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Scottish Office,
10th March 1917.

THE Secretary for Scotland hereby gives notice that he has certified the Rossie Reformatory School for Boys, Montrose, as fit for the reception during the continuance of the present war and 3 months thereafter, of 6 boys, in addition to the 90 boys for the reception of whom the School has previously been certified.

EXCESS PROFITS DUTY.

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice under Section 1 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that after the expiration of at least forty days from this date, they will, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by Section 40 (3) of the Finance (No. 2) Act, 1915, make a regulation providing that the Commissioners of Inland Revenue shall, in addition to the powers conferred upon them by the above-named section, have power in any case, with effect from the commencement of the above-named Act, to allow modification of the provisions of the Fourth Schedule to the above-named Act owing to depreciation through effluxion of time of any capital which is employed in the trade or business and which is expended upon and consists of patent rights, so far as such depreciation is not offset by goodwill, arising from the user of, or interest in, such rights.

Draft copies of the said regulation may be purchased, either directly or through any book-

seller, from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses: Imperial House, Kingsway, London, W.C., and 28 Abingdon Street, London, S.W.; 37 Peter Street, Manchester; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 23 Forth Street, Edinburgh; or from E. Ponsonby Ltd., 116 Grafton Street, Dublin.

EXCESS PROFITS DUTY.

Draft Regulation proposed to be made by the Treasury under Section 40 (3) of the Finance (No. 2) Act, 1915 (5 & 6 George 5, c. 89).

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by Section 40 (3) of the Finance (No. 2) Act, 1915, hereby make the following Regulation:—

The Commissioners of Inland Revenue shall, in addition to the powers conferred upon them by Section 40 (3) of the Finance (No. 2) Act, 1915, have power in any case to allow modification of the provisions of the Fourth Schedule to the above-named Act owing to depreciation through effluxion of time of any capital which is employed in the trade or business and which is expended upon and consists of patent rights, so far as such depreciation is not offset by goodwill arising from the user of, or interest in, such rights.

This Regulation shall have effect as from the commencement of the Finance (No. 2) Act, 1915.

Foreign Office (Foreign Trade Dept.),
9th March 1917.

CHINA.

The following additions or corrections to the lists published as a supplement to the Edinburgh Gazette of 19th February 1917, 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:—

The following name is added to the list of persons and bodies of persons to whom articles to be exported to China may be consigned:—
Peking Technical College.

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

Jourdan, Yunnan, should read
Jourdan, Ami-Tcheon, Yunnan.

Ministry of Munitions of War.
Whitehall Palace,
8th March 1917.

ORDER AS TO PRIORITY.

The Minister of Munitions, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Defence of the Realm Regulations and all other powers enabling him, hereby orders and requires that all persons engaged in any of the trades, businesses, or industries specified in the third schedule hereto shall in all respects comply with the following directions and regulations as to the priority to be given to work carried out in their factories and workshops and elsewhere in or in connection with such trades, businesses, or industries or any of them:—

(1) Priority shall be given to work in such trades, businesses, and industries in accordance with the classification set out in the first schedule hereto.

(2) All work and orders for work of material undertaken by them shall be divided into the three classes, Class A, Class B, and Class C, mentioned in the first schedule.

(3) Work and orders in Class A shall take precedence of work and orders in Class B or Class C, and work and orders in Class B shall take precedence of work and orders in Class C irrespective of the date when the orders were received and of any contractual obligations to the contrary.

(4) Subject to paragraph 7 hereof orders for work shall be treated as belonging to Class A or Class B as the case may be, if accompanied by a certificate from the person ordering the same in the form set out in the second schedule hereto, stating that the work belongs to Class A or Class B respectively.

(5) In the case of a person whose production either as regards the whole or a particular part thereof is regulated by specific directions or regulations from any department of the Government, such person shall not, in so far as relates to the production so regulated, act on a certificate presented to him by another person, but must

apply for instructions to the Department which regulates such production, forwarding to that department the certificate presented. Any order for work which entails the use of materials which are for the time being subject to control by a Government Department, and in respect of which Regulations shall have been issued, must not be carried out until after compliance with the said Regulations.

(6) Any order for work not accompanied by a certificate in the form set out in the second schedule hereto to the effect that the work falls within Class A or Class B shall be treated as an order for work in Class C.

(7) Any particular or special directions or regulations issued in writing by the Minister of Munitions, or by any Government Department regulating production as mentioned in paragraph 5 hereof, as to the classification of any work or orders belonging to the same class, shall override these general directions and regulations.

As from the date hereof this Order shall be substituted for Circular L.33 as to the control of output issued by the Minister of Munitions on the 31st March 1916, and references to this Order and the corresponding classes herein mentioned shall be substituted in all orders, directions, notices and permits already made or issued by or on behalf of the Minister of Munitions for any references therein to the said Circular L.33 and the classes therein mentioned, but such substitutions shall not affect the previous operation of the said Circular L.33 or any of such orders, directions, regulations, notices or permits or the validity of any action taken under them or any of them or any penalty or punishment incurred in respect of any contravention or failure to comply with the same or any of them or any proceeding or remedy in respect of such penalty or punishment.

And any certificate already issued under the said Circular L.33 shall, so far as the same was properly issued thereunder, continue to have the same effect as if this Order had never been made.

CHRISTOPHER ADDISON.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE above referred to.

CLASSIFICATION OF WORK.

Definition of Class A.

Class A comprises:—

Work or material wholly required as a component part of any work or goods to be carried out or supplied under—

(a) A Government War Contract, which signifies:—

1. Any Contract placed by the Admiralty, the War Office, or the Minister of Munitions.

2.* Any Contract for Naval or Military Equipment placed by an Allied Government by or with the consent, in writing, of the Admiralty, the War Office, or the Minister of Munitions.

(b) Certified War work, which signifies:—

1. Work on a Contract or Order which the Admiralty, the War Office, or the Minister of Munitions has certified, in writing, to be War or Munitions work.

2. Work which the Minister of Munitions has directed to be treated on an equality with War work.

(c) Merchant shipping work certified in writing by the Board of Trade to be Munitions work.

Definition of Class B.

Class B comprises :—

Work or material wholly required for :—

(a) Repairs to existing industrial machinery (but not the replacement of old machinery by new) wherever essential to maintain continuity of operation in the United Kingdom.

(b) The maintenance of reasonable stocks of materials or articles necessary as component parts of work or goods to be carried out or supplied under any orders or contracts to be executed under Class A or Class B.

(c) Export orders, certified in writing by the Board of Trade, the Admiralty, the War Office, or the Minister of Munitions to be of sufficient national importance to be specially approved for export to approved destinations, and as to which the Minister of Munitions or other Government Department controlling the necessary materials has certified that such materials can be spared.

(d) Contracts or orders certified in writing by the Admiralty, the War Office, or the Minister of Munitions as necessary for the efficient conduct of the War.

(e) Contracts or Orders certified in writing by the Director General of National Service to be of sufficient importance in the national interest to be placed in Class B, and as to which the Minister of Munitions or other Government Department controlling the necessary materials has certified that such materials can be spared.

Definition of Class C.

† Class C comprises all work not comprised in Classes A or B.

* The consent of these Departments will usually be given through the Commission Internationale de Ravitaillement (The International Commission), India House, Kingsway, London, to whom application should be made for such consent.

† No certificate may be issued for orders in Class C.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE above referred to.
FORM OF CERTIFICATE.

Front.

This Certificate is issued for the purpose of securing priority for the work referred to herein, in pursuance of directions given by the Minister of Munitions under the Defence of the Realm Regulations.

Certificate.

Firm's Reference No.

Date 1917.

To :

Messrs.

Order No.

(of ordering firm or establishment)

Quantity and description.

I/We hereby certify that the work or materials described herein are required for the following purposes :—

(Here state clearly particulars of the special War, National or other purposes of the order.)

1. As component of the subject matter of a Government Contract bearing the following reference number, viz., No. and for the purposes of
2. (If not a direct component of a Government Contract) For the purposes of :—

References :—

and for no other purpose ; and that such order falls within Class as defined on the back hereof.

(N.B.—Read carefully definition on back hereof.)

I/We hereby declare the above to be a true and accurate statement.

Signed on behalf of
by

Back.

A copy of First Schedule "Certification of Work."

THE THIRD SCHEDULE above referred to.

1. All trades, businesses or industries carried on in any establishment to which directions as to Priority had been issued on or before the date of this order.

2. All trades and manufacture in or of metals, machinery, agricultural implements and vehicles.

3. The repairing of machinery or plant for use in Industry.

4. Woodworking.

Pottery and Glass Trades.

Buildings and Works of construction.

Textile Trades and manufacture.

Linoleum, Oilcloth and Table Baize manufacture.

Rope, Twine, and Line Trades and manufacture.

Coal Tar Products, manufacture of.

Dyestuffs, manufacture of.

Other Chemical Products, manufacture of.

Lubricating Oils, and other Lubricants, manufacture of.

Oil Seed Crushing.

Soap and Candles, manufacture of.

Fertilisers, manufacture of.

Paints, Colours and Varnishers, manufacture of.

Baskets and Wicker Work, manufacture of.

Letterpress and Lithographic Printing.

Papermaking.

Leather Trades and manufacture.

Boot, Shoe, and Clog manufacture.

Coke, manufacture of.

Rubber Trades and manufacture.

Waterproofing of Fabrics and Paper.

Electricity, Gas and Water Services.

Stone, Marble, Granite and Slate Quarrying, Cutting and Polishing.

Bookbinding.

A false declaration on this certificate is an offence under the Defence of the Realm Regulations.

The Certificate must be signed by a Partner, Director, Manager, or other responsible official.

Copies of this Certificate for use in making applications can be obtained free of charge at any Head Post Office, where supplies will always be available, or by order from any Money Order Office.

War Office,
10th March 1917.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Victoria Cross to the undermentioned Officer and Non-Commissioned Officer:—

Capt. Henry William Murray, D.S.O., Aus. Infy.

For most conspicuous bravery when in command of the right flank company in attack. He led his company to the assault with great skill and courage, and the position was quickly captured. Fighting of a very severe nature followed, and three heavy counter-attacks were beaten back, these successes being due to Captain Murray's wonderful work.

Throughout the night his company suffered heavy casualties through concentrated enemy shell fire, and on one occasion gave ground for a short way. This gallant officer rallied his command and saved the situation by sheer valour.

He made his presence felt throughout the line, encouraging his men, heading bombing parties, leading bayonet charges, and carrying wounded to places of safety.

His magnificent example inspired his men throughout.

No. 9887 Sjt. Edward John Mott, Border R.

For most conspicuous gallantry and initiative when, in an attack, the company to which he belonged was held up at a strong point by machine-gun fire.

Although severely wounded in the eye, Serjeant Mott made a rush for the gun, and after a fierce struggle seized the gunner and took him prisoner, capturing the gun.

It was due to the dash and initiative of this non-commissioned officer that the left flank attack succeeded.

War Office,
March 9, 1917.

The following are among the Decorations and Medals awarded by the Allied Powers at various dates to the British Forces for distinguished services rendered during the course of the campaign:—

His Majesty the King has given unrestricted permission in all cases to wear the Decorations and Medals in question.

Decorations conferred by
THE PRESIDENT OF THE FRENCH
REPUBLIC.

Grand Officier, Legion d'Honneur.

Major-General (temporary Lieutenant-General) Sir Frederick Thomas Clayton, K.C.M.G., C.B. (October 1916.)

Commander, Legion d'Honneur.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Maurice Lilburn MacEwen, C.B. (January 19, 1916.)

Croix de Guerre.

Lieutenant-Colonel Patterson Barton, D.S.O., Royal Artillery. (October 6, 1916.)

Second Lieutenant Walter Maxwell Hannay, Coldstream Guards, Special Reserve. (September 18, 1916.)

Second Lieutenant Horace Martin Capon Ledger, Indian Army Reserve, attached French Sea-plane Squadron. (October 28, 1915.)

No. 208 Serjeant-Major Albert Hunter, Royal Flying Corps (now Second Lieutenant, West Riding Regiment, attached Royal Flying Corps). (February 8, 1917.)

No. Z172 Private T. Fido, Rifle Brigade. (1915.)

Decorations conferred by Field-Marshal

HIS IMPERIAL MAJESTY THE
EMPEROR OF RUSSIA.

Order of St. Stanislas, 2nd Class (with
Swords).

Temporary Major Adrian Simpson, Royal Engineers, General Staff. (November 1915.)

Order of St. Anne, 3rd Class.

Temporary Major Adrian Simpson, Royal Engineers, General Staff. (November 1915.)

Order of St. Anne, 2nd Class.

Major John Fraser Neilson, Hussars. (September 26, 1916.)

Order of St. Vladimir, 3rd Class.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred William Fortescue Knox, Rifles, Indian Army. (September 30, 1916.)

Order of St. Anne, 2nd Class.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred William Fortescue Knox, Rifles, Indian Army. (September 30, 1916.)

Order of St. Stanislas, 2nd Class.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Vere Fane Benet, Lancashire Fusiliers. (September 30, 1916.)

Order of St. Stanislas, 1st Class.

Honorary Brigadier-General Wallscourt Hely-Hutchinson Waters, C.V.O., C.M.G. Retired pay. (November 1916.)

Decorations and Medals conferred by

H.M. THE KING OF SERBIA.

Order of the White Eagle, Grand Cross (1st Class,
with Swords).

Lieutenant-General Sir Edward Altham Altham, K.C.B., C.M.G. (August 1916.)

Lieutenant-General Sir Bryan Thomas Mahon, K.C.V.O., C.B., D.S.O., Colonel, 8th Hussars. (August 1916.)

Major-General (temporary Lieutenant-General) George Francis Milne, C.B., D.S.O. (July 1, 1916.)

Lieutenant-General (temporary General) Sir Archibald James Murray, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., C.V.O., D.S.O., Colonel, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers. (August 1916.)

Order of the White Eagle, 2nd Class (with Swords).

Major-General the Honourable Frederick Gordon, C.B., D.S.O. (February 1916.)

(July 1, 1916.)

Order of the White Eagle, 3rd Class (with Swords).

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Alban Randell Crofton Atkins, C.B., C.M.G., Army Service Corps.

Order of the White Eagle, 4th Class (with Swords).

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Lewis Collinwood Bearne, D.S.O., Army Service Corps.

Major Willoughby Clive Garsia, M.C., Hampshire Regiment.

Captain Robert Blundell Goodden, Welsh Regiment.

Captain (temporary Major) Harold Josiah Solomon, M.C., Army Service Corps.

Captain and Brevet-Major Guy Elliston Toynbee, Army Service Corps.

Order of the White Eagle, 4th Class.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Frederick Chenevix-Trench, C.I.E., retired, Indian Army.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) George Bruce Dartnell, Army Service Corps.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) John Hampden Fessenden, Army Service Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Colonel) Edward Crawford Lloyd Fitzwilliams, Army Service Corps.

Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Cameron Macdonald, D.S.O., Royal Engineers.

Captain (temporary Major) John Hegan Parks, D.S.O., Royal Canadian Engineers.

Order of the White Eagle, 5th Class (with Swords).

Captain John Edgell, London Regiment.

Temporary Lieutenant Francis Henry Tower Gray, Army Service Corps.

Temporary Captain Henry Russell Gunning, Assistant Military Landing Officer.

Order of the White Eagle, 5th Class.

Local Captain Charles Llewellyn Blakeney, Special List.

Captain Harry Ernest Chapman (retired pay), Reserve of Officers, late Border Regiment.

Major (Acting Lieutenant-Colonel) Thomas Scott Cotgrave, Army Service Corps.

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Wilfred Henry Gray, Royal Engineers, Special Reserve.

Temporary Major Edward Russell Kyrle Money, Royal Engineers.

Temporary Captain William Vowles, Army Service Corps.

Order of Saint Sava, 4th Class.

Temporary Major James Archibald Douglas, Army Service Corps.

Order of Saint Sava, 5th Class.

Temporary Captain Arthur Warden Baker, M.C., General List.

Lieutenant Arthur Leonard Bishop, Middlesex Regiment.

Temporary Lieutenant Frank Lugard Brayne, General List.

Captain Basil Elmsley Coke, Royal Engineers.

Temporary Major Raymond Willoughby Cooper, Royal Engineers.

Temporary 2nd Lieutenant James Courtenay Dunsterville, Royal Engineers.

Temporary 2nd Lieutenant John Lettsom Guppy Elliot, General List.

Temporary Captain Henry Kenneth Foster, Royal Engineers.

Temporary Captain Edward Evon Hawkins, Royal Engineers.

Temporary Major Harold Woolliscroft Johns, Royal Engineers.

Quarter-Master and Honorary Lieutenant Joseph Robinson Johnson, Army Service Corps.

2nd Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Douglas Granville King, Army Service Corps.

Captain John Gaylard Lawrence, Army Pay Department.

Temporary Captain Clement Leveson-Gower, General List.

Captain Thomas William Lloyd, Liverpool Regiment, attached Royal Engineers.

Temporary Captain David Henry Loch, Special List.

Quarter-Master and Honorary Lieutenant Leigh Manquet, Army Service Corps.

Captain Ryder Percival Nash, Royal Army Medical Corps.

Temporary Major Leonard Sisman, Army Service Corps.

Temporary Captain Douglas Christian Watson late Royal Engineers.

Distinguished Service Medal.

Temporary 2nd Lieutenant Walter Hylton Binns, Special List.

Temporary 2nd Lieutenant Henry Snow Bonnewell, Army Service Corps.

Temporary Captain Gerald Frederick Conyngnam Corfield, Royal Engineers.

Temporary 2nd Lieutenant Roland Arthur Llewelyn Davies, Army Service Corps.

2nd Lieutenant Percival William Davis, Royal Engineers.

Temporary Captain Rainald Heaton, Royal Army Medical Corps.

Temporary Captain Ian Barry Hughes-Rowlands, Army Service Corps.

Temporary Lieutenant Nicholas J. Photiades, General List.

Temporary Lieutenant Dudley Pocock, Army Service Corps.

Temporary Lieutenant Christopher Carlill Teale, Army Service Corps.

Gold Medal.

M2/035139 Private (acting Mechanist Staff Serjeant) Samuel Harold Allcock, Army Service Corps.

74089 Serjeant James Frederick Ambery, Royal Army Medical Corps.

S4/143395 Private (acting Corporal) William Harold Austin, Army Service Corps.

M2/104998 Private (acting Serjeant) Henry Walter Babb, Army Service Corps.

S4/143534 Private (acting Serjeant) Thomas Cawood Bates, Army Service Corps.

- M2/152335 Private Bert Beales, Army Service Corps.
 135022 Serjeant Douglas Bramhall, Inland Water Transport, Royal Engineers.
 1036 Staff Serjeant Robert Cairley, Army Pay Corps.
 110112 Pioneer (acting Serjeant) William Clifton, late Labour Battalion, Royal Engineers.
 58515 Serjeant Samuel Clipson, Motor-Air Line Section, Royal Engineers.
 M2/152307 Private Robert William Cokes, Army Service Corps.
 138133 Sapper (acting Serjeant) William Coombs, Inland Water Transport, Royal Engineers.
 S/18959 Staff Serjeant (acting Staff Serjeant-Major) Arthur Cousins, Army Service Corps.
 S4/143399 Private (acting Serjeant) Herbert Eccles, Army Service Corps.
 SS/17192 Temporary Staff Serjeant-Major Frank James Brian Ellsmoor, Army Service Corps.
 122371 Company Serjeant-Major Edward Goldswain, Inland Water Transport, Royal Engineers.
 S3/031258 Private (acting Serjeant) George Alfred Holloway, Army Service Corps.
 S4/061255 Private (acting Serjeant) Daniel Robert Jones, Army Service Corps.
 M2/082458 Private (acting Lance-Corporal) John Lindsay, Army Service Corps.
 M2/102473 Private Albert Edward Marsh, Army Service Corps.
 27948 Serjeant Harry Charles Monk, Royal Engineers, Postal Section.
 M2/047145 Serjeant Alexander Morman, Army Service Corps (formerly No. M2/019996).
 M2/114758 Private (acting Serjeant) Arthur Percival Neal, Army Service Corps.
 M1/08129 Corporal (acting Mechanist Staff Serjeant) Frederick George William Paine, Army Service Corps.
 110111 Acting Company Serjeant-Major Frank Rhodes, Royal Engineers.
 M2/101473 Private (acting Company Quarter-Master-Serjeant) Thomas Roberts, Army Service Corps.
 S/18933 Staff Serjeant (acting Staff Serjeant-Major) Marcus Adolphus Rouse, Army Service Corps.
 138102 Acting Serjeant-Major Frederick Thomas Smedley, Inland Water Transport, Royal Engineers.
 23424 Serjeant William Stevenson, Air Line Section, Royal Engineers.
 27573 Serjeant Charles Smith Tait, Royal Engineers, Postal Section.
 SS/17187 Staff Serjeant-Major William Clarence Tuke, Army Service Corps.
 S4/070314 Private (acting Serjeant) John Octavius Wyatt, Army Service Corps.

Silver Medal.

- 68841 Corporal (acting Serjeant) Richard Ainley, Inland Water Transport, Royal Engineers.
 M2/120131 Lance-Corporal James Boyd, Army Service Corps.
 122076 Sapper Harry Charnock, Inland Water Transport, Royal Engineers.
 S4/072288 Private (acting Lance-Corporal) John Edgar Clare, Army Service Corps.
 M2/152332 Private Claude Cecil Collumbell, Motor Transport, Army Service Corps.

- 135995 Corporal Joseph Octavius Deane, Inland Water Transport, Royal Engineers.
 M2/035268 Private Arthur Edmund Evans, Motor Transport, Army Service Corps.
 135438 Sapper (acting Corporal) Arnold Fletcher, Inland Water Transport, Royal Engineers.
 122473 Sapper (acting Corporal) Frank Glover, Inland Water Transport, Royal Engineers.
 M2/148600 Private Robert John Hammond, Motor Transport, Army Service Corps.
 75543 Acting Corporal Ernest Hatchwell, Royal Army Medical Corps.
 135095 Sapper (acting Serjeant) Arthur Howe, Inland Water Transport, Royal Engineers.
 110107 Pioneer Charles Samuel Humphrey, Royal Engineers.
 M2/152452 Private Herbert Henry Hunt, Army Service Corps.
 135685 Lance-Corporal (acting Corporal) Robert Francis Rayner Huntington, Inland Water Transport, Royal Engineers.
 S4/143401 Private (acting Corporal) Harry George Jenks, Army Service Corps.
 120391 Pioneer William James Macey, Royal Engineers.
 M2/102512 Private John MacFarlane, Motor Transport, Army Service Corps.
 S4/143463 Private (acting Corporal) William Meredith, Army Service Corps.
 M2/114043 Private Richard Harold Nye, late Army Service Corps.
 M2/074351 Private Odo William Payne, Army Service Corps.
 138207 Lance-Corporal Byron Pearce, Inland Water Transport, Royal Engineers.
 M2/152299 Private (acting Corporal) George Edward Porter, Motor Transport, Army Service Corps.
 M2/105125 Private (acting Corporal) Harvey William Raggett, Army Service Corps.
 135612 Sapper (acting Corporal) Ralph Rattray, Inland Water Transport, Royal Engineers.
 110002 Pioneer George Richardson, Royal Engineers.
 M2/151504 Private Ernest Scott, Motor Transport, Army Service Corps.
 138208 Sapper (acting Serjeant) James George Shore, Inland Water Transport, Royal Engineers.
 M2/133346 Private James Bernard Simpson, Army Service Corps.
 S4/143387 Private (acting Corporal) John Walter Simpson, Army Service Corps.
 S4/123011 Private Ezra Tunnicliffe, Army Service Corps.
 104746 Corporal Albert Edward Wade, Inland Water Transport, Royal Engineers.

Order of St. Sava, 3rd Class.

Major Herbert St. Maur Carter, D.S.O., M.B., Royal Army Medical Corps. (July 6, 1916).

Order of the White Eagle, 5th Class.

Temporary Lieutenant William Edward Gilliland, Norfolk Regiment (attached Royal Dublin Fusiliers). (August 22, 1916.)
 2nd Lieutenant (temporary Lieutenant) Reginald William Dowell Lee, Dorsetshire Regiment, Special Reserve. (August 22, 1916.)
 Temporary Lieutenant Charles Andrew Martin, Royal Dublin Fusiliers. (August 22, 1916.)

Major Leonard Sueton Hirsch Smithers, Infantry, Indian Army. (August 22, 1916.)

Decorations and Medals conferred by
H.M. THE KING OF MONTENEGRO.

(October 31, 1916.)

Obilitch Medal (Gold).

Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, G.C.B.,
K.C.I.E., K.C.V.O., A.D.C.
Major-General (temporary Lieutenant-General)
Sir Lancelot Edward Kiggell, K.C.B.

Order of Danilo, 1st Class.

Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, G.C.B.,
K.C.I.E., K.C.V.O., A.D.C.
Major-General (temporary Lieutenant-General)
Sir Lancelot Edward Kiggell, K.C.B.
Lieutenant-General (temporary General) Sir
Henry Seymour Rawlinson, Bart., K.C.B.,
C.V.O.

Order of Danilo, 2nd Class.

Major-General Victor Arthur Couper.
Colonel (temporary Major-General) James
Gordon Legge, C.M.G., Australian Imperial
Force.
Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Arthur
Herbert Hussey, C.B.
Brigadier-General (temporary Major-General)
Sir Andrew Hamilton Russell, K.C.M.G.
Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Martin
Newman Turner, C.B.
Colonel Herman Le Roy-Lewis, C.B., D.S.O.

Order of Danilo, 3rd Class.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Gordon Bennett,
C.M.G., Australian Imperial Force.
Lieutenant-Colonel James Dawson, D.S.O.,
Gordon Highlanders.
Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-
General) Godfrey Gillson, D.S.O., Royal
Artillery.
Lieutenant-Colonel Francis William Gosset,
D.S.O., Royal Artillery.
Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-
General) Victor Wentworth Odlum, D.S.O.,
Canadian Forces.
Lieutenant-Colonel William Denziloe Sanderson,
D.S.O., North Lancashire Regiment.
Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-
General) Evan Alexander Wisdom, D.S.O.,
Australian Imperial Force.
Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Charles Walthall
Delves Walthall, D.S.O., Royal Artillery.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Guy
Hamilton Boileau, D.S.O., Royal Engineers.
Major (temporary Brigadier-General) Charles
William Eric Gordon, Royal Highlanders.
Major (temporary Brigadier-General) William
Lushington Osborn, D.S.O., Royal Sussex
Regiment.
Temporary Captain Henry Constable Roberts,
Staff.

Order of Danilo, 4th Class.

Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel Edgar Mont-
eagle-Brown, D.S.O., Royal Munster
Fusiliers.
Major George Barclay, New Zealand Engineers.
Major Edward Leslie Bond, Royal Artillery.

Major The Honourable Henry George Orlando
Bridgeman, M.C., Royal Artillery.
Major Edmund Alfred Drake Brockman,
C.M.G., Australian Infantry.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Claude
Raul Champion de Crespigny, D.S.O.,
Grenadier Guards.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) William
Ellis Clark, D.S.O., Royal Artillery.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Francis
Maxwell de Frayer Lorenzo, D.S.O., Aus-
tralian Infantry.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Ernest
Craig-Brown, D.S.O., Cameron Highlanders.
Captain and Brevet Major Charles Calvey
Foss, V.C., D.S.O., Bedfordshire Regiment.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Harold
Willis Gaye, Leinster Regiment.
Captain (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Ralph
Hamer Husey, M.C., London Regiment.
Captain and Brevet Major (temporary Lieu-
tenant-Colonel) Hamlet Lewthwaite Riley,
D.S.O., Rifle Brigade.
Major Hugh Alexander Ross, D.S.O., Gordon
Highlanders.
Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Henry
Charles Simpson, D.S.O., Royal Artillery.
Major Paul Frederick Villiers, Canadian In-
fantry.

Order of Danilo, 5th Class.

Captain and Brevet Major Guy Blewitt, M.C.,
Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light
Infantry.
Captain Eric Litchfield Brooke Anderson,
D.S.O., Royal Artillery.
Captain Richard Frederick Cavendish Medli-
cott, South African Infantry.
Captain (temporary Major) George Arthur
Read, Australian Infantry.
Captain Murray Urquhart, Wellington Regi-
ment, New Zealand Forces.
Captain Edward Courtenay Thomas Warner,
M.C., Scots Guards.
Lieutenant (temporary Captain) George Balfour
Black, Lancers.
Lieutenant Melvin Ohio Johnson, Canadian
Mounted Rifles.
2nd Lieutenant (temporary Lieutenant) Augus-
tine Patrick Thornton, Royal Irish Rifles.
2nd Lieutenant James Edward Sargent, Royal
Artillery.

Silver Medal for Bravery.

2nd Lieutenant (temporary Captain) John
Oliver Andrews, M.C., Royal Scots and Royal
Flying Corps.
Temporary Lieutenant Guy Stanley Barton,
M.C., Royal Welsh Fusiliers.
2nd Lieutenant John Reginald Blackman,
Australian Infantry.
Lieutenant (temporary Captain) William Brett
Cook, Australian Infantry.
Captain Joseph Thomas Heath, M.C., Royal
Engineers.
2nd Lieutenant Arthur Lionel Gordon-Kidd,
Royal Flying Corps.
Temporary 2nd Lieutenant William Law,
Cameron Highlanders.
Captain Hugh Richard Longbourne, D.S.O.,
Royal West Surrey Regiment, Special Reserve.
Temporary Captain Donald Olson Riddell,
D.S.O., M.B., Royal Army Medical Corps.

The Reverend Frank Russell-Barry, D.S.O., temporary Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class, Army Chaplains Department.
 Temporary Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Harry Hogg Yuill, Royal Engineers.
 22797 Private Jack Betts, Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment.
 12547 Company Serjeant-Major Thomas Box, Liverpool Regiment.
 11021 Private Fred Alec Cannon, Leicestershire Regiment.
 11477 Private James Grundy, Grenadier Guards.
 20498 Serjeant Herbert Hadfield, Manchester Regiment.
 11964 Private Frank Donald Haslam, Yorkshire Light Infantry.
 C/12438 Company Serjeant-Major William Huddleston, King's Royal Rifle Corps.
 8751 Private Frederick James King, Machine Gun Corps.
 188 Serjeant Joseph Henry Mitchell, Australian Engineers.
 1813 Serjeant John Naisby, South African Infantry.
 55914 Private Joseph Newton, Canadian Infantry.
 14543 Private (now Serjeant) Peter Nolan, South Staffordshire Regiment.
 405 Serjeant Albert George Westall, Royal Berkshire Regiment.
 55955 Private Wilfred Wilson, Canadian Infantry.

Medal for Merit (Gold).

Major-General Percy Eyre Francis Hobbs, C.B., C.M.G.
 Colonel (temporary Major-General) Reginald Ulick Henry Buckland, C.B., A.D.C.
 Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Cyril Brodenall Bingham White, C.B., D.S.O., Royal Australian Garrison Artillery.
 Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) The Honourable John Francis Gathorne-Hardy, D.S.O., Grenadier Guards.
 Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) The Honourable Walter Patrick Hore-Ruthven, C.M.G., D.S.O., Scots Guards.
 Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) John Constantine Gordon Longmore, D.S.O., Army Service Corps.

Medal for Merit (Silver).

17421 Private George Abell, Machine Gun Corps.
 6105 Lance-Serjeant Edwin John Milton Baigent, Royal Berkshire Regiment.
 11889 Private Thomas Barker, Nottinghamshire & Derbyshire Regiment.
 8950 Serjeant Alfred Bryan, Lincolnshire Regiment.
 M2/076942 Private (Acting Lance-Corporal) Ernest Wyatt Burnett, Army Service Corps.
 9590 Private John Byrne, Royal Dublin Fusiliers.
 M2/151820 Private (Acting Lance-Corporal) Frank Ellis, Army Service Corps (Motor Transport).
 8547 Company Serjeant-Major John Groombridge, Coldstream Guards.
 96618 Battery Serjeant-Major Isaac Heaton, Royal Field Artillery.
 G/15333 Serjeant Thomas Frederick Holmes, Royal Fusiliers, and Intelligence Corps.

9637 Regimental Quarter-Master-Serjeant John William Hopkins, Royal Irish Regiment.
 L/8701 Serjeant Alfred Robert Howland, Royal Fusiliers.
 8365 Company Serjeant-Major Ernest Irving, Coldstream Guards.
 245 Private Robert Henry Morgan, South African Infantry.
 22447 Lance-Corporal Tom Precious, West Yorkshire Regiment.
 26629 Driver Arthur Shattock, Royal Engineers.

Decorations conferred by

H.H. THE SULTAN OF EGYPT.

Order of the Nile, Grand Cross (1st Class).

(Oct. 2, 1916.)

Lieutenant-General (temporary General) Sir Archibald James Murray, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., C.V.O., D.S.O., Colonel, Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers.

(Nov. 20, 1916.)

Order of the Nile, Grand Cross (1st Class).

Lieutenant-General The Right Honourable Sir John Grenfell Maxwell, G.C.B., K.C.M.G., C.V.O., D.S.O., Colonel, Royal Highlanders.

Order of the Nile, 2nd Class.

Major-General John Adye, C.B.
 Major-General Arthur Lunden Lynden-Bell, C.B., C.M.G.
 Major-General William Eliot Peyton, C.V.O., C.O., D.S.O., Colonel, 15th Hussars.
 Major-General Alexander Wallace, C.B., Indian Army.
 Major-General William Arthur Watson, C.B., C.I.E., Indian Army.
 Major-General Sir Alexander Wilson, K.C.B., Colonel, Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders.

Order of the Nile, 3rd Class.

Local Lieutenant-Colonel James William Barrett, C.M.G.
 Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Roger Courtenay Boyle, C.B.
 Colonel (temporary Major-General) Henry George Chauvel, C.B., C.M.G., Australian Imperial Force.
 Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Skipton Hill Climo, C.B., D.S.O., Punjabis, Indian Army.
 Colonel Rudolph Robert Basil Aloysius Augustine, Earl of Denbigh and Desmond, C.V.O., A.D.C.
 Colonel James Fallon, Army Medical Service.
 Colonel William James Smyth Fergusson (retired pay).
 Lieutenant-Colonel Stannus Geoghegan, C.B., Indian Army.
 Colonel George Charles, Earl of Lucan (Reserve of Officers).
 Brigadier-General (temporary Major-General) Henry Timson Lukin, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., South African Defence Forces.
 Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel (temporary Major-General) Neill Malcolm, D.S.O., Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.
 Captain (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Stephen Hungerford Pollen, C.M.G., Reserve of Officers, late Wiltshire Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) John Buchanan Pollok-M'Call, C.M.G., retired pay, Royal Scots Fusiliers (Reserve of Officers).

Colonel Edmund Ironside Ward.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Harry Davis Watson, C.M.G., C.I.E., M.V.O., Indian Army.

Order of the Nile, 4th Class.

Captain Abdul Sattar, Patiala Imperial Service Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Frank Bainbridge, C.M.G., D.S.O., Indian Army.

Captain Ernest Herbert Campbell Bald, M.C., Machine Gun Corps (Motor), Reserve of Officers, late 15th Hussars.

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) James Barber, Royal Warwickshire Regiment.

Captain and Brevet Major Tarn Pritchard Bassett, D.S.O., Royal Engineers, attached Indian Army.

Colonel Guy Hudleston Boisragon, V.C., Indian Army.

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Alfred Bryant, M.C., Royal Artillery.

Captain Arthur John Herbert Chope, D.S.O., Gúrkha Rifles, Indian Army.

Temporary Captain F. H. Colson, Special List.

Captain Alan Geoffrey Charles Dawnay, Coldstream Guards.

Temporary Major Maurice Gerald Holmes, Army Service Corps.

Lieutenant (acting Captain) Richard Francis Knight Gooch, M.C., Yeomanry.

Captain Stuart Grant-Dalton, D.S.O., Yorkshire Regiment and Royal Flying Corps.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Levenax Haldane, C.M.G., Gúrkha Rifles, Indian Army.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Godfrey William Vanrenen Holdich, D.S.O., Royal Artillery.

Second Lieutenant Brainerd Arthur Robinson Jones, Cheshire Regiment.

Captain Patrick Lindsey Price Laing, King's Own Scottish Borderers.

Temporary Major F. S. Lyster, Special List.

Captain James Douglas Macindoe, M.C., Scots Guards.

Major Mahomed Azmatullah Khan, Hyderabad Lancers.

Second Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Edgar James Merry, Welsh Regiment.

Major Llewellyn Partridge, Yeomanry.

Captain and Brevet Major George Forder Perkins, Hampshire Regiment.

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Stuart Keppel Reid, Royal Sussex Regiment.

Major Arthur Justin Ross, D.S.O., Royal Engineers and Royal Flying Corps.

Temporary Captain Helperus Andrias Van Ryneveld, M.C., Royal Flying Corps.

Temporary Lieutenant (temporary Captain) George Francis Scott-Elliott, King's Own Scottish Borderers.

Captain Harry Ben Le Despencer Tree, Infantry, Indian Army.

Lieutenant Christopher John Radcliffe Turner, Sikhs, Indian Army.

Major (temporary Lieutenant-Colonel) Richard Lancelot Waller, Royal Engineers.

Second Lieutenant Claud Herbert Williams, Yeomanry.

Captain John Henry Reginald Yardley, D.S.O., Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, Special Reserve.

Subadar Zulficar Ali, Alwar Imperial Service Infantry.

NOTE.—The above-mentioned Decorations and medals have not been received by the War Office for distribution.

Officers, Non-commissioned Officers, or men who have not yet received the decoration of which the award appears in this Gazette should communicate with the Military Secretary, Foreign Decorations Section, 14 Albemarle Street, W.

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 12th day of March 1917.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade :

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May 1916, and made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and Section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited :

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars :

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect :—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May 1916, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same :—

- (1) That the following headings should be deleted :—
 - (b) Binder twine (except binder twine made of Manila hemp) ;
Chemicals, drugs, &c. :—
 - (b) Calcium carbide ;
 - (c) Sodium cyanide, and mixtures containing sodium cyanide ;
 - (b) Sodium prussiate and mixtures containing sodium prussiate ;
 - (c) Cotton, raw ;
 - (c) Furs, and manufactures thereof ;
 - (c) Grubbers ;
 - (c) Handles and helms for grubbers, pickaxes, spades and shovels ;
 - (b) Jute, raw and carded ;

- (B) Machinery, agricultural, other than motor ploughs and motor tractors for agricultural use ;
- (c) Machinery for ditching and trenching ;
Oleaginous kernels, nuts, seeds, and products the following :—
- (B) Castor beans ;
(B) Coconuts ;
(B) Copra ;
(B) Cottonseed ;
(B) Ground nuts, earth nuts, or pea nuts (Arachides) ;
(B) Hempseed ;
(B) Linseed ;
(B) Palm nuts and palm kernels ;
(B) Poppy seeds ;
(B) Rape or colza seed ;
(B) Sesame seed ;
(B) Soya beans ;
(B) Sunflower seed ;
(c) Other oleaginous kernels, nuts, seeds and products ;
- (c) Pickaxes ;
- (B) Seeds for root crops, the following :—
Carrot ;
Kohl rabi ;
Mangold ;
Onion ;
Swede ;
Turnip ;
- (c) Shovels ;
- (c) Spades ;
- Woods, the following :—
- (A) Ash ;
(A) Beefwood ;
(A) Birch ;
(A) Boxwood ;
(A) Cedar ;
(c) Cherry, wild ;
(c) Cotton ;
(A) Dogwood ;
(c) Ebony ;
(A) Greenheart ;
(c) Gum ;
(A) Hickory ;
(A) Lancewood ;
(A) Lignum vitæ ;
(A) Mahogany ;
(c) Maple ;
(A) Padouk ;
(c) Palm ;
(c) Poplar ;
(B) Quebracho ;
(A) Rock elm ;
(c) Rose ;
(A) Sabicu ;
(A) Spruce ;
(A) Teak ;
(A) Walnut ;
(A) Whitewood.
- (2) That the following headings should be added :—
- (B) Anvils ;
(A) Binder twine ;
(A) Castings, malleable, hæmatite iron ;
Chemicals, drugs, etc. :—
(A) Calcium carbide ;
(A) Potassium prussiates and mixtures containing potassium prussiates ;
(A) Sodium prussiates and mixtures containing sodium prussiates ;
(A) Sodium cyanide and mixtures containing sodium cyanide ;
- (A) Cotton, raw ;
(B) Furs, and manufactures thereof ;
(B) Hammers ;
(A) Handles and helves for grubbers, pickaxes, spades and shovels ;
(A) Jute, raw and carded ;
(A) Machinery, agricultural, including hand tools which can be used for agricultural purposes ;
Metals and ores, the following :—
(A) Uranium, alloys of uranium and uranium ores ;
(A) Oleaginous kernels, nuts, seeds and products of all kinds ;
(A) Pickaxes ;
Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following :—
(A) Baking powder ;
(A) Confectionery manufactured wholly or partly of sugar ;
(A) Malt extract ;
(A) Raffia ;
(B) Sealskins, untanned hair ;
(A) Seeds, the following :—
Carrot ;
Cauliflower ;
Kohl rabi ;
Mangold ;
Onion ;
Parsnip ;
Swede ;
Turnip ;
(B) Vices ;
(A) Wood and timber of all kinds, hewn, sawn or split, planed or dressed.

Now, therefore, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the same be approved.

Whereof the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise, the Director of the War Trade Department, and all other persons whom it may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

Civil Service Commission,

March 9, 1917.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination will be held in London on the 18th May 1917, under the Regulations dated the 26th May 1916, and published in the London Gazette of the same date, relating to the following group of situations, viz. :—

Female Sorting Assistant in the General Post Office, London, and in the General Register Office, London.

Female Card Teller in the National Health Insurance Commissions for England, Scotland, Ireland, and Wales.

Appointments will be offered to not fewer than 31 of the Candidates highest on the list, provided they obtain the necessary aggregate of marks and are duly qualified in other respects.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 19th April, an application on the prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

FIFE COUNTY COUNCIL.

DUNFERMLINE DISTRICT COMMITTEE.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of Section 44 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1894, and Section 14 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1908, that the Dunfermline District Committee of the County Council of the County of Fife, at a Meeting held on 6th March 1917 resolved to form a SPECIAL LIGHTING DISTRICT for the HALBEATH AREA, which forms part of the Landward part of the Parish of Dunfermline, and that this determination shall take effect on and after the first day of September 1917. The Boundaries of the Special Lighting District for the Halbeath Area are described at length in the Dunfermline Press newspaper of date 10th March 1917, and the Plan showing the Boundaries of the said Special Lighting District may be inspected at the Office of the Subscriber. The District Committee further resolved to adopt for the Special Lighting District the provisions contained in Sections 99 to 105 inclusive of the Burgh Police (Scotland) Act, 1892.

WILLIAM BURT, Clerk to Dunfermline District Committee.

30 Queen Anne Street, Dunfermline,
12th March 1917.

INTIMATION is hereby given that the Right Honourable MONTOLIEU FOX OLIPHANT MURRAY, VISCOUNT ELIBANK, Heir of Entail in possession of the Lands and Barony of Hatton-Murray or Blackbarony and others, in the County of Peebles, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (First Division, Junior Lord Ordinary.—Mr. Paterson, Clerk), in terms of the Entail Acts and relative Acts of Sederunt, for authority to disentail (1) the Lands and Barony of HATTON-MURRAY or BLACKBARONY, comprehending, *inter alia*, the Lands of Kingslands; (2) the Lands called LOGAN'S LANDS and CATHERINE'S ACRE, with the Temple Lands of Athelston or Eddleston, and others, in the Parish of Eddleston; and (3) the Lands of MELCUMSTOUN or MILKIESTON and BURNFOOT and the Lands of HOPETOUN, being parts and portions of the Lands of Whitebarony,—all in the County of Peebles.

Date of Interlocutor ordering intimation, 8th March 1917.

W. & F. HALDANE, W.S., Agents for the Petitioner.

4 North Charlotte Street, Edinburgh,
9th March 1917.

King's and Lord Treasurer's
Remembrancer's Office, Exchequer Chambers,
Edinburgh, 10th January 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Estate of ELIZABETH SHAW, 25 Arduithie Street, Stonehaven, who died there on 9th August 1916, has fallen to His Majesty as *ultimus hæres*.

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

THE SCOTTISH PROVIDENT INSTITUTION.

THE 79th Annual General Meeting of Members will be held in the North British Station Hotel, Princes Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 28th inst., at 2 o'clock p.m.

JAMES GRAHAM WATSON, Manager.

6 St. Andrew Square, Edinburgh,
12th March 1917.

STEAM DRIFTERS COAL COMPANY LIMITED.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Steam Drifters Coal Company Limited, duly convened, and held at No. 16 Bridge Street, Aberdeen, on Friday the 23rd day of February 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on the 12th day of March 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed, videlicet:—

“That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Andrew Robertson, Manager, 208 Market Street, Aberdeen, be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.”

BRANDER & CRUICKSHANK, Secretaries.

Aberdeen, 12th March 1917.

STEAM DRIFTERS COAL COMPANY LIMITED
(in Voluntary Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a Meeting of the Creditors of this Company will be held at No. 16 Bridge Street, Aberdeen, on Wednesday, 28th March 1917, at twelve o'clock noon.

This Notice is merely a formal one given to comply with the provisions of Section 188 of the Companies Consolidation Act, 1908, but the Creditors will be paid in full.

ANDREW ROBERTSON, Liquidator.

Aberdeen, 12th March 1917.

PATENT NECK & OIL COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, held at the Registered Office of the Company, 17 West Dock Street, Dundee, on Monday, 12th February 1917, the following Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, held at the same place on Monday, 5th March 1917, the said Resolutions were duly confirmed, viz.:—

“That the Company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of Section 182 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.”

“That Mr. Robert Collier Thomson, Accountant, Dundee, be, and he hereby is appointed Liquidator of the Company for the purpose of winding up the affairs and distributing any assets thereof, with every power which by the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, is conferred upon Liquidators.”

Dated this ninth day of March nineteen hundred and seventeen.

ROBERT C. THOMSON, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the PATENT NECK & OIL COMPANY LIMITED (in Voluntary Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a Special Resolution of the above-named Company was duly passed and confirmed on the 12th day of February 1917 and the 5th day of March 1917 respectively, for the Voluntary Liquidation of the Company.

Notice is also hereby given, pursuant to Section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Company will be held in the Office of Messrs. R. C. Thomson & Murdoch, C.A., 11 Reform Street, Dundee, on Thursday the 22nd day of March 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purposes provided for in the said Section.

Dated this ninth day of March nineteen hundred and seventeen.

ROBERT C. THOMSON, Liquidator.

THE STEAMSHIP “COMERIC” COMPANY LIMITED (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a Meeting of the Creditors of The Steamship “Comeric” Company Limited will be held in the Office of Messrs. Andrew Weir & Company, 21 Bury Street, London, E.C., 3, on Tuesday, 20th March 1917, at 12.30 p.m., in compliance with Section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.

Any persons claiming to be Creditors are requested to lodge particulars of their claims with me before the date of the Meeting.

The Company has passed a Resolution to wind up the Company voluntarily.

Dated this 10th day of March 1917.

WILLIAM R. BROWN, Liquidator.

21 Bury Street, London, E.C., 3.

THE GREAT NORTH OF SCOTLAND GRANITE COMPANY LIMITED (in Voluntary Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given (pursuant to Section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908) that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above Company will be held within the Company's Office at the Granite Works, Peterhead, on Monday the 26th day of March 1917, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purposes provided for in the said Section.

Creditors are requested to lodge their claims with the Liquidator on or before said date.

WILLIAM MARTIN, Liquidator.

Dated this 9th day of March 1917.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Argyll at Dunoon, at the instance of Messrs. William Foulds & Co. Ltd., Distillers and Scotch Whisky Merchants, School Wynd, Paisley, for Sequestration of the Estates of JOHN PETERS, Hotel Keeper, Argyll Hotel, Lochgilphead, the Sheriff-Substitute of this date granted Warrant for citing the said John Peters to appear in Court on the tenth day next after citation, to show cause why Sequestration of his Estates should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

A. R. MACKENZIE, Agent for Petitioners.

7 Gilmour Street, Paisley,
12th March 1917.

A PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills at the instance of Catherine M'Callum, Dressmaker, residing at number nine India Street, Partick, Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of THE HILLHEAD GARAGE AND MOTOR ENGINEERING COMPANY, carrying on business at three hundred and four Byres Road, Kelvin-side, and R. W. Ramsay, the only known Partner of said Company, lately residing at number fifty-six Kersland Street, Hillhead, Glasgow, now on active service, and whose whereabouts are unknown to the Petitioner, as such Partner, and as an Individual, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said The Hillhead Garage and Motor Engineering Company and R. W. Ramsay to appear in Court the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the fourteenth day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration of their Estates should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

MANSON & TURNER MARTAILANE, W.S.,
Agents.

29 Queen Street, Edinburgh,
13th March 1917.

THE Estates of D. KREVITSKY, Eglinton Cabinet Works, 13-15 Ritchie Street, Glasgow, were Sequestrated on 9th March 1917, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow.

The first Deliverance is dated 27th February 1917.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon, on Thursday, 22nd March 1917, 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 Meeting.

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

DONALD CURRIE, Writer, 65 Bath Street,
Glasgow, Agent.

THE Estates of the Deceased JAMES CRAWFORD, who resided at 32 Dundrennan Road, Langside, Glasgow, the sole Partner of the Firm of CRAWFORD & CRAIG, Cabinetmakers and Upholsterers, who carried on business at 218 Holm Street there, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were Sequestrated on the ninth day of March 1917, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow.

The first Deliverance is dated 9th March 1917.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock on Thursday the 22nd day of March 1917, within the Faculty Hall, St. George's Place, Glasgow. A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 9th day of July 1917.

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

JOHN F. BALLANTINE, Solicitor, 39 Bath
Street, Glasgow, Agent.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES DIXON LAIDLAW,
Gamedealer and Provision Merchant, Invergordon.

By authority of the Commissioners on the Sequestrated Estate of James Dixon Laidlaw, Gamedealer and Provision Merchant, Invergordon, I hereby give notice that the Commissioners have postponed the period for paying the first Dividend to the eighteenth day of May nineteen hundred and seventeen.

COLIN L. M'KENZIE, Trustee.

Tain, 10th March 1917.

In the SEQUESTRATION of JOHN MOIR, 13
Wales Street, Aberdeen.

ALLEXANDER ESSLEMONT, Wholesale Merchant, 30 King Street, Aberdeen, Trustee, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period for making a Dividend.

A. ESSLEMONT, Trustee.

Aberdeen, 12th March 1917.

INTIMATION.

THE Subscriber William Stuart Hamilton, Stockbroker, Glasgow, retired from the Firm of ROBERT EASTON & COMPANY, Stockbrokers and Accountants, 21 West Nile Street, Glasgow, on 31st July 1915.

The remaining Subscribers and Partners, Neil Caw and Alexander Russell Ballantine, will continue to carry on the Business, for their own behoof, at the same address and under the same Firm name.

21 West Nile Street, Glasgow,
8th March 1917.

NEIL CAW.

Witnesses to the Signature of Neil Caw—
T. WINCHESTER, Sgt., Witness,
ROBERT A. M'ROBBIE, Pte., Witness,
Both 5th (Res.) Battalion, Scottish
Rifles, Hipswell Camp, Catterick,
York.

A. RUSSELL BALLANTINE.

Witnesses to the Signature of Alexander
Russell Ballantine—
KENNETH MACLAY, 21 West Nile
Street, Glasgow, Stockbroker.
ROBERTA LANDELS, 21 West Nile
Street, Glasgow, Clerkess to R.
Easton & Co.

WM. S. HAMILTON.

Witnesses to the Signature of William
Stuart Hamilton—
KENNETH MACLAY, 21 West Nile
Street, Glasgow, Stockbroker.
ROBERTA LANDELS, 21 West Nile
Street, Glasgow, Clerkess to R.
Easton & Co.

NOTICE.

THE Business of Slater and Plasterer carried on by the late JAMES M'ALLISTER at 52 Riverford Road, Pollokshaws, Glasgow, has, as from 12th March 1917, been transferred to his foreman, Robert Lyon, 48 Riverford Road, Pollokshaws, Glasgow, who will

carry on the same for his own behoof under the Firm name of JAMES M'ALLISTER.

The Subscriber Mrs. Agnes M'Allister will collect all debts due to, and discharge the whole debts and liabilities of, said Business prior to 12th March 1917.

AGNES M'ALLISTER,

Sole Executrix of the deceased
James M'Allister.

ROBERT LYON.

THOMAS PRENTICE, Writer, 64 Pollok Street, Pollokshaws, Glasgow, Witness.

D. M. M'TAVISH, Law-Clerk, 64 Pollok Street, Pollokshaws, Glasgow, Witness.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

James Seymour Bracegirdle (carrying on business under the style of J. S. Bracegirdle & Co.), carrying on business at Burwood Works, Titchbourne Row, Edgware Road, London, and residing at the Cottage by the Wood, Cobham, Surrey, merchant.

Roland Bruce Chessum, Hazlitt House, Southampton Buildings, London, and who resides at Woodbury, Clay Hill, Enfield, Middlesex, and lately carrying on business at 7A South Place, Eldon Street, London, E.C., builder and contractor (a partner in the firm of J. Chessum & Sons).

William Coles, of, and carrying on business at 76, Warwick Road, Earl's Court, London, and at 81 Ridgway, Wimbledon Common, Surrey, grazier and butcher.

Julie Tucker, 5 Hanover Square, London, costumier, (married woman, carrying on business separately and apart from her husband).

Edward Norcross, Cestria, Ledboro' Lane, Beaconsfield, in the county of Buckingham.

James Parle, Skegness, in the county of Lincoln, Roman Catholic priest.

Walker Taylor, residing at 42 Pellon Terrace, Idle, in the city of Bradford, lately residing at 21 Croft Street, Idle aforesaid, and formerly at 24 Church Street, Longwood, Huddersfield, Yorkshire, and formerly carrying on business at the Central Ironworks, Longwood, Huddersfield aforesaid, journeyman mechanic and smith, formerly mechanic and smith.

Robert Lionel Plowman, 223, 225, and 229 Acton Lane, Chiswick, in the county of Middlesex, and residing at 24 Ramilies Road, Bedford Park, in the county of Middlesex, laundryman.

Edward Comer, 156 West Street, Bedminster, in the city and county of Bristol, grocer.

John Thomas Maxwell, 81 Queen's Road, Bristol, and now Lower Court Farm, Almondsbury, in the county of Gloucester, of no occupation.

Tom Eden, 13 Lower Brook Street, Teignmouth, Devonshire, baker.

David Evans, 17 Mill Street, Tonyrefail, and carrying on business at the Station Stores, Tonyrefail, Glamorgan, beer dealer.

Harry Raven, residing and carrying on business at 367 Castleford Road, Normanton, in the county of York, grocer and provision merchant.

Sarah Annie Wyse, in furnished apartments at 141 Cold Bath Road, Harrogate, Yorkshire, previously Linden Cottage, Eastbourne, Darlington, co. Durham, munitions overseer, previously hand laundry proprietor (widow).

The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the Edinburgh Gazette of 9th March 1917.

Josephus Owen Hampton (carrying on business under the style of the Atherton Manufacturing Company), residing at Southern Road, Ashton-on-Mersey, Cheshire, and carrying on business at 21 Dickinson Street, Manchester, cloth agent and pattern card maker.

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

Sidney Henry Fowler Upton, Popple Hill, Graffham, near Petworth, Sussex, farmer and horse breeder.

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED AND RECEIVING ORDER RESCINDED.

Bertram Charles Sainsbury, lately carrying on business at, or residing at, Watts Farm, Worton, Wilts, but whose present address the Petitioner has been unable to ascertain, farmer.

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