

wall Point in Wigtownshire to the Mull of Cantyre in Argyllshire;

Provided—

- (1) that no otter boards, whether of wood or canvas or other material, shall be used;
- (2) that the boat from which the net is used shall not exceed 40 feet over all, and shall not be propelled otherwise than by sails or oars or by a motor engine;
- (3) that in the working of the net only one boat shall be employed;
- (4) that the net shall be hauled in as soon as its ends have been brought together and shall not be otherwise dragged or trailed along the bottom of the sea;
- (5) that the size of each mesh of the wings of the net employed shall be such that a square gauge of 2½ inches measured across each side of the square will pass easily when the net is wet, and that the size of each mesh of any bag attached to the net shall be such that a square gauge of 2 inches measured across each side of the square will so pass; and
- (6) that no flat-fish under 8 inches in length taken in such fishing shall be landed.

III. This Byelaw shall come into force from and after the date of its confirmation by the Secretary for Scotland.

By Order of the Fishery Board for Scotland.

(Sd.) DAVID T. JONES,  
Paymaster, R.N.R., Secretary.

Dated at Edinburgh this 30th day of June 1917.

I hereby confirm the foregoing Byelaw.



(Signed) ROBERT MUNRO,  
His Majesty's Secretary for  
Scotland.

Scottish Office, Whitehall,  
20th August 1917.

ORDER OF THE MINISTER OF MUNITIONS AS TO SUPERPHOSPHATES.

20th August 1917.

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

1. As on and from the day following the date of this Order the maximum prices for Superphosphate shall be as follows:—

(a) In the case of sales or purchases for delivery in railway trucks at purchaser's or consumer's siding or nearest railway station or ex barge or ship at purchaser's or consumer's wharf, or in the case of sales or purchases for shipment to the Channel Islands, f.o.b. at port of shipment, the prices specified in the Schedule hereto, but less a discount or deduction of 2s 6d per ton on sales of two tons and upwards by makers or producers to Manure Mixers, Agricultural Merchants and

Dealers, and Co-operative Societies registered under the Friendly Societies Acts.

(b) In the case of sales or purchases for delivery at maker's or producer's works free into purchaser's or consumer's carts or wagons for conveyance direct by road to consumer's premises, the prices specified in the Schedule hereto less 10s. per ton.

(c) In the case of sales or purchases for delivery ex vendor's store or shop or ex warehouse, railway goods yard or public wharf, the prices specified in the Schedule hereto with the addition of the following amounts according to the quantity of Superphosphate included in the sale or purchase, namely:—

Quantity sold or purchased.	Additional price authorised.
4 tons and over .. ..	5s. per ton.
1 ton and over but less than 4 tons .. ..	10s. „ „
2 cwts. and over but less than 1 ton .. ..	1s. „ cwt.
Less than 2 cwts. .. ..	2s. „ „

Provided that such additional prices shall not be charged or paid in the case of sales or purchases of more than one ton for delivery ex railway goods yard or public wharf.

(d) In the case of sales or purchases for delivery by road at consumer's premises from vendor's store or shop or from warehouse, railway goods yard or public wharf, the maximum prices authorised under paragraph (c) above plus cost of or local rates for cartage or haulage.

2. The maximum prices fixed by paragraphs (a) and (b) of clause 1 of this Order shall not apply to any sale or purchase by or from a maker or producer for delivery as mentioned in those paragraphs where the quantity of Superphosphate included in the sale or purchase is less than two tons; and none of the provisions of clause 1 hereof shall apply to any sale of Superphosphate for export from the United Kingdom. But save as aforesaid no person shall as on and from the day following the date of this Order until further notice effect or offer to effect any sale or purchase of Superphosphate except for delivery in accordance with the terms specified in one or other of sub-paragraphs (a), (b), (c), and (d) of clause 1 of this Order and at a price not exceeding that prescribed by the said clause and the Schedule hereto as the maximum price (having regard to quantity, quality and date for and terms of delivery) for such sale or purchase.

3. The maximum prices fixed by clause 1 of this Order are net prompt cash prices for Superphosphate in maker's or vendor's bags. Where credit is given to the purchaser a reasonable extra charge may be made, provided that a price for net prompt cash is quoted on the invoice and does not exceed the maximum price authorised. If purchaser's bags are used, a reasonable allowance shall be made.

4. All persons engaged in producing, manufacturing, selling, distributing or storing Superphosphate, or in any manufacture in which the same is used, shall make such returns with regard to their businesses as shall from time to time be required by or under the authority of the Minister of Munitions.

5. All the provisions of the Fertilisers and Feeding Stuffs Act, 1906, and the regulations