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Westminster, 24th August 1945.

This day the Royal Assent was given by Commission to the following Act:—

Local Elections (Service Abroad) Act, 1945.

KING'S MEDAL FOR COURAGE IN THE CAUSE OF FREEDOM.

ROYAL WARRANT.

GEORGE R.I.

GEORGE THE SIXTH, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, to all to whom these Presents shall come,

GREETING!

Whereas We have taken into Our Royal consideration the many Acts of courage performed by foreign persons, both male and female, in furtherance of the interests of the British Commonwealth in the Allied cause, during the war,

And whereas We are desirous of honouring certain of those who perform or have performed such deeds:

We do by these Presents for Us, Our Heirs and Successors institute and create a new Medal.

First: It is ordained that the Medal shall be designated and styled "The King's Medal for Courage in the Cause of Freedom."

Secondly: It is ordained that the Medal shall be circular in form, but that the preparation of a design and the manufacture of the Medal shall be postponed for the time being.

Thirdly: It is ordained that the Medal is intended to be worn by recipients on the left breast suspended from a ribbon one-and-a-quarter inches in width, of white, with broad red stripes at each edge and at the centre two narrow blue stripes separated by a narrow white stripe.

It is also ordained that when awards are made the ribbon shall be issued to recipients.

Fourthly: It is ordained that the persons eligible for the Medal shall be civilians of foreign nationality, male or female, upon whom We may think fit to confer the honour.

It is also ordained that foreign persons in military service, male or female, shall be eligible for the Medal provided that they are recommended for special services outside the scope of normal military duties.

Fifthly: It is ordained that awards shall be made only on a recommendation to Us, for civilians by Our Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and for Officers and members of foreign military forces by Our First Lord of the Admiralty, Our Secretary of State for War, or Our Secretary of State for Air, as the case may be, or, in the case of any of Our Dominions, the Government whereof shall so desire, by the appropriate Minister of State for the said Dominion.

Sixthly: It is ordained that the Medal shall be awarded only for acts of courage entailing risk to life or for service entailing dangerous work in hazardous circumstances, in furtherance of the Allied cause during the war, and shall be granted without distinction of status or rank.

Seventhly: It is ordained that the names of all those

upon whom We may be pleased to confer or bestow the Medal, shall be recorded in a Register in Our Treasury.

Eighthly: It is ordained that it shall be competent for Us, Our Heirs and Successors by an Order under Our Sign Manual and on a recommendation to that effect by or through Our Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, Our First Lord of the Admiralty, Our Secretary of State for War, or Our Secretary of State for Air, as may be appropriate, or, in the case of any of Our Dominions, the Government whereof shall so desire, the appropriate Minister of State for the said Dominion, to cancel and annul the award to any person of the King's Medal for Courage in the Cause of Freedom and that thereupon the name of such person in the Register shall be erased: provided that it shall be competent for Us, Our Heirs and Successors to restore the award so forfeited when such recommendation has been withdrawn.

Lastly: We reserve to Ourselves, Our Heirs and Successors, full power of annulling, altering, abrogating, augmenting, interpreting, or dispensing with these rules and ordinances, or any part thereof, by a notification under Our Sign Manual.

Given at Our Court at St. James's, the twenty-third day of August one thousand nine hundred and forty-five, in the ninth year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command,

C. R. ATLEE.

KING'S MEDAL FOR SERVICE IN THE CAUSE OF FREEDOM.

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We do by these Presents for Us, Our Heirs and Successors institute and create a new Medal.

First: It is ordained that the Medal shall be designated and styled "The King's Medal for Service in the Cause of Freedom."

Secondly: It is ordained that the Medal shall be circular in form, but that the preparation of a design and the manufacture of the Medal shall be postponed for the time being.

Thirdly: It is ordained that the Medal is intended to be worn by recipients on the left breast suspended from a ribbon one and-a-quarter inches in width, of white, with a narrow red stripe at the centre and a narrow blue stripe on each side.

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PURCHASE TAX.

The Treasury hereby give notice pursuant to the provisions of Section 20 of the Finance (No. 2) Act, 1940, that they propose to make an Order directing that from a date to be specified therein Purchase Tax on copper domestic hollow-ware shall be reduced from 33½ per cent. to 16½ per cent. Traders are reminded that these goods remain liable at the rate of 33½ per cent. until the date to be specified in the Order and they will be accountable for tax accordingly.

Any representations which interested parties desire to make in regard to this proposal should be addressed in writing to:—

The Commissioners of Customs and Excise,
City Gate House,
Finsbury Square,
London, E.C.2,

not later than the 14th September 1945.

In pursuance of Section 122 of the Factories Act, 1937, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, the Right Honourable George Isaacs, Minister of Labour and National Service, has been pleased to appoint Miss Ilfra Mary Styles, Miss Noreen Ellen Reid, and John Sydney Moore to be His Majesty's Inspectors of Factories.

St. James's Square, London, S.W.1.

Board of Trade,
Millbank, London, S.W.1,
28th August 1945.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have made Orders which have been published as S.R. & O., 1945, price 1d. :—

No. 960.—The Trading with the Enemy (Authorisation) (Denmark) Order, 1945, dated August 20, 1945.

No. 962.—The Trading with the Enemy (Custodian) (Amendment) (Denmark) Order, 1945, dated August 20, 1945.

No. 1023.—The Services Laundry (Maximum Charges) (No. 2) Order, 1945, dated August 15, 1945.

No. 1030.—The Trading with the Enemy (Authorisation) (Finland) Order, 1945, dated August 20, 1945.

No. 1032.—The Trading with the Enemy (Custodian) (Amendment) (Finland) Order, 1945, dated August 20, 1945.

No. 1050.—The Utility Furniture (Maximum Prices and Charges) (No. 5) Order, 1945, dated August 18, 1945.

No. 1051.—The Furniture (Control of Manufacture and Supply) (No. 7) Order, 1945, dated August 17, 1945.

These Orders can be purchased through any bookseller, agents, or direct from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13A Castle Street, Edinburgh, 2; 39-41 King Street, Manchester, 2; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80 Chichester Street, Belfast.

TYNEPARK SCHOOL, HADDINGTON, EAST LOTHIAN.

GRANT OF CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL.

In pursuance of section eighty-three of the Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Act, 1937, as read with section 1 of the Reorganisation of Offices (Scotland) Act, 1939, the Secretary of State hereby gives notice that he has granted a certificate approving Tynepark School, Haddington, East Lothian, from 1st October 1945, as a school for the education and training of girls sent there in pursuance of the Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Act, 1937.

J. MACKAY THOMSON, Secretary.

Scottish Education Department,
St. Andrew's House, Edinburgh, 1,
29th August 1945.

Civil Service Commission, August 28, 1945.

The Civil Service Commissioners give notice that, with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the notice published in the Edinburgh Gazette of the 1st September 1933 prescribing a fee to be paid by candidates attending examinations held under their direction for entrance to the Metropolitan Police Force as Constables is hereby cancelled.

Civil Service Commission, August 28, 1945.

The Civil Service Commissioners, with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice that the following amendment has been made to the Temporary (Reconstruction) Regulations for filling vacancies in the Clerical Classes (General and Departmental) of the Civil Service which appeared in the Edinburgh Gazette dated 5th June 1945, viz. :—

Delete Regulation 2 (4) (c) and substitute the following :

- (c) either
 - (i.) satisfy the educational condition laid down in Regulation 4 for candidates under Sections I. and II.; or
 - (ii.) possess a Naval Higher Educational Certificate, Second Class; or
 - (iii.) possess an Army or Marine First Class Certificate of Education; or
 - (iv.) have passed the Royal Air Force Higher Education Test, Part I.; or
 - (v.) have passed a Service Educational Test recognized by the Commissioners as being of higher standard than is required for (ii.), (iii.) or (iv.).

POST OFFICE.

IMPERIAL AND FOREIGN PARCEL POST.

The rates of postage which are directed to be charged in place of rates previously published on outgoing parcels addressed to the undermentioned countries by the routes specified are as follows :—

Place of Destination.	Route.	Rates of Postage on each Parcel not exceeding				
		2 lb.	3 lb.	7 lb.	11 lb.	22 lb.
		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
LEBANON (Republic of) ...	Via Egypt ...	4 3	6 6	6 6	8 6	15 6
SYRIA (Republic of) ...	Via Egypt ...	4 3	6 6	6 6	8 6	15 6
TURKEY-IN-EUROPE ...	} Via Egypt or direct as opportunity offers.	4 9	7 3	7 3	9 3	16 6
TURKEY-IN-ASIA ...						

HOUSING : SCOTLAND.

SPECIAL ENACTMENTS (EXTENSION OF TIME)
ACT, 1940.

COUNTY OF DUNBARTON.

Under the Special Enactments (Extension of Time) Act, 1940, the Secretary of State made on 1st August 1942 an Order which provided for an extension by three years of the time within which the County Council of the County of Dunbarton (hereinafter referred to as "the Local Authority") may exercise the powers of compulsory purchase conferred upon them by the County of Dunbarton (Milton Housing Scheme) Compulsory Purchase Order, 1939, Confirmation Order, 1939. A further Order under the said Act has been made by the Secretary of State, the effect of which is to extend by three more years the time within which the Local Authority may exercise the said compulsory powers.

Copies of the Order made under the Special Enactments (Extension of Time) Act, 1940, may be obtained from the Department of Health for Scotland, St. Andrew's House, Edinburgh, 1.

Department of Health for Scotland,
St. Andrew's House, Edinburgh, 1,
31st August 1945.

STATEMENT showing the QUANTITIES SOLD and AVERAGE PRICES of BRITISH CORN per Hundredweight of 112 Imperial Pounds,* as received by the MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES in the week ended 25th August 1945, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, the Corn Sales Act, 1921, and the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1943 :—

British Corn.	Quantities Sold.	Average Price per Cwt.
	Cwt.	s. d.
WHEAT	262,830	13 8
BABLEY	723,101	24 9
OATS	25,581	15 9

* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, as amended by Section 2 of the Corn Sales Act, 1921, provides that, in the weekly summary of quantities and prices, each sort of British corn shall be computed with reference to the hundredweight of one hundred and twelve imperial standard pounds.

NOTE.—The prices in the statement above are based on returns received during the week ended 25th August 1945, and represent on the whole the average prices ruling in the week ended 18th August 1945.

V. M. WHITE.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries,
Hotel Majestic, St. Annes,
Lytham St. Annes, Lancashire.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1937, AND AGRICULTURE ACT, 1937 (PART IV.).

GREAT BRITAIN.

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

RETURN No. 15/1945. OUTBREAKS OF SCHEDULED (NOTIFIABLE) DISEASES WHICH HAVE BEEN CONFIRMED BY THE MINISTRY during the period 1st to 15th AUGUST 1945.

Summary of Returns of outbreaks of certain scheduled (notifiable) diseases which have been confirmed by the Ministry during the period 1st to 15th August 1945.

Period.	Anthrax.		Foot-and-Mouth Disease.		Parasitic Mange.*		Sheep Scab.	Swine Fever.	
	Outbreaks confirmed.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Animals slaughtered as diseased or exposed to infection.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine slaughtered.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Period 1st to 15th August 1945	6	9	2	73	—	—	1	37	23
Corresponding period in { 1944	5	8	16	912	—	—	1	89	73
{ 1943	6	11	2	118	—	—	1	24	17
{ 1942	10	13	92	7,194	—	1†	—	15	8
Total 1st January to 15th August 1945	71	84	101	8,171	6	6	48	616	458
Corresponding period in { 1944	123	133	45	4,147	6	18	62	607	463
{ 1943	188	214	12	2,074	6	11	105	333	257
{ 1942	210	225	203	22,305	26	66	118	280	185

NOTE.—The figures for the current year are approximate only.

* Excluding outbreaks in Army Horses.

† This animal relates to an outbreak confirmed prior to 1st August 1942.

NOTE.—The following diseases were eradicated from Great Britain in the years indicated :—Cattle plague, or rinder-pest (*pestis bovina*) 1877; pleuro-pneumonia (*peripneumonia contagiosa bovum*) 1898; sheep pox (*variola ovium*) 1850; rabies 1922; epizootic lymphangitis (*lymphangitis epizootica*) 1906; and glanders (including farcy) (*malleus*) 1928. Dourine (*exanthema coitale paralyticum*) has never existed in Great Britain.

No case of Fowl Pest (*pestis avium*) has been confirmed in Great Britain since the 11th January 1937, the date as from which the disease was first notifiable. So far as is known, however, Fowl Pest has not existed in Great Britain since 1933.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries,
24th August 1945.

INVERNESS CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY LTD.

MEMBERS' VOLUNTARY WINDING UP.

At a Special General Meeting of the above-named Society, duly convened, and held in Town Hall, Inverness, on 29th August 1945, the following Special Resolution was duly passed:—

“That the Society be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. Malcolm Whiteford, C.A., Public Auditor, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.”

MALCOLM WHITEFORD, Liquidator.

95 Morrison Street, Glasgow,
30th August 1945.

TRANSFER OF BUSINESS.

MRS. ISABELLA BAIRD or HARRISON, Syledale, Milliken Park, Renfrewshire, trading as ALEXANDER HARRISON, Slater and Plasterer, Milliken Park, Renfrewshire, intimates that she retired from the Business as at first May nineteen hundred and forty-five.

The Business will continue to be carried on within the same Premises under the same name of ALEXANDER HARRISON by Norman John Harrison, son of the said Isabella Baird or Harrison, for his own behoof, who will collect all debts due to, and pay all debts due by, the said Business.

Dated at Milliken Park, twenty-eighth August nineteen hundred and forty-five.

ISABELLA HARRISON.

NORMAN JOHN HARRISON.

Witnesses to the Signatures of the said Isabella Baird or Harrison and Norman John Harrison—

ANDREW MITCHELL, Southview, Kilbarchan, Buyer.

MARY GUY JAMIESON, Southview, Kilbarchan, Housekeeper.

THE Firm of J. E. RENNIE (GREENDYKES), carrying on business as Farmers at the Farm of Greendykes, Macmerry, in the County of East Lothian, has been DIS-SOLVED as at 28th May 1945, by the retiral therefrom of the Subscriber Mr. Norman M'Leish, one of the Partners.

The Business will continue to be carried on by the Subscriber Mr. James Edwin Rennie on his own account and under the same name of J. E. RENNIE (GREENDYKES).

Mr. James Edwin Rennie is authorised to uplift all the debts due to the Firm, and he will discharge the whole debts and liabilities of the Firm.

Dated at Edinburgh, this 29th day of August 1945.

JAMES E. RENNIE.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said James Edwin Rennie—

JOHN BAIRD, 110 George Street, Edinburgh, Writer to the Signet.

THOMAS TENNANT, 110 George Street, Edinburgh, Law Apprentice.

NORMAN M'LEISH.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said Norman M'Leish—

DONALD MACKAY, 8 Kinnoull Street, Perth, Solicitor.

THOS. DUNCANSON, 8 Kinnoull Street, Perth, Solicitor.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACTS, 1914 AND 1926.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDER.

Edward Henry Davies, Pentre Farm, Clocaenog, Ruthin, in the county of Denbigh, farmer.

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"	200	1	17	6	450	3	15	0
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