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TUESDAY, JUNE 26, 1917.

*Scottish Office, Whitehall, S.W.,
22nd June 1917.*

THE KING has been pleased on the recommendation of the Secretary for Scotland to make the following appointments to Appeal Tribunals under the Military Service Acts, 1916 and 1917:—

Mr. James Robert Nicolson Macphail, K.C., Sheriff of Stirling, Dumbarton, and Clackmannan, to be a Member of the Appeal Tribunal for the Sheriffdom of Stirling, Dumbarton, and Clackmannan, in the room of Mr. John M'Kie Lees, K.C., who has resigned.

Mr. John Mooney to be a Member of the Appeal Tribunal for the Sheriffdom of Caithness, Orkney, and Shetland, in the room of Mr. James D. Wilson deceased.

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 22nd day of June 1917.

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

WHEREAS His Majesty has been pleased, in exercise of the power in that behalf conferred on Him by Section one, sub-section one, of the Trading with the Enemy (Extension of Powers) Act, 1915, by divers Proclamations, and in particular by a Proclamation dated the 23rd day of May 1916, entitled "The Trading with the Enemy (Statutory List) Proclamation,

1916, No. 3," to prohibit all persons or bodies of persons, incorporated or unincorporated, resident, carrying on business, or being in the United Kingdom from trading with any of the persons or bodies of persons mentioned in the List contained in the last mentioned Proclamation, such List being therein referred to as the Statutory List:

And whereas by Section one, sub-section two, of the said Act, it is provided that any List of persons and bodies of persons, incorporated or unincorporated, with whom such trading is prohibited by a Proclamation under the said Act may be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of a Secretary of State:

And whereas the Statutory List contained in the last mentioned Proclamation has been varied and added to by subsequent Orders of Council:

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs to the following effect:—

That the Statutory List should be further varied and added to as set forth in the Schedule hereto.

Now, therefore, Their Lordships, having taken the said recommendation into consideration, are pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the Statutory List be varied and added to as set forth in the Schedule hereto.

Whereof the Right Honourable Arthur James Balfour, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, the Controller of the Foreign Trade Department, and all other persons whom it

may concern, are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

SCHEDULE.

ADDITIONS TO LIST.

†ARGENTINA, PARAGUAY, AND URUGUAY.

Grebe & Diebel, Calle. Suipacha 467, Buenos Aires, Argentina.
Robert, Eugenio, & Company, Calle Orillas del Plata 843, Montevideo, Uruguay.
Rohde, Rappard & Langloh, Chacabuco 138 and Alsina 675, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

BOLIVIA.

Cerveceria Aguila (see Liebers, Arturo).
Liebers, Arturo (Cerveceria Aguila), Tarija.
Stark & Brandenburg, Cochabamba.

BRAZIL.

Beckmann & Company, Rua Florencio de Abreu 99 and Caixa Postal 1154, Sao Paulo.
Beuttenmuller & Company, Rua da Alfandega 89 and Caixa de Correio 77, Rio de Janeiro.
Fabrica Metallurgica de Sao Paulo (see Fabrica Metallurgica Allema).
Festenburg & Company, Corumba.
Henrique & Leal, Rua Sao Pedro 52, Rio de Janeiro; & Rua José Bonifacio 36, Sao Paulo.
Lima, Casimiro (of Carlos Boschen & Company), Rio de Janeiro.
Schlesinger & Company, Rua da Alfandega 103, Rio de Janeiro.
Steinbach, Hans, Bahia.

CHILE.

Bähre & Company (see Bähre, Herbst & Company).
Bähre, Herbst & Company (Bähre & Company), Santiago, Conception, Valdivia, Talcahuano & Valparaiso.
Chavez, Eliseo, Antofagasta.
Del Rio, Delfin, Punta Arenas.
Gelder, Dr. G. de, Santiago.
Ibanez, Adolfo (of Bähre & Company), Talcahuano.
Mass, Roberto, & Company, Valparaiso.
Mesquita M., Juan.
Rio, Delfin Del (see Del Rio, Delfin).
Rocher, Eduardo A., Valparaiso.

COLOMBIA.

Lubinius, Gustavus, Bucaramanga.
Wolf, Pablo, Bogota.

GREECE.

Conteas, Demetrios, }
Conteas, Leonidas G., } Calamata.
Conteas, Panayiotis, }
"Esperina," Rue Philhellènes, Athens.
"Skrip," Rue Philhellènes, Athens.

NETHERLANDS.

Friedmann, F., Tulpstraat 12, Amsterdam.
Krupp, Fried. A. G. (see Kruppsche Spedition und Rhederei Comptoir Für).
Loock, H., & Company, O.Z. Maaskade 70, Rotterdam.

Pierson & Company (late Adolf Boissevain & Company), Heerengracht 237-239, Amsterdam.
Rennel Frères, Badhuisweg, Scheveningen.
Thyssen, J. W., & Company, Venlo.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Gan Tjong Keng, Macassar.
Gulik, J. F. Van, Medan.
Jessen, H., Medan.
Jo Tjong Eng, Macassar.
Liem Hok Siang, Macassar.
Marczak, I., & Company, Kota Radja, Acheen, North Sumatra.
Meulenbelt, H., Samarang.
Schutt, H. W., Samarang.
Tan, H. T. H., Macassar.

NORWAY.

Frykholm, N. E., A/S., Kirkegt. 20, Christiania.
Isebarn, Hans (of Troye & Isebarn), Bergen.
Meyer's (Rolf) Maskinforretning, Toldbodg. 2, Drammen.
Morgan & Dorum, }
Morgan & Son, } Trondhjem.
Morgan, F., }
Morgan, F., & Son, }
Troye & Isebarn, Bergen.
Troye, Johan Rudolf (of Troye & Isebarn), Bergen.

SPAIN.

Antones, Roman Lalaux (see Lalaux Antones, Roman).
Aymerich Seallarés; Luis, Santa Teresa 9, Barcelona.
Bosch, José, Alicante.
Brian (or Bryan), Oscar (see Wolters, Gerardo).
Cahn, Roberto, Cardoner 48 (Torre), Barriada de la Salud, Barcelona.
Davila, Hijos de Jimenez (see Jimenez Davila, Hijos de).
"Gaceta del Norte, La," Calle Henao 8, Bilbao.
Gil, Sociedad Anonima, Calle Viladomat 83, Barcelona.
Jimenez Davila, Hijos de, Puerto de Santa Maria, near Cadiz.
Jimenez Mateos, José, Puerto de Santa Maria, near Cadiz.
Lalaux Antones, Roman, Corcega 235 and 237, Barcelona.
Libreria Universal de Pablo Schneider, Rambla de Cataluna 54, Barcelona.
Mateos Hermanos, Puerto de Santa Maria, near Cadiz.
Mateos, José Jimenez (see Jimenez Mateos, José).
Maurer y Cia, Calle Escudillers 62, Barcelona.
Schneider, Pablo, Rambla de Cataluna 54, Barcelona.
Seallarés (see Aymerich Seallarés, Luis).
Tipografia Germania, Santa Teresa 9, Barcelona.
Varo, Francisco, Alicante.
Wolf (or Wolff), Max (or Maximo), Plaza Tetuan 23, Valencia.
Wolters, Gerardo (late Oscar Brian or Bryan), Rambla Santa Monica 2, Barcelona.

SWEDEN.

Arvidson, Helge, Garvareg. 3, & Wahrendorffsgatan 4, Stockholm.
Frykholm, N. E., A/B, Centralpalatset & Strandvägen 19, Stockholm.
Knisslinge Skofabriks A/B. (trading as Knisslingewerkken), Vanås.

Transatlantiska Handelskompaniet, Kungsg. 53, Stockholm.

VENEZUELA.

Legorburu, Genaro Diaz, Puerto Cabello.

REMOVALS FROM LIST.

ARGENTINA, PARAGUAY, AND URUGUAY.

Caro Brothers, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Carrasco, Ricardo, Calle 25 de Mayo 130, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Feller, Otto, & Company, Calle Uruguay 891, Montevideo, Uruguay.

Gunther, Felix, Calle 25 de Mayo 130-140, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

CHILE.

Constancia, Compania Salitres, Iquique.

Contreras, Pablo, Calle Esmeraldas 85, Valparaiso.

Soria, Isidoro, Santiago.

COLOMBIA.

Volkman, Gustav, Bucaramanga.

ECUADOR.

Murillo, José, Guayaquil.

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

Janssen Van Rooij, H. J. C., Batavia.

PERSIA.

Agha Muhammad Yusuf Khabbez Beglaroff, Kazvin.

Haim, Ezra, Hamadan.

SPAIN.

Coca, Joaquin Garcia, Calle Principe 1, Madrid.

VENEZUELA.

Bozo, Audio, & Company, Maracaibo.

VARIATIONS IN LIST.

Corrections in the names and alterations in and additions to addresses of the persons or firms whose names have been already published on the respective dates shown in the margin are made as under:—

ARGENTINA, PARAGUAY, AND URUGUAY.

25 May 1917. Kropf & Company, Calle Alsina 365, Buenos Aires, Argentina; & Garibaldi 34, Asuncion, Paraguay.

BRAZIL.

8 Dec. 1916. Andrade (Ernesto) & Pinto, Praça Deodoro da Fonseca 25; Rua Martins 4, & P.O. Box 46, Bahia.

19 Jan. 1917. Fabrica Metallurgica Allema (Fabrica Metallurgica de Sao Paulo), Rua Dutra Rodrigues 31, Sao Paulo.

CHILE.

8 June 1917. Botica Del Indio (see Doggenweiler & Company).

25 May 1917. Doggenweiler & Company (Botica del Indio), Casilla 650 and Ahumada 2, Santiago; & Concepcion.

27 Apr. 1917. Doggenweiler, Fernando (of Doggenweiler & Company) and (of Doggenweiler Hermanos y Cia).

27 Apr. 1917. Doggenweiler Hermanos y Cia., San Donoso 74 & Calle Condell, Valparaiso; Calle A. Prat 166 and Ahumada 99, Santiago.

8 June 1917. Limiñana, Pascual (of Doggenweiler & Company) and (of Doggenweiler Hermanos y Cia).

GREECE.

8 Aug. 1916. Hamparzum, Aram (Aram Hampartchoumian), Santa Roza Street 1B, Athens.

NETHERLANDS.

11 May 1917. Kruppsche Spedition und Rhederi Comptoir Für (Fried Krupp, A.G.), Leuvehaven 34B, Rotterdam.

25 May 1917. Schmitt, F., Vasteland 12, Rotterdam.

8 June 1917. "Sinigar" Thee Plantage Maatschappy, Binnenrotte 30, Rotterdam. (No connection with Cultuur Maatschappy Sinigar.)

NETHERLAND EAST INDIES.

18 May 1916. Elten, E. F. Van, Medan & Belawan.

16 Mar. 1917. Import Maatschappy, de, Sourabaya. (No connection with Import Maatschappy, Batavia.)

NOTE (1).—All persons or firms resident, carrying on business, or being in the United Kingdom are prohibited from having with any person or firm mentioned in this List, or in any List issued under the Trading with the Enemy (Statutory List) Proclamation, 1916, No. 3, any dealings other than such as are expressly authorised by Paragraph 5 of the Proclamation. A List (The Consolidating List No. 29a), consolidating all previous Lists, revised to date and including the amendments in the Schedule annexed hereto is issued concurrently with this Order. This Consolidation List contains all the names which up to this date are included in the Statutory List.

Additions to and variations in these Lists will be published at intervals approximately of two weeks.

The Lists are published in the London Gazette and reproduced in the Board of Trade Journal, and separate copies of all Lists may be obtained at a small cost from the Superintendent of Publications, His Majesty's Stationery Office, Imperial House, Kingsway, W.C.

†NOTE (2).—Where a person or firm mentioned in the List has more than one address in the country or group of countries under which the name of the person or firm appears, all dealings in that country, or in any country in the group, with such person or firm are prohibited, even in cases where one only of the addresses or one only of the countries is specifically mentioned.

NOTE (3).—Trading is prohibited under the Trading with the Enemy Proclamations of 25 June and 10 November 1915, with any person or firm of enemy nationality resident or carrying on business in China, Siam, Persia, Morocco, Liberia or Portuguese East Africa. Persons or firms in the United Kingdom are therefore prohibited from trading with any person or firm of enemy nationality in any of those countries,

even though such person or firm is not mentioned by name in the Statutory List.

NOTE (4).—In order to minimise as far as possible any inconvenience which may be caused to British traders by the dislocation of export trade owing to the inclusion in the Statutory List of a former connection, the Foreign Trade Department is collecting and classifying the names of non-enemy firms who may be able to act as substitutes for firms mentioned in the Statutory List. A considerable amount of information is already available at the Foreign Trade Department, and it is in many cases possible to suggest the names of satisfactory substitutes without the necessity of referring the matter abroad. The Department is, however, prepared on application to inquire of His Majesty's Representatives abroad for the names of suitable substitutes. When the applicant wishes this done by telegraph he is required to undertake to pay the cost of telegraphic correspondence. It would greatly facilitate the work of the Foreign Trade Department if applicants in making inquiries would specify the particular trade or trades for which substitutes are required.

NOTE (5).—The Statutory List for each country is telegraphed, on the day of issue, to His Majesty's Representative in that country, who is instructed to notify accordingly British Consular Officers, to whom persons abroad should apply for information as to names on the List. Persons and firms in the United Kingdom with agencies or branches abroad would, however, be well advised to furnish such agencies or branches with issues of the List as they appear. The Lists for all countries in Central or South America are also telegraphed to His Majesty's Ambassador at Washington, who transmits them to H.M. Consul-General at New York and to other centres in the United States likely to be interested.

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 22nd day of June 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 1917, 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 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 1917, should be amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same:—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted:—

- (c) Asphalt;
- (c) Asphalt, coal tar;
- (c) Bitumen, liquid or solid;
- (B) Boots and shoes, materials and tools used in the manufacture of, the following:—

Boot and shoe grindery, including clog nails.

Chemicals, etc., the following:—

(B) Paraffin, liquid medicinal;

Ferro alloys, the following:—

(B) Ferro-manganese;

(A) Ferro-tungsten;

(B) Firearms, unrefined, and their component parts;

(c) Glue, osseine and concentrated size, fish glue, isinglass, finings and other kinds of gelatine;

(A) Hacksaw blades;

(c) Iridium and its alloys;

(A) Ivory, vegetable;

(B) Lubricants and articles and mixtures containing lubricants;

(B) Mica, mica splittings, mica powder, micanite, and articles made from and insulating materials containing them;

(B) Mineral jellies;

(A) Molasses;

(B) Motor spirit (except benzol);

(B) Oil fuel, except oil fuel allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped for use on board the exporting ship;

(B) Oil fuel, shale;

Oils, vegetable, the following, and articles and mixtures containing such oils:—

(B) All other vegetable oils except essential oils;

(c) Osmium and its alloys;

(c) Palladium and its alloys;

(B) Paraffin oil;

(A) Pepper;

(B) Petroleum, fuel oil;

(B) Petroleum, lighting oil;

(B) Petroleum, gas oil;

(B) Petroleum spirit and articles containing petroleum spirit;

(c) Petroleum and its products not otherwise specifically prohibited;

Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following:—

(c) Yeast, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing yeast;

(c) Rhodium and its alloys;

(c) Ruthenium and its alloys;

Silk and silk manufactures, the following:—

(B) Tissues and fabrics of silk of all kinds (including artificial silk), whether pure or mixed with other yarns or materials (except metal threads) in the grey or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed, unweighted or weighted; not

including velvets, plushes, nets, laces, gauzes, tulles, muslins, grenadines, voiles, crêpes, crêpe-de-chine and similar diaphanous fabrics and also not including piece goods of less than 12 inches in width (except braids), trimmings, hosiery, and all made-up articles;

(A) Tallow;

(A) Tools, small, the following:—

Hacksaws;

(B) Turpentine substitute and articles containing turpentine substitute;

(B) Varnishes containing shellac, oil, turpentine or turpentine substitute;

Wool and wool manufactures, the following:—

(A) Woollen and worsted cloth, khaki, and mixtures thereof.

(2) That the following headings should be added:—

(B) Asphalt;

(B) Asphalt, coal tar;

(B) Bitumen, liquid or solid;

(A) Bobbins and their component parts;

(B) Boots and shoes, materials and tools used in the manufacture of, the following:—

Boot and shoe grindery, including clog nails, but not including hobnails;

Chemicals, etc., the following:—

(c) Adrenaline;

(c) Alynin;

(c) Aloe juice;

(c) Amylene;

(c) Anchusa;

(c) Anchusin;

(c) Apol.

(c) Chlorides, metallic and metalloïd, not otherwise prohibited;

(B) Citrates;

(c) Digitaline;

(c) Ergotine;

(c) Eryngo;

(c) Eserine;

(c) Exalgin;

(c) Hydrastis canadensis;

(A) Hydrocyanic (prussic) acid and solutions thereof;

(A) Lactates, not otherwise prohibited;

(A) Lactic acid;

(c) Liquorice roots and juice;

(c) Lithium compounds;

(c) Lycopodium;

(A) Manna;

(A) Mannite;

(A) Paraffin, liquid medicinal;

(c) Pepsin;

(c) Peptone;

(c) Pilocarpine;

(A) Potassium carbonate and mixtures containing potassium carbonate;

(c) Saffron;

(B) Sodium peroxide;

(c) Sulphocyanides, not otherwise prohibited;

(c) Sulphoricates;

(c) Tannalbin;

(c) Tannigen;

(c) Vaccines;

(c) Valerianates, not otherwise prohibited;

(c) Valerianic acid;

Ferro alloys, the following:—

(A) Ferro-manganese;

(A) Firearms, unrifled, and their component parts;

Forage and food which may be used for animals, the following:—

(B) Fenugreek seed;

(B) Glue, osseine and concentrated size, fish glue, isinglass, finings and other kinds of gelatine;

(B) Gum tragacanth;

(A) Hobnails;

(C) Insecticides, not otherwise prohibited;

(C) Iridium and its alloys, and manufactures containing iridium;

(A) Ivory, vegetable, and manufactures thereof;

(C) Lithium;

(A) Lubricants, mineral and articles and mixtures containing mineral lubricants;

(B) Lubricants not otherwise specifically prohibited and articles and mixtures containing such lubricants;

(A) Mica block and mica splittings;

(B) Mica sheets, mica waste, mica powder, micanite, and articles made from and insulating materials containing mica in any form;

(A) Mineral jellies;

(A) Molasses, and articles, mixtures and preparations containing molasses;

(A) Motor spirit;

(A) Oil fuel, except oil fuel allowed by the Commissioners of Customs and Excise to be shipped for use on board the exporting ship;

(A) Oil fuel, shale;

Oils, vegetable, the following, and articles and mixtures containing such oils:—

(A) Linseed;

(B) All other vegetable oils, not otherwise prohibited;

(c) Osmium and its alloys and manufactures containing osmium;

(c) Palladium and its alloys and manufactures containing palladium;

(A) Paraffin oil;

(B) Pepper;

(A) Petroleum fuel oil;

(A) Petroleum gas oil;

(A) Petroleum lighting oil;

(A) Petroleum spirit and articles containing petroleum spirit;

(A) Petroleum and its products not otherwise specifically prohibited and mixtures thereof;

Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following:—

(A) Banana meal and banana flour and preparations containing banana meal and banana flour;

(A) Levulose;

(A) Milk sugar (lactose);

(A) Yeast, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing yeast;

(c) Rhodium and its alloys and manufactures containing rhodium;

(c) Ruthenium and its alloys and manufactures containing ruthenium;

(A) Shuttles and their component parts;

(c) Silicon;

Silk and silk manufactures, the following:—

(B) Tissues and fabrics of silk of all kinds (including artificial silk), whether pure or mixed with other yarns or material, in the grey, or discharged, undyed, dyed or printed, unweighted or

weighted; with the exception of velvets, plushes, nets, laces, mourning crepe, trimmings, braids, ribbons not exceeding 6 inches in width, furnishing fabrics (embroidered or brocaded), fabrics containing any kind of metal thread, and all made-up articles with the exception of articles for men's wear;

(A) Tallow, and articles, mixtures, and preparations containing tallow;

(C) Tar, oil, not otherwise specifically prohibited;

(A) Tools, small, the following:—
Hacksaws, and their component parts;

(A) Tungsten alloys;

(A) Turpentine substitute and articles containing turpentine substitute;

(C) Vanillin;

(B) Varnishes containing shellac, oil or turpentine, not otherwise prohibited;

Wool and wool manufactures, the following:—

(A) Khaki cloth made from wool or from mixtures of wool with other materials.

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.

Chancery of the Royal Victorian Order,

St. James's Palace, S.W.,

18th June 1917.

The KING has been graciously pleased to make the following promotion in and appointments to the Royal Victorian Order:—

To be Commander.

Rear-Admiral Laurence Eliot Power, C.B.,
M.V.O.

To be Members of the Fourth Class.

Captain John Stavers, Army Service Corps.

Captain Sydney Thomas Burgoyne, Royal Engineers.

Foreign Office,

April 30, 1917.

The KING has been pleased to approve of—
Señor Don Luis A. Uriarte as Consul of Uruguay at Newport, Monmouth, with jurisdiction also in Swansea;

M. Armand Guggenheim as Consul of Switzerland at Manchester;

Mr. W. Roderick Dorsey as Consul of the United States of America at Quebec;

Mr. Jesse H. Johnson as Consul of the United States of America at Regina, Saskatchewan;

Mr. Edward A. Dow as Consul of the United States of America at Fort William and Port Arthur, Ontario;

Mr. Chester Donaldson as Consul of the United States of America at Sherbrooke, Quebec;

Mr. Bertil M. Rasmusen as Consul of the United States of America at Fernie, British Columbia;

Mr. Alonzo B. Garrett as Consul of the United States of America at St. Stephen, New Brunswick;

Mr. H. M. Martin as Consul of Belgium at Edmonton, Alberta, for the judicial districts of Edmonton, Strathcona, and Victoria.

Foreign Office,

June 14, 1917.

The KING has been pleased to approve of—
Señor Don Lorenzo Marroquin as Consul-General of Colombia at London.

Foreign Office,

March 30, 1917.

The KING has been pleased to approve of—
Senhor Helio Lobo as Consul-General of Brazil at London;

Mr. J. E. Mahy as Consul of Belgium at Quebec for that portion of the Province of Quebec comprising the judicial districts of Arthabaska, Beauce, Chicoutimi, Gaspé, Kamouraska, Montmagny, Quebec, Rimouski, Saguenay, St. François and Three Rivers;

Mr. G. A. Balut as Consul of Italy at Freetown for Sierra Leone and Gambia;

Mr. H. A. Lorentz as Consul of the Netherlands at Cape Town for the Province of the Cape of Good Hope;

Mr. J. P. Hand as Consul of Belgium at Hamilton for the Bermudas;

Mr. T. Murdock as Consul of Belgium at Hobart for Tasmania;

Mr. William Allan Ironside as Consul of Peru at Calcutta;

Señor Don Manuel Planchart as Consul of Venezuela for Barbados and the Windward Islands; and

Mr. Daniel Sargent Darling Moseley as Consul of Sweden at Nassau for the Bahamas.

Foreign Office,

April 15, 1917.

The KING has been pleased to approve of—

Monsieur Louis Marie Frédéric Henri Rodde as Consul-General of France at Johannesburg and Pretoria for the Union of South Africa, Basutoland, Swaziland and Rhodesia, and the Bechuanaland and Nyasaland Protectorates;

Monsieur William Thévenaz as Consul of Switzerland at Hull;

Mr. Hugo A. Davidson as Consul of Uruguay at Plymouth, with jurisdiction also at Falmouth; and

Mr. L. M. Pietersz as Consul of Belgium at Kingston, Jamaica.

Whitehall, 20th June 1917.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to award the Edward Medal of the 2nd

Class to Charles Slack, deputy overman at the Woodland Colliery, Durham, under the following circumstances:—

On 2nd November 1916 a fall of roof occurred, completely burying a hewer named Richardson. Slack immediately sent for help, and himself started to remove the stone from Richardson, although the roof was still obviously very dangerous. Almost immediately a further fall occurred, burying Slack except for his legs. He was pulled out by two hewers, and, after recovering himself, returned to Richardson's assistance. He worked for about ten minutes, and then told the other helpers to get clear, as another fall was about to occur. He attempted to prop the falling stone up with his back, and by so doing succeeded in canting it off Richardson's head, which was now exposed, but he himself was again buried. Both men were finally extricated after about one and a half hours' work.

Slack undoubtedly risked his life in saving Richardson.

Also the Edward Medal of the 2nd Class to Robert John Kirkham, Fourth Class Examiner in the Department of Munitions Inspection.

On the 6th February 1917 Kirkham, who was working in a filling shed at Watford, noticed smoke issuing from a filled 4-inch Stokes bomb. With most commendable presence of mind and courage he picked up the bomb, threw it out of the shed, and shut the door. The bomb exploded in the open with sufficient violence to project the steel head, weighing 20 ounces, a distance of 120 yards. The steel propellant container flew 50 yards in the opposite direction. But for Kirkham's action the explosion would have occurred inside the filling shed, in which about 50 persons were working and a quantity of explosive was stored, and it is probable that loss of life would have resulted. Kirkham was well aware of the nature of the bomb and of the destructive qualities of the explosives with which it was filled.

Also the Edward Medal of the 2nd Class to Thomas Luther Burt, Chief of Police in H.M. Factory at Watford.

On the 13th February last an outbreak of fire occurred at the Watford Factory, at which explosives are manufactured. Burt, who was on his round of inspection at the time, at once rushed into the building, which was burning fiercely and full of suffocating smoke. He carried out Mixer Price, and immediately returned to rescue Mixer Morecroft, the smoke being then so dense and the heat so great that he was compelled to crawl along on his hands and knees before he could reach Morecroft. Afterwards he worked hard in assisting in the removal of explosives from the burning buildings.

Also the Edward Medal of the First Class to the representatives of Dr. Andrea Angel and Mr. George Wenborne, who lost their lives in endeavouring to save the lives of others on the occasion of a fire which broke out at the Silver-town Chemical Works on the 19th of January 1917, and His Majesty has been graciously pleased to award the King's Police Medal to the representative of Police Constable Edward George Brown Greenoff, who lost his life on the same occasion.

Also the Edward Medal of the 2nd Class to Percy Roberts Havercroft, Albert Henry Tomlinson, John Walker, and Edward Wingfield.

On the 27th August 1915 a descending cage, containing ten men, collided about half-way down one of the shafts of the Waleswood Colliery, near Sheffield, with an empty ascending cage. The impact was extremely violent, severely injuring all the men and breaking the winding ropes. Both cages were, however, wedged together in the shaft, so that, fortunately, neither of them fell to the bottom, though there was serious danger that they might do so at any moment. A hoppit manned by Tomlinson, Havercroft, and Walker was at once sent down to effect the rescue of the imprisoned men. All the men were carried from the damaged car along a girder to the hoppit, which made five descents altogether, the rescue occupying about two hours. During the whole of this time Tomlinson, Havercroft, and Walker were exposed to great danger either from the hoppit being upset by the winding ropes swinging in the shaft, or from the damaged cage breaking loose and falling down the shaft.

Wingfield, who was one of the occupants of the descending cage, had both legs fractured, and received a severe wound on the thigh and a wound on the head. He seized hold of another man who had fallen half-way through the bottom of the cage, and held him up until he was rescued. During the whole time he displayed the greatest coolness and bravery, despite his very severe injuries, and insisted on all his fellow-workmen being removed to a place of safety before allowing himself to be taken to the surface.

Also the Edward Medal of the First Class to Alfred John Henney.

On March the 14th, 1917, a bucket containing detonators was discovered to be on fire at the factory at which Henney was employed. He ran to the building, which was full of smoke, crawled through the smoke on his hands and knees until he found the burning bucket. The rope handle was in flames; but he seized it by the rim and carried it outside, where he extinguished the contents. His promptitude and courage averted a most serious disaster.

Also an Edward Medal of the 2nd Class to Herbert John Gollledge.

On the 25th February 1917 George Weeks, Under Manager of the Braysdown Colliery, near Bath, was ascending the shaft when the cage struck a water pipe which had become unfastened and was projecting from the shaft. The pipe pierced the roof of the cage and severely injured Weeks, at the same time preventing the cage from ascending. Gollledge was working at a level about half-way down the shaft, which is 608 yards in depth, and about eighty yards above the point at which the accident occurred. Hearing Weeks's moans, he at once got into the shaft and climbed down to the cage by means of the buntons, or girders, which run horizontally round the shaft. Gollledge lowered himself from one buntun to the next, the distance between the buntuns being on an average 5 feet, or in some cases 6 feet.

On reaching the cage, Gollledge rendered first aid to Weeks, and remained with him until the cage could be liberated and brought to the surface, a period of about two hours.

Whitehall, June 19, 1917.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Temporary 2nd Lieutenant David Halyburton Low, General List, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of the Fourth Class of the Order of Saint Sava, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Serbia, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him as Lecturer in English Language and Literature at the University of Belgrade.

COUNTY OF DUMFRIES, ETC.

ORDER of the Local Government Board for Scotland in terms of Section 83 of the Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1897, authorising a combination of certain Local Authorities for the carrying out of a scheme for the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of Venereal Diseases.

Whereas We, the Local Government Board for Scotland, by an Order dated the 26th day of October 1916, made certain Regulations in terms of Section 78 in Part IV. of the Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1897, with a view to the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of Venereal Diseases which are endemic and infectious diseases;

And whereas We are empowered by Section 83 of the aforesaid Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1897, by Order to authorise or require any two or more Local Authorities to act together for the purposes of Part IV. of the aforesaid Act and to prescribe the mode of such joint action and of defraying the costs thereof;

And whereas the following Authorities are Local Authorities within the meaning of the aforesaid Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1897, videlicet:

- (1) The District Committee of Annan, in the County of Dumfries;
- (2) The District Committee of Dumfries, in the said County;
- (3) The District Committee of Langholm, in the said County;
- (4) The District Committee of Lockerbie, in the said County;
- (5) The District Committee of Thornhill, in the said County;
- (6) The Town Council of the Burgh of Annan;
- (7) The Town Council of the Burgh of Dumfries;
- (8) The Town Council of the Burgh of Langholm;
- (9) The Town Council of the Burgh of Lochmaben;
- (10) The Town Council of the Burgh of Lockerbie;
- (11) The Town Council of the Burgh of Moffat;
- (12) The Town Council of the Burgh of Sanquhar;
- (13) The Town Council of the Burgh of Maxwelltown;

And whereas it is expedient that a combination of the aforesaid Local Authorities be effected for the purposes specified in Our Order of 26th October 1916 aforesaid;

COMBINATION OF AUTHORITIES.

Now therefore We, the Local Government Board for Scotland, in pursuance of the powers vested in Us as aforesaid, do make the following Order:—

Article 1.—From and after the date of this Order, the said Local Authorities (hereinafter referred to as the "Combining Authorities") are authorised by Us to act together for the purpose of carrying out the Regulations contained in Our Order of 26th October 1916, aforesaid, or any further Regulations that we may make hereafter with reference to the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of Venereal Diseases.

FORMATION OF JOINT COMMITTEE.

Article 2 (1).—All things that may be necessary for the purposes of carrying out the aforesaid Regulations within the districts of the aforesaid Local Authorities shall be undertaken by a Joint Committee, to be called the Dumfriesshire Joint V.D. Committee (hereinafter referred to as the "Joint Committee").

NUMBER AND QUALIFICATIONS OF MEMBERS.

(2).—The Joint Committee shall consist of eighteen members elected from the members of the Combining Authorities, or such other number as We may from time to time determine.

REPRESENTATION OF AUTHORITIES.

(3).—Of the said eighteen members, the town council of the burgh of Dumfries and the district committees of Dumfries, Thornhill, Annan and Lockerbie in the county of Dumfries, shall each appoint two of their members as their representatives, and the town councils of the burghs of Annan, Langholm, Lochmaben, Lockerbie, Maxwelltown, Moffat and Sanquhar, and the district committee of Langholm in the county of Dumfries, shall each appoint one of their members as their representative, all in the manner hereinafter provided: Provided that, when it appears to Us necessary, We may readjust the representation of the said local authorities on the joint committee.

TENURE OF OFFICE OF MEMBERS.

(4).—The said members to be appointed by the said district committees shall be appointed triennially at meetings of these committees in the month of December in the years in which the elections of county councillors take place; the said members to be appointed by the said town councils shall be appointed annually at meetings of the said town councils in the month of November. Each of the said members to be appointed by the said district committees shall hold office for the period of three years from the date of his appointment, or for such shorter period as he shall remain a member of the committee appointing him; and each of the said members of the said town councils shall hold office for one year from the date of his appointment, or for such shorter period as he shall remain a member of the town council appointing him. Retiring members shall be eligible for reappointment. The names and addresses of the said members shall, immediately after their respective appointments, be intimated to the clerk of the joint committee by the clerks of the district committees and town councils making the respective appointments.

FILLING UP VACANCIES.

(5).—In the event of any vacancy occurring in the joint committee from any cause, the district committee or the town council, as the case may be, in whose representation the vacancy has occurred, may fill up the same *ad interim*, and upon such interim appointment being made, the name and address of the member so appointed shall be intimated to the clerk of the joint committee. Each of the members appointed *ad interim* shall hold office till the first ensuing triennial or annual appointment, as the case may be, of members of the joint committee by the district committee or town council whose representative he is, or for such shorter period as he may remain a member of the district committee or town council appointing him.

APPOINTMENT OF FIRST REPRESENTATIVES.

(6).—The first appointment of members of the joint committee shall be made as early as practicable after the date of this Order, by the said district committees and town councils, in as nearly as may be the manner above provided in regard to triennial and annual appointments of said members; the names and addresses of the said members so first appointed shall be intimated to the county clerk of Dumfries, who shall convene the first meeting of the joint committee, to be held at Dumfries; each of the members so first appointed by the said district committees shall, if he remains a member of the district committee appointing him, hold office till the month of December in the year in which the next election of county councillors, after the date of this Order, takes place, when representatives of the said district committees shall be appointed for the then ensuing three years; and each of the members so first appointed by the said town councils shall, if he remain a member of the town council appointing him, hold office till the month of November in the year in which the next election of town councillors, after the date of this Order, takes place, when representatives of the said town councils shall be appointed for the then ensuing year.

QUORUM.

(7).—The quorum of the joint committee shall, unless that committee otherwise determine, be not less than one-fourth of the whole number of the committee. The joint committee may act notwithstanding any vacancy or vacancies caused by insufficient appointment of members or otherwise, provided that a quorum exists.

ANNUAL MEETING—ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN, &c.

(8).—A general meeting of the joint committee shall be held annually on such date in the month of November or December as the committee shall determine. At that general meeting or some adjournment thereof the members shall elect one of their number to be chairman for the year then ensuing and another to be vice-chairman for the same period: Provided that, at the first meeting of the joint committee convened in terms of Article 2 (6), the members shall elect one of their number to be chairman for the period till the first annual general meeting in terms hereof, and another to be vice-chairman for the same period.

MEETINGS AND POWERS OF JOINT COMMITTEE.

(9).—The joint committee shall meet for the despatch of business at such other times and at such place or places as they may from time to time fix. They shall have power (1) to make standing orders regulating their proceedings and business; (2) to fix the quorum for meetings; (3) to appoint such sub-committees as they may from time to time consider necessary; (4) to appoint a clerk (who may also be treasurer) and such other officers and servants as may be considered necessary, and to pay them such salaries as the joint committee may from time to time think proper; and (5) to delegate to the sub-committees and officers so appointed such of their powers as they may see fit.

(10).—The decisions of the joint committee shall not be subject to the review of any of the Combining Authorities.

FINANCE—BASIS OF CONTRIBUTIONS—
REQUISITION FOR FUNDS.

Article 3 (1).—The whole expenditure incurred by or under the authority of the joint committee in carrying out the Regulations referred to in Article 1 hereof, under deduction of the sums received by them from Government Grant and other sources, shall be defrayed by the Combining Authorities in proportion to the valuations of their respective districts according to the latest Valuation Rolls.

(2).—The joint committee shall, between the 15th day of May and the 15th day of June in each year, prepare an estimate of their expenditure under this Article during the year to the 15th day of May succeeding, and shall, not later than 15th June, transmit a copy of such estimate to each of the Combining Authorities, and shall at same time certify to each of such Combining Authorities the proportion of the total estimated expenditure falling to be defrayed by them.

(3).—The joint committee shall fix (a) the date in each year on or before which the proportions of the amount of the estimated expenditure for the year, or (b) the dates in each year on or before which instalments of the proportions of the estimated expenditure for the year, are to be paid to them by the several Combining Authorities; and shall intimate such date or dates to these authorities, who shall make payment of the amounts on or before the dates so fixed and intimated.

(4).—The joint committee shall make up and transmit to Us claims for any Government Grant in aid payable in respect of the expenditure incurred by them or under their authority upon the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of Venereal Diseases, and shall receive such Government Grant in aid payable in respect of such expenditure.

ACCOUNTS AND AUDIT.

Article 4 (1).—The provisions as to the preparation and audit of accounts of county councils, as contained in Sections 68 to 70 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1889, as amended by the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1908, shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to the preparation and audit of the accounts of the joint committee.

(2).—The audited accounts shall shew the sums payable during the year by each of the Combining Authorities under Article 3 of this Order. A copy of the audited accounts shall be transmitted

to each of the Combining Authorities, and any necessary adjustment in the accounts between the joint committee and these authorities shall thereafter be made and intimation of the same shall be transmitted by the joint committee to these authorities. A copy of the audited accounts shall also be transmitted to Us by the joint committee.

POWER TO AMEND ORDER.

Article 5.—This Order may be amended by Us after consultation with the joint committee from time to time as We may deem necessary.

GRANTS IN AID.

Article 6.—Nothing in this Order shall affect Our powers in connection with the administration and distribution of any grant in aid of the cost of the diagnosis, treatment and prevention of Venereal Diseases.

APPEAL TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD.

Article 7.—Any dispute or difference arising among the Combining Authorities as to the interpretation or implement of the terms of this Order may be submitted to Us for Our determination by the joint committee or by any of the Combining

Authorities, and Our decision in regard thereto shall be final and binding on all parties.

DATE OF ORDER COMING INTO OPERATION.

Article 8.—This Order shall come into operation on the date hereof.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board for Scotland, this twenty-second day of June, in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventeen.

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(Signed) GEORGE M'CRAE,
Vice-President.

(Signed) JOHN T. MAXWELL,
Secretary.

Downing Street,
21st June 1917.

The KING has been pleased to approve of the retention of the title of "Honourable" by Willis Little, Esq., who has served continuously for more than ten years as a Member of the Legislative Council of the State of Victoria.

TRADE BOARDS ACT, 1909.

SHIRT-MAKING TRADE BOARD

(GREAT BRITAIN).

PROPOSAL TO VARY certain Minimum Rates of Wages for Female Workers in the Shirt-Making Trade in Great Britain.

In accordance with Regulations made under Section 18 of the above Act by the Board of Trade, and dated 27th April 1910, the Trade Board established under the above Act and the Trade Boards Provisional Orders Confirmation Act, 1913, for the Shirt-making Trade in Great

Britain, as defined in the Regulations made by the Board of Trade and dated the 26th December 1913,

HEREBY GIVE NOTICE as required by Section 4 of the above Act that they PROPOSE TO VARY the Minimum Rates of Wages for female workers fixed by them and set out in Schedule I. of their Notice of the 12th February 1917, as follows, that is to say:—

Female Workers.

- I. (a) For female workers other than homeworkers, from 4d. an hour to 4½d. an hour.
(b) For female homeworkers, from 4d. an hour to 4½d. an hour.

II.

LEARNERS.

	LEARNERS COMMENCING AT							
	14 and under 15 years of age.		15 and under 16 years of age.		16 and under 21 years of age.		21 years of age and over.	
	Column I.		Column II.		Column III.		Column IV.	
	per week. s. d. s. d.		per week. s. d. s. d.		per week. s. d. s. d.		per week, s. d. s. d.	
During first six months of employment ...	From 3/0 to 3/6		From 3/8 to 4/0		From 5/2 to 6/0		1st 3 months From 6/9 to 7/6	
" second " "	" 5/2 " 6/0		" 5/11 " 6/9		" 7/9 " 8/9		2nd 3 months " 9/6 " 10/9	
" third " "	" 6/10 " 7/9		" 8/3 " 9/3		" 10/9 " 12/0		3rd 3 months " 12/6 " 14/0	
" fourth " "	" 8/3 " 9/3		" 10/1 " 11/3		" 14/3 " 16/0		4th 3 months " 14/3 " 16/0	
" fifth " "	" 9/6 " 10/9		" 12/6 " 14/0		—		—	
" sixth " "	" 10/9 " 12/0		" 14/3 " 16/0		—		—	
" seventh " "	" 13/1 " 14/9		—		—		—	
" eighth " "	" 14/3 " 16/0		—		—		—	

For learners under 14 years of age from 3s. to 3s. 6d. per week.

The above Proposals are on the basis that the learners' rates are weekly rates based on a week of 50 hours, the rates being subject to a proportionate deduction or increase according as the

number of hours actually spent by the worker in the factory or workshop in any week is less or more than 50.

The Trade Board will consider any OBJECTIONS to the above Proposals to Vary which may be lodged with them within three months from the 25th June 1917. Such Objections should be in writing and signed by the person making the same (adding his or her full name and address), and should be sent to the Secretary of the Shirt-making Trade Board (Great Britain), 5 Chancery Lane, London, W.C. 2.

It is desirable that the objections should state precisely, and so far as possible with reasons, what is objected to.

G. T. REID,
Secretary.

Dated the twenty-third day of June 1917.

Signed by Order of the Trade Board.

OFFICE OF TRADE BOARDS,
Old Serjeants' Inn Chambers,
5 Chancery Lane,
London, W.C. 2.

Ministry of Munitions of War.
Whitehall Place,
19th June 1917.

ORDER.

SEEDS, OILS, AND FATS.

Whereas the Minister of Munitions desires to amend the Orders made by him dated the 1st May and 9th May 1917 regulating dealings in seeds, nuts, kernels, oils, and fats, so far as regards the maximum prices thereby fixed for dealings in Castor Oil and Palm Oil.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by the Defence of the Realm Regulations and of all other powers enabling him, the Minister of Munitions hereby orders as follows:—

As on and from the day following the date of this Order the maximum prices specified in the Schedule to this Order for purchases and sales of and dealings in Castor Oil and Palm Oil shall be substituted for those specified in the Schedule to the said Order of the 9th May 1917 for purchases and sales of and dealings in such Oils, and the said Orders of the 1st May and 9th May 1917 shall have effect in all respects as if the prices specified in the Schedule to this Order had originally been specified in the Schedule to the said Order of the 9th May as the maximum prices for purchases and sales of and dealings in Castor Oil and Palm Oil.

SCHEDULE.

	Per Ton.	
	£	s. d.
Castor Oil (Pharmaceutical)	88	0 0
Castor Oil (Ordinary)	80	0 0
Palm Oil (Bleached)	50	0 0
Palm Oil (Unbleached)	44	0 0

The above prices are for oil net naked ex ship, mill, or warehouse in the United Kingdom.

Packages may be charged extra at current market rates, but not exceeding £4 per ton on the Oil, or (in the case of Castor Oil sold for any special purpose in special packages) such higher sum per ton (if any) as may from time to time

be authorised to be charged by the Controller of Oils and Fats.

Admiralty, S. W., 22nd June 1917.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Victoria Cross to the undermentioned:—

Act. Lieut. (now Lieut.-Cdr.) William Edward Sanders, R.N.R.

In recognition of his conspicuous gallantry, consummate coolness, and skill in command of one of H.M. ships in action.

Lieut.-Corpl. Walter Richard Parker, R.M.L.I., No. Po./S. 229, Royal Naval Division.

In recognition of his most conspicuous bravery and devotion to duty in the course of the Dardanelles operations.

On the night of 30th April/1st May 1915, a message asking for ammunition, water and medical stores was received from an isolated fire trench at Gaba Tepe.

A party of Non-commissioned Officers and men were detailed to carry water and ammunition, and, in response to a call for a volunteer from among the stretcher bearers, Parker at once came forward; he had during the previous three days displayed conspicuous bravery and energy under fire whilst in charge of the Battalion stretcher bearers.

Several men had already been killed in a previous attempt to bring assistance to the men holding the fire trench. To reach this trench it was necessary to traverse an area at least four hundred yards wide, which was completely exposed and swept by rifle fire. It was already daylight when the party emerged from shelter and at once one of the men was wounded: Parker organised a stretcher party and then going on alone succeeded in reaching the fire trench, all the water and ammunition carriers being either killed or wounded.

After his arrival he rendered assistance to the wounded in the trench, displaying extreme courage and remaining cool and collected in very trying circumstances. The trench had finally to be evacuated and Parker helped to remove and attend the wounded, although he himself was seriously wounded during this operation.

HONOURS FOR MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of the undermentioned Officers:—

To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order.

Capt. Francis Martin Leake, R.N.
Cdr. (now Capt.) Selwyn Mitchell Day, R.D., R.N.R.
Lieut.-Cdr. Charles Harold Jones, R.N.
Lieut.-Cdr. Kenneth Faviell Swower, R.N.
Lieut.-Cdr. Geoffrey Warburton, R.N.
Lieut.-Cdr. Geoffrey Robert Sladen Watkins, R.N.
Lieut. Thomas Edward Price, D.S.C., R.N.R.
Lieut. Frederick Henry Peterson, D.S.C., R.N.R.
Lieut. William Donald Beaton, R.N.R.

The undermentioned Officers have been awarded a Bar to the Distinguished Service Order for subsequent acts of gallantry:—

Cdr. Victor Lindsay Arbuthnot Campbell, D.S.O., R.N.

(The appointment to the Distinguished Service Order was announced in London Gazette dated 3rd June 1915.)

Lieut.-Cdr. Robert Henry Taunton Raikes, D.S.O., R.N.

(The appointment to the Distinguished Service Order was announced in London Gazette dated 25th Oct. 1916.)

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Distinguished Service Cross to the undermentioned Officers:—

Lieut. Hugh Evelyn Raymond, R.N.

Lieut. Reginald Nash, R.N.

Lieut. Edward Arthur Aylmer, R.N.

Lieut. Colin John Lawrence Bittleston, R.N.

Lieut. Leonard Ernest Pearson, R.N.

Act. Lieut. Edward Lyon Berthon, R.N.

Lieut. William Stanley Nelson, R.N.R.

Lieut. Hugh Ross Mackay, R.N.R.

Lieut. John Joseph Fulton, R.N.R.

Lieut. Nelson Cooper, R.N.R.

Lieut. Richard James Turnbull, R.N.R.

Eng.-Lieut. Alexander Kenny, R.N.R.

Lieut. Robert Alexander Paterson, R.N.V.R.

Sub-Lieut. James Henry Arnold, R.N.R.

Sub-Lieut. Clarence Aubrey King, R.N.V.R.

Skipper Thomas Edward Cain, R.N.R., 2061 W.S.A.

Skipper William Henry Brewer, R.N.R., 2440 S.A.

Skipper William Arthur Mead, R.N.R., 1518 S.A.

Skipper Adam Forbes, R.N.R., 66 W.S.A.

The following Officer has been awarded a Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross for a subsequent act of gallantry:—

Lieut. Frederick Henry Peterson, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.R.

(The award of the Distinguished Service Cross was announced in London Gazette dated 14th July 1916.)

The following awards have also been approved:—

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

Ldg. Sea. John Whitley, R.N.R., O.N. 3642C.

Engmn. Thomas Toms, R.N.R., O.N. 1980E.S.

P.O. John Campbell, O.N. 190387 (Ch.).

P.O. Frederick George Marchant, O.N. 234457 (Ch.).

E.R.A., 2nd Cl., Alfred Mark Langley, O.N. 270895 (Po.).

C.P.O. William Henry Isted, O.N. 160471 (Po.).

E.R.A., 3rd Cl., Harold Lang, O.N. M.544 (Po.).

Col. Serjt. Nelson Sears, R.M.L.I. No. Po./4362 (R.F.R., A.912).

Lie.-Corpl. Grovenor Short, No. Ply./16545.

Ldg. Sig. Albert Edward Martin, O.N. 205596 (Po.).

Ldg. Sea. John Lawrence Arthurson, R.N.R., O.N. 3673B.

P.O. 1st Cl., William Lee, O.N. 129854 (R.F.R. Po./A2962).

P.O. Joseph John Barleycorn Norris, O.N. 201403 (Po.).

E.R.A., 3rd Cl., James Smith, O.N. M1308 (Ch.).

Ldg. Sea. Daniel Dorrian, O.N. 231828 (Dev.).

Ord. Sea. George Morrison Burns, O.N. J64222 (Dev.).

Ldg. Sea. George Edward Palmer, O.N. 123295 (Po.).

E.R.A., 4th Cl., George Chinchin, O.N. M17906.

A.B. William Biggs, O.N. 238350 (Po.).

E.R.A. George Neil Stewart Cromarty, R.N.R., O.N. 1559E.A.

A.B. George Edward Beresford, O.N. 202661 (Po.).

P.O. Frederick Hobbs, O.N. 222026 (Po.).

E.R.A., 1st Cl., James King Lawrie, O.N. 270036 (Ch.).

P.O. Robert John Brown, O.N. 222552 (Ch.).

P.O. Ernest James Rodgers, O.N. 206276 (Ch.).

Engmn. Samuel Holman, R.N.R., O.N. 4951E.S.

P.O. Frederick Robinson, O.N. 189448 (Ch.).

C.E.R.A., 2nd Cl., Ernest Pike, O.N. 270765 (Dev.).

E.R.A., 1st Cl., John George Reason, O.N. 271097 (Ch.).

Ldg. Sig. William Smith, O.N. 237896 (Ch.).

2nd Hnd. John Robert Evans, R.N.R., O.N. 659S.A.

Engmn. Nicholas Denoon, R.N.R., O.N. 106E.S.

Ldg. Sea. Robert Hay, R.N.R., O.N. 6654A.

Sea. Arthur Joseph Aldridge, R.N.R., O.N. 6259A.

Donkeyman James Richard Henry Page (Mercantile Rating).

Ldg. Sea. Robert White Oliver Dall, O.N. 217357 (R.F.R., Ch./B. 7503).

Sea. Magnus Nicholson, R.N.R., O.N. 879L.

P.O. Eric Morrison, R.N.R., O.N. 8143A.

P.O. Frederick Charles Rockett, O.N. 183807 (Dev.).

P.O. George James Jarrett, O.N. 222863 (Dev.).

P.O. John Michael Wall, O.N. 214147 (Dev.).

A.B. Charles Holland, O.N. SS. 2391 (Dev.).

Sto. P.O. George Robert Norman, O.N. 165874 (Dev.).

Sto., 1st Cl., John Kennedy, O.N. K.21492 (Dev.).

Shpwt., 1st Cl., William George Thomas, O.N. M.1387 (Dev.).

Ch's Mate Alfred Matthews, O.N. M.13136 (Dev.).

O.S., 2nd Cl., John Charles Chudley, O.N. L.1943 (Dev.).

Ord. Teleg. Thomas Caldwell, R.N.V.R., O.N. Z/2947 (Wales).

Ord. Teleg. John Thomas, R.N.V.R., O.N. Z/3417 (Wales).

Dek. Hnd. Harry Pakeman Knevitt, R.N.R., O.N. 10015D.A.

Dek. Hnd. Walter Vickers, R.N.R., O.N. 11869D.A.

Dek. Hnd. Robert Crossland, R.N.R., O.N. 2982S.D.

Dek. Hnd. Wilfred Foley, R.N.R., O.N. 6009D.A.

Dek. Hnd. John M'Clalland, R.N.R., O.N. 9629D.A.

Dek. Hnd. Dugald Clark M'Kinnon, R.N.R., O.N. 839S.D.

Dek. Hnd. Robert Dougherty, R.N.R., O.N. 3201S.D.

Dek. Hnd. James Henry Knowles, R.N.R., O.N. 2685D.A.

Dek. Hnd. Edward Bastian, R.N.R., O.N. 14615D.A.

Dek. Hnd. John M'Lean, R.N.R., O.N. 14610D.A.

Dck. Hnd. Leonard Leathley, R.N.R., O.N. 14613D.A.
 Dck. Hnd. James Porteus, R.N.R., O.N. 13780D.A.
 Sea. James Arthur Townsend, R.N.R., O.N. 2947A.
 C.P.O. John Thomas Worn, O.N. 124747 (R.F.R. Ch./A1119).
 Ldg. Sea. William Gilbert Johnson, R.N.R., O.N. 1970D.
 Sea. Joseph McKillop, R.N.R., O.N. 3129C.
 Air Mech., 2nd Cl., William Percival Caston, O.N. F.4177.
 Air Mech., 1st Cl., Abraham Earle Shorter, O.N. F.7380.
 P.O. George Harber Carlton, O.N. 238919 (Ch.).
 Sto. P.O. Alfred Ernest Wilton, O.N. 161168 (Dev.).

The following Officers and men have been mentioned in Despatches:—

Cdr. Wilfred Arthur Thompson, R.N.
 Cdr. John Coombe Hodgson, D.S.O., R.N.
 Cdr. George Louis Downall Gibbs, D.S.O., R.N.
 Cdr. George William Taylor, R.N.
 Cdr. Hubert Henry de Burgh, R.N.
 Cdr. Alan Frederic William Howard, R.N.
 Cdr. James Vandeleur Creagh, R.N.
 Cdr. Henry Taprell Dorling, R.N.
 Lieut.-Cdr. (act. Cdr.) James Hope Neild, R.N.
 Lieut.-Cdr. Albert John Robertson, R.N.
 Lieut.-Cdr. Ernest Hamlyn Bannister Williams, R.N.
 Lieut.-Cdr. Geoffrey Stewart Fleetwood Nash, R.N.
 Lieut.-Cdr. Eustace Ruffel Drake Long, R.N.
 Lieut.-Cdr. Patrick Birmingham Crohan, R.N.
 Lieut.-Cdr. Arthur Avison Scott, R.N.
 Lieut.-Cdr. Raphael Michael Mack, R.N.
 Lieut.-Cdr. Edye Kingston Boddam-Whetham, R.N.
 Lieut.-Cdr. Hugh Rose Troup, R.N.
 Lieut.-Cdr. William Edward Blackwood Magee, R.N.
 Act. Payr. Kenneth Edgar Badcock, R.N.
 Act. Eng.-Lieut. Samuel Robert Baker, R.N.
 Act. Lieut. Frederick Herman Lawson, R.N.R. (killed in action).
 Sub-Lieut. John Wyndham Cookson, R.N.
 Sub-Lieut. Keith Morris, R.N.R.
 Gnr. Henry Cumes Webber, R.N.
 Act. Gnr. Frederick Clements Dike, R.N.
 Skipper Adam Forbes, D.S.C., R.N.R., 66 W.S.A.
 C.P.O. Harold Poole Parfitt, O.N. 157857 (Po.).
 Yeo. Sigs. Arthur Hamond Tompson, O.N. 218650 (Po.).
 Ch. Arm. Herbert William Goble, O.N. 345424 (Po.).
 Mech. Frederick Archer Neal, O.N. 301050 (Po.).
 Ch. Sto. Lewis Taylor, O.N. 279337 (Po.).
 Sto. P.O. Roley Lambert, O.N. 221805 (Po.).
 A.B. John M'Colm Cullen, R.N.V.R., O.N. 1/30 (Mersey).
 A.B. William Hughes, R.N.V.R., O.N. 1/153 (Mersey).
 A.B. William Robert Eames, R.N.V.R., O.N. 1/161 (Mersey).
 A.B. Frederick Charles Craig, R.N.V.R., O.N. 7/40 (Mersey).
 A.B. Herbert Browning Winrow, R.N.V.R., O.N. 1/219 (Mersey).
 Sea. John George Anderson, R.N.R., O.N. 2485 C.

Act. Ldg. Sto. James Wilfred Frost, O.N. 311407 (Po.).
 Sto., 1st Cl., Percy Lindsay, O.N. K.10657 (Po.).
 Ord. Teleg. Rance Spink, O.N. J/35216 (Po.).
 Dck. Hnd. Charles Flane, R.N.R., O.N. 956D.A.
 Sea. William Munro, R.N.R., O.N. 2309A.
 Serjt. Henry John Jordan, R.M.A., No. R.M.A./9682.
 Ldg. Sea. John Thomas Annis, O.N. 203675 (Dev.).
 E.R.A., 4th Cl., Richard Honeywell, O.N. M.12064 (Dev.).
 Ldg. Sig. Charles Horace Colin Hodges, O.N. 238085 (Ch.).

HONOURS FOR THE ROYAL NAVAL AIR SERVICE.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Distinguished Service Order:—

Flt. Lieut. Christopher John Galpin, R.N.A.S.
 Flt. Lieut. Herbert George Brackley, D.S.C., R.N.A.S.

In recognition of his services on the morning of 14th April 1917, when he carried out a raid on Bruges Harbour with good results in spite of difficult conditions. Great credit is due to him for his persistence and determination. He also dropped bombs on Ostend seaplane base on the night of 3-4 May 1917, making two trips.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Distinguished Service Cross to the undermentioned Officers:—

Flt. Cdr. Philip Leslie Holmes, R.N.A.S.
 Flt. Sub-Lieut. (now act. Flt. Cdr.) Herbert Gardner Travers, R.N.A.S.

In recognition of his services with the Army in France. This Officer has himself brought down three hostile aeroplanes completely out of control, and has taken part in two other combats in which enemy machines were forced to land in our lines. He has always shown the greatest determination in leading his flight on offensive patrols, and has on many occasions driven down superior numbers of hostile machines.

Flt. Lieut. Edward J. Cooper, R.N.A.S.
 Flt. Sub-Lieut. Charles Reginald Morrish, R.N.A.S.
 Flt. Sub-Lieut. Henry George Boswell, R.N.A.S.
 Flt. Lieut. Charles Langston Scott, R.N.A.S.
 Flt. Lieut. Walter Travers Swire Williams, R.N.A.S.

Flt. Lieut. Thomas Grey Culling, R.N.A.S.

In recognition of his services on the 23rd April 1917, when with two other machines he engaged a formation of nine hostile scouts and two-seater machines. Two two-seater machines were shot down, one of them by Flt. Lieut. Culling unassisted.

Flt. Lieut. Francis Dominic Casey, R.N.A.S.

For conspicuous bravery and skill in attacking hostile aircraft on numerous occasions. On 21st April 1917 he attacked a hostile two-seater machine at a range varying from 40 to 100 yards, and brought it down completely out of control. On 23rd April 1917, on four

different occasions during one flight, he attacked hostile machines, one of which was driven down in a spinning nose dive and another turning over on its side went down completely out of control. This Officer has driven down four machines completely out of control, and forced many others down.

Flt. Lieut. Charles Adrian Maitland-Heriot, R.N.A.S.

Flt. Sub-Lieut. John Roland Secretan Devlin, R.N.A.S.

Sub-Lieut. Rupert Forbes-Bentley, R.N.V.R.

In recognition of their services in a bombing attack on the Kuleli Burgas Bridge on 4th January 1917, when several direct hits were scored and considerable damage done. The machines were exposed to anti-aircraft, rifle, and machine gun fire during the attack, and also on the return journey.

Flt. Sub-Lieut. Leo Philip Paine, R.N.A.S.

Flt. Sub-Lieut. Robert Leckie, R.N.A.S.

Flt. Sub-Lieut. Basil Deacon Hobbs, R.N.A.S.

Flt. Sub-Lieut. Charles M'Nicoll, R.N.A.S.

Flt. Sub-Lieut. Valentine Edgar Sieveking, R.N.A.S.

In recognition of his services on the night of 3rd to 4th May 1917, when he dropped bombs on Ostend seaplane base with good results, making two trips.

Flt. Sub-Lieut. Harold Thomas Mellings, R.N.A.S.

In recognition of his services on the 19th March 1917, when he attacked a hostile aeroplane with great gallantry at heights varying from 12,000 to 2,000 feet.

Flt. Sub-Lieut. Frederick Earle Fraser, R.N.A.S.

Flt. Lieut. (act. Flt. Cdr.) Charles Dawson Booker.

For special gallantry in the field on numerous occasions, especially the following:—

On 26th April 1917 he went to the assistance of some of our photographic machines, which were about to be attacked by twelve Albatross scouts. One of these he fired on at close range, and brought it down out of control.

On 24th May 1917, whilst on patrol, he went to the assistance of a formation of our machines, which was being attacked by nine hostile scouts. He attacked one of the latter, which was driven down in flames and crashed. Later in the same day he attacked and drove down out of control another hostile machine.

On numerous other occasions he has attacked enemy machines and driven them down out of control.

Flt. Lieut. George Goodman Simpson.

For gallantry and able leadership in aerial fighting, notably on the following occasions:—

On 3rd May 1917 he drove down a hostile aeroplane out of control.

On 11th May 1917, while on offensive patrol with five other machines, he attacked six hostile aircraft. One of these he brought down out of control, and a few minutes later he attacked another at close range and brought it down in flames.

On 23rd May 1917 he led a formation of five machines to attack at least twice that

number of hostile aeroplanes. Both formations became split up, and a general fight ensued. Five times during the combat he drove off hostile aeroplanes from another of our machines, and one of those which he attacked was seen to go down in a spin.

The undermentioned Officers have been awarded a Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross for subsequent acts of gallantry:—

Flt. Cdr. Theodore Douglas Hallam, D.S.C., R.N.A.S.

(The award of the Distinguished Service Cross was announced in the London Gazette of 15th December 1915).

Flt. Cdr. Roderic Stanley Dallas, D.S.C., R.N.A.S.

In recognition of his services on the 23rd April 1917, when with two other machines he engaged a formation of nine hostile scouts and two-seater machines. Two two-seater machines were shot down, one of them by Flt. Cdr. Dallas unassisted.

(The award of the Distinguished Service Cross was announced in the London Gazette of 6th September 1916).

Flt. Lieut. Charles Langston Scott, D.S.C., R.N.A.S.

Flt. Lieut. Robert Alexander Little, D.S.C., R.N.A.S.

For exceptional daring and skill in aerial fighting on many occasions, of which the following are examples:—

On the 28th April 1917 he destroyed an Aviatik; on the 29th April he shot down a hostile scout, which crashed. On the 30th April with three other machines he went up after hostile machines and saw a big fight going on between fighter escorts and hostile aircraft. Flt. Lieut. Little attacked one at fifty yards range, and brought it down out of control. A few minutes later he attacked a red scout with a larger machine than the rest. This machine was handled with great skill, but by clever manoeuvring Flt. Lieut. Little got into a good position and shot it down out of control.

(The award of the Distinguished Service Cross was announced in the London Gazette of 16th February 1917.)

The following awards have also been approved:—

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

Act. Air Mech., 1st Cl., Frederick Bate, O.N. F.13351.

Air Mech., 2nd Cl., Arthur Gilbert Flowers, O.N. F.19901.

P.O. Mech., 3rd Cl., John Willis Rose, O.N. J.2348 (Dev.).

Air Mech., 1st Cl., George Benedict Clements, O.N. F.9008.

Air Mech., 2nd Cl., John Robinson Laycock, O.N. F.9281.

C.P.O., 3rd Cl., Vernon Frank Whatling, O.N. 238581 (Ch.).

Air Mech., 1st Cl., Douglas Gream Rennett, O.N. F.9088.

Air Mech., 2nd Cl., Charles Stanley Laycock, O.N. F.10364.

The following Officers and men have been mentioned in Despatches:—

Sqdrn.-Cdr. Joseph Ruscombe Wadham Smyth-Pigott, D.S.O., R.N.
 Flt.-Cdr. Theodoré Douglas Hallam, D.S.C., R.N.A.S.
 Flt.-Sub-Lieut. John Roderick Ross, R.N.A.S.
 Mid. Edward Rupert Snow, R.N. (since killed).
 Air Mech., 1st Cl., Walter Thomas Hollidge, O.N. F.8633 (since died of injuries).

PROMOTION FOR SERVICE IN ACTION.

Royal Naval Reserve.

Cdr. Selwyn Mitchell Day, R.D., to be Capt.
 Dated 16th March 1917.

HONOURS TO THE MERCANTILE MARINE.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of Decorations and Medals to the undermentioned Officers and men of the British Mercantile Marine, in recognition of zeal and devotion to duty shown in carrying on the trade of the country during the war:—

To receive a Bar to the Distinguished Service Order.

Capt. Frederick Maude Maling, D.S.O. (Lieut., R.N.R.).

To receive the Distinguished Service Cross.

Capt. William Frodsom.
 Capt. Stanley Cooper.

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

Ldg. Sea. Alexander M'Donald.

Mention.

Capt. Harold Smith.
 Capt. Thomas Morgan Hill.

FOREIGN DECORATIONS.

The following decorations have been conferred by the Allied Powers on Officers of the British Naval Forces for distinguished services rendered during the war:—

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE FRENCH REPUBLIC.

LEGION OF HONOUR.

Officer.

Capt. John F. Warton, R.N.

CROIX DE GUERRE.

Capt. Ambrose M. Peck, D.S.O., R.N.
 Capt. Edward R. G. R. Evans, C.B., D.S.O., R.N.
 Lieut. Francis C. Harrison, D.S.O., R.N.
 Lieut. Archibald Dayrell-Reed, D.S.O., R.N.R.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT.

ORDER OF SAINT VLADIMIR.

3rd Class (with Swords).

Rear-Adml. Thomas W. Kemp, C.B., C.I.E.

4th Class (with Swords).

Cdr. Oliver Locker-Lampson, M.P., R.N.V.R.
 Lieut. Ronald W. Blacklock, R.N.

ORDER OF SAINT ANNE.

3rd Class (with Swords).

Eng. Lieut.-Cdr. (Act. Eng. Cdr.) George W. Le Page, R.N.
 Eng. Lieut. Cecil Simpson, R.N.
 Asst. Payr. Marcus Blake, R.N.
 Sub-Lieut. Walter L. Crossing, R.N.V.R.

ORDER OF SAINT STANISLAS.

2nd Class (with Swords).

Lieut. Charles M. S. Chapman, D.S.C., R.N.
 Lieut. Guy T. Sholl, D.S.C., R.N.V.R.

3rd Class (with Swords).

Eng. Lieut.-Cdr. (Act. Eng.-Cdr.) George W. Le Page, R.N.
 Lieut. Norman E. Archer, R.N.
 Lieut. Edwin J. Couch, D.S.C., R.N.R.
 Sub-Lieut. George R. Turner, R.N.V.R.
 Sub-Lieut. Cecil H. Tatton-Tatton, R.N.V.R.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF ITALY.

ORDER OF SAINT MAURICE AND SAINT LAZARUS. *Officer.*

Cdr. Alexander R. W. Woods, D.S.O., R.N.
 Cdr. James M. Pison, R.N.

ORDER OF THE CROWN OF ITALY.

Commander.

Rear-Adml. Stuart St. J. Farquhar.
 Capt. Douglas L. Dent, C.M.G., R.N.
 Capt. Hugh L. P. Heard, D.S.O., R.N.
 Capt. Ernest A. Taylor, R.N.

Cavalier.

Lieut. Cedric S. Holland, R.N.
 Asst. Payr. Alexander C. Winter, R.N.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF THE BELGIANS.

ORDER OF LEOPOLD.

Officer.

Capt. Stewart E. Forster, R.N.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF SERBIA.

ORDER OF SAINT SAVA.

Officer.

Capt. Hubert Stansbury, R.N.

ORDER OF KARA GEORGE.

4th Class (with Swords).

Lieut. Edward H. Young, M.P., R.N.V.R.

His Majesty the KING has given unrestricted permission to the Officers concerned to wear the Decorations in question.

CORRECTION.

The following correction is made in the list of Officers awarded a Bar to the Distinguished Service Cross published in Edinburgh Gazette of 15th May 1917, page 936:—

For Lieut. Walter Leonard Scott, D.S.C., R.N.R. (since drowned), read Lieut. Walter Larmond Scott, D.S.C., R.N.R. (since drowned).

War Office,
22nd June 1917.

ARMY ACT.

It is proposed to amend the "Rules for Military Detention Barracks and Military Prisons," under Section 133 of the Army Act.

Copies of the amendments may be seen at the War Office, Whitehall.

War Office,
17th April 1917.

ARMY COUNCIL ORDER.

HIDES.

In pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by the Defence of the Realm Regulations, the Army Council hereby require all persons engaged in the purchase or sale of British Ox, Heifer, Cow and Bull Hides to comply with the following Regulations until further notice:—

1. No Hides shall be bought by or on behalf of any Tanner or delivered to any Tanner or to any person on his behalf without a permit issued by or on behalf of the Director of Army Contracts, or at prices other than those set out in the schedule hereto annexed or at such other prices as in any particular case may be allowed by or on behalf of the Director of Army Contracts.

2. All persons concerned shall furnish such particulars as to their purchases or sales of and dealings in such Hides as may be required by or on behalf of the Director of Army Contracts.

3. All persons to whom any permit may be issued by or on behalf of the Director of Army Contracts are required to comply strictly with any conditions that may be imposed by the said permit. It shall be the duty of all Tanners to communicate to any person buying on their behalf the conditions of any licence granted to such Tanner and for the time being in force, and it shall be the duty of all parties to any of the transactions herein referred to to require or disclose as the case may be all such information as may be required by such parties as aforesaid or by the Director of Army Contracts for the purpose of satisfying them or him that the provisions of this Order have not been contravened.

Any person failing to comply with any provision hereof or with any requirement or direction made or given hereunder or with any condition of any permit herein referred to shall be guilty of an offence against the said Regulations.

By Order of the Army Council,

R. H. BRADE.

SCHEDULE.

	Runts, Herefords & Highlands per lb.	Ox and Heifer per lb.	Cow per lb.	Bull per lb.
Firsts ...	10½d.	10d.	8½d.	8d.
Seconds ...	10¼d.	9½d.	8¼d.	7½d.

"Casualty," "Fallen" or "Chance" Hides of whatever description 8 pence per lb.

These prices are the maxima to be paid by Tanners for Hides dehorned and properly trimmed according to the usual market custom.

War Office.
21st June 1917.

The following are among the Decorations 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 in question.

Decorations conferred by

His Majesty the King of Roumania.

Order of the Star of Roumania (with Swords). Commander.

Brevet Colonel Bernard Ramsden James, General Staff, War Office.

Brevet Colonel Basil Thorold Buckley, General Staff, War Office.

Temporary Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Mark Sykes, Bt., M.P., General Staff, War Office.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Harry Hutton Wilson, D.S.O., General Headquarters, France.

Officer.

Major Robert George Teesdale Baker-Carr, M.V.O., General Staff, War Office.

Brevet Major Gerard Prideaux Tharp, General Staff, War Office.

Major James Kennedy North Versturme-Bunbury, General Staff, War Office.

Order of the Crown of Roumania (with Swords). Officer.

Captain Henry Gordon Comber, Unattached List (Territorial Force).

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Harold William Vazeille Temperley, General Staff, War Office.

Captain William Lloyd Jones, D.S.O., General Staff, War Office.

Lieutenant (temporary Captain) Brian Hubert Robertson, General Staff, War Office.

Knight.

Temporary Captain Charles Edward Montague, Special List.

Temporary Lieutenant Rudolf Edgar de Trafford, Special List.

PROCEEDINGS BEFORE BRITISH PRIZE COURTS OVERSEA.

In continuation of the notification on page 5742 of the London Gazette of 12th June 1917 information has been received that proceedings have been instituted in the Prize Court in Colombo in respect of six cases of silk ex the following vessel. Appearance should be entered by all persons claiming an interest as soon as possible.

Prize Court.	Name of Ship.
Supreme Court of Ceylon.	Polynésien.

Colonial Office,
21st June 1917.

CURRENCY NOTES.
(4 & 5 Geo. V., cc. 14 and 72.)

I.—ISSUE ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.	Total cancelled up to 13th June 1917, inclusive—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Total issued up to 13th June 1917, inclusive—										
£1 notes	443,885,054	0	0	£1 notes	330,687,090	0	0			
10/- notes	146,601,354	0	0	10/- notes	115,866,245	0	0			
Currency notes certificates	41,610,000	0	0	Currency notes certificates	25,020,000	0	0			
Issued during the week ended 20th June 1917—				Cancelled during the week ended 20th June 1917—						
£1 notes	2,926,676	0	0	£1 notes	2,695,231	0	0			
10/- notes	1,028,447	10	0	10/- notes	1,151,135	10	0			
Currency notes certificates	360,000	0	0	Currency notes certificates	440,000	0	0			
				TOTAL				475,859,701	10	0
				Outstanding—						
				£1 notes	113,429,409	0	0			
				10/- notes	30,612,421	0	0			
				Currency notes certificates	16,510,000	0	0			
								160,551,830	0	0
TOTAL	£636,411,531	10	0	TOTAL				£636,411,531	10	0

II.—BALANCE SHEET.

	£	s.	d.	Advances—	£	s.	d.
Notes outstanding	144,041,830	0	0	Scottish and Irish Banks of Issue			
Certificates outstanding	16,510,000	0	0	Other Bankers	1,319,000	0	0
				Post Office Savings Bank			
				Trustee Savings Banks	255,500	0	0
Investments Reserve Account	6,449,155	17	3	Currency Note Redemption Account—			
				Gold Coin and Bullion	28,500,000	0	0
				Government Securities	131,886,315	12	1
				Balance at the Bank of England	5,040,170	5	2
TOTAL	£167,000,985	17	3	TOTAL	£167,000,985	17	3

Treasury Chambers, 21st June 1917.

JOHN BRADBURY, Secretary to the Treasury.

THE EDINBURGH GAZETTE, JUNE 26, 1917.

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Civil Service Commission,
June 22, 1917.
Notice is hereby given, that, upon a special recommendation from the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, and with the assent of the Treasury, Mr. Walter Alfred Medrow, having served as a Clerk of the Second Division for upwards of eight years, has been promoted to the post of Assistant Superintending Clerk in the Air Department of the Admiralty, with a special certificate granted exceptionally by the Civil Service Commissioners.

TELEGRAMS FOR BAGDAD AND SARAWAK.

The rates for telegrams to the following places are now as shown below:—

		Rate per word.
	s.	d.
MESOPOTAMIA:		
Bagdad—Eastern Company	... 2	3
SARAWAK:		
Kuching—Eastern Company	... 3	8
Miri		
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Sibu		

THE Twentieth General Meeting of JAMES LINDSAY & SON LIMITED will be held in the Registered Office of the Company, 20 Market Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 4th day of July 1917, at twelve o'clock noon. The books of the Company will be closed from 23rd June to 9th July 1917.

D. BROWN, Secretary.

Edinburgh, 23rd June 1917.

BROUGHTY PICTURE HOUSE LIMITED.

A PETITION for the winding up of the above-named Company by the Court under the provisions of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, and for the appointment of an Official Liquidator or Official Liquidators, has been presented to the Lords of Council and Session (Second Division,—Mr. Antonio, Clerk), at the instance of Peter Anderson & Sons, Plumbers, 9, 11, and 13 James Street, Dundee; in which Petition their Lordships have pronounced the following Interlocutor:—

"Edinburgh, 22nd June 1917.—The Lords appoint the Petition to be intimated on the Walls and in the Minute-Book in common form, to be served on Broughty Picture House Limited, to be advertised once in the Edinburgh Gazette and once in each of the Scotsman, Dundee Advertiser, and Dundee Courier newspapers; and allow said Company and all persons having or claiming interest to lodge Answers, if so advised, within eight days after such intimations, service, and advertisements.

"CHARLES SCOTT DICKSON, I.P.D."

Of all which Notice is hereby given.

OLIPHANT & MURRAY, S.S.C., 14 Rutland Square, Edinburgh,

SIMPSON & LAVEROCK, Solicitors, 16 Bank Street, Dundee,

Agents for Petitioners.

25th June 1917.

The Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.

BANFFSHIRE STEAM SHIPPING CO. LTD.—Resolved June 2, confirmed June 23:—That the Company be wound up voluntarily. Alexander Simpson and J. W. R. Simpson, 1 Carmelite Street, Banff, Liquid-

ators. Meeting of Creditors at Nisbet & Co.'s, 1 Carmelite Street, Banff, June 29, at 10.

J. W. R. SIMPSON, Liquidator.

THE VELLORE STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at 8 Gordon Street, Glasgow, on 31st May 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on 22nd June 1917, the said Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Leonard Gow and John Robinson Harrison, both Shipowners in Glasgow, be, and are hereby appointed Liquidators for the purposes of the winding up, with power to either to act."

LEONARD GOW, Liquidator.

J. R. HARRISON, Liquidator.

THE VELLORE STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Section 188 (1) of the Companies Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Company will be held at 8 Gordon Street, Glasgow, on Monday the ninth day of July 1917, at twelve o'clock noon.

LEONARD GOW, Liquidator.

J. R. HARRISON, Liquidator.

8 Gordon Street, Glasgow,

25th June 1917.

NOTE.—This Meeting is held to comply with the provisions of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, and all the Creditors of the Company will be paid in full.

JAMES MUIR & SON LIMITED (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of Section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, a General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company will be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Finlay & Wilson, W.S., 118 Hanover Street, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 31st day of July 1917, at three o'clock afternoon, in order that the Liquidator may lay before the said Meeting an account showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted and the property of the said Company has been disposed of, and to hear any explanations which may be given by the Liquidator; and also, in pursuance of Section 222 of said Act, for the purpose of considering, and if so resolved, of passing the following Extraordinary Resolution:—

That the books and papers of the Company be disposed of by the Liquidator in such way as he sees fit.

ROBERT BROWN, Liquidator.

45 Washington Street, Glasgow,

25th June 1917.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Perthshire at Perth, at the instance of John Stewart & Company, Engineers and Copper-smiths, St. Andrew Street, Perth, for Summary Sequestration of the Estates of ROBERT M'LEAN, Contractor, Aberfeldy, the Sheriff-Substitute of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Robert M'Lean to appear in Court on an *inducere* of seven days from the date of such citation, to show cause why Sequestration of his Estates should not be awarded, of all which Intimation is hereby given.

DUNCAN CRAM, Agent for Petitioner.

29 South Methven Street, Perth,

22nd June 1917.

THE Estates of **RICHARD FRASER**, Storekeeper, 53 Robertson Street, Glasgow, and residing at 3 Windsor Place, Shettleston, Glasgow, were Sequestered on the 22nd day of June 1917, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow.

The first Deliverance is dated the 4th day of June 1917.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 12 o'clock noon on Thursday the 5th day of July 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 22nd day of October 1917.

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

M'GRIGOR, DONALD, & Co., Agents, 172 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES HARDIE RENNIE, Army Contractor, 53 Gellatly Street, Dundee, and residing at 14 Durham Street Gardens, Monifeth, sole Partner of the Firm of Messrs. JAMES RENNIE & COY., Army Contractors, 53 Gellatly Street, Dundee, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

CHARLES SIMON ROMANES, Chartered Accountant in Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estates; and David Moore Clark, Secretary of Messrs. William MacEwan & Coy. Ltd., Brewers, Edinburgh, has been elected a Commissioner. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff Court House, Dundee, upon Friday, 6th July 1917, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of Messrs. Romanes & Munro, C.A., 50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, upon Tuesday, 17th July 1917, at twelve o'clock noon, at which Meeting two Commissioners fall to be elected.

CHARLES S. ROMANES, C.A., Trustee.

Edinburgh, 26th June 1917.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES D. MOIR, Draper, residing at Moredun Villa, Craigie, Perth, sole Partner of **YOUNG & CAMPBELL**, Drapers, 36-40 South Methven Street, Perth.

ARCHIBALD FERRIE, Junior, Chartered Accountant, 108 Hope Street, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Thomas Wilson, Secretary, 146 Argyle Street, Glasgow, John Dickson, Warehouseman, 164 Argyle Street, Glasgow, and Thomas Hunter, Printer and Publisher, Perth, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, County Buildings, Perth, on Tuesday, 3rd July 1917, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Messrs. Hourston & Macfarlane, Chartered Accountants, 108 Hope Street, Glasgow, on Thursday, 12th July 1917, at twelve o'clock noon. In order to participate in the first Dividend, Creditors are required to lodge affidavit and claim on or before 25th September 1917.

ARCHIBALD FERRIE, Jr., Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of CLEMENT ARMSTRONG, sometime Coal Agent, Langholm, and lately residing at Eskholm, Rosevale Street, there, and now Number 2459, Cleinent Armstrong, 327th Quarrying Company, Royal Engineers, stationed at Curragh Camp, Ireland.

WILLIAM MOODIE, Solicitor, Dumfries, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Alexander Thomson, British Linen Bank House, Langholm, Simon Hyslop, Draper, &c., High Street, Langholm, and Scott Paisley, Chemist, 38 High Street, Langholm, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place within the Sheriff Court House, Dumfries, on Friday the 29th day of June 1917, at eleven o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of William E. Elton, Solicitor, 14 High Street, Langholm, upon Monday the ninth day of July 1917, at two o'clock afternoon.

WM. MOODIE, Trustee.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN GILLESPIE, Carrier, Wellside Place, Falkirk, and Port Dundas, Glasgow.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions, brought down to 11th June 1917, has been audited by the Commissioners, and that a first Dividend will be paid within his Chambers, No. 17 Duke Street, Edinburgh, on or after 11th August 1917, to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted to an ordinary ranking.

J. FLEMING ROBERTSON, C.A., Trustee.

17 Duke Street, Edinburgh,
25th June 1917.

THE Copartnership carried on by the Subscribers under the Firm name of **L. FINDLAY & SON**, Herring Curers and Exporters in Aberdeen, has been **DISSOLVED** as at first May nineteen hundred and seventeen, by the retiral therefrom of the Subscriber William Findlay. The Business will continue to be carried on by the Subscriber Robert Andrew Findlay on his own account, under the Firm name of **L. FINDLAY & SON**, Herring Curers and Exporters, Aberdeen. The said Robert Andrew Findlay will collect all debts due to the Firm, and discharge all liabilities.

Dated at Aberdeen, this twenty-first day of June nineteen hundred and seventeen.

WM. FINDLAY.

R. A. FINDLAY.

GEORGE D. COLLIE, Advocate, 25 Union Street, Aberdeen,

MARY E. PATILLO, Clerk, 25 Union Street, Aberdeen,

Witnesses to the Signatures of the said William Findlay and Robert Andrew Findlay.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Patrick Keame Fitzgerald, 24 Eaton Place, London, officer in His Majesty's Army.

Major The Honourable George E. Hill-Trevor, 96 St. George's Road, Victoria, London.

Pearl & Cope, of and lately carrying on business at 84 Houndsditch, London, jewellers.

George Alfred Smart, 122 Fortress Road, butcher, now private in His Majesty's Forces, trading as G. Smart, and as G. Smart & Son, at 97 Devons Road, Bow, London, butchers.

John Alfred Austin Tully, trading under the style of Alfred Tully, 6 Hackney Road, Bethnal Green, London, coffee house keeper.

John Hadercroft, residing at 18 Church Street, Great Harwood, in the county of Lancaster, motor carrier, carrying on business under the style of John Hadercroft & Co. at 73 Plumbe Street, Burnley, in the said county.

John Thomas Hartley, residing at 18 Harriett Street, Burnley, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at 19 St. James Street, Burnley aforesaid, stationer and fancy goods dealer.

Fred Ramsden, 42 St. Mary's Street, Hopwood Lane, Halifax, Yorkshire, grocer and ale and porter dealer.

George Herbert Blackett, residing and carrying on business at Old Tebay, Tebay, in the county of Westmorland, butcher.

Nathaniel Richard Thomas, Pleasant View, Holford Street, Cefn Coed, Merthyr Tydfil, in the county of Glamorgan, collier.

Joseph Whatnough and Robert Hamer Taylor, trading
in partnership as British Empire Supply Company,
22 Chestergate, Stockport, Cheshire, credit drapers.
Cornelius Thornton Jones, St. Agnes, Woodcote Road,
Warwick, in the county of Warwick, postman.

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

Samuel George Eaton, Sunnyside, Wolseley Road,
Godalming, in the county of Surrey, and carrying
on business at 31 Church Street, Godalming afore-
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