

War Office,
21st April 1917.

The Secretary of State for War has received from the Colonial Office a Despatch from the Governor of Uganda bringing to notice the valuable services rendered by the undermentioned officers of the Congo Carrier Section of the East Africa Transport Corps, a native transport organisation formed in Uganda and placed at the disposal of General Tombeur, Commander-in-Chief of the Belgian Congo Eastern Forces, in his invasion of German East Africa from the Congo, through Ruanda to Tabora :—

- Captain E. G. Fenning.
- Captain R. D. Anderson.
- Captain the Rev. H. A. Brewer.
- Lieutenant L. M. Seth-Smith.
- Lieutenant H. Boazman.
- Lieutenant R. Fyffe.
- Lieutenant J. G. Strickland.
- Lieutenant A. Greig.
- Lieutenant J. B. Harvey.
- Lieutenant F. Raper.
- Lieutenant G. H. M. Lamb.
- Lieutenant G. M'Kenzie.

War Office,
21st April 1917.

ARMY COUNCIL ORDER.

HIDES, SKINS, AND LEATHER.

In pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by the Defence of the Realm Regulations, the Army Council hereby require all persons engaged at any time before or after the date hereof in the purchase, sale, distribution, storage, or shipment of hides or skins of any description or in the manufacture of leather from such hides or skins as aforesaid or of any articles wholly or partly manufactured therefrom, or in the purchase, sale, distribution, storage, or shipment of such leather or articles aforesaid, or of any articles or materials required for the purpose of such manufacture as aforesaid, to furnish to the Director of Army Contracts such particulars as to their business as may be required on his behalf.

By Order of the Army Council.

R. H. BRADE.

Dated 28th February 1917.

War Office,
24th April 1917.

DEFENCE OF THE REALM REGULATIONS.

A new edition of the "Defence of the Realm Manual," revised to 28th February 1917, with an Appendix containing Amendments and Orders made whilst the Manual was in the press, has been published. Copies (price 5s. net) can be purchased either directly or through any bookseller from H.M. Stationery Office, Imperial House, Kingsway, W.C. 2, or its Agents.

The Monthly Edition of the Defence of the Realm Regulations revised to 31st March 1917, is also available (price 6d. net).

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of the City of Dundee.

Thomas Henry Smith, Esq., of Aystree, West Ferry, to be a Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 21st March 1917.

Also

Col. Robert Hay Adamson, T.D., North Scottish R.G.A., and

Lieut.-Col. Peter Strachan Nicol, T.D., 2/7th Northumberland Fusiliers, to be Deputy Lieutenants. Dated 17th April 1917.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS,
1894 to 1914.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASES in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 21st April 1917, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs) :—

ANTHRAX.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Animals Attacked.			
		Oattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Horses.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Ayr	1	1	—	—	—
Berwick	1	1	—	—	—
Dumfries	1	1	—	—	—
Elgin or Moray	1	1	—	—	—
Forfar	1	1	—	—	—
Kirkcudbright	1	1	—	—	—
Lanark	2	3	—	—	—
Selkirk	1	1	—	—	—
TOTAL	9	10	—	—	—

SHEEP SCAB.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.
	No
Argyll	1
Inverness	1
TOTAL	2

PARASITIC MANGE.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.	Animals Attacked.
	No.	No.
Ayr	1	1
Forfar	1	1
Lanark	4	5
TOTAL	6	7

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,
24th April 1917.