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FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 1918.

War Office,
9th April 1918.

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

No. G.58769 L./Cpl. Charles Graham Robertson, M.M., R. Fus. (Merstham).

For most conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty in repelling a strong attack by the enemy on our position. On realising that he was being cut off, L./Cpl. Robertson sent back two men to get reinforcements, and remained at his post (with only one other man), firing his Lewis gun and killing large numbers of the enemy, who were in range on his right. No reinforcements came up, and, realising that he was being completely cut off, he withdrew with the only other survivor of the garrison of the post, to a point about ten yards further back, where he successfully held his position.

Here he again stayed for some considerable time, firing his Lewis gun and inflicting casualties on the enemy. The position was, however, made impossible for him by the heavy hostile bombing and machine-gun fire, so he was forced to again withdraw, and arrived at a defended post. At this post he got on top of the parapet with a comrade, mounted his gun in a shell-hole, and continued firing at the enemy, who were pouring across the top of and down an adjacent trench. He had not been firing long when

his comrade was killed, and he himself severely wounded. He managed to crawl back, bringing his gun with him, but could no longer fire it, as he had exhausted all his ammunition.

L./Cpl. Robertson was alone throughout these operations, except for the presence of one other man who later was killed, and the most determined resistance and fine fight which he put up undoubtedly prevented the enemy from making a more rapid advance. His initiative and resource, and the magnificent fighting spirit, are worthy of the highest praise.

SPECIAL ACTS (EXTENSION OF TIME) ACT, 1915.

GREAT NORTH OF SCOTLAND RAILWAY ORDER, 1915.

WHEREAS by the Special Acts (Extension of Time) Act, 1915, it is provided, *inter alia*, that where the time within which a power may be exercised under any Special Act is limited, an application may be made by the person by whom such power may be exercised to the appropriate Government Department for an Order extending that time, and that the Department, if satisfied that the time should be extended, may make an Order accordingly:

And whereas under Sections 13 and 14 of the Great North of Scotland Railway Order, 1915, the Great North of Scotland Railway Company

(hereinafter called "the Company") were empowered compulsorily to acquire certain lands, for the purposes therein mentioned, and by Section 23 of that Order the time within which the said power of compulsory acquisition may be exercised is limited to a period which will expire on the 24th day of June 1918:

And whereas the Company have, in terms of the Special Acts (Extension of Time) Act, 1915, applied to the Secretary for Scotland for an Order extending the said time:

And whereas I am satisfied that the time in respect of which the application is made should be extended:

Now therefore, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by the last-mentioned Act, I, the Right Honourable Robert Munro, His Majesty's Secretary for Scotland, hereby order as follows:

1. The time within which the powers of the Company for the compulsory purchase of land under the provisions of Sections 13 and 14 of the Great North of Scotland Railway Order, 1915, may be exercised is hereby extended for a period of one year, that is to say until the 24th day of June 1919, and the said Order shall have effect as if the time as extended by this Order were substituted for the time specified in section 23 of the said Order.

2. This Order may be cited as the Great North of Scotland Railway Order, 1915 (Extension of Time) Order, 1918.



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

Scottish Office, Whitehall,
8th April 1918.

Whitehall, April 5, 1918.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date the 5th instant, to appoint the Honourable Sir Arthur Henry John Walsh, K.C.V.O., to be His Majesty's Lieutenant of and in the County of Radnor, in the room of Sir Powlett Charles John Millbank, Bt., deceased.

Admiralty, 6th April 1918.

HONOURS FOR SERVICE IN THE AUXILIARY PATROL.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the following honours, decorations and medals to the undermentioned Officers and Men in recognition of their services in vessels of the Auxiliary Patrol between 1 January and 31 December 1917:—

To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order.

Capt. John Philip Rolleston, R.N.R. (Rear-Adml.,
retd.).
Cdr. Walter John Tite Saunders, R.N.
Cdr. Wyndham Forbes, R.N.
Cdr. Andrew Hambly, R.N.

Cdr. Arthur Henry de Kantzow, R.N.
Cdr. (act. Capt.) Richard William Broughton
Blacklin, R.D., R.N.R.
Cdr. (act. Capt.) William Erasmus Smith, R.D.,
R.N.R.
Lieut.-Cdr. Cecil Brooks, R.D., R.N.R.

To receive the Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieut. (act. Lieut.-Cdr.) Richard Cowell Coppock,
R.N.R.
Lieut. (act. Lieut.-Cdr.) Keith Robin Hoare,
R.N.V.R.
Lieut. George Foote, R.N.R.
Lieut. Albert Arthur Crowther, R.N.R.
Lieut. James Wilson Naylor, R.N.R.
Lieut. George Holmes, R.N.R.
Lieut. Helmar August Dillner, R.N.R.
Lieut. George Scott, R.N.R.
Lieut. Arthur Henry Sawdon, R.N.R.
Lieut. Richard Mate Jackson, R.N.R.
Lieut. Arthur Lakeland Sanderson, R.N.R.
Lieut. Arthur Hulme, R.N.R.
Lieut. Robert Ernest Andrews, R.N.R.
Lieut. Robert Jobling, R.N.R.
Lieut. Herbert Sutor, R.N.R.
Lieut. Eric Thomson Skelton, R.N.R.
Lieut. John Richard Charles Carter, R.N.R.
Lieut. Louis George Duncan Parkes, R.N.R.
Lieut. Richard Andrew Crafter, R.N.R.
Lieut. Richard Brightman Young, R.N.R.
Lieut. John Andrew Campbell, R.N.R.
Lieut. Ernest William King, R.N.R.
Lieut. Donald Luke Webster, R.N.R.
Lieut. John Percival Abernethy Richardson,
R.N.V.R.
Ch. Skpr. James Henry Brown, R.N.R. 838
W.S.A.
Ch. Skpr. Thomas Albert Dawson, R.N.R. 37
W.S.A.
Ch. Skpr. Edwin Charles Smith, R.N.R. 1872
W.S.A.
Ch. Skpr. William Wood, R.N.R. 2551 S.A.
Skpr. Henry John Alger, R.N.R. 1898 W.S.A.
Skpr. Ernest Edward Breach, R.N.R. 195 W.S.A.
Skpr. George Crockett, R.N.R. 2195 W.S.A.
Skpr. James Falconer, R.N.R. 1170 W.S.A.
Skpr. Robert Sinclair Harkes, R.N.R. 444 S.A.
Skpr. John Charles Hayward, R.N.R. 218
W.S.A.
Skpr. George Lewis Ormes, R.N.R. 578 W.S.A.

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

2nd hnd. Andrew Adam, R.N.R., O.N. 1645 S.A.
2nd hnd. James Clark Addison, R.N.R., O.N.
9461 D.A.
Dkhnd. Alexander Aitchison, R.N.R., O.N. 2357
S.D.
Engmn. Robert Aitchison, R.N.R., O.N. 4995
E.S.
2nd hnd. William John Allen, R.N.R., O.N.
2189 S.A.
Tmr. William James Andrews, R.N.R., O.N.
5668 T.S.
Sea. Walter Balfour, R.N.R., O.N. 1317 D.
2nd hnd. John Barrie, R.N.R., O.N. 1743 S.A.
A.B. Arnold Haigh Brearley, O.N. 216536
(R.F.R. Dev./B2338).
Engmn. Daniel Alfred Brown, R.N.R., O.N. 4348
E.S.
Ldg. Sea. Arthur George Buckeridge, O.N. 128758
(R.F.R. Ch./B1984).
Engmn. Edward Byrne, R.N.R., O.N. 2263 E.S.
Dkhnd. Watson Carnie, R.N.R., O.N. 758 S.D.

- 2nd hnd. John Catchpole, R.N.R., O.N. 1262 S.A.
 2nd hnd. James Chalmers, R.N.R., O.N. 8187 D.A.
 Engmn. Henry Charman, R.N.R., O.N. 4455 E.S.
 C.P.O. Frederick George Clegg, O.N. 149364 (R.F.R. Po./A4007).
 Dkhnd. Joseph Henry Cole, R.N.R., O.N. 8991 D.A.
 2nd hnd. William Edward Dale, R.N.R., O.N. 9204 D.A.
 Ldg. Dkhnd. William Edward Dawes, R.N.R., O.N. 12951 D.A.
 Ldg. Teleg. Norman Matthew Driver, R.N.V.R., O.N. (Clyde) Z174.
 Ldg. Sto. John Duncan, R.N.R., O.N. 1082 U.
 Engmn. George Samuel Dunn, R.N.R., O.N. 92 E.S.
 Dkhnd. George Frederick William Durrant, R.N.R., O.N. 4416 S.D.
 Ldg. Sea. Joseph Christmas Eade, R.N.R., O.N. 3400 B.
 P.O. Albert John Edwards, R.N.R., O.N. 7982 A.
 2nd hnd. Alfred Elsome, R.N.R., O.N. 2708 S.A.
 Sig. Leonard Evans, R.N.V.R., O.N. (Wales) Z2021.
 Engmn. Charles Matthew Foot, R.N.R., O.N. 118 E.S.
 2nd hnd. William Richardson Forsyth, R.N.R., O.N. 2447 S.A. (now Sub-Lieut. R.N.R.).
 Engmn. Harry Walker Gray, R.N.R., O.N. 1380 E.S.
 P.O., 2nd Cl., John William Harding, O.N. 151616 (Dev.).
 Engmn. Joseph Henry Helsby, R.N.R., O.N. 1009 E.S.
 Dkhnd. Charles Edward Holt, R.N.R., O.N. 8231 D.A.
 C.P.O. James Thomas Hook, O.N. 122939 (R.F.R. Po./A1654).
 Dkhnd. Richard Hooper, R.N.R., O.N. 2838 S.D.
 Ldg. Sea. Thomas Houlihan, R.N.R., O.N. 8043 A.
 Engmn. Reginald Howlett, R.N.R., O.N. 3873 E.S.
 Sto. Joseph Charles Jarvis, R.N.R., O.N. 2526 S.
 Act. P.O., 1st Cl., George Alfred Jeune, R.N.R., O.N. 3672 B.
 A.B. James Johns, Mercantile Rating.
 Sea. William Kelly, R.N.R., O.N. 2423 A.
 2nd hnd. Thomas Lake, R.N.R., O.N. 3763 D.A.
 Sea. Richard Larkin, R.N.R., O.N. 4841 B.
 2nd hnd. James Shepherd Leighton, R.N.R., O.N. 2561 S.A.
 Engmn. James Low, R.N.R., O.N. 4762 E.S.
 Ldg. Sea. Murdo M'Kenzie, R.N.R., O.N. 2707 C.
 Sea. Donald M'Donald, R.N.R., O.N. 3449 B.
 Dkhnd. John Alexander Maclean, R.N.R., O.N. 511 S.D.
 Engmn. George Metcalfe, R.N.R., O.N. 3091 E.S.
 Sea. Grant Robertson Miller, R.N.R., O.N. 6146 A.
 Dkhnd. Thomas Morrison, R.N.R., O.N. 11473 D.A.
 Sig. Henry Nicholson, R.N.V.R., O.N. (Tyneside) Z4570.
 2nd hnd. Thomas Nicholson, R.N.R., O.N. 8798 D.A.
 Ch. Motor Mech. Meredith Bertram Parker, O.N.M.B. 1374.
 Engmn. Charles Petrie, R.N.R., O.N. 2399 E.S.
 Ch. Motor Mech. James Primrose, R.N.V.R., O.N.M.B. 675.
 A.B. Daniel Ralph, Mercantile Rating.
 Sea. Hugh Rodgers, R.N.R., O.N. 6227 D.A.
 Dkhnd. George Henry Rose, R.N.R., O.N. 10079 D.A.
 2nd hnd. Thomas Dudley Sewell, R.N.R., O.N. 2465 D.A.
 Dkhnd. George Skakle, R.N.R., O.N. 802 S.D.
 Sea. William Robert Shortt, R.N.R., O.N. 7166 A.
 Dkhnd. James Snowling, R.N.R., O.N. 3137 D.A.
 Engmn. Alfred James Taylor, R.N.R., O.N. 1694 E.S.
 Dkhnd. Andrew Robertson Thomson, R.N.R., O.N. 10121 D.A.
 Ch. Motor Mech. George Arthur Lock, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.663.
 Engmn. George Longman, R.N.R., O.N. 1605 E.S.
 Ch. Motor Mech. Walter Lord, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.1541.
 Sea. Francis MacKinnon, R.N.R., O.N. 3204 B.
 Sea. John M'Innes, R.N.R., O.N. 3403 B.
 Dkhnd. Alexander M'Intosh, R.N.R., O.N. 10913 D.A.
 Sea. Alexander M'Lennan, R.N.R., O.N. 3168 B.
 A.B. Andrew MacKay, Mercantile Rating. (Jason II.)
 Dkhnd. William Mackenzie, R.N.R., O.N. 6110 D.A.
 2nd Hnd. Reuben John Melhuish, R.N.R., O.N. 2592 D.A.
 2nd Hnd. John William Morris, R.N.R., O.N. 1626 S.A.
 Teleg. Ernest Oliver, R.N.V.R., O.N. (Mersey) Z1589.
 Dkhnd. Herbert James Ordway, R.N.R., O.N. 16620 D.A.
 Dkhnd. Alexander Wood Park, R.N.R., O.N. 5279 D.A.
 Ldg. Dkhnd. Frederick D. Parker, Mercantile Rating.
 P.O. Peter Paton, R.N.R., O.N. 1651 D.
 Engmn. Walter John Popay, R.N.R., O.N. 2138 E.S.
 Ldg. Sea. John William Presswell, O.N. 155960 (R.F.R.Ch./B3248).
 Dkhnd. Albert John Rose, R.N.R., O.N. 929 D.A.
 2nd Hnd. Ernest Newton Rust, R.N.R., O.N. 2751 S.A.
 Dkhnd. Thomas John Russan, R.N.R., O.N. 3769 D.A.
 W/T., Op., 1st Cl., John Bernard Salmon, R.N.R., O.N. 20 W.T.S.
 Sea. Cecil Robert Sharman, R.N.R., O.N. 7286 A.
 Dkhnd. John Edward James Sharman, D.S.M., R.N.R., O.N. 8586 D.A.
 2nd Hnd. Walter Samuel Sharman, R.N.R., O.N. 7878 D.A.
 Ldg. Sea. Gilbert Smith, R.N.R., O.N. 3338 C.
 Dkhnd. John Stack, R.N.R., O.N. 7570 D.A.
 2nd Hnd. James Taylor, R.N.R., O.N. 1821 S.A.
 P.O. John Thornton, O.N. 208119 (R.F.R. Ch./B10425).
 Dkhnd. George Turner, R.N.R., O.N. 621 S.D.
 Engmn. Arthur Archibald Cornelius Tyrrell, R.N.R., O.N. 1990 E.S.
 Trmr. Alexander Walker, R.N.R., O.N. 5044 T.S.
 Engmn. Ernest Robert Ward, R.N.R., O.N. 632 E.S.
 Dkhnd. John George Wilson, R.N.R., O.N. 12045 D.A.
 2nd Hnd. William Wood, R.N.R., O.N. 2228 S.A.
 Ldg. Sig. John Woods, O.N. 214948 (Ch.).

Ldg. Sea. George Shirley Wright, O.N. 187480 (Ch.).

HONOURS FOR SERVICE IN VESSELS EMPLOYED ON PATROL AND ESCORT DUTY.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the following honours, decorations and medals to the undermentioned Officers and Men for services in Vessels of the Royal Navy employed on Patrol and Escort duty during the period 1st January to 31st December 1917:—

To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order.

Capt. Walter Egerton Woodward, R.N.
Cdr. William Henry Darwall, R.N.
Engr.-Cdr. James Daniel Williamson, R.N.R.
Lieut.-Cdr. Reginald Carwithen Richardson, R.N.
Lieut.-Cdr. Hans Oppen, R.D., R.N.R.
Lieut.-Cdr. (act. Cdr.) Thomas William Bennett, R.D., R.N.R.
Lieut. William Powlett Evans, R.N.R.
Lieut. (act. Lieut.-Cdr.) Charles Douglas Simmons, R.N.R.

To receive the Distinguished Service Cross.

Engr.-Lieut. Albert William Gannaway, R.N.
Lieut. Harold Auten, R.N.R.

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

Greaser William Anderson, M.M.R., No. 692796.
C.P.O. Alfred Andrew Baston, O.N., 158172 (Ch.).
Donkeyman Walter Patrick Brady, M.M.R., No. 590911.
Ldg. Sea. George Aubyn Brown, R.N.R., O.N. 2991C.
C.P.O. William Butland, O.N. 148467 (Dev.).
Ch. Sto. Francis Joseph Cardew, O.N. 281413 (Dev.).
Ch. Carp. James Chiswick, M.M.R., No. 552856.
Serjt. John Dix, R.M.L.I., No. Po/4227 (P.O./A0627).
Arm. George Fair, O.N. 340524 (Ch.).
P.O. Bertie Garner, O.N. 185469 (Ch.).
E.R.A., 1st Cl., William Henry Hicks, O.N. 270698 (Dev.).
Donkeyman (act. Ch. Sto.) James M'Intosh, M.M.R., No. 865135.
C.P.O. William Samuel Moore, O.N. 150625 (Po.).
C.P.O. Charles Alfred Saunders, O.N. 147716 (R.F.R. Po./A3797).
A.B. Fred Smith, O.N. J28911 (Dev.).
C.P.O. Stephen Thomas Smith, O.N. 151099 (R.F.R. Po./A4148).
C.P.O. Frederick James Soper, O.N. 180104 (Ch.).
Ldg. Sea. Thomas Biles Swaffield, R.N.R., O.N. 5225B.
P.O. Bertie John Thomas, O.N. 224211 (Dev.).
C.P.O. Robert Albert Walker, O.N. 175087 (Ch.).
Bosn. Thomas Walsh, M.M.R., No. 571796.
Ch. Ldg. Fireman George Youngs, M.M.R., No. 83466.

The undermentioned Officers and Men have been mentioned in Despatches:—

Capt. Frank Oswald Lewis, R.N.
Capt. William Leslie Elder, R.N.

Capt. Lawrence Leopold Dundas, R.N.
Capt. John Fenwick Warton, R.N.
Cdr. Adrian Holt Smyth, R.N.
Maj. Percy Molloy, R.M.L.I.
Lieut.-Cdr. Cosmo Bowyer Hastings, R.N.
Payr. (act. Staff Payr.) William George Ewart Enwright, R.N.
Lieut. Robert McMurtry, R.N.R.
Act. Lieut. William Henry Rowse, R.N.R.
Ldg. Sig. Alfred Henry Botting, O.N. 239566 (Ch.).
Engmn. James Pratt Thompson, R.N.R., O.N. 3627E.S.
2nd Hnd. James Walker, R.N.R., O.N. 6863 D.A.
Sea. Benjamin Harvey Wallace, R.N.R., O.N. 1848C.
Engmn. Alexander Webster, R.N.R., O.N. 3642E.S.
Sea. Henry James Weekes, R.N.R., O.N. 2497C.
Trnr. Charles Whittleton, R.N.R., O.N. 4439 T.S.
Sea. John Wignall, R.N.R., O.N. 6689A.
P.O., 1st Cl., William Henry Williams, O.N. 147652 (R.F.R. Dev./A3030).
Dkhnd. John Dunbar Willock, R.N.R., O.N. 5258S.D.
Dkhnd. James Garrett Wood, R.N.R., O.N. 2776S.D.
2nd Hnd. Evan Craene Wright, R.N.R., O.N. 7087D.A.
2nd Hnd. Harold Victor Wright, R.N.R., O.N. 326D.A.
Engmn. William Hayward Yallop, R.N.R., O.N. 3141E.S.
Ch. Motor Mech. Matthew M'Lean Young, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.1178.

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

Cdr. Thomas James Spence Lyne, R.N.
Cdr. Alfred Spencer Gibb, D.S.O., R.D., R.N.R.
Lieut. (act. Lieut.-Cdr.) Hugh Ross Linklater, R.N.V.R.
Lieut. Harold Ernest Clare, R.N.R.
Lieut. David Owens Evans, R.N.R.
Lieut. John George Waller, R.N.R.
Lieut. John Eagle Sizer, R.N.R.
Lieut. Edward Stewart Stavelly Machon, R.N.R.
Lieut. Arnold Ernest M'Nab, R.N.R.
Lieut. Fred Lebern, R.N.R.
Lieut. Francis Herbert Hall, R.N.R.
Lieut. John Whitefield, R.N.R.
Lieut. William George Wilson, R.N.R.
Lieut. Henry Edmund Frogbrook, R.N.R.
Lieut. Hugh Owen, R.N.R.
Lieut. Alexander Brown, R.N.R.
Lieut. Hugh Richard Preston, R.N.V.R.
Lieut. Joshua Symonds Neale, R.N.V.R.
Lieut. James Alexander Pollock, R.N.V.R.
Lieut. Louis Mason, R.N.V.R.
Lieut. John Charles William Butler, R.N.V.R.
Lieut. J. Graham Howells, R.N.V.R.
Lieut. John Clabour Smeal, R.N.V.R.
Ch. Skpr. George Herbert Treece Birch, R.N.R., 951W.S.A.
Ch. Skpr. Alexander Cormack, R.N.R., 2042 W.S.A.
Ch. Skpr. Richard Cowling, R.N.R., 601W.S.A.
Ch. Skpr. Herbert Gladstone North, R.N.R., 1406W.S.A.
Skpr. William Richard Bullen, R.N.R., 967W.S.A.
Skpr. Henry Bertram Clarke, R.N.R., 63W.S.A.

Skpr. John Cormack, R.N.R., 851W.S.A.
 Skpr. Arthur William Dennis, 2670S.A.
 Skpr. George William Doddington, R.N.R., 1925W.S.A.
 Skpr. Thomas Fast Farley, R.N.R., 1221S.A.
 Skpr. George Innes, R.N.R., 1480W.S.A.
 Skpr. William Saul Knights, R.N.R., 209W.S.A.
 Skpr. George Moore, R.N.R., 193W.S.A.
 Skpr. Ernest Pitman, R.N.R., 2128W.S.A.
 Skpr. Bertie Roll, R.N.R., 85S.A.
 Skpr. Arthur William Turrell, R.N.R., 940W.S.A.
 Skpr. William Wright, R.N.R., 93W.S.A.
 Ch. Motor Mech. Samuel Adams, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.750.
 2nd Hnd. Arthur George Algar, R.N.R., O.N. 249D.A.
 Ldg. Sea. Thomas Anderson, R.N.R., O.N. 6266A.
 Dkhnd. Frank Edward Baker, R.N.R., O.N. 15180D.A.
 2nd Hnd. William Britton, R.N.R., O.N. 2303S.A.
 Engmn. Albert John Frederick Brown, R.N.R., O.N. 2852D.A.
 2nd Hnd. John Brown, R.N.R., O.N. 877S.A.
 Sea. George Arthur Cain, R.N.R., O.N. 3174C.
 2nd Hnd. Harry Catchpole, R.N.R., O.N. 923D.A.
 Ch. Motor Mech. Stanley Collinson, R.N.V.R., O.N. M.B.1231.
 Teleg. James Dunbar Coltart, R.N.V.R., O.N. (Clyde) Z.7943.
 2nd Hnd. Robert Cowling, R.N.R., O.N. 1183S.A.
 Engmn. John Cross, R.N.R., O.N. 767E.S.
 Engmn. Christopher Darnell, R.N.R., O.N. 3292E.S.
 Engmn. John Middleton Dow, R.N.R., O.N. 1063E.S.
 Ldg. Sea. Llewellyn Knollys Farley, O.N. 190506 (R.F.R. Ch./B.7318).
 Sea. John Ford, R.N.R., O.N. 3648C.
 1st Writer John Henry Gillard, O.N. 346444 (Ch.).
 Engmn. John Gorton, R.N.R., O.N. 2276T.S.
 2nd Hnd. Peter Green, R.N.R., O.N. 7408D.A.
 Engmn. Charles Edward Guyton, R.N.R., O.N. 3348E.S.
 Engmn. Thomas Hall, R.N.R., O.N. 4664E.S.
 Engmn. John William Hatch, R.N.R., O.N. 771E.S.
 2nd Hnd. William Hemp, R.N.R., O.N. 985D.A.
 2nd Ship's Std. Denis George Higgins, O.N. M.5309 (Ch.).
 2nd Hnd. George Thomas Hurn, R.N.R., O.N. 2276S.A.
 Sea. Gifford Hunter, R.N.R., O.N. 3794C.
 Sig. Walter Sydney Hyde, R.N.V.R., O.N. (London) Z.3228.
 Sea. Thomas Simpson Irvine, R.N.R., O.N. 7912A.
 Engmn. Thomas Crathorne Jackson, R.N.R., O.N. 1181E.S.
 Greaser Charles Jarvis, Mercantile Rating.
 2nd Hnd. James Johnston, R.N.R., O.N. 9588D.A.
 Trmr. Philip William Jones, R.N.R., O.N. 3828T.S.
 A.B. Sidney Harold Jones, R.N.V.R., O.N. (London) Z.5317.
 Engmn. John Frederick Just, R.N.R., O.N. 1366E.S.
 2nd Hnd. William Keggins, R.N.R., O.N. 9772D.A.
 Sig. Lewis Alexis Leslie, R.N.V.R., O.N. (London) Z.3304.

Ch. Sto. Samuel Briskham, O.N. 293496 (Ch.).
 C.E.R.A. Thomas Frank Dennis, R.N.R., O.N. 1379 E.A.
 C.E.R.A., 2nd Cl., Leonard James Johnstone Farnie, O.N. M21629 (Ch.).
 Ldg. Sign. Arthur Marsh, O.N. J13760 (PO.).
 Ldg. Teleg. Leonard Parnaby, O.N. J32271 (Ch.).
 Yeo. Sigs. Charles Henry Rivers, O.N. 164315 (Dev.).

HONOURS FOR SERVICES IN ACTION WITH ENEMY SUBMARINES.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the following honours, decorations and medals to the undermentioned Officers and Men for services in action with enemy submarines:—

To be Companions of the Distinguished Service Order.

Lieut. Henry James Hartnoll, R.N.
 Lieut. (act. Lieut.-Cdr.) Arthur Percy Melsom, R.N.R.

To receive the Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieut. William Campbell, R.N.R.
 Lieut. George Robert Ainslie, R.N.R.
 Skpr. Joseph Henry Bullock, R.N.R. 1944 S.A.
 Skpr. Matthew Martin Pockley, R.N.R. 529 W.S.A.

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

C.P.O. Robert Scott Blair, O.N. 180443 (Po.).
 P.O. Walter Christmas, O.N. J889 (Po.).
 Ldg. Sea. Percy Edmund Gaymer, O.N. 198799 (Po.).
 C.E.R.A. Ernest Ingham, O.N. 269197 (Po.).
 Sea. Alexander McLeod, R.N.R., O.N. 4209 B.
 Sea. William Parsons, R.N.R. (Newfoundland), O.N. 1749 X.
 Sea. Richard Peters, R.N.R., O.N. 3065 C.
 Ldg. Sea. Henry White Paterson, R.N.R., O.N. 5030 A.
 Lee-Corpl. Herbert Watts Robert, R.M.L.I. No. Po./9615 (Po./B 1105).
 Sea. Charles Henry Twaits, R.N.R., O.N. 4028 A.
 A.B. Frank Webb, O.N. J59755 (Po.).
 Dkhnd. William James Wheeler, R.N.R., O.N. 6442 D.A.

The undermentioned Officers and Men have been mentioned in Despatches:—

Lieut. John Noble Shipton, R.N.R.
 Gnr. William Henry Osborne, R.N.
 Skpr. George Anderson, R.N.R., 1736 W.S.A.
 Skpr. James Garden, R.N.R., 1322 W.S.A.
 Skpr. Harry Edward Howard, R.N.R., 1060 W.S.A.
 Skpr. John May Milne, R.N.R., 1136 S.A.
 Skpr. Benjamin George Reynolds, R.N.R., 2114 S.A.
 Sea. John Anderson, R.N.R., O.N. 6168 A.
 Sea. Donald Bain, R.N.R., O.N. 2178 A.
 Ldg. Sig. Edwin John Bedford, O.N. J8852 (Po.).
 Sea. John Burke, R.N.R., O.N. 5045 A.
 A.B. Robert Gibb, R.N.V.R., O.N. (Clyde), 2/2184.
 Ldg. Sto. Richard William Giles, O.N. 302052 (Po.).

P.O. John Charles Wilfred Hamon, O.N. 184089 (Po.).
 E.R.A., 5th Cl., Frederick George Hallowell, O.N. M26307.
 Ldg. Sea. Hubert Henry Herbert, O.N. J18798 (Po.).
 Pte. John Hindle, R.M.L.I., No. Po/12643 (Po/B1513).
 Pte. James Charles Holmes, R.M.L.I., No. Po/14326 (Po/B1549).
 Pte. Richard Merryweather, R.M.L.I., No. Po/16530 (Po/B.1522).
 Sea. Simon Nicoll, R.N.R., O.N. 3698 B.
 Lee-Corpl. Arthur James Pescod, R.M.L.I., No. Ch./10926 (Ch/B.1109).
 Trmr. Lewis Tait Rennie, R.N.R., O.N. 3264 T.S.
 Ldg. Sea. Arthur Domville Scorey, R.N.R., O.N. 7196 A.
 Act. Ldg. Sea. William Walker, R.N.V.R., O.N. (Clyde) 3/2302.
 A.B. Cecil John Robert Wright, R.N.V.R., O.N. (London) Z6450.

HONOURS FOR MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the following honour, decoration and medal to the undermentioned Officers and Men :—

To be a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order.

Lieut.-Cdr. (actg. Cdr.) Reginald Salmon, R.N.R.

For services in connection with the recovery of a German mine, which had fouled the wire of H.M. Trawler *Manx King*, on 12th December 1917. By the measures ordered and personally superintended by him the mine was eventually rendered innocuous. He set an excellent example to all on board by his coolness and courage in a dangerous situation.

To receive the Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieut. Alan Ernest Cain, R.N.R.

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

P.O., 1st Cl., Albert Richard Brotherton, O.N. 184902 (Dev.).
 2nd Hnd. (now Skpr.) Edward Dollin, R.N.R., O.N. 15453 D.A.

The undermentioned Officer and Man have been mentioned in despatches :—

Gnr. George Ernest Blackmore, R.N.
 Engmn. George Gibson, R.N.R., O.N. 4649 E.S.

HONOURS TO THE MERCANTILE MARINE.

The King has been graciously pleased to approve of 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 be a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order.

Capt. Evan Evans (Lieut. R.N.R.).

To receive the Distinguished Service Cross.

Capt. John Robert Godfrey.
 Capt. John Montador.

Capt. Oliver Stoker-Johnson.
 Capt. Ebenezer Bow Watters.
 Capt. Edwardus Vooght.
 Chief Offr. Harry Pindar Barker.
 Chief Offr. Richard Hodgson.
 Chief Engr. Alexander Cumming.
 Chief Engr. William Alexander Johnstone.
 Chief Engr. William Sharp Martin.
 Chief Engr. Edward Rutherford Wright.

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

Bsn. Albert Landin.
 Cook Albert Standen.

The KING has further been graciously pleased to give orders for the publication of the names of the undermentioned Officers and Men in the London Gazette as having received an expression of commendation for their services :—

Capt. James Anderson.
 Capt. John McLeod Bell.
 Capt. Frederick Galway Cadiz.
 Capt. John Clark.
 Capt. John Robert Durkie.
 Capt. Robert Murray Innes.
 Capt. Joseph Spence Liddle.
 Capt. James McFarlane.
 Capt. Christopher Morrison (killed).
 Capt. Frederick Priestley.
 Capt. Gerald Harrison Sheppard.
 Capt. William Henry Stephens.
 Capt. George Thomas St. John.
 Capt. Alexander William Stoker.
 Capt. David Talbot.
 Chief Offr. Charles Duffill.
 Chief Offr. Alfred Kennedy.
 Chief Offr. James Sinclair.
 Chief Engr. Thomas Arthur Alexander.
 Chief Engr. George Warren Darley.
 Chief Engr. George Thomas Dobson.
 Chief Engr. Robert Fleming.
 First Mate Thomas Henry Callister.
 First Mate Isaac James Lewis.
 First Mate William Miller.
 Second Offr. Henry Hubert Armstrong.
 Second Offr. William John Merchant.
 Second Offr. Arthur Nicklen.
 Second Offr. James Thomson.
 Second Engr. George Ayland.
 Second Engr. Thomas Shotton Hart.
 Second Engr. William Robertson.
 Second Mate William Dimsdale Dodds.
 Second Mate David Jones.
 Third Engr. James Gibb Brown.
 Third Engr. William Hourston Keldie.
 Third Engr. D Millar.
 Asst. Engr. Henry John Cooper.
 Third Mate Peter L. J. Schoolmeester.
 Fourth Engr. James Philp.
 Fourth Engr. Robert William Jenkinson.
 Apprentice John Appleby.
 Apprentice Lionel Isaac Cartledge.
 Apprentice Oliver Charles Frederick Dray.
 Apprentice William Martin (killed).
 W./T. Op. Eric William Gardiner (killed).
 Steward Henry Parkinson.
 Quartermaster Charles Wrixton.

FOREIGN DECORATIONS.

The following decorations have been conferred by the Allied Powers on Officers and Men of the

British Naval Forces for distinguished services rendered during the war.

His Majesty the KING has given unrestricted permission to the officers and men concerned to wear the decorations in question.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT OF
THE FRENCH REPUBLIC.

CROIX DE GUERRE.

Surg. Alfred G. Williams, R.N.
Qr.-Mr. and Hon. Capt. George H. Littleton, R.M.A.
Lieut. William Russell, R.M.A.
A.B. Walter J. Brett, O.N. 195033 (R.F.R. Ch/B7702).
A.B. Reginald J. Farr, O.N. J. 13080 (Po.).
Sig. Walter G. J. Fry, R.N.V.R., O.N. (Mersey) Z/2273.
A.B. Arthur G. Jordan, O.N. 189437 (R.F.R. Ch/B6607).
Sea. Cornelius Luck, R.N.R., O.N., 4354 A.
A.B. Victor G. A. Seager, R.N.V.R., O.N. (London) Z/4610.
A.B. Samuel Taylor, R.N.V.R., O.N. (Bristol) Z/4751.
A.B. Ernest Walker, R.N.V.R., O.N. (Mersey) Z/1013.
A.B. Alfred C. W. Watkins, R.N.V.R., O.N. (London) Z/3549.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY
THE KING OF ITALY.

THE ORDER OF ST. MAURICE AND ST. LAZARUS.

Grand Officer.

Vice-Adml. The Hon. Sir Somerset A. Gough-Calthorpe, K.C.B., C.V.O.

Commander.

Rear-Adml. George P. W. Hope, C.B.
Rear-Adml. Allan F. Everett, C.B.

Officer.

Cdr. Gerald A. Steel, R.N.V.R.
Flt. Payr. Charles E. Lynes, R.N.
Lieut.-Col. J. G. Beharrell, D.S.O.
Lieut.-Col. William M'Lellan, R.M.

ORDER OF THE CROWN OF ITALY.

Commander.

Capt. Richard Webb, C.B., R.N.
Capt. Reginald G. H. Henderson, R.N.
Capt. Gilbert O. Stephenson, R.N.

Cavalier.

Lieut.-Cdr. Brian D. Holberton, R.N.
Lieut. Archibald B. Bannatyne, R.N.R.
Lieut. Michael O'Neill, R.N.R.
Lieut. Henry M. Howard, R.N.V.R.

SILVER MEDAL FOR MILITARY VALOUR.

Capt. George J. Todd, D.S.O., R.N.
Cdr. Robert G. Fane, R.N.
Engr.-Cdr. Frank R. Goodwin, D.S.O., R.N.
Lieut. George R. Barling, R.N.R.

BRONZE MEDAL FOR MILITARY VALOUR.

Lieut. Henry K. Garnier, R.N.
Lieut. Edward C. Wrey, R.N.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY
THE EMPEROR OF JAPAN.

ORDER OF THE RISING SUN.

4th Class.

Flt.-Surg. Samuel Conner, M.B., R.N.

7th Class.

C.P.O. Ernest J. Bright, O.N. 168335 (Dev.).
Sto. P.O. Samuel T. Burchill, O.N. 310758 (Dev.).
Act. C.P.O. Robert C. B. Jenkins, O.N. 201026 (Dev.).
Act. Mech. Charles S. Lyne, O.N. 310238 (Dev.).

8th Class.

A. B. Samuel Bickley, O.N. 224495 (Ch.).
Ldg. Sto. Robert M'Coy, O.N. 300584 (Dev.).
Sto., 1st Cl., William T. Taylor, O.N. K.12468 (Dev.).
A. B. Richard C. Trevithick, O.N. 224420 (Dev.).
Sig. Thomas W. Woolcock, O.N. J.11335 (Dev.).
Ldg. Sea. Charles Yendle, O.N. 229153 (Dev.).

ORDER OF THE SACRED TREASURE.

3rd Class.

Engr. Rear-Adml. Charles J. James, R.N.
Capt. Arthur K. Macrorie, M.V.O., R.N.

4th Class.

Lieut.-Cdr. (actg. Capt.) Charles K. Borrisow, R.N.R.
Lieut. Harold P. Keeley, R.N.

5th Class.

Sub-Lieut. William A. Elliot, R.N.

6th Class.

Art. Engr. James M'Oustra, R.N.

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY
THE KING OF THE HELLENES.

ORDER OF THE REDEEMER.

Commander.

Capt. Cecil V. Osborne, R.N.
Staff-Surg. Ernest D. Rutherford, M.B., R.N.

DECORATION CONFERRED BY HIS HIGHNESS THE
BEY OF TUNIS.

ORDER OF NICHAN IFTIKHAR.

Cdr. Archibald T. Stewart, R.N.

CORRECTIONS.

In Gazette of 5 November 1917, p. 2289, col. 2, *delete* the name of E.R.A., 2nd Cl., Leonard Adams, O.N. M.324 (Po.).

In Gazette of 26 February 1918, p. 805, col. 1, *for* Sea. George M'Kendry, R.N.R. O.N. 4315A, *read* Sea. George M'Hendry, R.N.R., O.N. 4315A.

*Civil Service Commission,
9th April 1918.*

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Assistant Clerk (Abstractor Class) in Departments in the Civil Service will be held in London, Edinburgh, Dublin, Birmingham, Leeds, and Liverpool, commencing on the 18th July 1918, under the Regulations dated the 1st April 1910, and published in the London Gazette of the same date.

Not fewer than 100 Candidates will be declared successful on the result of this Examination, if so many should be found qualified.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 13th June, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

*Ministry of Food,
8th April 1918.*

THE MILK (SUMMER PRICES) ORDER,
8TH MARCH 1918.

Statutory Rule and Order, 1918, No. 296,
price 1d. net, post free 1½d.

THE INTOXICATING LIQUOR (OUTPUT AND
DELIVERY) ORDER, 19TH MARCH 1918.

Statutory Rule and Order, 1918, No. 339,
price 1d. net, post free 1½d.

THE CANNED CONDENSED MILK (REQUISITION)
ORDER, 23RD MARCH 1918.

Statutory Rule and Order, 1918, No. 361,
price 1d. net, post free 1½d.

THE COCOA-BUTTER (PROVISIONAL PRICES)
ORDER, 19TH MARCH 1918.

Statutory Rule and Order, 1918, No. 340,
price 1d. net, post free 1½d.

THE FISH (REGISTRATION OF DEALERS)
ORDER, 14TH MARCH 1918.

Statutory Rule and Order, 1918, No. 322,
price 1d. net, post free 1½d.

THE RAW COCOA (PRICES) ORDER,
19TH MARCH 1918.

Statutory Rule and Order, 1918, No. 342,
price 1d. net, post free 1½d.

Notice is hereby given that the above Orders have been made by the Food Controller, and that copies of the Orders and of all other Orders made by the Food Controller, printed as Statutory Rules and Orders, and receivable in evidence under the Documentary Evidence Acts, can be purchased at the prices stated through any bookseller or directly from H.M. Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—Imperial House, Kingsway, W.C. 2; 37 Peter Street, Manchester; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 23 Forth Street, Edinburgh; or E. Ponsonby Ltd., 116 Grafton Street, Dublin.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS,
1894 to 1914.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE
FEVER in SCOTLAND for the Week ended

6th April 1918, distinguishing Counties
(including Burghs):—

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been Exposed to Infection.
	No.	No.
Ross and Cromarty	1	—
TOTAL	1	—

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

Ayrshire, &c.—An Area comprising the counties of Ayr and Wigtown, and the burghs of Ayr, Irvine, and Kilmaronock (16th June 1917).

Scotland.—An Area comprising Scotland (except the counties of Ayr and Wigtown, and the burghs of Ayr, Irvine, and Kilmaronock) (16th June 1917).

See also under *Ayrshire, &c.*

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the under-mentioned DISEASES in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 6th April 1918, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs):—

ANTHRAX.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Animals Attacked.			
		Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Horses.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Aberdeen	1	1	—	—	—
Ayr	2	2	—	—	—
Haddington	1	1	—	—	—
Kincardine	1	1	—	—	—
Perth	1	1	—	—	—
Renfrew	1	1	—	—	—
TOTAL	7	7	—	—	—

PARASITIC MANGE.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.	Animals Attacked.
	No.	No.
Fife	1	3
Forfar	1	2
Lanark	1	1
City of Edinburgh	1	1
TOTAL	4	7

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,
9th April 1918.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per Quarter of 8 Bushels, Imperial Measure,* as received from the Inspectors of Corn Returns in the Week ended 6th April 1918, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

BRITISH CORN.				QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
				Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	17,080	6	72	11
Barley	...	...	...	9,764	5	56	7
Oats	...	...	...	5,297	7	49	0

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1911 to 1917.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.			AVERAGE PRICE.		
	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.
	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1911 ...	46,063 7	7,866 4	13,339 5	30 3	25 2	18 3
1912 ...	26,967 3	3,266 5	6,202 1	35 4	30 2	22 1
1913 ...	63,167 7	6,705 2	7,855 7	31 3	27 8	19 2
1914 ...	52,417 6	16,765 0	9,112 6	31 5	26 8	18 4
1915 ...	50,322 2	10,471 0	10,790 0	54 9	31 3	30 4
1916 ...	37,429 3	11,775 2	12,851 4	51 8	53 7	30 1
1917 ...	44,826 7	53,630 4	17,500 3	84 4	69 11	55 1

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

H. E. DALE,
Assistant Secretary.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,
3 St. James's Square, London, S.W. 1,
6th April 1918.

STATEMENT showing the Average Price of a QUARTER of BRITISH WHEAT, and OATS, during the SEVEN MONTHS ending 31st March 1918, ascertained under and in accordance with the provisions of the Corn Production Act, 1917.

WHEAT (Per quarter of 480 imperial pounds).	OATS (Per Quarter of 312 imperial pounds).
s. d. 71 2½	s. d. 46 8½

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,
8th April 1918.

R. HENRY REW.

NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.

*Department of the
Accountant-General of the Navy,
Admiralty, S.W. 1,
9th April 1918.*

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the following Salvage Awards:—

Salvage of S.S. "Carrie" by H.M. Trawlers "Fusilier" and "Kinaldie," on 1st and 2nd January 1917.

Salvage of S.S. "San Tirso" by H.M.S. "Teutonic" and H.M. Trawlers "Armageddon," "Rushcoe" and "Robert Smith" between 21st November and 3rd December 1916.

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the Award are required to transmit the particulars of any such demand to the Registrar of the Admiralty Division of H.M. High Court of Justice, in order that the same may be examined, taxed, and allowed by that Officer, and paid under the sanction of the Judge of the said court.

Due notice will be given, by future advertisement in the London Gazette, of the date proposed for the commencement of distribution.

NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.

*Department of the
Accountant-General of the Navy,
Admiralty, S.W. 1,
9th April 1918.*

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of the awards for the salvage of S.S. "Anchoria" by H.M. Drifters "Golden Gift" and "Helpmate" on 19th and 20th September 1915, and the award for the salvage of French Ketch "Alma" by H.M. Trawler "Meror" on 28th August 1917, will commence on Wednesday, the 10th instant, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, S.W.

All applications from persons entitled to share, who are not now serving, should be addressed "On Prize Business:—to the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, London, S.W. 1." Such applications (except in the case of Commissioned Officers) should be accompanied by Certificates of Service.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES ACT, 1896.

ADVERTISEMENT OF DISSOLUTION BY INSTRUMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given by the Assistant-Registrar of Friendly Societies for Scotland, that the JOPPA THISTLE LODGE OF FREE GARDENERS FRIENDLY SOCIETY, Register No. 114 Ayr, held at Hillhead, Coylton, by Ayr, in the County of Ayr, is dissolved by Instrument, registered at this Office the 8th day of April 1918, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in, or having any claim on, the funds of the Society to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

3A Howe Street, Edinburgh, the 8th day of April 1918.

To the Creditors and other Persons interested in the Succession of the deceased MRS. MARY ROBERTSON HURRY or GIBSON, who resided at two Hampton Terrace, Edinburgh, widow of the late F. G. D. Gibson, Wine Merchant, Leith.

WILLIAM RAE MACDONALD, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, Judicial Factor upon the Estate of the said deceased Mary Robertson Hurry or Gibson, hereby intimates that he has prepared and lodged in the Sheriff Court of Midlothian, Sheriff Court House, Edinburgh, a State of Funds and Scheme of Division of the said Estate, to be considered and approved of by the Court, of which all concerned are hereby required to take notice.

W. R. M'DONALD, 27 Alva Street,
Edinburgh.

9th April 1918.

NOTICE.

A PETITION has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Roxburghshire at Hawick, by Thomas Scott, Warehouseman, Drumlanrig Place, Hawick, for decerniture as Executor-dative *qua* Creditor to the deceased JAMES THOMSON, Stationer, six Tower Knowe, Hawick.

JAMES BARRIE, Solicitor, Hawick, Agent.

9th April 1918.

NOTICE.

A PETITION has been presented in the Sheriff Court of Roxburgh, Berwick, and Selkirk at Hawick, by Alexander Adams, retired Police Sergeant, and Grace Adams and Lizzie Adams, both Spinsters, all residing at No. 7 Ettrick Terrace, Hawick, for decerniture as Executors-dative *qua* Creditors to the deceased JAMES THOMSON, Stationer and News Agent, who resided at No. 6 Drumlanrig Square, Hawick, and died there on 4th April 1918.

THOMAS PURDOM & SONS, Solicitors,
Hawick, Agents.

THE ASSOCIATION OF HOUSE FACTORS AND PROPERTY AGENTS IN GLASGOW LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the Association of House Factors and Property Agents in Glasgow Limited, incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1890, duly convened, and held within the Accountants' Hall, 218 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on the 15th day of March 1918, the following Resolution, in accordance with notice sent to each Member along with copies of the Agreement between the Association and the Glasgow House Owners' Association Limited, and the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the proposed new Association, was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Association, also duly convened, and held within the said Hall on the 4th day of April 1918, the same was duly confirmed so as to become a Special Resolution of the Association, viz:—

- "(1) That it is expedient to effect an amalgamation of the Association of House Factors and Property Agents in Glasgow Limited with the Glasgow House Owners' Association Limited; (2) That with a view thereto this Association be wound up voluntarily; (3) That for the purpose of winding up the Association James Johnston, C.A., Glasgow, be appointed Liquidator; (4) That the Liquidator be authorised to consent to the registration of a new Corporation to be called 'The Association of Heritable Proprietors and Factors, Glasgow, Limited,' with a Memorandum and Articles of Association as already approved on behalf of both parties, and to carry out the foresaid Agreement; (5) That the Liquidator be authorised after payment of all the debts and liabilities of the Association, including the expenses of Liquidation and the Liquidator's remuneration, to transfer to

"the said 'The Association of Heritable Proprietors and Factors, Glasgow, Limited' the whole remaining assets of every description of the Association; and (6) Upon receipt of the same by the said 'The Association of Heritable Proprietors and Factors, Glasgow, Limited,' to discharge all the Members, Officers, Bearers, and Officials of the Association of their and each of their obligations as such."

J. JOHNSTON, C.A., Liquidator.

190 West George Street, Glasgow,
9th April 1918.

THE ASSOCIATION OF HOUSE FACTORS AND PROPERTY AGENTS IN GLASGOW LIMITED (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of Section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, a Meeting of Creditors of the above-named Association will be held within the Office of D. & A. Cuthbertson, Provan, & Strong, C.A., 190 West George Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 19th day of April 1918, at half-past eleven o'clock forenoon.

J. JOHNSTON, C.A., Liquidator.

Note.—The above Meeting is called in compliance with the Act. The Association is in Liquidation with the view to an amalgamation with the Glasgow House Owners' Association Limited, and the Meeting will be purely formal.

190 West George Street, Glasgow,
9th April 1918.

THE VETURIA STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED (in Liquidation).

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held within the Registered Office of the Company, 8 Gordon Street, Glasgow, on the 22nd day of March 1918, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, duly convened, and held at the same place on the 9th day of April 1918, the said Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

- (1) 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.
- (2) That the Liquidators be, and are hereby authorised to take credit for one per cent. on the amount available for distribution among the Shareholders in full of their fee as Liquidators over and above all outlays.

Of all which Notice is hereby given.

LEONARD GOW, Liquidator.
J. R. HARRISON, Liquidator.

THE VETURIA STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED (in Liquidation).

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 Thursday the 25th day of April 1918, at 12 o'clock noon.

LEONARD GOW, Liquidator.
J. R. HARRISON, Liquidator.

8 Gordon Street, Glasgow,
10th April 1918.

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

THE VOLNAY STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED (in Liquidation).

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held within the Registered Office of the Company, 8 Gordon

Street, Glasgow, on the 22nd day of March 1918, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, duly convened, and held at the same place on the 9th day of April 1918, the said Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

- (1) 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.
- (2) That the Liquidators be, and are hereby authorised to take credit for one per cent. on the amount available for distribution among the Shareholders in full of their fee as Liquidators over and above all outlays.

Of all which Notice is hereby given.

LEONARD GOW, Liquidator.
J. R. HARRISON, Liquidator.

THE VOLNAY STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED (in Liquidation).

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 Thursday the 25th day of April 1918, at 12.5 p.m.

LEONARD GOW, Liquidator.
J. R. HARRISON, Liquidator.

8 Gordon Street, Glasgow,
10th April 1918.

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

L. P. JOHANNESSEN LIMITED.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held within the Registered Office of the Company, 6 Golden Square, Aberdeen, on the 18th day of March 1918, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened, and held within the said Office on the 4th day of April 1918, the said Resolution was duly confirmed, viz.:—

"That this Company be wound up voluntarily."

At the second of said Meetings, Walter Alexander Reid, Chartered Accountant, Aberdeen, was appointed Liquidator.

In terms of Section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, the Liquidator hereby calls a Meeting of the Creditors of the Company, to be held within his Office, No. 6 Golden Square, Aberdeen, on Friday the 19th day of April 1918, at three o'clock afternoon.

WALTER A. REID, Liquidator.

6 Golden Square, Aberdeen,
8th April 1918.

THE RENFIELD BILLIARD COMPANY LIMITED (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that, in terms of Section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Company will be held within the Office of the Liquidator, A. Wilson Smart, C.A., 68 Bath Street, Glasgow, on Friday, 19th April 1918, at 12 o'clock noon.

D. M. HUTCHISON & SON, Writers,
82 West Regent Street, Glasgow,
Agents for the Liquidator.

9th April 1918.

THE Estates of A. WHITEMAN & CO., Painters, eleven a Hill Place, Edinburgh, and A. Whiteman, the only Partner of said Firm, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were Sequestrated on the ninth day of April nineteen hundred and eighteen, by the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

The first Deliverance is dated the first day of April nineteen hundred and eighteen.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 2.30 o'clock afternoon, on Monday the twenty-second day of April nineteen hundred and eighteen, within Dowell's Rooms, No. 18 George Street, Edinburgh. A Composition may be offered at this Meeting.

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

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

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

C. STRACHAN PETRIE, Solicitor, Agent.

21 Hill Street, Edinburgh,
10th April 1918.

SEQUESTRATION of PETER FLEMING, Baker, Kilcreggan.

HUGH RITCHIE, Accountant, Greenock, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Robert Millar, Secretary to John White & Sons (Glasgow) Limited, 45 Hope Street, Glasgow, Daniel Shaw Loudon, 34 Robertson Street, Greenock, and William Primrose Ure, 67 Hope Street, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Dumbarton, on Wednesday the seventeenth day of April 1918, at twelve o'clock noon. The Creditors will meet in the Office of John White & Sons (Glasgow) Limited, 45 Hope Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the twenty-fifth day of April 1918, at three o'clock afternoon.

H. RITCHIE, Trustee.

Greenock, 6th April 1918.

In the SUMMARY SEQUESTRATION of ALEXANDER NICOLL MORGAN, Coal Merchant, residing at 12 Park Wynd, Dundee.

I. WILLIAM GEORGE ROBERTSON ELLIS, Coal Traveller, 28 Yeaman Shore, Dundee, hereby give notice that I have been duly elected and confirmed Trustee; and that James Smith Hood, Coal Merchant, 18 Yeaman Shore, Dundee, and Alexander Spence, Forage Contractor, West Dock Street, Dundee, have been elected and confirmed Commissioners; that the Sheriff has fixed Tuesday the twenty-third day of April 1918, at half-past ten o'clock forenoon, within the Sheriff Court House, Dundee, as a diet for the public Examination of the Bankrupt; that the second Meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Chambers of J. Grafton Lawson & Co., Solicitors, 30 Reform Street, Dundee, on the twenty-third day of May 1918, at eleven o'clock forenoon; and that to entitle Creditors to participate in the first Dividend their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged with him on or before the first day of May 1918.

WILLIAM G. R. ELLIS, Trustee.

Dundee, 11th April 1918.

WILLIAM HUNTER SMART, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of ALEXANDER RUSSELL, c/o Fenton, 21 Comely Bank Place, Edinburgh, hereby intimates that at the Meeting of Creditors, held on 8th April 1918, the Bankrupt offered to the Creditors a Composition on the whole debts with security for payment of the same, and that the Creditors present unanimously entertained said offer for consideration; and Notice is hereby given that it will be decided upon at a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within the Trustee's Chambers, No. 9 Albany Street, Edinburgh, on Wednesday, 1st May 1918, at 11 o'clock forenoon.

W. HUNTER SMART, C.A., Trustee.

9 Albany Street, Edinburgh,
12th April 1918.

AS Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of JOHN CHRISTIE FORBES, M.D., Ardveich, Liberton, I hereby intimate that a Meeting of the Creditors will be held within the Chambers of Messrs. Romanes & Munro, C.A., 50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, on Monday the 29th day of April 1918, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for the purpose of considering as to an application to be made for my discharge as Trustee.

CHARLES J. MUNRO, C.A., Trustee.

Edinburgh, 12th April 1918.

SEQUESTRATION of JAMES OSWALD CAMPBELL, Solicitor, 65 Bath Street, Glasgow.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that a Meeting of Creditors will be held within the Chambers of Walter & W. B. Galbraith, C.A., 87 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 3rd day of May 1918, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider an application to be made to the Court for his discharge.

W. B. GALBRAITH, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 9th April 1918.

SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT JACKSON, Farmer, Stand Farm, Airdrie.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that accounts of his intromissions, brought down to 27th ult., have been audited by the Commissioners, and that a first and final Dividend will be paid within the Chambers of Messrs. Wilson & Johnston, C.A., 29 Alva Street, Edinburgh, on 28th May 1918.

GEORGE K. JOHNSTON, C.A., Trustee.

Edinburgh, 12th April 1918.

SEQUESTRATION of JOHN ELLIS M'EWEN, Pattern Book and Fancy Boxmaker, 25 Wellington Street, Glasgow, sole Partner of and trading as JOHN E. M'EWEN & Co., Pattern Book and Fancy Boxmakers, at 25 Wellington Street aforesaid.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to 25th March 1918, has been audited by the Commissioners, who have postponed the declaration of a Dividend until the recurrence of another statutory period.

THOMAS SMITH, Trustee.

135 Buchanan Street, Glasgow,
9th April 1918.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Firm of THOMAS CRAIG & COMPANY, Fish Merchants, Dunbar and Mallaig, of which the Subscribers Thomas Craig and Mrs. Rennie Combe Craig or Mackay were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED of mutual consent as at 29th January 1918.

The Subscriber Mrs. Mackay, who has acquired the sole right to continue the use of the Firm name, will continue to carry on business under the said name of THOMAS CRAIG & COMPANY, and the Subscriber Thomas Craig will carry on business on his own account.

Mrs. Mackay will pay all accounts and liabilities due by the dissolved Firm, and all accounts due to the dissolved Firm should be paid to her at Dunbar.

RENNIE C. MACKAY.

Witnesses to the Signature of Mrs.

Mackay—

R. S. SHARPE, Solicitor, Dunbar.

WM. B. JERDAN, Bellevue, Dunbar,

Cashier.

THOMAS CRAIG.

Witnesses to the Signature of Thomas

Craig—

FRANK HART, Fish Buyer, Mallaig.

D. MACKENZIE, Sub-Agent, Bank of Scotland, Mallaig.

NOTICE.

THE Firm of STEWART & GRAY, Shipbrokers, carrying on business at ninety Mitchell Street, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, has been DISSOLVED by mutual consent as at 28th February 1918.

Dated at Glasgow, this 4th day of April 1918.

WILLIAM STEWART.

J. E. GIBSON, Solicitor, 156 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,

ELIZABETH WHITE, Typist, 156 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,

Witnesses to the Signature of William Stewart.

ROBT. GRAY.

W. BARRIE, Solicitor, 149 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,

JOHN T. TORRANCE, Law-Clerk, 149 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.

Witnesses to the Signature of Robert Gray.

THE Firm of M'INNES & SMITH, carrying on business as Gas Engineers and Sheet Metal Workers at 107 Bothwell Street, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, has been DISSOLVED as at 16th March 1918, by mutual consent.

Mr. Robert Thomas Dunlop, Accountant, 45 Renfield Street, Glasgow, is authorised to uplift all debts due to the dissolved Firm, and he will discharge the whole debts and liabilities of the Firm.

The Subscriber Thomas M'Innes will continue to carry on business on his own account at 97 West Campbell Street, Glasgow, under the same Firm name of M'INNES & SMITH.

Dated at Glasgow, this tenth day of April 1918.

THOMAS M'INNES.

ALEX. J. SMITH.

MARY BARBARA M'CALLUM, Typist, 45 Renfield Street, Glasgow, Witness.

AGNES POLLOCK THOMAS, Clerkess, 45 Renfield Street, Glasgow, Witness.

Witnesses to both Signatures.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership between Archibald Campbell Adams, James Adams, and Robert Reid, carried on under the Firm name of THE CARTVALE ENGINEERING COMPANY at 61 New Sneddon, Paisley, was DISSOLVED as at 31st Dec. 1917, and that the Firm name has been adopted by THE CARTVALE ENGINEERING COMPANY LIMITED.

Paisley, 28th March 1918.

A. C. ADAMS.

ROBT. REID.

JAMES ADAMS.

Witness—ROBT. L. HOUSTON, Meadowside, Glasgow Road, Paisley, Merchant,

Witness—C. HOUSTON, 55 Kersland Street, Glasgow, Merchant,

Witnesses to the Signatures of Archibald Campbell Adams, James Adams, and Robert Reid.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

John George Meadon, Ashley Heath, Whitmore, near Newcastle-under-Lyme, in the county of Stafford, and temporarily lodging at 12 Torriano Avenue, Camden Road, London, N.W. 5, wholesale grocer's manager.

Frank William Sterrey, 19 Queensland Avenue, Wimbledon.

Ellen Davies, 40 Cwmavon Road, Aberavon, in the County of Glamorgan, late lodging-house keeper.

William George Hart, Grosvenor House, Blythe Bridge, in the county of Stafford, carrying on business at 3 Church Street, Longton, in the said county of Stafford; also at The Smithfield, The Meir, near Longton aforesaid; also at The Smithfield, Stone, in the said county of Stafford; also at The Horse Repository, Longton aforesaid, and The Smithfield, Market Drayton, in the county of Salop, agricultural and general auctioneer.

Edward West, Queen's Road, East Grinstead, in the county of Sussex, lately carrying on business at Myrtle House, Church Street, Dorking, in the county of Surrey, marine store dealer.

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