (400 of which have been
ssued as fully paid), and 1700 ordinary shares of
£10 each (1200 of which have been issued as fully
paid), be reduced to £17,000, divided into 1700 ordinary shares of £10 each; and that such reduction
be effected as follows, namely—(1) By repaying to
the holders of the 400 preference shares which have
been issued the sum of £10 per share, being the full
amount of said shares, out of (a) paid-up capital amount of said shares, out of (a) paid-up capital which is in excess of the wants of the Company, and, "so far as necessary, out of (b) undivided profits of the Company set apart under Clause V. of the Memor-"andum of Association and Clause 99 of Table A
"annexed to the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908,
"which clause of Table A is part of the Regulations of "which clause of Table A is part of the Regulations of Association of the Company, thereby extinguishing "the said 400 shares; and (2) by cancelling the 400 "preference shares of £10 each which have not been taken or agreed to be taken by any person. II. That "the Directors be, and hereby are authorised to pay to the holders of the 400 issued preference shares "the programment of their capital a Dividend "to the holders of the 400 issued preference shares "along with the repayment of their capital, a Dividend "at the stipulated rate of 6 per centum per annum from the date when last paid up to the date of the repayment of the capital, the said Dividend to be paid out of the undivided profits of the Company." III. That the Articles of Association of the Company be amended as follows:—(1) That Article 8 be deleted and the following article substituted "therefor:—'No member shall be eligible as a Director "unless he hold in his own name alone and not icitally "unless he hold in his own name alone and not jointly "with any other person ordinary shares of the Com"pany to the nominal value of £1500 at least; and
"it shall be the duty of the Directors to comply with
"the provisions of Section 73 of the Companies (Con"soldiation) Act, 1908." Regulation 70 of said table
"shall be held to be deleted. (2) That Article 17 be
"deleted and the following article substituted there"for:—'Every member shall have one vote for each
"ordinary share of which he is the holder.' Regula"tion 60 of said table shall be held as deleted." unless he hold in his own name alone and not jointly

In the said Petition their Lordships have been pleased to pronounce the following Interlocutor:

"Edinburgh, 1st June 1916.—The Lords appoint the Petition to be intimated on the Walls and in the "Minute-Book in common form, and to be advertised "once in the Edinburgh Gazette and once in each of "the Scotsman and Glasgow Herald newspapers; "allow all parties having or claiming interest to lodge "Answers within eight days after such intimation and "advertisement; meantime dispense until further "notice with the addition to the Company's name of "the words 'and reduced."

"Strathclyde, I.P.D." Of all which Intimation is hereby made.

> HOSSACK & HAMILTON, W.S., for SELLAR & CHRISTIE, Writers, Glasgow, Agents for Petitioners.

19 Duke Street, Edinburgh, 2nd June 1916.

THE CARVER LOOMS LIMITED (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of Section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held within the Office of Messrs. Thomson, Jackson, Gourlay, & Taylor, C.A., 24 George Square, Glasgow, on Tuesday the 4th day of July 1916, at 11 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of having an account laid before the Meeting, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearng any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining by Extraordinary Resolution the manner in which the books and papers of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.

Dated the 29th day of May 1916.

DAVID A. RICHMOND, C.A., Liquidator.

THE Estates of CRAWFORD ELLIOTT, residing at No. 4 Grosvenor Street, Edinburgh, were Sequestrated on 29th May 1916, by the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

The first Deliverance is dated 19th April 1916.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 3 o'clock afternoon, on Monday, 12th June 1916, within Lyon & Turnbull's Rooms, 51 George Street, Edinburgh. A Composition may be offered at

this Meeting.

The Sheriff has ordered that the Sequestration shall

proceed as a Summary Sequestration.

The date on or before which Creditors must lodge their oaths and grounds of debt to entitle them to the first Dividend will be advertised in the Gazette Notice calling the second Meeting.

All future advertisements relating to this Sequestra-tion will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

R. MACDOUGALD, S.S.C., 34 North Castle Street, Edinburgh, Agent.

THE Estates of BERNARD SPAN, Boot and Shoe Merchant, residing at 35 Bellwood Street, Langside, Glasgow, and carrying on business at 83 Salt-market and 84 Main Street, Gorbals there, under the name of THE TRON SHOE COMPANY, were Seques-trated on the 30th day of May 1916, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow.

The first Deliverance is dated the 30th day of May

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Monday the 12th day of June 1916, within the Faculty Hall, St. George's Place, Glasgow. A Composition may be offered at this Meeting.

The Sheriff has ordered that the Sequestration shall proceed as a Summary Sequestration in terms of the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act, 1913.

The date on or before which Creditors must lodge

their claims to entitle them to a first Dividend will be advertised in the Gazette Notice calling the second

All future advertisements relating to this Sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette

alone.

MARTIN & BARRIE, Writers, 163 West George Street, Glasgow, Agents.

THE Estates of JOHN FRASER, residing some-time at Hilton of Gask, in the Parish of Daviot and County of Inverness, and now at Grange of Leys, Inverness, were Sequestrated on the lst day of June 1916, by the Sheriff of Inverness, Elgin, and Nairn at

The first Deliverance is dated 17th May 1916. The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock on Friday, 9th June 1916, within the Faculty Hall, The Castle, Inverness. A Composition may be offered at this Meeting.

The Sheriff has ordered that the Sequestration shall proceed as a Summary Sequestration in terms of the Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act, 1913.

The date on or before which Creditors must lodge their desires to critical them to a first Dividend will

their claims to entitle them to a first Dividend will be advertised in the second Gazette Notice.

All future advertisements relating to this Sequestration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone_

> PAT. D. MACTAVISH, Solicitor, Inverness, Agent.

SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT GALLOWAY WHITELAW, Medical Practitioner, Victoria Place, Kirkintilloch, Dumbartonshire.

THE Trustee hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors, I to be held within his Chambers, 27 York Place, Edinburgh, on Saturday the 10th day of June 1916, at eleven o'clock forenoon, to examine, adopt, and approve of the acts and intromissions of the Trustee and Commissioners, and the Trustee's accounts in connection with the Estate, and to resolve that the Estate ought to be wound up under a Deed of Arrangement, and that an application be presented to the Court to sist procedure in the Sequestration in terms of Section 34 Bankruptcy (Scotland) Act, 1913.

JAMES CRAIG, C.A., Trustee.

27 York Place, Edinburgh, 2nd June 1916.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN WILLIAM MORRIS Tower Pavilion, Portobello.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that a Meeting of Creditors will be held in his Chambers, 18 Queen Street, Edinburgh, on Friday, 23rd June 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, to consider an application for his discharge.

JOHN B. PEDEN, C.A., Trustee.

Edinburgh, 31st May 1916.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN M'KINNON, Property Agent and Accountant, carrying on business at 122 Wellington Street, Glasgow.

S Trustee on the above Estate, I hereby intimate that the accounts of my intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to 17th ultimo, and states of funds recovered at same date, have been made up by me and examined by the Commissioners of said Estate in terms of the Statute, and that they have postponed payment of a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period for making a Dividend.

HUGH MACMILLAN, C.A., Trustee.

163 Hope Street, Glasgow, 1st June 1916.

SEQUESTRATION of DAVID CORSAR & SONS, Manufacturers, Arbroath, and William Hannay Corsar, presently residing at 121 High Street, Arbroath, Charles Corsar, residing at Rosely, Arbroath, and Harry Corsar, residing at Gowan Park, Gowan Street, Arbroath, the Individual Partners of said Firm of David Corsar & Sons, as such Partners, and as Individuals.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that accounts of his I intromissions, brought down to 17th instant, have been made up by him and audited by the Commissioners in terms of the Statute, and that declarations of further Dividends have been postponed until the expiry of another statutory period.

> D. LITTLEJOHN, Solicitor, Arbroath, Trustee.

33 Commerce Street, Arbroath. .31st May 1916.

THE Firm of M'ALLISTER & SCOBBIE, Wholesale and Manufacturing Confectioners, Triumph Toffee Works, Wishaw, was DISSOLVED, as at 20th May 1916, of mutual consent. The Business will be continued by the Subscriber David Laughland Scobbie in the same premises for his own behoof, and he will uplift all debts due to, and pay all debts due by, the dissolved Firm.

HUGH M'ALLISTER.

DAVID L. SCOBBIE.

Subscribed in presence of— WM. FIFE, Writer, Glasgow. Aw. BALLANTYNE, Writer, Lanark. 29th May 1916.

NOTICE.

THE Bakery Business formerly carried on by the late Thomas Johnstone Maxwell at Mansefield, Bellshill, under the name THOS. J. MAXWELL, has been transferred by the first-named Subscribers, his Testamentary Trustees, as of 29th March 1916, to his widow, Mrs. Mary Thom Smellie or Maxwell.

Mrs. Maxwell will carry on the Business for her own behoof under the said name of THOS. J. MAXWELL, and

will pay all debts due by, and collect all debts due to, the said Business.

JOHN B. SOMERVILLE, Writer, Glasgow.

JAMES MAXWELL, Agent, the National Bank of Scotland, Clydebank.

Winifred Walker,

ISABELLA M. BAXTER,
Both Clerks to Somerville & Russell,
Writers, Glasgow, Witnesses to the
Signatures of the said John B. Somer-

ville and James Maxwell.

MARY T. MAXWELL,

A. O. WALKER, 180 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Writer,

ALEX. MURDOCH, 180 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Law-Clerk,

Witnesses to the Signature of the said Mrs. Mary Thom Smellie or Maxwell.

Glasgow, 1st June 1916.

NOTICE.

THE Firm of ZOLLER, PETRIE, & COMPANY, Jute Brokers, 2 Baltic Buildings, Dundee, has been DISSOLVED by the death of Albert Waldemar Zoller, Craigielea, 246 Ferry Road, Dundee, on 24th February

The Business is to be carried on under the same Firm name by Andrew Petrie, Ivy Bank, Dundee Road, West Ferry, the surviving Partner, who will collect all debts due to said Firm and settle its liabilities.

ANDREW PETRIE.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said

Andrew Petrie—
EDWARD COWAN, of 4 High Street, Dundee, Solicitor.

Daisy Maud Robertson, 4 High

Street, Dundee, Typist.

HELENA B. ZOLLER,

J. E. C. A. DAY,

A majority of the Executors of the deceased Albert Waldemar Zoller.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said Helena Bertha Zoller

EDWARD COWAN, of 4 High Street, Dundee, Solicitor.

GEORGE URIE SCOTT, of 4 High Street.

Dundee, Clerk. Witnesses to the Signature of the said Emma Constantia Augusta Zoller or Day-

EDWARD COWAN, of 4 High Street, Dundee, Solicitor.

HELEN DAY, of 16 Spottiswoode Road. Edinburgh, Typist.

Dundee, 26th May 1916.

BANKRUPTS. FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Bertram Austin Chapman, Tower House, Ridgeway Road, Redhill, Surrey, lately carrying on business at 15 Seething Lane, London, E.C., quartermaster in His Majesty's Forces, formerly grain merchant.

Herbert Wynne Taylor, lately 85 Clarence Gate Gardens, Regent's Park, London, but whose present residence the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain, a domiciled Englishman.

Edward Wood, 60 Haymarket, London, tailor.

Peter Smith, High Street, Stotfold, Bedfordshire, engineer and implement agent.

John Hildred, Billinghay, in the county of Lincoln, cycle dealer and repairer.

Louis Walsh Deighton, 72 Little Horton Lane, and carrying on business at 57 Darley Street, both in the city of Bradford, hosier.

John Freeman Verran, Lower Micklehurst Farm, Habergham Eaves, near Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, farmer.

Edwin Horace Simpson, Bures St. Mary, in the county of Suffolk, grocer and draper.

William Rallard Cockrill, formerly The Gables, Gorleston-on-Sea, Norfolk, and lately The Farm, Long Lane, Bradwell, Suffolk, and carrying on business at the Post Office, High Street, Gorleston-on-Sea aforesaid, lately sub-postmaster.

Ernest Samuel Spurgeon, Great Ormesby, Norfolk, cycle dealer and clothier.

Eliza Maaz (lately trading as F. A. Maaz), 42 Mayhill Road, Charlton, lately residing and trading at 8 Delacourt Road, Blackheath, both in Kent, late fishmonger and poulterer (widow).

James Skipsey, residing at Railway House, Scotswood, Northumberland, carrying on business at Railway House, Scotswood aforesaid, in partnership with Ralph Urwin, under the style of Skipsey & Urwin,

Friendly Societies' Notices, each

as patentees of the Simplex Automatic Signal Appliance, colliery manager.

Harry Joseph Juby, 38 Broad Street, Stamford, in the county of Lincoln, lately residing at 14 Rutland Terrace, Stamford aforesaid, newspaper proprietor.

Frederick William Rabbich, the Park Hotel, Paignton, in the county of Devon, and 93 Winner Street, Paignton aforesaid, private hotel proprietor, baker, and confectioner.

Thomas Peter Jenkins, 87 Dumfries Street, Treorchy, Glamorgan, butcher's manager.

Alfred Ernest Loughton, now residing at Westgate, Belton, in the county of Lincoln, and carrying on business there, bricklayer.

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William Davis Sanders, The Morven, Grange Gardens, Cardiff, lately residing and carrying on business at 158 Clare Road, Cardiff, grocer and baker.

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