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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1919.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 20th day of December 1919.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 13th day of December 1919, in the words following, viz. :—

“Whereas by Section 3 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act, 1865, it is enacted, *inter alia*, that all pay, pensions, or other allowances in the nature thereof, payable in respect of services in Your Majesty's Naval or Marine Force to a Person being or having been an Officer, Seaman, or Marine therein, shall be paid in such manner, and subject to such restrictions, conditions, and provisions as are from time to time directed by Order in Council :

“And whereas we consider that a rank should be established in the Accountant Branch of Your Majesty's Navy higher than that of Paymaster Captain, and that the title of such rank should be Paymaster Rear-Admiral :

“And whereas with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury we appointed a Paymaster Director-General as from the 6th March 1918, under the conditions set forth in the Schedule annexed hereto :

“We leave humbly to recommend that

Your Majesty will be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to sanction the establishment of the post of Paymaster Director-General with the rank of Paymaster Rear-Admiral, with effect from 6th March 1918.

“The Lords Commissioners of Your Majesty's Treasury have signified their concurrence in these proposals.

“SCHEDULE.

“Pay.

“To be at a consolidated rate of £1200 a year.

“Retirement.

“To be compulsory after five years' service in the rank of Paymaster Director-General, or at the age of 60.

“Widow's Pension, etc.

“Widow's Pension and Compassionate Allowances for children to be on the scale applicable to Rear-Admirals.”

His Majesty, having taken the said Memorial into consideration, was pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to approve of what is therein proposed.

And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 20th day of December 1919.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

**W**HEREAS by Section 80 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1906, power is given to His Majesty, by Order in Council, to make Regulations as to the manner in which Government Ships may be registered as British Ships under the Merchant Shipping Acts :

And whereas by the said Section it is provided that those Acts shall, subject to any exceptions or modifications which may be made by Order in Council, either generally or as respects any special class of such Ships, apply to such Ships when registered in accordance with such Regulations :

And whereas on account of urgency it is expedient that this Order should come into immediate operation.

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by virtue of the powers in this behalf by the said Act, or otherwise, in Him vested, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered :—

I. That the following Regulations shall have effect as regards any Government Ships in the service of the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, hereinafter sometimes referred to as the Board :—

1. An application for registry of a Government Ship in the service of the Board shall be made in writing under the hand of the Fisheries Secretary to the Board. Such application shall contain the following particulars :—

(1) A statement of the name and description of the Ship.

(2) A statement of the time when, and place where, the Ship was built ; or, if the Ship was foreign built and the time and place of building are unknown, a statement to that effect, and of her foreign name.

(3) A statement of the nature of the title to the said Ship, whether by original construction by or for the Board, or by purchase, capture, condemnation, or otherwise, and a list of the documents of title, if any, in case she was not originally constructed by or for the Board.

(4) A statement of the name of the Master.

2. The Registrar, on receiving such application in respect of a Government Ship in the service of the Board shall :—

(1) enter the Ship in the Register Book as belonging to His Majesty, represented by the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, and shall also enter therein :—

(2) the name of the port to which she belongs :

(3) the particulars stated in the application for registration :

(4) the details comprised in the Surveyor's Certificate.

3. On the registry of a Government Ship in the service of the Board the Registrar shall retain in his possession the Surveyor's Certificate and the application for registry, and any documents of title mentioned in such application.

4. Upon the transfer of a registered Government Ship in the service of the Board by Bill of Sale the Board shall be the transferors, and

the Bill of Sale shall be in Form A. in the proper form prescribed under the Principal Act, omitting the covenant therein contained. Any such Bill of Sale shall be signed by the Fisheries Secretary to the Board on behalf of the Board.

5. The application for a Certificate of Sale referred to in Sections 39 to 42 and Sections 44 to 46 of the Principal Act, may be made in respect of a Government Ship in the service of the Board by the Fisheries Secretary to the Board on their behalf.

6. The person to whom the management of any Government Ship in the service of the Board is entrusted by the Board shall be registered as provided by Section 59 (2) of the Principal Act.

7. Government Ships in the service of the Board registered in pursuance of the provisions of this Order in Council are hereby excluded from the category of ships belonging to His Majesty within the meaning of Sections 557 to 564 of the Principal Act.

8. Where any Section of the Merchant Shipping Acts which, by virtue of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1906, and this Order in Council, is applicable to Government Ships in the service of the Board imposes any duty or liability or confers any right or power upon or contemplates any act being performed by the owner of a Ship such duty, liability, right or power shall, subject always to the other provisions of this Order in Council, be carried out, borne, or exercised by the Board on behalf of His Majesty.

9. In this Order in Council the term Merchant Shipping Acts shall mean and include any of the Merchant Shipping Acts any provision of which is by virtue of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1906, and this Order, applicable to Government Ships.

10. Section 1 and Sections 8 to 12 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, shall not apply to Government Ships in the service of the Board registered in pursuance of the provisions of this Order in Council. Provided always that no provision of the Merchant Shipping Acts which, according to a reasonable construction, would not apply in the case of Government Ships in the service of the Board shall be deemed to apply to such Ships by reason only that its application is not hereby expressly excluded.

II. That this Order shall come into immediate operation provisionally in accordance with the provisions of Section 2 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 20th day of December 1919.

PRESENT,

The KING's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

Whereas by sub-section one of Section nine of the Scottish Board of Health Act, 1919, it is enacted that the Act shall come into operation upon such day or days as may be appointed by Order in Council, and that different days may be appointed for different purposes and provisions of the Act :

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, in pursuance of the Scottish Board of Health Act, 1919, and of all other powers enabling Him in that behalf, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :—

1. As respects the provisions of paragraphs (c), (d), (e), (f), and (g) of sub-section one of Section four of the said Act, the appointed day shall be the first day of April 1920.
2. This Order may be cited as the Scottish Board of Health Act, 1919 (Date of Commencement) (No. 3) Order, 1919.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 20th day of December 1919.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of the powers conferred on Him by the Special Constables Act, 1914, His Majesty was pleased, by an Order in Council dated the 9th day of September 1914 (called "the Special Constables Order, 1914"), to make regulations respecting Special Constables; and by a further Order in Council dated the 27th day of May 1915, to amend such Order by adding a further regulation (called Regulation 9A):

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the Special Constables Order, 1914, as so amended, shall have effect as if in Regulation 9 and in Regulation 9A, for the words "five shillings" the words "ten shillings" were substituted.

ALMERIC FITZROY.

*Scottish Office, Whitehall,  
December 20, 1919.*

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 3rd instant, to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal in Scotland granting a Supplementary Charter to the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh.

#### LOCAL GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACTS. ALTERATION OF PARISH AREAS.

FINAL ORDER NO. L.

(PARISHES OF PORT GLASGOW AND KILMACOLM).

Whereas it has been represented to me by the Parish Council of the Parish of Port Glasgow that I should issue an Order under Section 51 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1889, and Section 46 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1894, annexing to the Parish of Port Glasgow that portion of the Parish of Kilmacolm which by the Port Glasgow Gas and Burgh

Extension Order Confirmation Act, 1915, was annexed to the Burgh of Port Glasgow; and whereas, after consulting with the authorities concerned, I am of opinion that it is expedient to give effect to the said representation; and whereas I caused the proposed Order to be published in the Edinburgh Gazette of 28th October 1919:

Now, therefore, I, the Right Honourable Robert Munro, His Majesty's Secretary for Scotland, do, in virtue of the powers conferred upon me by the Local Government (Scotland) Acts, order as follows :—

- (1) The portion of the said Parish of Kilmacolm annexed to the Burgh of Port Glasgow by the said Port Glasgow Gas and Burgh Extension Order Confirmation Act, 1915, shall cease to form part of the Parish of Kilmacolm and shall form part of the Parish of Port Glasgow.
- (2) The Parish Council of Port Glasgow shall assume responsibility for, and shall relieve the Parish Council of Kilmacolm of all advances which the latter body may be called upon to make for, or on account of any pauper whose claim is derived (1) from birth in the said portion of the Parish of Kilmacolm prior to the 15th day of May 1920 or (2) from residence for the statutory period in the said portion of the Parish of Kilmacolm prior to the 15th day of May 1920.
- (3) Nothing herein contained shall affect the rights of creditors or of persons having vested interests; and all questions of compensation or adjustment following on this Order, except so far as herein dealt with, are expressly reserved.
- (4) This Order shall take effect as from the 15th day of May 1920.

Given under my hand and Seal at Whitehall, this 22nd day of December 1919.

L. S.

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

#### PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE, DUBLIN CASTLE.

22nd December 1919.

His Majesty, by His Royal Letter having appointed Sir James Johnston to be of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council in Ireland, he this day in Council took the usual oaths and his place at the Board accordingly.

J. J. TAYLOR,  
Clerk of the Council.

*Buckingham Palace,  
December 19, 1919.*

This day had Audience of The KING :—

Monsieur Gaston Carlin to present his Letters of Recall as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Swiss Confederation.

*Chancery of the Order of  
Saint Michael and Saint George,  
Downing Street,  
22nd December 1919.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George :—

*To be an Honorary Member of the First Class,  
or Knights Grand Cross, of the said Most  
Distinguished Order :—*

His Excellency Yussuf Wahba Pasha, President  
of the Council of Ministers, Egypt.

*Chancery of the Royal Victorian Order,  
Buckingham Palace,  
1st December 1919.*

The KING has been graciously pleased, on the occasion of the visit of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales to Canada and the United States of America, to make the following promotion in and appointments to the Royal Victorian Order :—

*To be Knights Commanders.*

Sir William George Tyrrell, K.C.M.G., C.B.,  
Minister Plenipotentiary in His Majesty's  
Diplomatic Service, Washington.

Vice-Admiral Morgan Singer, C.B., Com-  
mander-in-Chief North American and West  
Indian Station.

Rear-Admiral Sir Lionel Halsey, K.C.M.G.,  
C.B., Chief of His Royal Highness's Staff.

*To be Commanders.*

The Hon. Ronald Charles Lindsay, M.V.O.,  
Counsellor, British Embassy, Washington.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Hon. Harold Green-  
wood Henderson, Military Secretary to the  
Governor-General of Canada.

Major-General Hugh Keppel Bethell, C.B.,  
C.M.G., D.S.O., Military Attaché, British  
Embassy, Washington.

Temp. Lieutenant-Colonel Edward William  
Macleay Grigg, C.M.G., D.S.O., M.C., Mili-  
tary Secretary to His Royal Highness.

Captain Ernest Augustus Taylor, Royal Navy,  
Commanding H.M.S. "Renown."

Captain Francis Marten, C.M.G., Royal Navy,  
Commanding H.M.S. "Dragon."

*To be Members of the Fourth Class.*

Commander Dudley North, C.M.G., Royal  
Navy, Naval A.D.C. to His Royal Highness.

Sir Godfrey John Vignoles Thomas, Bart.,  
Assistant Private Secretary to His Royal  
Highness.

Captain the Hon. Piers Walter Legh, O.B.E.,  
Grenadier Guards, Equerry to His Royal  
Highness.

Lieutenant-Colonel Norman Graham Thwaites,  
C.B.E., M.C., Director, British Mission, New  
York.

## CENSUS OF PRODUCTION ACT, 1917.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF TRADE DATED 22ND  
DECEMBER 1919, DETERMINING THAT A  
CENSUS OF PRODUCTION SHALL BE TAKEN IN  
THE YEAR 1921.

Whereas by Section 1 (2) of the Census of  
Production Act, 1917, it is provided that a census  
shall be taken in any year which is fixed for the  
purpose by an Order made by the Board of Trade  
and laid before Parliament; and, if the Order so  
directs, may be limited to any trades or businesses  
mentioned in the Order; provided that there is  
at least a year's interval between the date on  
which the Order is made by the Board of Trade  
and the commencement of the year in which the  
census is to be taken.

Now, therefore, the Board of Trade do by this  
Order determine that a Census of Production  
shall be taken in the year 1921, and that the said  
Census shall be limited to the trades or businesses  
included in the Schedule annexed hereto.

The Board of Trade further determine that  
returns for the said Census shall not be required  
from persons, companies, or firms who did not  
employ on the average more than five persons,  
exclusive of officers of the company or members  
of the firm, during the calendar year 1920,  
provided that each such person or an officer of  
such company or a member of such firm, as the  
case may be, makes a signed declaration, on the  
Schedule appropriate to their trade or business,  
of the average number of persons employed by  
them (exclusive as aforesaid) inside or outside  
the establishment during such year.

## SCHEDULE.

Coal and Ironstone Mines under the Coal Mines  
Regulation Acts.  
Coke Works at Collieries.  
Oil Shale Mines and Shale Oil Works.  
Iron Mines under the Metalliferous Mines Regu-  
lations Act and Iron Quarries.  
Salt Mines, Brine Pits, and Salt Works.  
Iron and Steel Trades (Smelting, Rolling, and  
Founding).  
Tinplate Trade.  
Galvanized Sheet Trade.  
Engineering Trades (including Electrical En-  
gineering).  
Shipbuilding and Marine Engineering Trades.  
Cycle and Motor Trades.  
Railway Carriage and Wagon Trades.  
Copper, Brass, Lead, Tin, Zinc, and other Metal  
Trades (except the Gold and Silver Refining  
Trade).  
Cotton Trade.  
Woollen and Worsted Trades.  
Jute, Hemp, and Linen Trades.  
Bleaching, Dyeing, Printing, and Finishing  
Trades.  
Boot and Shoe Trades.  
Grain Milling Trade.  
Sugar and Glucose Trades.  
Brewing and Malting Trades.  
Spirit Distilling Trades.  
Tobacco Trade.  
Chemicals, Coal-tar Products, and Drugs Trades.  
Seed Crushing Trade.  
Fertilizer Trade.  
Soap and Candle Trades.  
Paper Trade.

Fellmongery Trade.  
Leather Trade (tanning and dressing).  
Building and Contracting Trades.  
Brick and Fireclay Trades.  
China and Earthenware Trades.  
Cement Trade.

Gas Undertakings.  
Electricity Undertakings.

H. A. PAYNE,  
Secretary to the Board of Trade.

22nd December 1919.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.  
ROPE, TWINE, AND NET TRADE BOARD  
(GREAT BRITAIN).

PROPOSAL TO FIX MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES  
FOR FEMALE AND MALE WORKERS.

In accordance with Regulations made under Section 18 of the Trade Boards Act, 1909, by the Minister of Labour, and dated 31st October 1919, the Trade Board established in Great Britain under the Trade Boards Act, 1918, for those branches of the trade specified in the Trade Boards (Rope, Twine, and Net) Order, 1919, hereby give Notice, as required by Section 3 (5) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, that they Propose to Fix General Minimum Time-rates, Piece-work Basis Time-rates, and Overtime Rates for female and male workers, and to declare the normal number of hours of work in the trade for the purpose of the application of the Overtime Rates, as set out in the Schedule below.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.

PROPOSED GENERAL MINIMUM TIME-RATES.

SECTION I.

*Female Workers.*

(a) For Workers other than Home-workers—

Workers of 18 years of age and upwards,  
8½d. per hour.

Workers of 17½ years of age and under  
18, 7½d. per hour.

Workers of 17 years of age and under  
17½, 6½d. per hour.

Workers of 16½ years of age and under  
17, 5½d. per hour.

Workers of 16 years of age and under  
16½, 5d. per hour.

Workers of 15 years of age and under  
16, 4½d. per hour.

Workers under 15 years of age, 4d. per  
hour.

Provided that workers entering the Trade for the first time at or over the age of 16 years may be employed for a period not exceeding six months at a minimum rate which is less by ½d. per hour than the minimum rate applicable under the above scale.

(b) For Home-workers—

(i) General Minimum Time-rate to operate during the first period of six months from the date on which the minimum rates set out in this Notice take effect, 7½d. per hour.

(ii) General Minimum Time-rate to operate during the second period of six months from the date on which the minimum rates set out in this Notice take effect, 8d. per hour.

(iii) General Minimum Time-rate to operate as from the expiration of twelve months from the date on which the minimum rates set out in this Notice take effect, 8½d. per hour.

SECTION II.

*Male Workers.*

	(i) General Minimum Time-rate to operate during the first period of six months from the date on which the minimum rates set out in this Notice takes effect.	(ii) General Minimum Time-rate to operate during the second period of six months from the date on which the minimum rates set out in this Notice take effect.	(iii) General minimum Time-rate to operate as from the expiration of twelve months from the date on which the minimum rates set out in this Notice take effect.
Workers of 21 years of age and over ...	1s. 1½d. per hour	1s. 2d. per hour.	1s. 3d. per hour.
„ 20 and under 21 years of age	11d. „	11d. „	11d. „
„ 19 „ 20 „	9½d. „	9½d. „	9½d. „
„ 18 „ 19 „	8½d. „	8½d. „	8½d. „
„ 17 „ 18 „	7½d. „	7½d. „	7½d. „
„ 16 „ 17 „	5½d. „	5½d. „	5½d. „
„ 15 „ 16 „	4½d. „	4½d. „	4½d. „
Under 15 years of age ...	4d. „	4d. „	4d. „

Provided that workers entering the trade for the first time at or over the age of 18 years may be employed for a period not exceeding six months at a minimum rate which is less by 1d. per hour than the minimum rate applicable under the above scale.

## PART II.

## PROPOSED PIECE-WORK BASIS TIME-RATES.

## SECTION I.

For all Female Workers, other than Home-workers, 9d. per hour.

(a) In the case of Female Home-workers employed on Piece-work, each Piece-rate paid shall be such as would yield in the circumstances of the case to an Ordinary worker not less than the General Minimum Time-rate for Home-workers applicable as set out in Section I (b) of Part I. above.

(b) In the case of all Female Workers, other than Home-workers, employed on Piece-work, each Piece-rate paid shall be such as would yield in the circumstances of the case not less than 9d. an hour to an Ordinary worker. Provided that in determining as to whether any Piece-rate satisfies the foregoing condition, regard shall be had only to the earnings of workers of 18 years of age and over who have had not less than six months' experience in the trade.

## SECTION II.

For all Male Workers.

(i) Piece-work Basis Time-rate to operate during the first period of six months from the date on which the minimum rates set out in this Notice take effect, 1s. 2½d. per hour.

(ii) Piece-work Basis Time-rate to operate during the second period of six months from the date on which the minimum rates set out in this Notice take effect, 1s. 3d. per hour.

(iii) Piece-work Basis Time-rate to operate as from the expiration of twelve months from the date on which the minimum rates set out in this Notice take effect, 1s. 4d. per hour.

In the case of all Male Workers employed on Piece-work, each Piece-rate paid shall be such as would yield in the circumstances of the case to an Ordinary worker not less than the Piece-work basis Time-rate set out above and applicable. Provided that in determining as to whether any Piece-rate satisfies the foregoing condition regard shall be had only to the earnings of workers of 21 years of age and over who have had not less than six months' experience in the trade.

## PART III.

## PROPOSED OVERTIME RATES FOR FEMALE WORKERS (OTHER THAN HOME-WORKERS) AND FOR MALE WORKERS (ALL AGES).

## SECTION I.

In accordance with Section 3 (1) (c) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, the Trade Board propose to declare the normal number of hours of work in the trade to be as follows :—

In any week, 48.

On any day (other than Saturday), 9.

On Saturday, 5.

Provided that all hours worked on Sundays and Customary Public and Statutory Holidays shall be regarded as Overtime to which the Overtime Rates shall apply.

## SECTION II.

The Trade Board propose to fix Overtime

Rates in respect of male and female workers (other than female home-workers) to apply in respect of hours worked by a worker, *whether engaged on Time-work or on Piece-work* in excess of the declared normal number of hours, as follows, that is to say :—

(a) For the first two hours' overtime on any day, except Saturdays, Sundays, and Customary Public and Statutory Holidays, the Overtime Rate shall be equivalent to Time-and-a-quarter, that is to say, one-and-a-quarter times the minimum rate otherwise applicable.

(b) For overtime after the first two hours of overtime on any day except Sundays and Customary Public and Statutory Holidays, and for all overtime on Saturdays, the Overtime Rate shall be equivalent to Time-and-a-Half, that is to say, one-and-a-half times the minimum rate otherwise applicable.

(c) For all time worked on Sundays and Customary Public and Statutory Holidays, the Overtime Rate shall be equivalent to Double Time, that is to say, twice the minimum rate otherwise applicable.

(d) All hours worked in any week in excess of 48 shall be paid for as Overtime irrespective of the number of hours worked on any particular day, and the Overtime Rate shall also be payable where on any day (not being a Sunday or Customary Public or Statutory Holiday), the number of hours worked exceeds nine, or in the case of Saturday exceeds five, notwithstanding that the number of hours worked in the week does not exceed 48. The Overtime Rate payable for hours worked in excess of 48 in any week shall be :—(a) As respects any day except Saturdays, Sundays, and Customary Public and Statutory Holidays, time-and-a-quarter for the first two hours, and time-and-a-half thereafter; (b) as respects Saturdays, time-and-a-half; (c) as respects Sundays and Customary Public and Statutory Holidays, double time.

## SECTION III.

Notwithstanding anything contained in Sections I. and II. of this part of this Notice :

(a) Where it is or may become the established practice of an employer only to require attendance on five days a week, the Overtime Rate shall only be payable where on any day the number of hours worked exceeds 9½.

(b) Where it is or may become the established practice of an employer to require attendance only on alternate Saturdays, the normal number of hours for the week in which attendance on Saturday is required shall be deemed to be 50.

(c) In the application of clauses (a) and (b) of this Section, where the employer requires attendance on any day on which it is not the established practice of the employer to require attendance, all time worked on such day shall be paid for as overtime at the respective overtime rates set out in paragraphs (a), (b), and (c) of Section II.

*Note.*—The hours which female workers and young persons are allowed to work are subject to the provisions of the Factory and Workshop Acts.

## PART IV.

For the purpose of this Notice the expression "Home-worker" shall be held to mean a worker who works in her own home or in any other place not under the control or management of the employer.

## PART V.

The above minimum rates of wages shall apply, subject to the provisions of the Trade Boards Acts, to all workers in Great Britain who are employed during the whole or any part of their time in any branch of the trade specified in the Trade Boards (Rope, Twine, and Net) Order, 1919; that is to say, the making or re-making of (a) rope (including driving rope and banding), (b) cord (including blind and window cord, but excluding silk, worsted, and other fancy cords), (c) cord for wire ropes, (d) lines, (e) twine (including binder and trawl twine), (f) lanyards, (g) net and similar articles; the bleaching, teasing, hackling, carding, preparing and spinning of the materials required for the making or re-making of any of the articles (a) to (g) above, when carried on in the same factory or workshop as such making or re-making; the manufacture of packings, gaskins, and spun yarns, when carried on in the same factory or workshop as the making or re-making of any of the articles (a) to (g) above; the braiding or splicing of articles made from rope, cord, twine or net; the mending of nets and the winding, twisting, doubling, laying, polishing, dressing, tarring, tanning, dyeing, balling, reeling, finishing, packing, despatching, warehousing, and storing of any of the above articles, where these operations or any of them are carried on in a factory or workshop in which any of the articles (a) to (g) above are made or re-made; *but excluding* the making of wire rope (unless made in the same factory or workshop as hemp or similar rope or core for wire rope), *and excluding* the making of net in connection with the lace curtain trade and the weaving of cloth.

## PART VI.

## SECTION I.

The above General Minimum Time-rates, Piece-work Basis Time-rates, and Overtime Rates shall be paid clear of all deductions, other than deductions under the National Insurance Act, 1911, as amended by any subsequent enactments, or deductions authorised by any Act to be made from wages in respect of contributions to any Superannuation or other Provident Fund.

## SECTION II.

The above minimum rates of wages are without prejudice to workers who are earning higher rates of wages.

The Trade Board will consider any objections to the above Proposals which may be lodged with them within two months from 23rd December 1919. 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, The Rope, Twine, and Net 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.

Dated this twenty-second day of December 1919.

Signed by Order of the Trade Board.

F. POPPLEWELL,  
Secretary.

Office of Trade Boards,  
5 Chancery Lane, London, W.C. 2.

It is provided by the above-mentioned Regulations that:—

Every Occupier of a Factory or Workshop or of any place used for giving out work to out-workers shall, on receipt of this Notice, post up and keep posted up a sufficient number of true copies thereof in prominent positions in the Factory, Workshop, or place used for giving out work, in such a manner as to ensure that in each case the Notice shall be brought to the knowledge of all workers employed by him or on his premises who are affected thereby. Penalty for non-compliance, a fine not exceeding 40s.

Under the Trade Boards Acts, 1909 and 1918, it is provided amongst other things that—

1. Where any minimum rate of wages fixed by a Trade Board has become effective, an employer shall, in cases to which the minimum rate is applicable, pay wages to the person employed at not less than the minimum rate clear of all deductions, and if he fails to do so shall be liable on summary conviction in respect of each offence to a fine not exceeding twenty pounds and to a fine not exceeding five pounds for each day on which the offence is continued after conviction therefor.

In the foregoing provision, the expression "deductions" includes deductions for or in respect of any matter whatsoever (other than deductions under the National Insurance Act, 1911, as amended by any subsequent enactments or deductions authorised by any Act to be made from wages in respect of contributions to any superannuation or other provident fund), and notwithstanding that they are deductions which may lawfully be made from wages under the provisions of the Truck Acts, 1831 to 1896, and where any payment being a payment authorised to be received by an employer under section one, section two, or section three of the Truck Act, 1896, is made by any employed person to his employer, the employer shall, for the purposes of the foregoing provision, be deemed to have deducted that amount from wages.

On the conviction of an employer for failing to pay wages at not less than the minimum rate to a person employed, the Court may by the conviction adjudge the employer convicted to pay, in addition to any fine, such sum as appears to the Court to be due to the person employed on account of wages, the wages being calculated on the basis of the minimum rate, but the power to order the payment of wages under this provision shall not be in derogation of any right of the person employed to recover wages by any other proceedings.

2. If a Trade Board are satisfied that any worker employed, or desiring to be employed, in any branch of a trade to which a general

minimum time-rate, a guaranteed time-rate, or a time-work overtime rate is applicable is affected by any infirmity or physical injury which renders him incapable of earning that minimum rate, and where the worker is not already employed on piecework, are of opinion that the case cannot suitably be met by employing him on piecework, the Trade Board may, if they think fit, grant to the worker, subject to such conditions, if any, as they prescribe, a permit exempting the employment of the worker from the provisions of this Act relating to the payment of wages at less than the minimum rate, and, while the permit is in force, the employer shall not be liable for paying wages to the worker at a rate less than the minimum rate so long as the conditions prescribed by the Trade Board on the grant of the permit are complied with.

3. It shall be the duty of every employer in a trade to which a minimum rate is applicable, to keep such records of wages as are necessary to show that the provisions of this Act are being complied with as respects persons in his employment, and if he fails to do so he shall be liable on summary conviction in respect of each offence to a fine not exceeding two pounds, and also to a fine not exceeding one pound for every day during which the default continues after conviction.

On any prosecution of a person for failing to pay wages at not less than the minimum rate, it shall lie on that person to prove that he has not paid wages at less than the minimum rate.

Any agreement for the payment of wages in contravention of the provisions of the Acts shall be void.

4. An employer shall, in cases where persons are employed on piecework and a general minimum time-rate but no general minimum piece-rate has been fixed, be deemed to pay wages at less than the minimum rate—

- (a) in cases where a special minimum piece-rate has been fixed under the provisions of this Act for persons employed by that employer, if the rate of wages is less than that special minimum piece-rate; and
- (b) in cases where a special minimum piece-rate has not been so fixed, unless he shows that the piece-rate of wages paid would yield, in the circumstances of the case, to an ordinary worker at least the same amount of money as the basis-rate.

For the purpose of this section the expression "basis rate" means the general minimum time-rate, or, where a rate (*i.e.*, a "piece-work basis time-rate") has been fixed by the Trade Board for the purpose of being substituted for the general minimum time-rate as the basis rate, the rate so fixed.

5. (1) Where a worker in any trade, being a person to whom a minimum rate of wages fixed by a Trade Board applies, is an apprentice or learner, it shall not be lawful for his employer to receive directly or indirectly from him, or on his behalf or on his account, any payment by way of premium:

Provided that nothing in the foregoing provision shall apply to any such payment duly made in pursuance of any instrument of apprenticeship not later than four weeks after the commencement of the employment.

(2) If any employer acts in contravention of this provision, he shall be liable on summary conviction in respect of each offence to a fine not exceeding twenty pounds, and the Court may by the conviction, in addition to imposing a fine, adjudge him to repay to the worker or other person by whom the payment was made the sum improperly received by way of premium.

6. For the purpose of calculating the amount of the wages payable in the case of a worker employed on any work for which a minimum rate of wages has been fixed under the principal Act, the worker shall be deemed to have been employed during all the time during which he was present on the premises of the employer, unless the employer proves that he was so present without the employer's consent, express or implied, or that he was so present for some purpose unconnected with his work and other than that of waiting for work to be given to him to perform, and in the case of a worker employed on piecework shall be deemed during any time during which he was so present and was not doing piecework to have been employed at the general minimum time-rate applicable to workers of the class to which he belongs:

Provided that—

- (a) where a worker resides on the premises of the employer he shall not be deemed to be employed during any time during which he is present on the premises by reason only of the fact that he is so resident; and
- (b) a worker while present during normal meal times in a room or place in which no work is being done shall be deemed to be present for a purpose unconnected with his work.

## POST OFFICE.

### FOREIGN AND COLONIAL PARCEL POST, VENEZUELA.

In pursuance of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, His Majesty's Postmaster-General hereby gives notice that a Warrant dated the 20th day of October 1919, and coming into operation on the 21st day of October 1919, has been made, on his representation, by the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, relating to the rates of postage on certain parcels addressed to Venezuela.

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Dated this 19th day of December 1919.

CROMPTON LLEWELYN DAVIES,  
Solicitor to the Post Office.



*War Office,*  
18th December 1919.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of a Bar to the Military Medal to the undermentioned Non-Commissioned Officers and Men :—

## FRANCE AND FLANDERS.

86489 Spr. J. Donnelly, M.M., R.E. (Johnstone, N.B.).  
(M.M. gazetted 14th September 1916.)

50884 Pte. (A./Sjt.) A. Hurford, M.M., E. Yorks. R. (Leeds).  
(M.M. gazetted 9th December 1916.)

54843 Cpl. G. Ayres, M.M., 17th Bn., R. Fus. (Bethnal Green).  
(M.M. gazetted 19th February 1917.)

88989 Cpl. D. Norton, M.M., R.F.A. (Watford).  
(M.M. gazetted 9th July 1917.)

M1/07776 Sjt. E. R. Cooper, M.M., R.A.S.C. (Westgate-on-Sea).  
(M.M. gazetted 21st August 1917.)

36803 Pte. (A./L./Sjt.) F. T. G. Buchanan, M.M., R.A.M.C. (East Ham).  
(M.M. gazetted 28th January 1918.)

55261 Sjt. S. Newell, M.M., 19th Bn., 1st C., Ontario R.  
(M.M. gazetted 6th August 1918.)

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Military Medal for bravery in the field to the undermentioned Warrant Officer, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men :—

FRANCE AND FLANDERS  
(Except where otherwise stated).

## ROYAL NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

TZ/2803 A.B. Milburn, J. J., Drake Bn. (Newbiggin-by-Sea).

## ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY.

34337 By./S.M. Hanna, R.C., B/183rd Bde. (Belfast).  
916038 Sjt. Wood, S. J. M. (Bedford Park).  
9684 Cpl. Long, W. J., 3/84th Bde. (Kew Gardens).  
W/3840 Gnr. Smart, P.T., A/285th Bde. (Port Talbot).

## EAST KENT REGIMENT.

G/9956 Pte. Price, W., 7th Bn. (Canterbury).

## NORTHUMBERLAND FUSILIERS.

74998 Pte. Corrigan, J.P., 12/13th Bn. (Sale).  
365260 Pte. Jordan, G.R., 12/13th Bn. (Newsham).  
33191 Pte. (L./C.) Read, J. W., 36th Bn. (Oldham).

## ROYAL WARWICKSHIRE REGIMENT.

305614 Pte. Watts, J. H., 7th Bn. (Birmingham).

## ROYAL FUSILIERS.

79611 Pte. Stephenson, E., 9th Bn. (Gateshead).

## LINCOLNSHIRE REGIMENT.

44810 Pte. (L.C.) Gibson, R., 7th Bn. (Gateshead).

## DEVONSHIRE REGIMENT.

12025 Pte. (L./C.) Beer, S. F., 10th Bn. (Torquay).  
(BLACK SEA)

## WEST YORKSHIRE REGIMENT.

260115 Pte. Warren, T., 11th Bn. (Sheffield).  
(ITALY)

## YORKSHIRE REGIMENT.

34394 Sjt. (A./Coy./Q.M.Sjt.) Smith, H., 9th Bn. (Hull).

## CHESHIRE REGIMENT.

51532 Pte. Regan, T., 10th Bn. (Dublin).

## HAMPSHIRE REGIMENT.

12075 Pte. Wadham, B., 10th Bn. (Crowborough).  
(BLACK SEA)

## WELSH REGIMENT.

57603 Sjt. Trunks, F. J., 2nd Bn. (Pontygarth).  
54430 Pte. Corcoran, J., 2nd Bn. (Treherbert).  
58903 Pte. (L.C.) Morgan, H., 11th Bn. (Norwich).  
(BLACK SEA)  
285079 Pte. (A./L./C.) Rimmer, J. W., 2nd Bn. (Hoylake).

## NOTTINGHAMSHIRE &amp; DERBYSHIRE REGIMENT.

268955 Pte. (L./C.) Frisby, E. F. C., 11th Bn.  
200625 Pte. Percival, H., 11th Bn. (Belper).

## YORKSHIRE LIGHT INFANTRY.

235359 Sjt. Johnstone, J., 4th Bn. (Woodburn).  
7998 Cpl. Row, F., 6th Bn. (Uffulme).  
21540 Pte. Harrison, R., 9th Bn. (Daybrook).

## MIDDLESEX REGIMENT.

352047 Cpl. Magson, A. E., 7th Bn. (Bethnal Green).

## YORK AND LANCASTER REGIMENT.

17416 Pte. Jow, G. F., 4th Bn. (Mexborough).

## DURHAM LIGHT INFANTRY.

327171 Pte. Forbes, T., 9th Bn. (Winlaton).

## ROYAL IRISH FUSILIERS.

47737 Pte. Morton, E. T., 1st Bn. (Swansea).

## MACHINE GUN CORPS.

72910 Pte. Connally, T., 41st Bn. (Huddersfield).

## TANK CORPS.

76307 Cpl. Smith, A. E. (Accrington).  
304685 Pte. (L./C.) Jenkins, J., 15th Bn. (Holloway).

## LONDON REGIMENT.

205758 Pte. Rouvray, T. W., 2nd Bn. (Wood Green).

## ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.

65242 Pte. Butcher, F. C., 8th Fd. Amb. (Twickenham).  
 35761 Pte. Carter, H. W., 8th Fd. Amb. (Ewell).  
 22449 Pte. Cornall, F. H., 14th Fd. Amb. (Colne).  
 102969 Pte. Crabtree, G. W., 15th Fd. Amb. (Kirkheaton).  
 62823 Pte. Devaney, R., 14th Fd. Amb. (Oldham).  
 95471 Pte. Dickinson, R., 14th Fd. Amb. (Chester-le-Street).  
 8972 Pte. Dixon, R. W., 14th Fd. Amb. (S. Shields).  
 401450 Pte. Fryer, H., 8th Fd. Amb. (Leeds).  
 52319 Pte. (A./L./C.) Horne, N. G., 15th Fd. Amb. (Inach).  
 10486 Pte. Knowles, F., 14th Fd. Amb. (Normanton).  
 53618 Pte. McIlroy, J., 13th Fd. Amb. (Belfast).  
 7719 Pte. (A./Cpl.) Maskrey, J. W., 15th Fd. Amb. (Derby).  
 6676 Pte. Woods, A. R., 7th Fd. Amb. (Ashford).

## CANADIAN FORCE.

184215 Gnr. Young, E. L., Can. G.A.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve the award of the Meritorious Service Medal to the undermentioned Warrant Officer, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men for gallantry in the performance of Military Duty in the Field in France and Flanders :—

## ROYAL ENGINEERS.

139735 Spr. Webb, G. H., 151st Fd. Coy. (Stroud).

## ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.

03308 Sjt. (A./Sub-Cond.) Gould, W. H. (Braunton).  
 0/9378 Cpl. Reed, A. H.  
 022353 Pte. James, V. G. (Dewsbury).

## CHINESE LABOUR CORPS.

553653 T./Sjt. Yaxley, W. J., 60th Coy. (Aylsham).  
 54918 Pte. (A./Cpl.) Philliskirk, T. G., 37th Coy. (Sunderland).

## AMENDMENTS.

The following are the correct descriptions of the undermentioned Warrant Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, whose names have recently appeared in the Edinburgh Gazette for the award of the Military Medal or Meritorious Service Medal :—

*Bar to Military Medal.*

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 22nd August 1919.  
 32595 Cpl. C. Fredericks, M.M., 23rd Siege Bty., R.G.A.

*Military Medal.*

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 13th October 1916.  
 41399 Cpl. F. Platts, M.G.C. (late 18th Hussars).

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 11th July 1917.

293421 Gnr. R. Tipping, 14th Hy. Art. Group, R.G.A. (T.F.).  
 (Gazetted as Fipping.)

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 30th January 1918.  
 25002 Pte. L. Pragnell, 1st Bn., Hants. R.

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 22nd March 1918.  
 232558 Pte. W. E. Ancliffe, 2/2nd Bn., Lond. R.  
 (Gazetted as Ancliff.)

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 16th September 1918.  
 53895 Sjt. (A./Coy./Q.M. Sjt.) D. J. Kearney, 1st Bn., R. Welsh Fus.

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 27th January 1919.  
 240998 Sjt. J. A. Cain, 5th Bn., K.O.S.B.

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 13th February 1919.  
 316357 Pte. W. Getgood, R.A.M.C.  
 (Gazetted as Getwood.)

163885 Pte. F. G. Nown, 15th Bn., R. War. R.  
 (Gazetted as Mown.)

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 17th March 1919.  
 42440 Pte. (L./C.) H. M. Laverton, 7th Bn., Linc. R.

(Gazetted as Leverton).

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 16th May 1919.  
 50201 Pte. G. Adams, 16th Bn., R. War. R.  
 M2/046563 Pte. J. H. Gapper, 177th Coy., R.A.S.C.  
 24330 Pte. T. A. Jones, 2nd Bn., S.W. Bord. R.  
 491221 Pte. C. J. Van Der Vord, 13th Bn., Lond. R.

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 19th June 1919.  
 128253 Pnr. (L./C.) J. W. Armstrong, "B" Spec. Coy., R.E.  
 60678 Pte. (A./Sjt.) A. Barnes, 7th Bn., R.W. Surr. R.  
 42089 Pte. (L./C.) H. G. Banister, 10th Bn., R. War. R.

860472 Pte. G. T. Broadley, 33rd Bn., Lond. R.  
 (Gazetted as Braodley.)  
 36869 Pte. W. T. Jones, 1st Bn., Glouc. R.  
 R/17024 Cpl. C. Springthorpe, 16th Bn., K.R.R.C.  
 17810 Pte. F. J. Snitters, 16th Fd. Amb., R.A.M.C.

(Gazetted as Snitters.)

5316 Cpl. F. G. Clark, 20th Aust. Inf. Bn.  
 2342 Pte. F. G. Notting, 14th Aust. Inf. Bn.  
 6102 Pte. D. Stewart, 9th Aust. Inf. Bn.  
 1777 Sjt. J. A. Wilson, 58th Aust. Inf. Bn.  
 3956A Sjt. D. W. Witherden, 24th Aust. Inf. Bn.  
 326902 Gnr. S. M. Lilly, 58th Bty., 14th Bde., Can. F.A.

The amendment in the Edinburgh Gazette, dated 19th June 1919, should read :—

3001A Pte. J. V. Sorrahgan, 3rd Aust. Pnr. Bn.

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 7th July 1919.  
 916117 Pte. L. Mennell, 75th Bn., 1st C. Ontario R.

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 25th July 1919.  
 290076 Pte. C. Anderson, 7th Bn., R. Highrs.  
 74100 Pte. W. Golding, 1st Bn., M.G.C.  
 146155 Sig. J. Hopkinson, 151st Hy. Bty., R.G.A.  
 73030 Pte. D. Mewha, 32nd Bn., M.G.C.  
 (Gazetted as Newha.)

S/25522 Pte. J. Mulherson, 5th Bn., Sea. Highrs.

17640 Sjt. J. Mynes, 41st Bn., M.G.C.

106654 Pte. W. Ollerenshaw, 1st Bn., M.G.C.  
(Gazetted as Ollernshaw.)  
887 Pte. W. H. H. Platts, 18th Hussars.  
30715 Sjt. (A./Coy./S.M.) A. Robinscn, 32nd Bn., M.G.C.  
14452 Cpl. J. R. Waddington, 8th Bn., Linc. R.  
14393 Cpl. W. Walker, 6th Bn., Linc. R.  
C/1102 Pte. E. H. White, 16th Bn., K.R.R.C.

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 22nd August 1919.  
39497 Sjt A. Howarth, 56th Bn., M.G.C.

The amendment in the Edinburgh Gazette, dated 22nd August 1919, should read:—

50246 Pte. W. Fulton, 4th Bn., R. Scots. Fus.

#### *Meritorious Service Medal.*

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 11th June 1918.  
5875 Pte. N. M'Arthur, 2nd Bn., Brit., W.I.R.

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 22nd January 1919.  
200194 Coy./Q.M. Sit. P. Dick, 4th Bn., K.O.S.B.

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 4th February 1919.  
WR/295070 Coy./S.M. T. H. Gayler, R.E.

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 25th February 1919.  
L/5476 Coy./S.M. W. J. Gillespie, 5th Bn., R.W. Kent R.

201290 Pte. (A./Cpl.) J. C. M. Joy, 4th Bn., Wilts. R.

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 6th March 1919.  
441 Gnr. (A./Bomdr.) C. A. Robey, Anglo-Indian By., R.F.A.

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 5th June 1919.  
14870 Coy./Q.M.Sjt. H. Allitt, 1st Bn., G. Gds.  
245126 Sjt. R. W. Barnes, 1st Sig. Troop, R.E.  
19827 S./Sjt. (A./Q.M. Sjt.) J. W. Baxter, M.M., R.A.M.C.

T4/248957 Coy./S.M. E. C. Bown, R.A.S.C.  
M2/102258 Sjt. J. Connor, R.A.S.C.  
MS/1876 Sjt. (A./Coy./S.M.) G. Constable, 4th M. Amb. Col., R.A.S.C.

182477 Cpl. D. Crawford, R.E.  
26714 By./S.M. F. Edwards, A./79th Bde., R.F.A.

T4/064418 Sjt. S. Edwards, R.A.S.C.  
WR/501474 Coy./Q.M. Sjt. E. E. Einchcombe, I.W.T., R.E.

(Gazetted as Finchcombe.)

12296 T./R.S.M. J. Guerin, 3rd Bn., M.G.C.  
(Gazetted as Gueing.)

SE/10049 Sjt. C. A. Lovett, R.A.V.C.  
330002 Coy./Q.M.Sjt. T. MacPherson, 5th Bn., H.L.I.

S/3884 Cpl. D. H. M'Bryde, Gord. Highrs., attd. 216th A.E. Coy., Lab. Corps.

10787 Cpl. (L./Sjt.) M'Donald, 1st G. Gds.  
(Gazetted as MacDonald.)

S/4064665 Sjt. F. E. Money, R.A.S.C.  
S4/242266 S./Sjt. P. H. Noon, R.A.S.C.  
S/293073 Pte. (A./S./Q.M.Sjt.) G. F. Pope, R.A.S.C.

386797 Sjt. T. L. Reardon, 4th Siege Coy., R.E.  
131601 Spr. A. Seymour, R.E.

(Gazetted as Seymour.)

50 Coy./Q.M. Sjt. W. J. Trott, 1st Bn., W. Gds.  
CMT/2209 Pte. (L./C.) J. E. Trow, No. 3 Mobile Repair Unit, R.A.S.C.

42101 By./Q.M.Sjt. T. Wallace, 1st D.A.C., R.F.A.

(Gazetted as Wallac.)

13628 Pte. (A./Sjt.) W. Wathen, R.A.M.C.

(Gazetted as Walthen.)

WR/509508 Coy./Q.M.Sjt. G. C. Wheeler, R.E.  
S/33177 Pte. (A./Sjt.) C. F. R. Whimpey, R.A.S.C.

SAFA/848 By./Q.M.Sjt. W. Wicks, "A" By., Fd. Arty. Bde., S.A.F.

WR/177376 Coy./Q.M.Sjt. F. P. Wilmott, R.E.  
495940 Spr. (L./C.) A. T. Wookey, 5th Army Sig. Coy., R.E.

2995 S./Smith, C. E. English, Aust. E.

4185 Coy./S.M. W. M. Clactworthy, Cape Aux. Horse Transport, S.A.F., attd. R.A.S.C.

37 S.M. L. A. Duffey, S.A.A.S.C.

S/102 R.S.M. C. F. Napper, S.A.A.S.C.

HT/2499 Sjt. L. J. Wilson, Cape Aux. Horse Transport, S.A.F., attd. R.A.S.C.

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 24th September 1919.  
26807 Q.M.Sjt. H. C. P. Barker, 2nd (G) Bn. North'd Fus.

1719 Sjt. (A./Coy./S.M.) F. H. E. M'Donald, Brit. W.I.R.

#### DELETIONS.

##### MILITARY MEDALS.

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 13th December 1918.  
254312 Spr. (A./2nd Cpl.) F. D. Braund, 5th D.S. Coy., R.E.

(Bar to M.M. substituted in previous M.M. Gazette.)

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 13th February 1919.  
50884 Pte. (A./Sjt.) A. Hurford, 1st Bn., E. Yorks, R.

(Bar to M.M. substituted in this Gazette.)

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 16th May 1919.  
42440 Pte. (L./C.) H. M. Laverton, 7th Bn., Linc. R.

(Bar to M.M. substituted in previous M.M. Gazette.)

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 19th June 1919.  
22381 Sjt. G. T. Coster, A./124th Bde., R.F.A.  
(Duplicate award.)

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 22nd August 1919.  
232558 Pte. W. E. Ancliffe, 2nd Bn., Lond. R.  
(Bar to M.M. substituted in previous M.M. Gazette.)

94613 Cpl. W. G. Beverley, R.F.A.  
(Bar to M.M. substituted in Edinburgh Gazette, dated 22nd August 1919.)

M1/07776 Sjt. E. R. Cooper, R.A.S.C.  
(Bar to M.M. substituted in this Gazette.)

3831 Sjt. W. Jenkins, 26th Aust. Inf. Bn.  
(Duplicate award.)

##### MERITORIOUS SERVICE MEDAL.

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 22nd January 1919.  
564235 Col./Sjt. (A./Coy./Q.M.Sjt.) F. Routledge, Lab. Corps.

(Correct award No. 24990 Coy./Q.M.Sjt., 11th Bn., Manch. R., in Edinburgh Gazette, dated 19th June 1918.)

Edinburgh Gazette, dated 5th June 1919.

8660 Sjt. A. Hefford, 1st Bn., L'pool R.

6147 Pte. (A./Coy./Q.M.Sjt.) R. D. Kerr, 10th Bn., R.I. Rif.

26019 Sadd./Sjt. G. A. Palmer, 28th By., 9th Bde., R.F.A.

760214 Cpl. (A./Coy./Q.M.Sjt.) C. S. Pullen, 28th Bn., Lond. R.

360 Coy./S.M. Inst. A. R. Shuttle, Army Gym. Staff.

Deal/8438 (S) Sjt. B. L. Steed, R.M. Lab. Coy.

16220 Coy./Q.M. Sjt. A. A. Walsh, 28th Coy.,  
Lab. Corps.  
18484 Coy./Q.M.Sjt. L. Woodburn, 17th Bn.,  
Worc. R.  
(Duplicate awards.)

*War Office,  
22nd December 1919.*

With reference to the announcement of the undermentioned awards which appeared in the Edinburgh Gazette of the 11th February 1919, the following are the acts of gallantry for which the awards were made :—

*Awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal.*

240207 A./C./S./M. W. Chisholm, 5th Bn.,  
Gord. Highrs., and 2/2nd K. Afr. Rif. (Peterhead).  
(E. AFRICA)

For conspicuous gallantry in action and high devotion to duty. He has at all times displayed great determination and ability in action as a platoon leader, and has also performed some bold patrol work, rendering most useful service.

L./8076 Cpl. G. Hobday, 2nd Bn., R. Suss. R.,  
and 1/2nd Bn., K. Afr. Rif. (Belfast).  
(E. AFRICA)

For gallantry at Medo on 12th April 1918, in remaining at his post when wounded and thereby setting a fine example of courage to all ranks. In addition he has commanded a platoon with exceptional ability and courage, and has been of the greatest assistance to his company commander.

S.5 Cpl. Jeremani, Northern Rhodesia Police.  
(E. AFRICA)

German East Africa, August 1915 to June 1918. For having on numerous occasions whilst a scout undertaken missions of exceptional danger with marked success. He has done consistent good work.

290861 A./Sjt. J. McCallum, 2/7th Bn., R. Highrs., and 4/4th K. Afr. Rif. (Cowdenbeath).  
(E. AFRICA)

For constant display of the greatest gallantry and resource in action. On two occasions while firing a Lewis gun he fearlessly exposed himself under very heavy fire in order to bring his gun into action against a portion of the enemy's line which was enfilading his own firing line. Not only has he set a very fine example, but he has been of the greatest assistance to his company commander.

4th Cl. Asst. Surgn. D. M. Mackay, Indian Sub-Med. Dept. (India).  
(E. AFRICA)

For the display of great courage and presence of mind at Medo on 12th April 1918, when he repeatedly went out to collect wounded under heavy rifle and machine-gun fire. His services on this occasion were admirable.

173622 Ftr./S./Sjt. E. Mason, R.G.A., attd. 22nd Derejat Mtn. Bty. (F.F.) (Stoke-on-Trent).  
(E. AFRICA)

On 1st May 1918, at Koronje, Portuguese East Africa, when the battery was attacked by a field company with two machine guns, he, with two Indian N.C.O.'s., went out under heavy machine-gun fire and successfully brought in the breech of a howitzer which had been bucked off by its mule between the escort and the enemy. An act of great gallantry, as they were under fire from both sides; but for these three men the breech might have been captured.

835 Pte. Moto, Northern Rhodesia Police.  
(E. AFRICA)

From August 1915 to June 1918. At Mpepo the machine gun to which this man was attached came into action 400 yards from the enemy position under enemy machine-gun fire. He was wounded, but remained at his post, and when the line retired he, with Cpl. Samsoni, brought the gun out of action safely.

127971 Spr. W. E. Oughton, R.E. (Signals) (Kensal Rise, N.W.).  
(E. AFRICA)

For consistent good service and devotion to duty in the face of the enemy. He has, owing to sickness among the drivers, taken cable to columns, often at great personal risk, and has likewise taken out linesmen when the line has been cut. He has twice been involved in ambushes, when he has on both occasions exhibited great personal gallantry and initiative.

479 Cpl. Samsoni, Northern Rhodesian Police.  
(E. AFRICA)

From August 1915 to June 1918. At Mpepo the machine gun to which this man was attached came into action 400 yards from the enemy position under enemy machine-gun fire. He was wounded, but remained at his post, and when the line retired he, with Pte. Moto, brought the gun out of action safely.

1179 Cpl. Songandewo, Northern Rhodesia Police.  
(E. AFRICA)

German East Africa, August 1915 to June 1918. For having on numerous occasions whilst a scout undertaken missions of exceptional danger with marked success. He has done consistent good work.

570033 Sjt. G. Vanhinsbergh, 17th (R.) Bn., Lond. R. (Shepherd's Lane, N.E.).  
(E. AFRICA)

For conspicuous gallantry at Nkinjiri on 17th April 1918, when he was twice wounded in endeavouring to render assistance to one of his company officers who was mortally wounded. He has at all times displayed great gallantry and initiative.

**SOUTH AFRICAN FORCE.**

A/70 Cpl. J. L. Beith, British S.A. Police.  
(E. AFRICA)

German East Africa, August 1915 to

June 1918. He has been in the field since August 1915, and has performed continuous good work in action throughout, more especially in the fight at Mkipira in October 1916, where he was wounded. He had previously been wounded at Bismarckburg in June 1916.

3704 Condr. J. A. Brummer, S.A.S.C.

(E. AFRICA)

On 26th and 27th June 1918, at the crossing of the Lurio River, Portuguese East Africa, he swam this crocodile-infested river five times with horses, narrowly escaping seizure by a crocodile the third time, and swimming twice across next day and getting all his animals over. During the whole operation he showed great courage and devotion to duty.

1120 Cpl. W. A. T. Humphries, S.A. Sig. Service.

(E. AFRICA)

For constant good work, devotion to duty, and gallantry under fire. Also for conspicuous gallantry at Masanje, Portuguese East Africa, on 1st January 1918.

1645 Sjt. G. H. Stafford, British S.A. Police.

(E. AFRICA)

German East Africa, April 1916 to June 1918. Has always been very cool under fire, and has accounted for several of the enemy. Through his good work as an Intelligence Agent and Scout the Liwuka Wireless Post was saved.

With reference to the announcement of the undermentioned awards, which appeared in the Edinburgh Gazette of the 25th March 1919, the following are the acts of gallantry for which the awards were made:—

*Awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal.*

362045 B./Q./M./S. J. Burke, 14th Sge. Bty., R.G.A. (Liscard).

During the past six months he has shown great energy and resource, and has performed most excellent service. By his gallant conduct and example during several heavy gas concentrations in the Nieppe Forest in May and June 1918, he kept his men well in hand, and so enabled them to carry on under very trying conditions.

26698 Sjt. W. Simms, 58th Bn., M.G. Corps (Littlehampton).

He has performed the duties of Section Serjeant with marked gallantry and ability, rendering invaluable assistance to his section officers. On one occasion during an advance, when his section officer had become a casualty, he carried on and led the section through a heavy barrage, consolidated, and kept his guns in action for three days, and gave much invaluable covering fire to the attacking infantry.

700712 Dvr. W. Spedding, B/291st (Lond.) Bde., R.F.A., T.F. (Blackburn).

For continued good service, courage and devotion to duty during the whole of 1918,

particularly during the period 3rd/8th August, on the Bray-Corbie road, when packing ammunition. The column was very heavily shelled each night. He succeeded in bringing back his own animals, and on two occasions brought back another pair. He set a very fine example to his comrades by assisting N.C.O.'s to round up animals that had been dispersed by enemy fire.

266806 Sjt. J. Sullivan, 6th Bn., Welsh R (Abergavenny).

At Vermand, on 16th September 1918, he was in charge of scattered working parties. After leaving a party of four men and having reached another part of the village, he heard shells bursting in the place he had just left. He at once ran to the spot, when more shells burst, killing and wounding three of the party. As there was no stretcher-bearer present, he personally rendered first aid to the wounded under fire, at great danger to himself.

2357 Sjt. P. C. Howell, 6th Bn., Rif. Bde., and Nigeria Regt. (Toronto, Canada).

(NIGERIA).

On 3rd August 1918, Serjeant Howell, when proceeding to the town of Gumlanja, was attacked, and had to order his escort to open fire in self-defence. In the fighting that ensued it is estimated that seven natives were killed and four wounded.

**CORRECTIONS.**

The following are the correct descriptions of non-commissioned officers and men who have been awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal:—

2086 Pte. G. L. Davis, 1/6th Bn., L'pool R., T.F.

(Edinburgh Gazette, dated 17th Jan. 1916.)  
(Not as amended in Edinburgh Gazette of the 4th Dec. 1919.)

72082 Sjt. J. Cahill, XXXIst Corps Sig. Coy., R.E.

(Edinburgh Gazette, dated 16th Apr. 1918.)

402006 C./Q./M./Sjt. G. Hardie, 404th (High.) Fd. Coy., R.E., T.F.

(Edinburgh Gazette, dated 2nd Jan. 1918.)

P/4732 Sjt. L. T. Marsom, M.M.P.

(Edinburgh Gazette, dated 2nd Jan. 1918.)

317320 Gnr. (A./Bdr.) F. T. Waters, R.G.A.

(Edinburgh Gazette, dated 2nd Jan. 1919.)

DM2/180263 Sjt. C. G. Thomson, 784th M.T. Coy., R.A.S.C. (MESOPOTAMIA)

(Edinburgh Gazette, dated 3rd May 1918.)

**CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.**

*St. James's Palace, S.W. 1,*

*22nd December 1919.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, in

recognition of distinguished services rendered during the War :—

*To be an Additional Member of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Honourable Order :—*

Wing Commander (actg. Group Captain) Bertie Harold Olivier Armstrong, C.M.G., Royal Air Force (R.E.).

*Chancery of the Order of  
Saint Michael and Saint George,  
Downing Street,  
22nd December 1919.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, in recognition of distinguished services rendered during the War :—

*To be an Additional Member of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Distinguished Order :—*

Wing Commander Frederick William Bowhill, D.S.O., Royal Air Force. (S. RUSSIA)

#### CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W. 1,  
22nd December 1919.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, in recognition of distinguished services rendered during the War :—

*To be a Commander of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order :—*

#### ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Squadron Leader (A./Wing Commander) Reginald John Bone, D.S.O. (N. RUSSIA)

*To be Officers of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order :—*

Miss Ruth Balmer, M.B., Honorary Captain, Royal Air Force Medical Service.

Flying Officer (A./Squadron Leader) Alfred David Carey. (N. RUSSIA)

Jessie, Mrs. Christmas, Assistant Administrator (A./Deputy Administrator), Women's Royal Air Force.

Flight Lieutenant Edward Alexander de Lossy de Ville. (S. RUSSIA)

Flight Lieutenant Archibald Stuart Charles MacLaren, M.C., A.F.C.

Flight Lieutenant Robert Lloyd Roe, M.B. (R.A.M.C.). (MEDITERRANEAN AREA)

*To be Members of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order :—*

#### ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Flying Officer William Batcheldor (T.F., Gen. List). (FRANCE)

P.O. (A./Flight Lieutenant) William Borland.

(S. RUSSIA)

Flying Officer Norman Graham Fraser, A.F.C.

(N. RUSSIA)

Flying Officer Stanley James Gardiner.

(N. RUSSIA)

Flying Officer William Henry Hoile.

(S. RUSSIA)

Pilot Officer Alfred Jukes.

(N. RUSSIA)

Flying Officer Albert Frank Lang.

(N. RUSSIA)

2nd Lieutenant Gordon Moore (I. Force).

(FRANCE)

P.O. (A./Flight Lieutenant) James William Tattersall.

(N. RUSSIA)

Flight Lieutenant Alan Miller Thomas (Can. F.A.). (FRANCE and CANADA)

Flying Officer George Gibson Tomling, M.C.

(S. RUSSIA)

2nd Lieutenant David Eric Williams.

(SOUTH RUSSIA)

Flying Officer James William Young.

(SOUTH RUSSIA)

*Air Ministry,  
Kingsway, London, W.C. 2,  
22nd December 1919.*

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the undermentioned rewards to Officers and other ranks of the Royal Air Force in recognition of distinguished services rendered during the War and since the close of hostilities. (See footnote) :—

#### *Awarded the Distinguished Service Order :—*

Squadron Leader Lancelot Tomkinson, A.F.C. (NORTH RUSSIA)

#### *Awarded a Bar to the Distinguished Flying Cross :—*

Flying Officer Oswald Robert Gayford, D.F.C. (SOUTH RUSSIA)

Flight Lieutenant John William Bolders Grigson, D.F.C. (SOUTH RUSSIA)

Flying Officer Basil Graham Humphrey Keymer, D.F.C. (SOUTH RUSSIA)

Flying Officer Thomas Melling Williams, M.C., D.F.C. (BALTIC)

#### *Awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross :—*

Flight Lieutenant Wilfred Reginald Dyke Acland, A.F.C. (BALTIC)

Pilot Officer Alexander Fryer Adams.

(NORTH RUSSIA)

Pilot Officer James Lionel Airey.

(SOUTH RUSSIA)

Flying Officer Frank Russell Bicknell.

(SOUTH RUSSIA)

Flying Officer Henry Crares Edward Bockett-Pugh. (NORTH RUSSIA)

Flight Lieutenant David Grahame Donald, A.F.C. (BALTIC)

Flight Lieutenant David Spearman Earp.

(NORTH RUSSIA)

Pilot Officer Frank William Foster, D.S.M.

(NORTH RUSSIA)

Pilot Officer Mark Goddard.

(SOUTH RUSSIA)

Flying Officer Louis Massey Hilton.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
Pilot Officer James Stone Hunt.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
Pilot Officer William Windlatt Langdon.  
(SOUTH RUSSIA)  
Flying Officer Matthew John Langley.  
(SOUTH RUSSIA)  
Pilot Officer George Lansdowne.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
Lieutenant William Stuart Philcox.  
(FRANCE)  
Pilot Officer John William Ravenscroft.  
(SOUTH RUSSIA)  
Pilot Officer Albert James Redman.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
Pilot Officer (Hon. Flight Officer) Gerald Grant  
Ross-Smith. (NORTH RUSSIA)  
Pilot Officer Howard Grant Thompson.  
(SOUTH RUSSIA)  
Pilot Officer Leonard Timmons.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
Flight Officer (A./Flight Lieutenant) Garth  
Newbon Trace. (NORTH RUSSIA)  
Observer Officer Frederick Arthur Whippley.  
(BALTIC)

*Awarded the Air Force Cross :—*

Flying Officer Franklin Leslie Barnard.  
Lieutenant Alan Colin Campbell-Orde.  
Lieutenant Herbert Walter Chattaway.  
Wing Commander George William Patrick  
Dawes, D.S.O. (R. Berks. R.).  
Pilot Officer Reginald Frederick Durrant.  
Major Edwin Lewes Montague Leveson Gower.  
Flying Officer Robert Halley, D.F.C.  
Flying Officer (A./Flight Lieutenant) William  
Rowland Spottiswoode Humphreys.  
(N. RUSSIA)  
Flight Lieutenant (A./Squadron Leader) John  
Edward Maddock Pritchard, O.B.E.  
Flying Officer Percy Donald Robins.  
Wing Commander Christopher William Wilson,  
M.C.

*Awarded the Royal Red Cross, Class 1 :—*

Chief Section Leader Miss Annie Pounder,  
Women's Royal Air Force (Nursing Service).

*Awarded the Distinguished Flying Medal :—*

204181 Actg. Serjeant Elmo O'Neal Bearden,  
A.F.M. (SOUTH RUSSIA)

*Awarded the Air Force Medal :—*

313642 Serjeant Thomas Brown. (Rigger).  
213571 Actg. Serjeant William Athlene Crockett.  
(Fitter).  
634 Flight Serjeant Albert Edward Smith.  
(Fitter.)

*Awarded the Meritorious Service Medal :—*

219490 L.A.C. John Edward Alcock.  
(SOUTH RUSSIA)  
405620 A./M. 2 Raymond Clifford Ashton.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
26805 Serjeant Henry Charles Ashwell.  
(PALESTINE)  
402380 Serjeant Charles Edward Barket.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)

314127 Leading Mechanic Christopher Bridge.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
202020 S./M. 2 John Thomas Brown.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
212659 Serjeant John Calderwood.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
207122 Serjeant Edward Alfred Cambridge.  
(SOUTH RUSSIA)  
253969 Corporal Harold Coulson.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
165587 A./Corporal Hector James Cox.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
211401 Flight Serjeant William Thomas David.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
277178 A./C. 1 (A./Corporal) Daniel Duck-  
worth. (NORTH RUSSIA)  
39537 L.A.C. Ernest Eldridge.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
208168 Corporal William George Funnell.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
406533 Corporal George Lewis Harris.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
200091 Serjeant Alec Hellinger.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
242438 A./C. 2 (A./Corporal) Cyril Allen Kay.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
206375 Flight Serjeant Albert Stanley Knight.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
78259 A./Serjeant Charles Frederick Mann.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
52215 L.A.C. Albert Leopold Millard.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
264628 Corporal (A./Serjeant) Francis Daniel  
Moulang. (NORTH RUSSIA)  
25431 Serjeant Sydney Herbert Muir.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
186965 Corporal Charles New.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
161230 A./C. 1 Robert John Pullen.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
200730 Serjeant Walter Henry William Quantrell.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
212187 Serjeant Walter Tickle.  
(SOUTH RUSSIA)  
204128 Serjeant Frederick Tilley.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
203615 Serjeant Clifford Henry Winchester.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)  
461 Ch./M. Mechanic James Young.  
(NORTH RUSSIA)

NOTE.—No further rewards will be granted to Royal Air Force personnel in connection with the War, except in special cases of services overseas at the present time, in localities where a state of warfare exists.

*Award of a Foreign Decoration.*

The undermentioned Officer has been granted unrestricted permission for the wearing of the 4th Class Order of the White Eagle, with swords, conferred on the 22nd July 1919, by His Majesty the King of Serbia for services in connection with the War :—

Major Cuthbert Walter Wise, O.B.E., M.C.  
(R.A.S.C.).

WHEREAS an Order called the Retail Business (Licensing) Order, 1918, was made by the Director-General of National Service in pursuance of powers conferred upon him by Regulation 8AA of the Defence of the Realm Regulations;

And whereas the said Regulation was amended by an Order in Council dated the 30th day of May 1919, by the substitution of the Minister of Labour for the Director-General of National Service as the Authority to exercise power under the said Regulation;

And whereas an Order called the Retail Business (Licensing) Order, 1919, was made by the Minister of Labour in pursuance of powers conferred upon him by the said Regulation as so amended;

And whereas it is expedient that the said Orders shall cease to be in force;

Now, therefore, the Minister of Labour, in pur-

suance of all powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby orders as follows:—

- (1) The said Retail Business (Licensing) Order, 1918, and the said Retail Business (Licensing) Order, 1919, are hereby revoked.
- (2) This revocation shall not affect and shall be deemed not to have affected the previous operation of the said Orders or the validity of any action taken thereunder, or any penalty or punishment incurred in respect of any contravention or failure to comply with any provision of the said Orders or any proceeding or remedy in respect of any such penalty or punishment.
- (3) This Order shall come into force on the 31st day of December 1919, and may be cited as the Retail Business Licensing (Revocation) Order, 1919.

(Sgd.) D. J. SHACKLETON.

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 20th December 1919, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

BRITISH CORN.				QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
				Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	89,223	0	72	6
Barley	...	...	...	96,624	2	103	6
Oats	...	...	...	18,952	3	56	3

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the Corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1912 to 1918.

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.
1912 ...	32,632	1	61,849	4	12,343	1	29	10	28	6	19	2
1913 ...	64,804	5	95,587	7	18,845	2	31	0	25	10	18	4
1914 ...	64,161	0	95,217	1	32,576	4	43	3	29	9	25	11
1915 ...	80,026	3	50,432	4	32,702	7	53	10	47	2	30	7
1916 ...	73,341	4	111,733	6	32,985	6	74	8	67	3	46	5
1917 ...	80,148	6	89,776	4	20,422	4	71	1	57	7	44	2
1918 ...	68,714	4	86,476	7	11,865	4	72	4	62	3	50	5

\* 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.

R. J. THOMPSON, Assistant Secretary.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,  
3 St. James's Square, London, S.W. 1,  
20th December 1919.



DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS,  
1894 to 1914.

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 Kilmarnock (16th June 1917).

*Scotland.*—An Area comprising Scotland (*except the counties of Ayr and Wigtown, and the burghs of Ayr, Irvine, and Kilmarnock*) (16th June 1917).—See also under *Ayrshire, &c.*

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the under-mentioned DISEASES in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 20th December 1919, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs):—

## ANTHRAX.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Animals Attacked.			
		Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Horses.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Banff ... ..	1	1	—	—	—
Lanark ... ..	1	1	—	—	—
<b>TOTAL</b> ... ..	2	2	—	—	—

## PARASITIC MANGE.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.	Animals Attacked.
	No.	No.
Ayr ... ..	1	2
Banff ... ..	1	1
Dumfries ... ..	1	1
Forfar ... ..	2	3
Lanark ... ..	4	5
Midlothian (ex. City of Edinburgh) ... ..	1	1
<b>TOTAL</b> ... ..	10	13

## SHEEP SCAB.

COUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.
	No.
Aberdeen ... ..	1
<b>TOTAL</b> ... ..	1

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,  
23rd December 1919.

## MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT ACT, 1919.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Minister of Transport, in pursuance of his powers under the Ministry of Transport Act, 1919, has directed that as from the first day of January 1920, the sums set out in the Schedule hereto shall be charged in respect of the Railways of Scotland for Detention of Waggons and Sheets beyond the periods specified in such Schedule, and that the said sums will be charged accordingly.

By ORDER.

Railway Clearing House,  
23rd December 1919.

## SCHEDULE.

CHARGES TO BE MADE FOR THE DETENTION OF WAGGONS AND SHEETS BEFORE AND AFTER TRANSIT OVER THE RAILWAY.

	For each of the first Two days after the expiration of the free period.	For each subsequent Day.
<b>WAGGONS—</b>		
Not exceeding 16 tons capacity ... ..	3s.	5s.
Exceeding 16 tons and not exceeding 20 tons ... ..	4s.	6s.
Exceeding 20 tons and not exceeding 30 tons ... ..	6s.	9s.
Exceeding 30 tons ... ..	10s.	15s.
<b>SPECIALLY CONSTRUCTED WAGGONS—</b>		
Above 15 and under 20 tons ... ..	6s.	9s.
20 tons and under 30 tons ... ..	12s.	18s.
30 tons and above ... ..	20s.	30s.
<b>REFRIGERATOR AND INSULATED VANS ... ..</b>		
... ..	12s.	18s.
<b>SHEETS ... ..</b>		
... ..	6d.	1s.

## FREE PERIODS ALLOWED FOR LOADING OR UNLOADING. §

(a) Waggons supplied Empty for Loading with Merchandise (other than Coal, Coke, or Patent Fuel for Shipment).

At Stations, Private Sidings, Docks, Wharves, &c.—One Day exclusive of the day on which the Waggon is placed at the Trader's Disposal.

(b) Waggons supplied Empty for Loading with Coal, Coke, or Patent Fuel for Shipment.

At Private Sidings—Two Days exclusive of the day on which the Waggon is placed at the Trader's disposal.

(c) Loaded Waggons after Conveyance.

(1) At Stations.—(i) Traffic other than Coal, Coke, or Patent Fuel—Two Days exclusive of the day of receipt by the Trader of notice of arrival. (ii) Coal, Coke, or Patent Fuel—Three Days exclusive of the day of receipt by the Trader of notice of arrival.

(2) At Ports (Shipment Traffic only).—Four Days exclusive of the day of arrival.

(3) At Private Sidings, Docks, Wharves, &c.—(i) Traffic other than Coal, Coke, or Patent Fuel—Two Days exclusive of the day on which the Waggon is placed at the Trader's disposal. If reloaded an additional day shall be allowed. (ii) Coal, Coke, or Patent Fuel—Three Days exclusive of the day on which the Waggon is placed at the Trader's disposal. If reloaded an additional day shall be allowed.

(4) Refrigerator Vans and Insulated Vans.—One Day exclusive of the day of arrival.

## FREE PERIOD FOR SHEETS.

The number of days allowed for the return of any covering Sheet shall be the same as for the Waggon with which such Sheet was supplied.

## INTERNAL USER.

Any Waggon or Sheet used for internal purposes shall be deemed to have been detained, and the Charges specified in this Schedule shall be charged in respect of such Waggon or Sheet so used, notwithstanding that such user may have taken place during the free periods hereinbefore specified.

## NOTICES.

Notice of arrival may be given verbally or in writing, and may be sent by post, telegram, or telephone.

King's and Lord Treasurer's  
Remembrancer's Office, Exchequer Chambers,  
Edinburgh, 15th December 1919.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Estate of JACOB LAMPMAN, 3 Guthrie Street, Edinburgh, who died at the City Hospital, Edinburgh, on 18th May 1919, has fallen to His Majesty as *ultimus hæres*.

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

AN Application under the Small Estates Act has been made at the Commissary Office at Edinburgh by MARY SCOTT, otherwise MARY SCOTT or GERRARD, 2 Harbour Road, Musselburgh, for Confirmation as Executrix Dative *qua* Funeratrix to deceased Joseph Gerrard, Wiredrawer, 2 Harbour Road aforesaid.

MARY GERRARD.

## THE IOCO PROOFING COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that by an Order of the Court of Session (Second Division,—Mr. Antonio, Clerk), made on 17th December 1919, the alteration of the provisions of the Memorandum of Association of the above-named Company, made by the Special Resolution passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, held on 19th September 1919, and confirmed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, held on 6th October 1919, was approved by the said Court, and a certified Copy of the said Order, together with a printed Copy of the Memorandum of Association as so altered, were on 23rd December 1919 duly filed by the said Company with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

Dated this 23rd day of December 1919.

WEBSTER, WILL, & Co., W.S., Solicitors for  
the Company.

51 Castle Street, Edinburgh.

## THE GLASGOW ALHAMBRA LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that, at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above Company, held within the Glasgow Alhambra, Wellington Street, on Tuesday, 2nd December 1919, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and, at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, held at the same place, on the 22nd day of December 1919, the said Resolutions were approved and confirmed, viz.:—

1. That it is desirable to reconstruct the Company, and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that John Tennant Rankin, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding up.

2. That the said Liquidator be, and he is hereby authorised to consent to the registration of a new Company to be named The Glasgow Alhambra Limited, with a Memorandum and Articles of Association which have already been prepared with the privity and approval of the Directors of this Company.
3. That the Draft Agreement submitted to this Meeting and expressed to be made between this Company and its Liquidator on the one part, and The Glasgow Alhambra Limited, on the other part, be, and the same is hereby approved of, and that the said Liquidator be, and he is hereby authorised, pursuant to Section 192 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, to enter into an Agreement with such new Company (when incorporated) in the terms of the said Draft, and to carry the same into effect with such, if any, modifications as he thinks expedient.

MARWICK, MITCHELL, PEAT, & Co.,  
Secretaries.

135 Buchanan Street, Glasgow,  
24th December 1919.

THE GLASGOW ALHAMBRA LIMITED  
(in Liquidation).

IN pursuance of Section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, Notice is hereby given that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above Company will be held within the Office of Messrs. Marwick, Mitchell, Peat, & Co., 135 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, on Wednesday the 7th day of January 1920, at 12 o'clock noon.

JOHN T. RANKIN, Liquidator.

135 Buchanan Street, Glasgow,  
24th December 1919.

NOTE.—All Creditors will be paid in full.

SEQUESTRATION of WALTER BENTON & COMPANY, Fine Art Publishers, 138–140 George Street, Glasgow, and Walter Benton, sole Partner thereof, as such, and as an Individual.

HEREBY intimate that an account of my intrusions, brought down to 29th October 1919, has been audited by the Commissioners, and that a first and final Dividend of 1s. per pound will be paid within my Chambers, 108 Hope Street, Glasgow, on and after 12th January 1920, to those Creditors whose claims have been lodged and admitted.

JOHN J. D. HOURSTON, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 24th December 1919.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Copartnership carried on under the Firm of W. LOUIS PRIMROSE & GREIG, Stockbrokers in Glasgow, of which the Subscribers were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED as at first November nineteen hundred and nineteen.

The Subscriber Peter Greig remains a Member of the Glasgow Stock Exchange, and has now resumed Business at the Stock Exchange, Glasgow, and forty-eight West Regent Street, Glasgow.

Dated at Glasgow, the nineteenth day of December nineteen hundred and nineteen.

W. LOUIS PRIMROSE.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said  
W. Louis Primrose—  
R. G. ROSS, Writer, Glasgow.  
NEIL M'KINNON, 174 West George  
Street, Glasgow, Law-Clerk.

P. GREIG.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said  
Peter Greig—  
W. MENZIES ANDERSON, Witness,  
Solicitor, 180 Hope Street, Glasgow.  
CATHERINE D. DUNWOODIE, Witness,  
Typist, 180 Hope Street, Glasgow.

## BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

## RECEIVING ORDERS.

H. C. Radley (Male), lately of 16 St. James Place, London, W., whose present residence or place of business the Petitioners are unable to ascertain.

Eric Rider Troward, lately residing at Hendon Hall, Hendon, Middlesex, but whose present residence the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain, and lately carrying on business at 31 High Street, Hampstead, London, motor cycle and light car agent and factor.

William Ligertwood Main, 24 Manville Road, Tooting, London, S.W., late of Denbigh, Grand Parade, and 5 New Steine, both in Brighton, Sussex, insurance broker.

Reginald White Churchman (carrying on business under

the firm or style of R. W. Churchman, and also as the Stansted Motor Company), residing at Carola, St. John's Road, Stansted, in the county of Essex, and carrying on business at The Garage, Cambridge Road, Stansted aforesaid, dealer in motor cars and accessories.

Frank Hamilton, Puckeridge, in the county of Hertford, lately carrying on business at Puckeridge aforesaid, late an engineer.

Phil Rodbard Turner, 73 Gresham Road, Staines, Middlesex.

Sydney Moyle, Station Road, Craven Arms, in the county of Salop, timber contractor.

Arthur Trehane Scoble, The Dell, Twyford, near Winchester, in the county of Hants, and carrying on business at the Angel Yard, Marlborough, in the county of Wilts, manufacturer.

## ADJUDICATION ANNULLED AND RECEIVING ORDER RESCINDED.

Harry Keys, 90 Richmond Road, Thornton Heath, Surrey, civil servant.

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