

For "Martoux Frères" read "Marthoud Frères."

For "Mortrie & Company" read "Moutrie, S., & Company."

For "Nuttler, Walter, & Company" read "Nutter, W., & Company."

Separate "Old Dock" and "Oriental Advertising Company."

For "Rose, Alex." read "Ross, Alex., & Company."

Insert "Sennett Frères."

For "Tate and Company" read "Tait and Company."

Insert Frazar & Co., Shanghai.

SHIPS WHOSE CARGOES, OR PART OF THEM, HAVE BEEN DETAINED.

(In continuation of previous notification published in the London Gazette of September 24, 1915.)

Name of Vessel.	List of Vessels.	
	Nationality.	Cargo Detained at
Cometa - - -	Norwegian -	Ardrossan
Helsingborg - - -	Swedish - -	Kirkwall
Ontaneda - - -	Spanish -	Falmouth
Sirius - - -	Norwegian -	Fleetwood
Vitalia - - -	Norwegian -	Plymouth

Foreign Office,
October 1, 1915.

DEFENCE OF THE REALM (LIQUOR CONTROL).

ORDER OF THE CENTRAL CONTROL BOARD (LIQUOR TRAFFIC) FOR THE LONDON AREA.

Any person contravening any provision of this Order or of the Liquor Control Regulations is liable to imprisonment for six months with hard labour and a fine of £100.

We, the Central Control Board (Liquor Traffic), in pursuance of the powers conferred upon us by the Acts and Regulations relating to the Defence of the Realm, hereby make the following Order:—

Limits of Area.

1. The area to which this Order applies is the London area, being the area comprising the City of London, the Metropolitan Police district, the Urban District of Watford in the County of Herts, the Petty Sessional Division of Romford in the County of Essex, the Urban District of Dartford, and the Parishes of Darenth, Stone, Sutton-at-Hone, Swanscombe and Wilmington in the County of Kent.

Treating Prohibited.

2. No person shall either by himself or by any servant or agent sell or supply any intoxicating liquor to any person in any licensed premises or in any club for consumption on the premises unless the same is ordered and paid for by the person so supplied; nor shall any person order or pay for or lend or advance

money to pay for any intoxicating liquor where with any other person has been or is to be supplied for consumption on the premises; nor shall any person consume in any licensed premises or club any intoxicating liquor which any other person has ordered or paid for or agreed to pay for or lent or advanced money to pay for.

Provided always that if such intoxicating liquor is supplied or served for consumption at a meal supplied at the same time and is consumed at such meal the provisions of this regulation shall not be deemed to be contravened if the person who pays for such meal also pays for such intoxicating liquor.

For the purposes of this regulation consumption on the premises includes consumption of intoxicating liquor in or on any highway, open ground or railway station adjoining or near to the licensed premises or club in which the liquor was sold or supplied, and any person consuming intoxicating liquor in or on any such highway, open ground or railway station shall be deemed to consume the liquor in such licensed premises or club as the case may be.

Dilution of Spirits.

3. The sale of whisky, brandy and rum, reduced to a number of degrees under proof which falls between 25 and 35, and of gin reduced to a number of degrees under proof which falls between 35 and 45, is hereby permitted, and accordingly, in determining whether an offence has been committed under the Sale of Food and Drugs Acts by selling to the prejudice of the purchaser brandy, whisky, rum, or gin, not adulterated otherwise than by the admixture of water, it shall be a good defence to prove that such admixture has not reduced the spirit more than 35 degrees under proof in the case of whisky, brandy, or rum, or 45 degrees under proof in the case of gin.

Amendment of the Dartford District Order.

4. Articles 2 and 3 of this Order shall be substituted for Articles 7 and 9 of the Order of the Central Control Board (Liquor Traffic) made on the 26th day of July, 1915, for the area of Dartford District, which said Articles are hereby revoked.

Exhibition of Order.

5. Every holder of a licence for the sale of intoxicating liquor and the secretary of every club to which this Order applies shall keep permanently affixed in some conspicuous place in each public room in the licensed premises or in the club a copy of this Order and any notice required by the Board to be affixed.

Commencement of Order.

6. This Order shall come into force on the eleventh day of October, 1915.

Given under the seal of the Central Control Board (Liquor Traffic) this first day of October, 1915.



D'Abernon,
Chairman.

John Pedder,
Member of the Board.