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TUESDAY, 25 DECEMBER, 1917.

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 21st day of *December*, 1917.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council, dated the twenty-eighth day of November, nineteen hundred and fourteen, His Majesty was pleased to make regulations (called the "Defence of the Realm Regulations") under the Defence of the Realm Consolidation Act, 1914, for securing the public safety and the defence of the realm:

And whereas the said Act has been amended by the Defence of the Realm (Amendment) Act, 1915, the Defence of the Realm (Amendment) (No. 2) Act, 1915, and the Munitions of War Act, 1915, and other enactments:

And whereas the said regulations have been amended by various subsequent Orders in Council:

And whereas it is expedient further to amend the said regulations in manner herein-after appearing:

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to

order, and it is hereby ordered, that the following amendments be made in the said regulations:—

1. Regulation 26G shall be amended as follows:—

(1) In sub-section (1) after the words "adapted for sale" there shall be inserted the words "or which are used for the purpose of the distribution of any such article."

(2) In sub-section (2) after the words "possession of the Food Controller" there shall be inserted the words "or of such person or body of persons as he may from time to time nominate for the purpose" and after the words "directions of the Food Controller" there shall be inserted "or of such person or body of persons as aforesaid."

(3) In sub-section (3) for the words "by the Food Controller under this regulation" there shall be substituted the words "under this regulation by the Food Controller or by a person or body of persons nominated by him."

(4) In paragraph (a) of sub-section (4) for the words "any such factory or workshop or other premises as aforesaid" there

shall be substituted the words "any factory, workshop or other premises in which any article to which the powers of the Food Controller under regulations 2r to 2j extend is manufactured, stored, or produced or adapted for sale or which are used for the purpose of the distribution of any such article," and for the word "production" there shall be substituted the words "manufacture, storage, production or distribution."

2. In Regulation 2j after the words "exercise and performance" there shall be inserted "by any persons or bodies of persons approved by him for the purpose or."

3. Regulation 2m shall be amended as follows:—

(1) by the substitution of the following paragraph for paragraph (c) of sub-section (1) thereof:—

"(c) provide accommodation for persons, machinery, implements of husbandry or plant, farm produce, stock or animals, employed or used by the Board for the cultivation of land or the increase of the food supply of the country, by taking or retaining possession of any land or buildings; and"

(2) by the insertion after paragraph (e) of the following paragraphs:—

"(ee) by notice served on the occupier of any land require him in accordance with the terms of the notice to adapt the land for cultivation by repairing or removing any hedge or fence on the land, or by clearing or repairing any ditch or drain, whether natural or artificial, by which the land is, capable of being drained; and

"(eee) by order, applicable generally or to any specified area, and published in such manner as the Board may consider to be best adapted for informing persons thereby affected, prohibit or regulate the use of land for the cultivation of any crop specified in the order and by any such order require the ploughing up within such time as may be specified in the order of any land in use at the date thereof for the cultivation of any such crop; and"

(3) by the insertion after paragraph (m) of the following paragraphs:—

"and

"(n) on the application of any drainage authority empowered by a local Act to levy rates to a limited amount, by order increase the amount that may be so levied; and

"(o) by notice served on the occupier of any agricultural land or the person having the management of any such land require him to make within such time and in such form and to such person as the notice may prescribe a return in writing with respect to the cultivation of the land or the crops or live-stock thereon or any other matter as to which the Board may desire information for the purpose of the proper exercise of their powers under this regulation, but so that no such return or any part thereof shall be published or disclosed except for the purposes of a prosecution under this regulation;"

(4) by the substitution for sub-section (3) of the following sub-section:—

"(3) If any person obstructs or otherwise interferes with or impedes any officer in the execution of his powers under this regulation, or discloses or publishes any re-

turn or part thereof in contravention of this regulation, or, being an occupier of any land or building of which the Board require possession, or of which the tenancy of the occupier has been determined by notice served under this regulation, without lawful excuse, refuses to give possession thereof to the Board or to quit such land or building, or, having been served with a notice under this regulation requiring him to do any act, negligently or wilfully fails to comply with the requirements of the notice, or, where the notice requires him to make a return, makes a false return, he shall be guilty of a summary offence against these regulations."

(5) by the substitution in sub-section (9) for the words "paragraphs (h) to (m)" where those words first occur of the words "paragraph (ee) and paragraphs (h) to (n)" and for those words where they secondly occur of the words "paragraphs (h) to (n)" and by the substitution in the same sub-section for the words "sub-sections (5) (6) and (11)" of the words "sub-sections (3) (5) (6) and (11)."

4. For Regulation 2n the following regulation shall be substituted:—

"2n. If any person without lawful authority enters or remains on any land (a) of which a Government Department or any body or person authorised by a Government Department is in possession under the powers conferred by Regulation 2r; or (b) which has been provided for use as allotments or field gardens under that regulation or otherwise and on which there are growing crops and on which there is conspicuously displayed notice of this provision, or damages any growing crops or hedge or fence on any such land, he shall be guilty of a summary offence against these regulations."

5. After Regulation 7bb the following regulation shall be inserted:—

"7bbb. (1) The Board of Trade, for the purpose of making the most efficient use of the materials or plant belonging to a tramway or light railway undertaking with a view to the successful prosecution of the war, may by order require the whole or any part of the rolling-stock, materials and plant, including permanent way, of any such undertaking to be placed at their disposal or at the disposal of any person or body of persons named by them.

Where any such order has been made the Board or any such person or body of persons may take possession of such portions of the rolling-stock, materials or plant of such undertaking as they may require and may remove them and make use of them for the purposes of any other tramway or light railway.

"(2) Any order made under this regulation may be revoked, extended or varied as occasion requires.

"(3) If any person fails to comply with the provisions of any order made under this regulation or wilfully hinders or impedes the execution of any such order he shall be guilty of a summary offence against these regulations."

6. After Regulation 11 the following regulation shall be inserted:—

"11a. The Minister of Munitions, with a

view to maintaining or increasing the supply of light, heat or power for the purpose of the production, repair or transport of war material or any other work necessary for the successful prosecution of the war, may by order direct that lights of any specified class or description shall be extinguished or their use restricted to such extent, between such hours, within such area, on such premises and during such period as may be specified in the order, and if any person having control of any light, or occupying, or having control of, or managing, or being in charge of premises in, on or in connection with which any light is used acts in contravention of any such order he shall be guilty of a summary offence against these regulations:

Provided that this regulation shall not apply to any light required to be kept lighted by a competent naval or military authority, or other officer authorised by him for the purpose, or under any order made under Regulation 11 by the Secretary of State, or the Secretary for Scotland."

7. In paragraph (c) of Regulation 27 after the words "police force" there shall be inserted the words "or fire brigade".

8. Regulation 27c shall be amended as follows:—

(1) For the words "relating to" there shall be substituted the words "intended or likely to be used for propagandist purposes in relation to".

(2) In paragraph (b) thereof for the words "the contents thereof have been previously submitted to and passed by" there shall be substituted the words "copies thereof have, seventy-two hours at least before such printing, publication or distribution, as the case may be, been submitted in manner hereinafter mentioned to".

(3) After the proviso the following paragraph shall be inserted:—

"For the purpose of the submission of copies of leaflets under this regulation three copies (each containing such names and addresses as aforesaid) must be delivered to or left at the office of the Director of the Official Press Bureau or other person authorised as aforesaid, accompanied by a note stating that they are submitted for the purposes of this regulation signed by the person submitting the same and containing his address; and where the leaflet in question is substantially identical with a leaflet previously submitted (whether the two leaflets have the same title or different titles, or are or are not submitted by the same person) the note shall contain a statement to that effect and must be accompanied by a copy of the leaflet previously submitted."

(4) For the words "or circular" there shall be substituted the words "circular, card, and poster".

(5) At the end of the regulation there shall be inserted the words "or any document issued by or under the authority of a candidate at a pending parliamentary election for the purpose only of promoting his election."

9. In Regulation 35A after the words "contrivance for smoking" the following paragraph shall be inserted:—

"The Food Controller may as respects any premises to which his powers under

Regulation 26G extend exercise the like powers as are by this regulation conferred on the Admiralty, Army Council, and Minister of Munitions".

10. In Regulation 37c after the words "continue to be" there shall be inserted the words "painted in such manner and".

11. In paragraph (a) of Regulation 41 for the word "medal" where it first occurs there shall be substituted the words "or medal (whether such uniform decoration or medal is British or foreign)".

12. In Regulation 51 after the words "naval or military authority" where they secondly occur there shall be inserted "with the consent of the Admiralty or Army Council, or a chief officer of police with the consent of a Secretary of State, the Secretary for Scotland, or the Chief Secretary in Ireland, (as the case may be)".

13. In Regulation 53 after the words "naval or military authority or any person duly authorised in that behalf by the" there shall be inserted the words "Admiralty, Army Council or".

14. At the end of Regulation 62 the following paragraph shall be inserted:—

"For the purposes of these regulations the expression "chief officer of police" shall include any police officer duly authorised to take the place and exercise the powers of the chief officer of police during his absence from duty."

Almeric FitzRoy.

ST. LUCY'S OPHTHALMIC (GIRLS) SCHOOL,

12, Holly Road, Liverpool.

Issue of Certificate.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that on the application of the Managers of the School known as St. Lucy's Ophthalmic (Girls) School, 12, Holly Road, Liverpool, he has issued a Certificate under the provisions of Section 45 of the Children Act, 1908, certifying that the said School is fit for the reception of girls sent to an Industrial School in pursuance of the provisions of the Children Act, 1908, or of the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

The Certificate, which bears date the 20th December, 1917, states that the School is intended for girls suffering from ophthalmic trouble and provides that the number of girls resident in the School at any one time, whether sent thereto in pursuance of the said provisions or not, shall not exceed twenty.

Whitehall, 20th December, 1917.

Factory Department, Home Office,

December 21, 1917.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. W. R. Griffin an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Tavistock, in the County of Devon, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
December 21, 1917.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the death of Dr. J. H. Rees an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Penarth, in the County of Glamorgan, is vacant.

Admiralty, 18th December, 1917.

R.N.R.

To be tempy. Lieuts.—

Harry Elliot.

James Johnson.

Christopher S. C. Cherry.

John O. Band. 19th Dec. 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieut.—

Fred Wilde. 14th Dec. 1917.

To be tempy. Asst. Payr.—

Frank J. Baker. 17th Dec. 1917.

To be tempy. Engr. Sub-Lieuts.—

Joseph Lewthwaite. 5th Dec. 1917.

Harry A. Davies. 11th Dec. 1917.

R.N.V.R.

To be tempy. Lieuts.—

William C. Mountain. 1st May 1916.

Alan R. Jackson.

Alfred E. Taylor.

John S. Street.

William P. Woodcock.

17th Dec. 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.—

Gerald Restorick. 13th Dec. 1917.

Albert E. Hadley.

Algernon S. Little.

Wilfred C. Ellis.

14th Dec. 1917.

Athelstane I. Woodward. 18th Dec. 1917.

To be Mates (E):—

John Rowe. 14th Sept. 1916.

Harry Allen. 15th Dec. 1916.

R.N.A.S.

Tempy. Proby. Flt. Officers. to be tempy. Flt. Sub-Lieuts.—

Ewart H. Wells.

Sydney J. Chamberlain.

Philip Smallwood.

30th Sept. 1917.

George R. J. Parkinson.

Lionel B. Ransford.

Robert I. Kirkland.

Ronald E. Burr.

Louis M. Hilton.

John C. G. Macdonald.

14th Oct. 1917.

Leslie C. Bower.

Lambert Latham.

31st Oct. 1917.

Donald C. S. Bland.

David M. Allan.

Robin F. Wallis.

Claude L. Fraser.

Charles E. Wodehouse.

Francis C. Sherwood.

Edward P. O. Haughton.

John W. G. Price.

Edmund G. Rice.

George B. Gates.

John H. Caudell.

14th Nov. 1917.

Admiralty, 20th December, 1917.

Placed on the Retd. List.—

Cdr. William W. Sillen. 12th Dec. 1917.

To be Engr. Sub-Lieut. (tempy. Service).—

Andrew Marsden. 18th Dec. 1917.

R.N.R.

The seniority of tempy. Lieut. Harold B. Mylchreest has been antedated to 20th Aug. 1917.

To be tempy. Engr. Lieut.—

Alexander Turner. 18th Dec. 1917.

To be tempy. Engr. Sub-Lieuts.—

Bruce, McL. Grant. 3rd Dec. 1917.

Wilson G. Blackwell. 12th Dec. 1917.

Adam Girdwood. 14th Dec. 1917.

Edward C. R. Young. 15th Dec. 1917.

Tempy. Sub-Lieut. to be tempy. Lieut.—

Arthur Brown. 20th Nov. 1917.

R.N.V.R.

To be tempy. Lieut.—

Arthur R. Meredith. 20th Dec. 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieut.—

William Waters. 17th Dec. 1917.

R.M.

Tempy. Qrmr. and Hon. Lieut. George Harrington is granted the acting rank of Capt. 26th Oct. 1917.

Admiralty, 21st December, 1917.

To be tempy. Surgs.—

William Gover, M.B., B.Ch. 18th Dec. 1917.

Charles H. Laver. 19th Dec. 1917.

Acting Sub-Lieut. to be Sub-Lieut.—

Donald A. Gyles, D.S.C. 21st Dec. 1917.

Act. Mate confirmed as Mate—

James Patchett. 16th Sept. 1916.

Promotion of Engr. Cdr. William Begg antedated to 13th July 1917.

R.N.R.

To be tempy. Engr. Comdr.—

Walter Parry. 3rd Oct. 1917.

Tempy. Sub-Lieuts. to be tempy. Lieuts.—

James G. Merry. 1st Sept. 1917.

William B. Davis. 30th Oct. 1917.

Ralph Pearson. 20th Dec. 1917.

Frank Walker. 21st Dec. 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.—

Frederick T. Douglas. 18th Dec. 1917.

Samuel F. Cameron.

Alexander B. Fasting.

21st Dec. 1917.

To be tempy. Asst. Paymr.—

Harold W. Allen.

Hector W. Clark.

17th Dec. 1917.

R.N.V.R.

To be tempy. Lieut.—

Leonard Elder. 21st Dec. 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.—

George Clark. 11th Nov. 1917.

Eric M. Thomas.

William T. Henry.

21st Dec. 1917.

R.N.A.S.

Tempy. Proby. Flt. Lieut. to be tempy. Flt. Lieut.—

Herman E. Shaw. 8th Dec. 1917.

R.M.L.I.

Maj. Harold Frederick Harrison Strugnell, G.S.O., 3rd Gde., is graded as a G.S.O., 2nd Gde. 12th Dec. 1917.

R.M.

The undermentioned to be tempy. 2nd Lieuts.:—

Cecil Ernest Newton May (from Staff Sjt.-Mechanic, R.M.A.).

Daniel Harding (from Gunner, R.M.A.).

Alfred Charles Bishop (from Gunner, R.M.A.). 13th Dec. 1917.

Admiralty, 22nd December, 1917.

R.N.R.
To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.—

Charles T. B. Chubb.

Archibald Campbell.

Edward Hall.

20th Dec. 1917.

To be tempy. Asst. Payrs.—

Edward G. Howe. 20th Dec. 1917.

R.N.V.R.

To be tempy. Lieut.—

George Bell. 16th Dec. 1917.

Tempy. Sub-Lieut. to be tempy. Lieut.—

Maclean Kay. 11th May 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieut.—

Harry V. Cox. 20th Dec. 1917.

Harold C. Mant. 22nd Dec. 1917.

63rd (R.N.) Divn.

Tempy. Lieut. T. Walsh, R.M., to be tempy. Capt., R.M. 10th Dec. 1917.

Admiralty, 23rd December, 1917.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to confer the R.N.R. Officer's Decoration upon Lieutenant-Commander Charles E. Browne, R.N.R.

To be Ch. Gnr.—

William D. Hill. 23rd Dec. 1917.

To be Chief Naval Instr., on Ret. List.—

Naval Instr. James R. Clark, C.B., M.A. 9th Aug. 1917.

War Office,

25th December, 1917.

REGULAR FORCES.

ARMY MEDICAL SERVICE.

The undermentioned are placed on ret. pay on having attained the age limit. 26th Dec. 1917:—

Surg.-Gens.—

Sir H. R. Whitehead, K.C.B., F.R.C.S.

J. G. MacNeece, C.B.

T. M. Corker, C.B., M.D.

Sir D. Bruce, Kt., C.B., F.R.S., M.B., F.R.C.P.

Sir R. W. Ford, K.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O.

Sir T. P. Woodhouse, K.C.M.G., C.B.

R. H. S. Sawyer, C.M.G., M.B., F.R.C.S.I.

Cols.—

H. J. Barratt.

H. O. Trevor.

(Temp. Surg.-Gen.) J. M. Irwin, C.B., M.B., and is granted the hon. rank of Surg.-Gen.

C. E. Nichol, C.M.G., D.S.O., M.B.

S. Westcott, C.B., C.M.G.

(Temp. Surg.-Gen.) B. M. Skinner, C.M.G., M.V.O., and is granted the hon. rank of Surg.-Gen.

R. Kirkpatrick, C.B., C.M.G., M.D.

E. H. L. Lynden Bell, C.B., M.B.

R. H. Firth, F.R.C.S.

E. A. Tate, C.M.G.

C. E. Faunce.

R. J. Geddes, C.B., D.S.O., M.B.

H. M. Sloggett.

(Temp. Surg.-Gen.) J. Maher, C.B., and is granted the hon. rank of Surg.-Gen.

(Temp. Surg.-Gen.) G. D. Hunter, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., and is granted the hon. rank of Surg.-Gen.

C. Birt.

(Temp. Surg.-Gen.) R. S. F. Henderson, C.B., M.B., and is granted the hon. rank of Surg.-Gen.

(Temp. Surg.-Gen.) M. W. Russell, C.B., and is granted the hon. rank of Surg.-Gen.

(Temp. Surg.-Gen.) S. Hickson, C.B., M.B., and is granted the hon. rank of Surg.-Gen.

S. C. Philson.

J. H. Daly.

M. J. Sexton, C.B., M.D.

H. E. Cree.

R. J. Windle, M.B.

W. H. Horrocks, C.B., M.B.

E. A. Burnside.

C. B. Elliott, M.D.

J. W. Bullen, M.D.

R. Caldwell, F.R.C.S.

C. A. Lane, M.B.

The undermentioned Cols. to be Surg.-Gens. 26th Dec. 1917:—

(Temp. Surg.-Gen.) H. N. Thompson, C.M.G., D.S.O., M.D.

W. T. Swan, C.B., M.D.

G. Cree, C.B., C.M.G.

H. Carr, C.B., M.D.

(Temp. Surg.-Gen.) A. A. Sutton, C.B., D.S.O.

(Temp. Surg.-Gen.) M. T. Yarr, K.C.M.G., C.B., F.R.C.S.

(Temp. Surg.-Gen.) C. H. Burtchaell, C.B., C.M.G., M.B.

The undermentioned Lt.-Cols., from R.A.M.C., to be Cols. 26th Dec. 1917:—

G. S. McLoughlin, C.M.G., D.S.O., M.B.

W. W. O. Beveridge, C.B., D.S.O., M.B.

Bt. Col. O. L. Robinson, C.M.G., K.H.P.

H. J. M. Buist, D.S.O., M.B.

G. B. Stanistreet, C.M.G., M.B.

F. W. Begbie.

(Bt. Col.) E. M. Pilcher, D.S.O., M.B.,
F.R.C.S.

(Bt. Col.) W. G. Beyts.
H. A. Hinge, C.M.G.
H. A. Bray, C.M.G.
E. W. Slayter, C.M.G.
H. S. Thurston, C.M.G.
T. P. Jones, C.M.G., M.B.
G. A. Moore, C.M.G., M.D.
E. H. Condon, M.B.
C. E. Pollock, D.S.O.
F. R. Buswell, C.M.G.
T. H. J. O. Goodwin, C.M.G., D.S.O.
A. E. C. Koble, D.S.O.
Bt. Col. D. J. Collins, M.D.
J. R. McMunn, C.M.G.
H. V. Prynne, D.S.O., F.R.C.S.
G. Dansey Browning.
S. F. St. D. Green, M.D.
P. Evans, C.M.G., M.B.
C. K. Morgan, C.M.G., M.B.
G. St. C. Thom, C.M.G., M.B.
C. W. Profeit, D.S.O., M.B.
F. Kiddle, C.M.G., M.B.
R. J. Blackham, C.I.E., D.S.O.
H. W. Grattan.
(Bt. Col.) G. T. K. Maurice, C.M.G.
J. V. Forrest, C.M.G., M.B.
J. C. B. Statham, C.M.G.
E. T. F. Birrell, C.B., C.M.G., M.B.
E. W. Bliss, D.S.O.
A. H. Morris.
R. W. Clements, D.S.O., M.B.
W. E. Hudleston, D.S.O.

Temp. Lt.-Col. W. N. Barron, C.M.G.,
M.V.O., from R.A.M.C., to be temp. Col.
26th Dec. 1917.

R.A.M.C.—The undermentioned Lt.-Cols. are
placed on ret. pay on having attained the
age limit. 26th Dec. 1917:—

T. B. Winter.
A. T. I. Lilly.
H. J. Fletcher, M.B.
M. O'Halloran, M.B.
W. E. Berryman.
A. E. Morris, M.D.
C. T. Blackwell, M.D.
H. H. Brown.
R. Holyoake.
H. E. Winter.
(Bt. Col.) F. Smith, C.M.G., D.S.O.

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

ARMY MEDICAL SERVICE.

The undermentioned Cols. are placed on
the Territorial Force Reserve. 26th Dec.
1917:—

S. S. Hoyland, M.D.
E. C. Freeman, C.M.G., M.D.
J. V. W. Rutherford, C.B.
de B. Birch, C.B., M.D.
H. J. Mackay, M.D.
C. E. Harrison, C.M.G., M.V.O., M.B.,
F.R.C.S.

The undermentioned Lt.-Cols., from
R.A.M.C., T.F., to be Cols. 26th Dec.
1917:—

A. W. Sheen, M.D.
W. Ranson, D.S.O., F.R.C.S.
H. E. B. Bruce Porter, C.M.G.
(Bt. Col.) A. M. Connell, F.R.C.S., Edin.
A. D. Sharp, C.M.G., F.R.C.S.
E. J. R. Evatt, M.B.

War Office,
25th December, 1917.

SPECIAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

The undermentioned, from Officer Cadet
Units, to be 2nd Lts.:—

ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY.

15th Dec. 1917.

Ernest Sidney Lilburn Tinney.
James Edwin Allen.
Sydney William Avila.
Bertram James Richardson Barton.
Norman Benton.
Denis James Bowyer.
George Parfitt Chamberlain.
Richard Charles Fullerton-Smith.
Berkeley Hall.
Alfred Louis Harrison.
Frederick Hassell.
Alfred Cordell Hunt.
Arthur Francis Kiddle.
Frederick George La Trobe-Bateman.
Percival Sampson Levy.
Frederick William MacCormack.
Frederick Leslie Maynard.
William James Menadue.
William Gordon Mitchell.
Henry Edward Newman.
Henry Horace Price.
Frederick George James Rasmussen.
William Dunstan Sheffield.
Ernest William Toynton.
George William Louis Van Cuylenburg.

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY.

17th Dec. 1917.

George Norman Shackleton.
John Lloyd Rogers.
Robert Knight Pagett.
William Nairn Boog-Watson.
Wilfred Allen Forster.
Malcolm Beaton Macrae.
John Frank Dales.
Jack Heron.
Thomas Durham Peace.
Andrew Muir Peace.
Alfred Rae.
John Knox.
Cyril Wright Cooper.
Arnold Henry Robson.
Harold Vivian Atchison.
John Franklin Winterburn.
Gordon Armstrong.
Eric Edward Harnden.
John Auchenlosh Gibson.
Richard Henry Higgs.
John Farrar Macgregor.
John Norman Chubb Ford.
Cecil Rugg.
George Adair Heaney.
Victor Justin Woodhead.
Arthur Barker.
Charles Henry Welch.
Roland Cooper.
Charles Norris Day.
Harry Lloyd Johnston.
Philip Guy Lodge.
Nathaniel William Croger.
Thomas Mark Hopwood.
Wilson Tunstall.
Frank Cruickshank.
George William Nelson Hemphill.
James Murray Galloway.
George Eynott.
Thomas Laird.

Hugh Priestley-Smith.
 Herbert John Jeffery.
 William Bramwell Adshead.
 Percy Hall Birch.
 Robert Wilfrid Crosby.
 John Clifford Skelsey.
 Ben Stanley Harold Warde.
 Bertie Stanley Webb.
 Duncan Alexander Taylor.
 Samuel James Swetnam.
 Bertie William Chapman.
 Ian Muir Kirkwood.
 Reginald Albert Lee.
 Howard Van Weede.
 Ewart John Edwin Bawn.
 Harry Colston Collings.
 Claude Haythorne Montague.
 Duncan Campbell.
 Ernest Vincent Loney.
 William Raymond Coates.
 John Southam Rowe.
 Jacob Andrews.
 Dennis Watkins.
 William Herbert Phillips.
 Geoffrey William Douglas Mulgan.
 Bryan Stagg Walton.
 Harry Smith.
 Philip Haswell.
 Arnold Ashley Pascoe.
 Aubrey Tyrrell Smyth-Tyrrell.
 Cyril Townshend Batten.
 Algernon Gilbert Newman.
 William Robert Ririe Butchart.
 Frank Charles Carter.
 Ronald James Cornish.
 William Henry Bell.
 Herbert Mason Elliott.
 Harold Ashover Hind.
 Frank Leach.
 Leo William Keating Stephens.
 William John Reid Gall.
 Rowland Ewart Ketley.
 Thomas Walter Grafton Grattan.
 Walter Saxelby Price.
 John Fletcher.
 George Davis.
 Robert Gemmill Simpson.
 William Curtis.
 James Gledhill.
 Henry Douglas Taylor.
 Clement Vardon.
 Gordon Cooke.
 Philip Eardley Wilks.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

R. Anglesey.

Thomas Francis Heyes. 15th Dec. 1917.

INFANTRY.

Notts. & Derby. R.—2nd Lt. V. A. Stewart,
 from R.F.C. Mil. Wing, to be 2nd Lt. 31st
 Aug. 1917.

War Office,

25th December, 1917.

TERRITORIAL FORCE.

The undermentioned, from Officer Cadet
 Units, to be 2nd Lts. :—

ROYAL ENGINEERS.

15th Dec. 1917.

Field.

Vincent Hooper.
 Daniel McCallum.

Frederick Cooling Townsend.
 Sydney Morton Mason.
 John Robertson.
 John Johnston.
 William Anderson Wilken.
 Frank Humphreys Lloyd.
 Isaac Dixon.
 Samuel Crockart.
 Charles Albert Hinde Woolley.
 Stanley Algar.
 William George Nickels Easterbrook.
 Basil Charles Aldous.
 Douglas de Butts Robertson.

*Fortress.**Works.*

Herbert Reed Venning.

INFANTRY.

29th Aug. 1917.

R. W. Surr. R.—Alfred Davies.

E. Kent R.—Edward Boulding.

Devon. R.—Alfred Moreton Scales.

John Henry Holwill.

Josiah Kelsall.

Edward John Cole.

Hubert Edmund Jeffrey.

Robert Archie Burridge.

Som. L.I.—William Sharland.

Charles Thomas Macey.

S. Wales Bord.—Frederick Leonard Brown.

Sydney Jackson Holmes.

Walter Grisdale.

Bord. R.—Kenneth Edward Webb Langston.

Alfred Edward Batten.

Lionel Claud Dodkins.

Valentine Tyler.

Frederic Charles Woodman.

Harry Scott Priestley.

R. Suss. R.—Harry Leslie King.

Hamps. R.—Cyril William Hayward.

George Robert Wright.

Donald Rolfe McWhinnie.

Horace George Dolman.

Russell Bridgman Preiss.

Harold Percy Carter.

Arthur Fred Harris.

R. W. Kent R.—Alfred Cave.

Edward Hugh Evans.

Ronald Holms Procter.

Midd'x R.—Herbert James Brothers.

George Charles Spiller.

William Arthur Griffiths.

Harry Mills.

Walter Pearson Blakesley.

Thomas Arthur Willis.

Percy Alfred Murrell.

Wilts. R.—Felix Ash.

Timothy Harrison.

Thomas Frank Billington.

Kent Cyclist Bn.—Herbert Jackson Martin.

Arthur Leonard Charles Charman.

28th Nov. 1917.

R. Scots.—Harold Kingsley Brown.

Christian Tens Fyhn.

E. Kent R.—Edwin Richard Sansom.

R. War. R.—Frederick Thomas Smith.

L'pool R.—George Eric Dimoline.

Devon. R.—Arthur James Allams.

E. York. R.—Herbert Edwin Bird.

E. Surr. R.—William Edward Hunter.

S. Lan. R.—Francis Simpson.

Oxf. & Bucks. L.I.—Albert Edward Gordon Bennett.

Manch. R.—James Breakell.

Gord. Highrs.—Victor Roy Gibbs.

Lond. R.—Montie Phillip Arnold.
Malcolm Hunter.

14th Dec. 1917.

R. Scots.—Patrick Pirie Wragg.

E. Kent R.—Leonard Augustine Low Brewer.

R.W. Fus.—Richard Stanley Davies.

S. Lan. R.—Frederick William Mills.

YEOMANRY.

Jack Hunter to be Qr.-Mr., with the hon.
rank of Lt. 21st Oct. 1917.

INFANTRY.

R. War. R.—Qrmr. and Hon. Lt. G. J. Williams to be Hon. Capt. 1st July 1917.
(Substituted for the notification in the Gazette of 23rd Nov. 1917.)

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Wigtown.

Major The Right Hon. The Earl of Stair to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th December, 1917.

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GENERAL ORDER OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD.

MOTOR CAR ACTS, 1896 AND 1903.

Heavy Motor Cars: Amending Regulations.

To the COUNTY COUNCILS of the several ADMINISTRATIVE COUNTIES IN ENGLAND AND WALES;—

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London in Common Council assembled;—

To the Councils of the several County Boroughs in England and Wales;—

To the Councils of the several Metropolitan Boroughs;—

To the Urban District Councils of the several Urban Districts in England and Wales;—

To the Rural District Councils of the several Rural Districts in England and Wales;

And to all others whom it may concern.

Whereas in pursuance of Section 12 of the Motor Car Act, 1903, We, the Local Government Board, by the Heavy Motor Car Order, 1904, made regulations with respect to heavy motor cars and such of the regulations as are contained in Article VII. of the said Order relate to the speed at which a heavy motor car may be driven on any highway:

Now therefore, in pursuance of Our powers in that behalf, We hereby Order as follows:—

ARTICLE I.—Subject to the provisions of this Order, expressions in this Order have the same meaning as in the Heavy Motor Car Order, 1904.

ARTICLE II.—So much of Article VII. of the Heavy Motor Car Order, 1904, as provides that if a heavy motor car draws a trailer the speed at which the heavy motor car is driven on any highway shall not exceed five miles an hour shall for the period of the war and twelve months thereafter cease to apply to a heavy motor car drawing a "gas container trailer."

For the purposes of this Order a "gas container trailer" is a vehicle—

(a) constructed or adapted for use and used solely for carrying a bag or other receptacle for containing gas to be used for the purpose of propelling the vehicle;

(b) not exceeding in weight unladen fifteen hundredweight; and

(c) having all its wheels fitted with pneumatic tyres or tyres made of a soft or elastic material.

ARTICLE III.—This Order may be cited as the Heavy Motor Car (Amendment) Order, 1917.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Eighteenth day of December, in the year One thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. Hayes Fisher,
President.

H. C. Monro,
Secretary.

(D. L. P. 515.)

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

(DATED 21 DECEMBER 1917.)

(WART DISEASE OF POTATOES INFECTED AREA.)

The Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, by virtue and in exercise of the powers vested in them under the Destructive Insects and Pests Acts, 1877 and 1907, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

Declaration of Wart Disease of Potatoes Infected Area.

1. The area described in the schedule to this Order is hereby declared to be infected with Wart Disease and an Infected Area for the purposes of the Wart Disease of Potatoes (Infected Areas) Order of 1914.

Notification of Disease.

2. Reports of the existence of Wart Disease within the Infected Area shall be made to the Director-General, Food Production Department, Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, 72, Victoria Street, London, S.W., also to Mr. Edward Astbury, Council Chambers, Buckley, Flintshire.

Commencement.

3. This Order shall come into operation on the twenty-first day of January, nineteen hundred and eighteen.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries have hereunto set their Official Seal this twenty-first day of December, nineteen hundred and seventeen.



A. G. L. Rogers,
On behalf of the Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

All the cottage gardens and allotments in the Parishes of Buckley, Mold; and Buckley, Hawarden; situated within the Urban District of Buckley in the County of Flint.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, 4, Whitehall Place, London, S.W. 1.

ADMIRALTY NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 1313 of the year 1917.

ENGLISH CHANNEL, NORTH SEA
SOUTHERN PORTION, WITH RIVERS
THAMES AND MEDWAY AND
APPROACHES.

Pilotage and Traffic Regulations.

Former Notice.—No. 1051 of 1917; hereby cancelled.

Mariners are hereby warned that, under the Defence of the Realm (Consolidation) Regulations, 1914, the following Regulations have been made by the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty and are now in force:—

I. ENGLISH CHANNEL AND NORTH SEA SOUTHERN PORTION—PILOT- AGE REGULATIONS.

1.—All ships (other than British ships when trading coastwise or to or from the Channel islands, or to or from the Port of Brest, or any French Channel Port north and east of Brest, or any Netherlands Continental Port, and not carrying passengers) whilst bound from, and whilst navigating in the waters from, the Downs Pilot Station to Gravesend, or *vice versa*, must be conducted by Pilots licensed by the London Trinity House.

2. All ships (other than British ships when trading coastwise or to or from the Channel islands or to or from the Port of Brest, or any French Channel Port north and east of Brest, or any Netherlands Continental Port, and not carrying passengers) whilst bound from, and whilst navigating in the waters from, Gravesend to Great Yarmouth or *vice versa*, must be conducted by Pilots licensed by the London Trinity House.

3. Clauses 1 and 2 above do not apply to British ships whilst navigating in the waters between the Downs Pilot Station and Gravesend, or between Gravesend and Great Yarmouth or between Great Yarmouth and the Downs Pilot Station, provided that they do not make use of any port in the London Pilotage District within these limits.

4. All ships (other than British ships of less than 3,500 tons gross tonnage, when trading

coastwise or to or from the Channel islands, or to or from the Port of Brest or any French Channel Port north and east of Brest, or any Netherlands Continental Port, and not carrying passengers) whilst navigating in the waters from Gravesend to London Bridge or *vice versa*, must be conducted by Pilots licensed by the London Trinity House.

5. All ships (other than British ships) whilst navigating in the waters between the Downs Pilot Station and Great Yarmouth and *vice versa*, and between those places and the Sunk light-vessel, or any intermediate pilot station that may hereafter be established, and *vice versa*, must be conducted by Pilots licensed by the London Trinity House.

6. The Trinity House Pilot Station at Dungeness having been discontinued, pilotage is therefore not compulsory between the Downs Pilot Station and Dungeness, except for ships bound into or out of the Harbours of Dover and Folkestone.

7. Trinity House Pilot Stations have been established at the undermentioned places, and merchant vessels not under compulsion of pilotage are very strongly advised to take pilots:—

(a) THE DOWNS, where ships proceeding north can obtain Pilots capable of piloting as far as Great Yarmouth, and also Pilots for the River Thames, and for Folkestone and Dover harbours. The Pilot Steamers attached to the Downs Station will cruise in the vicinity of a position two miles south-east of Deal Pier.

(b) GREAT YARMOUTH, where ships from the North Sea bound for the River Thames or the English Channel can obtain Pilots capable of piloting as far as the Downs.

The Pilot Steamer attached to the Great Yarmouth Station will cruise in the vicinity of St. Nicholas light-vessel.

(c) THE SUNK LIGHT-VESSEL, where ships trading with Netherlands Ports, but *no others*, can obtain Pilots for the River Thames and the Downs.

The Sunk Pilot Steamer will be on her station and available for shipping and landing Pilots between the following hours (G.M.T.):—

From the date hereof until the 14th January, 1918, between 7.30 a.m. and 4.30 p.m. only.

From the 15th January until the 31st January, 1918, between 7.30 a.m. and 5 p.m. only.

From the 1st February until the 14th February, 1918, between 7.30 a.m. and 5.30 p.m. only.

From the 15th February until the 28th February, 1918, between 7.30 a.m. and 6 p.m. only.

From the 1st March until the 14th March, 1918, between 7 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. only.

From the 15th March until the 31st March, 1918, between 6.30 a.m. and 7 p.m. only.

From the 1st April until the 30th April, 1918, between 6 a.m. and 7 p.m. only.

From the 1st May, 1918, until further notice, between 5 a.m. and 7 p.m. only.

(d) Pilots can also be obtained at London for the Downs and Great Yarmouth (including the River Thames and approaches.)

Note.—The Pilots referred to in this Notice are the Pilots licensed by the London Trinity House and no others.

II. RIVERS THAMES AND MEDWAY, &c.—TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

1. All traffic into and out of the River Thames must pass through the Edinburgh Channels, or through the Black Deep south of the Knock John and Knob Light-Buoys, and through the Oaze Deep until further notice.

No vessels are to remain under way in the above-mentioned Channels between a line drawn from London Stone to No. 3 Sea Reach Light-Buoy and thence to Canvey Point on the west, and the Sunk Head Buoy or a line joining the positions of the South Long Sand and East Shingles Buoys, on the east, from one hour after sunset until one hour before sunrise.

Vessels at anchor within these limits must not exhibit any lights from one hour after sunset until one hour before sunrise.

No merchant or other private vessel is to be at anchor in the Black Deep, and the Main Channel of the Thames, to the Southward of a line joining a position in lat. $51^{\circ} 39' N.$, long. $1^{\circ} 23' E.$, D3 Buoy, a position in lat. $51^{\circ} 33' 08'' N.$, long. $1^{\circ} 13' 03'' E.$, Knob Light-Buoy, a position in lat. $51^{\circ} 31' 45\frac{1}{2}'' N.$, long. $1^{\circ} 04' 48'' E.$, South Shoebury Light-Buoy, a position in lat. $51^{\circ} 29' 15'' N.$, long. $0^{\circ} 49' 45'' E.$, and Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Sea Reach Buoys, except when obliged to anchor on account of fog.

No vessel is to anchor in the Black Deep between the parallel of lat. $51^{\circ} 39' N.$, and the Sunk Light-Vessel, without special orders, except such South-bound vessels as are unable to proceed further south owing to darkness or thick weather; vessels anchoring under such circumstances are only to anchor to the westward of a line joining positions in lat. $51^{\circ} 45' 00'' N.$, long. $1^{\circ} 30' 15\frac{1}{2}'' E.$, lat. $51^{\circ} 42' 00'' N.$, long. $1^{\circ} 27' 30'' E.$, and lat. $51^{\circ} 39' N.$, long. $1^{\circ} 23' E.$, and well clear of the fairway.

All other Channels are closed to navigation.

The Nore Examination Anchorage is reserved for vessels under examination before entry into the Medway, and also for vessels on Government service which have left the Medway and are awaiting orders as to route, &c.

All vessels at anchor at night in the Rivers Thames and Medway or in the Thames Estuary are to have a look-out placed and are to be prepared to exhibit a white light immediately should they be in danger of being run down.

2. Coasting vessels are not to be under way nor exhibit any lights in the East Swin or Wallet between sunset and sunrise.

3. No merchant vessel is to be in the following area in the approaches to the River Thames, from one hour after sunset to half-an-hour before sunrise:—

The area is bounded on the north by the parallel of lat. $51^{\circ} 33' N.$

The area is bounded on the east by the meridian of long. $1^{\circ} 35' E.$

The area is bounded on the south by the parallel of lat. $51^{\circ} 16' N.$

The area is bounded on the west by the parallel of long. $1^{\circ} 24' E.$

Any merchant vessel contravening the foregoing regulation will run the gravest risk of being sunk.

4. The use of the Swin and Wallet Channels by sailing barges and small trading vessels engaged in coastwise traffic along the Essex coast

is permitted, subject to compliance with the following restrictions:—

(i) Each vessel must obtain from the Customs a special clearance card, which is to be kept available for inspection by the Patrol Officers, on demand.

(ii) A red ensign is to be displayed while navigating the Middle Deep and Swin Channel.

(iii) No vessel may be under way after dark, except as provided for hereinafter.

(iv) When at anchor in the Wallet, Ray Sand, and Whitaker Channels, or in the Rivers Colne, Blackwater, and Crouch, all lights are to be screened so that they will not show outboard.

(v) No vessel may anchor in the River Crouch in the area bounded by lines drawn in a 0° (*N. $1\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}$ E. Mag.*) and a 180° (*S. $1\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}$ W. Mag.*) direction, through Burnham Coastguard Station and Holliwell point; or in the River Blackwater in the areas bounded by a line drawn in a 0° (*N. $1\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}$ E. Mag.*) and a 180° (*S. $1\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}$ W. Mag.*) direction, through Ramsey Stone to the opposite shore, and a line drawn through the Tollesbury and Mersea Oyster Fishery Company's Beacon on Thurslet Spit and the same Company's Beacon on the south side of the river.

(vi) To enable vessels to save their tides they will be permitted to navigate the Rivers Colne, Blackwater, and Crouch at night above the following places:—

River Roach above Quay Reach.

River Crouch above Burnham Coastguard Station.

River Blackwater above Ramsey Island Stone.

River Colne above Brightlingsea Creek.

They are to anchor immediately, should they be ordered to do so by the Naval or Military Authorities.

(vii) Vessels are to carry out all instructions received from the Naval Officers in command of vessels patrolling these Channels and Rivers.

(viii) No vessels are to enter or pass through the defended area in the Middle Deep and Swin Channels until they have been boarded and examined by the vessels stationed there for that purpose. Permission is given, subject to preliminary boarding and examination, for sailing vessels, if they so desire, to pass to the eastward of the Maplin Lighthouse, but under no circumstances may they pass to the eastward of any of the conical buoys in the defended area.

(Note.—*The Examination Officers will board South-bound vessels in the vicinity of the Whitaker Spit. Those leaving the Thames and Medway will be boarded near the Mouse Light-Vessel.*)

The Boarding Officers will give Masters of vessels instructions as to the course they are to steer when passing through the defended area.

(ix) Vessels reaching the entrance to the defended area within one hour of sunset will not be allowed to pass through till daylight.

5. All vessels, other than those of British Nationality or those of the Allied Nations, are prohibited from entering the Medway and Swale rivers.

All Neutral Aliens are prohibited from entering the Medway and Swale rivers in British vessels, and this applies to Aliens carried in British ships or barges as passengers or

part of crew; the limits of the prohibited area are defined as from the Outer Bar Buoy in the River Medway to Rochester bridge, and the whole of the River Swale from the light on Queenborough Spit to Columbine spit Buoy. Attention is drawn to the necessity of ship-owners and charterers satisfying themselves that no Neutral Aliens are on board vessels sent to the Rivers Medway and Swale.

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III.—HARWICH APPROACHES— TRAFFIC REGULATION.

With a view to safeguarding the interests of shipping in the vicinity of Harwich, no vessel, either British, Allied, or Neutral, is to be within the area west of a line joining the following positions:—

- (a) Lat. 52° 08' N., long. 1° 41' E.
- (b) Lat. 52° 02' N., long. 1° 42' E.
- (c) Sunk Light-Vessel.
- (d) Sunk Head Buoy.

Except in the case of a vessel trading with Netherlands ports which may enter the area to the Westward of the Sunk Light-Vessel, in order to communicate with the Sunk Pilot-Vessel, to embark or disembark her pilot, should the Pilot-Vessel be on her Pilot Station within the area at the time.

Any vessel contravening the foregoing regulation will run the gravest risk of being sunk.

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No. 1975, Kentish Knock and the Naze to the West Swin (III.).

No. 2052, Harwich Approaches (III.).

No. 1610, North Foreland to Orfordness (III.).

No. 1094, Outer Gabbard to Outer Dowsing (III.).

No. 1406, Dover and Calais to Orfordness and Scheveningen (III.).

No. 1408, Orfordness and Scheveningen to Terschelling zeevat (III.).

No. 1598, English channel (III.).

No. 2182a, North sea, southern sheet (III.).

Note.—This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Caution.

This Admiralty Notice to Mariners is issued under the provisions of the Defence of the Realm (Consolidation) Regulations, 1914, and failure to comply strictly with the directions contained in it will constitute an offence against these Regulations.

Any person found guilty of such an offence is liable to severe penalties both of imprisonment and fine.

Any person aiding or abetting the commission of such an offence is himself guilty of an offence against the Regulations.

Attention is also drawn to the fact that any infringement of the directions contained in this Admiralty Notice to Mariners is liable to result in the detention of the ship or vessel.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty.

By Command of their Lordships,

J. F. HARRY,
Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Department,
Admiralty, London,
21st December, 1917.

ADMIRALTY NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 1312 of the year 1917.

ENGLAND, SOUTH COAST.

Former Notice.—No. 984 of 1917; hereby cancelled.

Notice is hereby given that, under the Defence of the Realm (Consolidation) Regulations, 1914, the following Regulations have been made by the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty and are now in force:—

(1) *Beachy Head to St. Albans Head—Traffic Regulations.*

I. REGULATIONS REGARDING TRADING, FISHING AND PLEASURE CRAFT.

1. The areas on the South Coast of England to which the following orders apply are:—

Area A.—Enclosed by a line from Beachy head to Owers light-vessel to Boulder bank buoy, thence in a 315° (*N. 30° W. Mag.*) direction to the Portsmouth Defence area.

Area B.—Enclosed by a line from Culver cliff to a point 3 miles, 90° (*S. 75° E. Mag.*), from Culver cliff, thence within the 3-mile limit to a point 3 miles, 180° (*S. 15° W. Mag.*), from Freshwater Gate, thence to Freshwater Gate.

Area C.—Enclosed by a line joining Chewton Bunny to Christchurch ledge buoy, thence to a point 3 miles, 180° (*S. 15° W. Mag.*), from Anvil point, thence to a point 3 miles, 180° (*S. 15° W. Mag.*), from St. Albans head, thence to St. Albans head.

2. The term craft as used herein includes ships, barges, boats and vessels of all descriptions, and the orders apply to all fishing and pleasure craft.

3. No craft are to go out in the specified areas between sunset and sunrise.

4. All craft from places within these areas are to be on shore or back in their harbour half an hour after sunset.

5. No craft are to put to sea during fog or thick weather, and any caught at sea by fog, &c., are to return to shore or harbour at once, if possible.

6. Craft unable to return to harbour owing to failing wind or fog, &c., are to anchor and show the regulation anchor lights at night. No bright lights are permitted. Fishing craft anchoring off Brighton or Hove are to anchor between the piers.

7. Craft found after dark in the areas detailed in paragraph 1 are liable to be fired upon.

8. Fishing is permitted during daylight hours in areas A, B and C except within the limits stated in paragraph 9, by all *bona fide* fishermen, provided they are in possession of a permit which can be obtained from the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, through their District Fishery Officers or the Coastguard. When applying for these permits, fishermen are to state the port from which they intend to work, and this will be entered on the permit. Permits for areas A, B and C are only issued to craft registered locally. Under no circumstances are fishermen allowed to carry passengers in their boats.

Permits will not be issued for vessels transferred from ports of registry outside areas A, B and C to ports of registry inside those areas.

9. No small craft may anchor or be under way, _____ in the area bounded as follows:—

(a) *On the North.*—By the coastline between Seaford head and Crowlink Coast-guard Station.

(b) *On the West.*—By a line drawn from Seaford head in a 158° (*S. 7° E. Mag.*) direction for a distance of $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles.

(c) *On the East.*—By a line drawn from Crowlink Coastguard Station in a 197° (*S. 32° W. Mag.*) direction for a distance of $1\frac{3}{4}$ miles.

(d) *On the South.*—By a line joining the southern extremities of limits (b) and (c).

10. All unregistered fishing craft must carry their permit number painted on each bow in figures not less than 12 inches in height. Vessels registered as British sea fishing boats are to comply with the statutory rules as regards lettering and numbering.

11. Night fishing is permitted by special permit in a portion of Area A by craft for which a Board of Agriculture and Fisheries permit has been issued. Applications for these special permits to be made to Captain A. B. Purvis, D.C.W.O., Worthing, through Mr. Edward Page, Chief Fishery Officer, 61, Tamworth Road, Hove.

12. Fishing is absolutely prohibited for all steam, oil, or petrol-driven fishing vessels of over 50-ft. keel length.

13. The following orders regarding oil of all kinds and petrol are to be complied with:—

(a) Oil, motor spirit, petrol, or other goods may not be shipped on board craft of any description, whether coasting or foreign, either as stores for the equipment or navigation of the vessel or as merchandise, except at places which are under the supervision of a Customs Officer. Such goods must be properly pre-entered before shipment, and a clearance must be obtained from the Customs Officials in accordance with the Customs War Powers Act, 1915, pars. 1 to 3.

(b) In places where there are no Customs Officials, oil or petrol driven craft cruising in pleasure areas, and oil or petrol driven fishing craft of 50-ft. keel length and under, may obtain their stores locally provided the Coast-Watching Officer as representing the Customs Officials is previously notified and a Stock Book giving particulars of quantities received and used is kept on board and open for inspection.

(c) Sailing vessels may not have on board a quantity of petrol, motor spirit, benzine, paraffin, petroleum or similar substances exceeding four gallons.

14. Owners of motor craft, pleasure craft, and small craft of all descriptions are to supply to the Coastguard Officer of the district lists of all their boats and vessels which they may place afloat, and they are to obtain from him permits for them. Without such permits these craft are not to be used. The number of the permit is to be painted on each bow in figures not less than 12 inches in height.

15. Motor craft, pleasure craft, and small craft of all descriptions are not to proceed outside of their ports, creeks or rivers, during the hours of official day, unless in possession of a permit, which may be obtained from a Customs Official on personal application, or (in places where there is no Customs Official) from the Coastguard Officer of that district.

16. The areas within which pleasure craft with permits may move during daylight are as follows, and, except as provided for in paragraph 17, they are forbidden to move in any other areas:—

Newhaven: Within one mile radius from the end of the western breakwater.

Rottingdean: Within one mile radius of the slipway.

Brighton: Within one mile radius from eastern pier.

Hove: Within one mile radius from Coast-guard station.

Shoreham: Within one mile radius from the end of western pier.

Worthing: Within one mile radius from the end of town pier.

East Preston: Within one mile radius of Coastguard boathouse.

Littlehampton: Within one mile radius from the end of western pier.

Bognor: Within one mile radius of green fishing light.

Pagham: Within one mile radius from the coast watching hut.

Selsea: Within one mile radius from Coast-guard station.

Sandown Bay: Inside the line joining Culver cliff and Dunnose head.

Ventnor: Within one mile of Ventnor pier.

Christchurch: Inside line joining Chewton Bunny to Christchurch ledge buoy, and thence to Christchurch head.

Christchurch head to Sandbanks: Within 500 yards of low water mark.

Note.—Boating off Bournemouth is permitted inside a line joining the Martello tower near Sugar Loaf chine and Southbourne provided the boats are supervised and inspected by the Piermaster and Beach Inspectors in conjunction with the Coast-Watching Officer.

Poole harbour: Within line joining North and South havens.

Studland Bay: From opposite Studland village to the old breakwater within 400 yards of low water mark.

Swanage bay: To the west of line joining Ballard and Peverill points.

17. At certain ports and places where pleasure cruising is permitted in areas A and C a strictly limited number of permits will be issued to amateur fishermen, who are residents and British born, to fish during daylight only in an extension of the pleasure cruising area. The conditions and regulations under which these permits are issued are printed on the permits and are to be strictly complied with. This relaxation of the rules has been made with the sole purpose of increasing the food supply.

Applications for these permits should be made:—

By residents of Newhaven to the Senior Naval Officer, Newhaven.

By residents of other places and ports in area A to Captain A. B. Purvis, R.N., Divisional Coast-Watching Officer, Lorne House, Broadwater Road, Worthing.

By residents of ports and places in area C to Captain A. L. K. Knaption, R.N., Divisional Coast-Watching Officer, Rope Hill, Lymington.

18. Pleasure permits will be issued at the discretion of the Customs Official and Coast-guard Officer subject to the following conditions:—

(a) No person shall receive a pleasure permit in respect of any craft for which he has

been granted a Board of Agriculture and Fisheries fishing permit.

(b) Subject to par. (a), pleasure permits may be granted to private owners and to owners of craft for hire, on the strict understanding that no professional fisherman or boatman between the ages of 18 and 60 be employed either on shore or at sea in connection with such craft. Any infringement of this rule will lead to the immediate withdrawal of the permit.

(c) All persons who receive pleasure permits will be expected to do their utmost to increase the food supply by catching fish; but this does not give them authority to go outside the limits of the pleasure area.

(d) The pleasure permit is always to be carried by the person in charge of the craft when the craft is in use, and the owner of the craft is responsible that those using the craft understand the orders relating to pleasure cruising.

19. *Shipping of Amateurs as Crew on Commercial Fishing Vessels.*—Where it is proved that there is a shortage of *bona fide* fishermen to form the crews of fishing craft provided with Board of Agriculture and Fisheries fishing permits, permission may be granted to a limited number of approved amateur fishermen or yachtsmen enabling them to ship as crew on such craft. In cases where this is required application is to be made to the District Inspector of the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries (Mr. E. S. Russell, Warblington Cottage, Havant).

20. No excursion traffic is allowed except with the written permission of the Commander-in-Chief, to be obtained for the season in regard to standing excursions, and on each occasion of special excursions.

21. Nothing in these orders shall affect the standing orders relating to the Defence Areas at Portsmouth, Newhaven, and Poole.

II. NEWHAVEN—CLOSING OF THE PORT.

The Port of Newhaven is closed to all merchant vessels other than those employed on Government Service, and those which have previously obtained special permission to enter from the Divisional Naval Transport Officer, Newhaven.

III. SPITHEAD APPROACH—RESTRICTION OF TRAFFIC; PROHIBITED ANCHORAGE.

1. Passage of vessels between Norman's fort and the charted position of Warner light-vessel is entirely prohibited.

2. Vessels of all descriptions are prohibited from anchoring in St. Helen's roads to the westward of a line drawn in a 162° (S. 3° E. *Mag.*) direction from Norman's fort.

IV. POOLE BAY AND SOLENT APPROACH—RESTRICTION OF TRAFFIC.

No craft of any description, other than craft employed on Admiralty work, is to be under way to the northward of a line joining St. Catherine's point and Anvil point, between one hour after sunset and one hour before sunrise, or during fog.

(2) *Portland Harbour Approach—Restriction of Traffic.*

No vessels or boats of any description are to

move in the area north of a line joining Portland bill with St. Albans head, by day or night, unless proceeding into Weymouth anchorage.

Variation.— 15° W.

Note.

This Notice is a revision of the former Notice quoted above.

Caution.

This Admiralty Notice to Mariners is issued under the provisions of the Defence of the Realm Regulations, and failure to comply strictly with the directions contained in it will constitute an offence against those Regulations.

Any person found guilty of such an offence is liable to severe penalties both of imprisonment and fine.

Any person aiding or abetting the commission of such an offence is himself guilty of an offence against the Regulations.

Attention is also drawn to the fact that any infringement of the directions contained in this Admiralty Notice to Mariners is liable to result in the detention of the ship or vessel.

Authority.—The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty.

By Command of their Lordships,

J. F. PARRY,

Hydrographer.

Hydrographic Department, Admiralty,
London, 21st December, 1917.

EXETER ELECTRIC TRAMWAYS.

ADDITIONAL BYE-LAWS AND REGULATIONS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens of the City and County of the City of Exeter, the promoters of the Exeter Electric Tramways, did on the 4th December, 1917, adopt and make the following additional Bye-Laws and Regulations:—

1. Every passenger shall, before leaving the car, pay to the Conductor the fare legally payable for his journey, and accept a ticket therefor. Such tickets shall not be transferable and shall be available only for the journey and on the Car for and on which the same is issued, except in the case of special return tickets. Any person leaving a Car shall be deemed to have completed his journey.

2. The foregoing Regulation shall be read and construed as one with the Bye-Laws and Regulations with respect to Electric Tramways made by the said Mayor, Aldermen and Citizens on the twenty-second day of February, One thousand nine hundred and five, and shall be in substitution for Regulation 10 of the said Bye-Laws and Regulations, which is hereby repealed.

3. These additional Bye-Laws and Regulations shall come into operation on the 20th day of February, 1918.

Any objections to the above should be addressed to the Assistant Secretary (Railway Department), Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W. 1, and a copy of every objection should at the same time be forwarded to me, the undersigned.

H. LLOYD PARRY,

Town Clerk.

17th December, 1917.

LAND REGISTRY.

Land Transfer Acts, 1875 and 1897.

NOTICE.—The following Persons are about to be registered as Proprietors of the following Properties with Absolute or Good Leasehold Title:—

Plans of the several properties can be seen at the Land Registry, Lincoln's Inn Fields. Any person may, by notice in writing signed by himself or his Solicitor, and delivered at the Registry before the expiration of one month from the appearance of this Notice, object to the registration. The notice must state concisely the grounds of the objection and give the address in the United Kingdom of the person delivering the Notice, and, if it is delivered by a Solicitor, must give the name and address of the person on whose behalf it is given.

Information as to registration and the mode and cost of application for it can be obtained at the Registry.

Number of Title.	The Land.				The Applicant.		
	County.	Parish or Place.	Name and Short Description.	Freehold or Leasehold.	Name.	Address.	Description.
188294	London ...	Paddington ...	House, 28, Lancaster Gate ...	Freehold ...	George Algernon Perey...	28, Lancaster Gate, Hyde Park, W. 2	A Colonel in His Majesty's Army (retired)
188384	City of	London ...	Land and buildings, The White Hart Public House, 7, Giltspur Street	Leasehold ...	Charrington and Company, Limited	The Anchor Brewery, Mile End Road, Mile End, E.	—
188385	London ...	Hackney ...	Land and buildings, 59, Downs Road ...	Freehold ...	Thomas Edward Dingwall	21, Gun Street, E. ...	Packing Case Maker
188386	London ...	Islington ...	Land and buildings, 547, Liverpool Road ...	Freehold ...	Frederick Gray Keen ...	2, Southampton Row, W.C. 1	Gentleman
188387	London ...	Finsbury ...	Shop and warehouse, 119, Charterhouse Street	Freehold ...	Palmer's Cold Air Stores, Limited	40, Charterhouse Street, E.C. 1	—
215706	London ...	Lambeth ...	Dwelling-house and garden, 10, Stockwell Park Road	Leasehold ...	Harry Ferris Wickham ...	39, Studley Road, Clapham, S.W. 4	Gentleman

W. F. BURNETT, Acting Assistant Registrar.

AN ACCOUNT, pursuant to the Act seven and eight Victoria, cap. 32, of the Average Amount of BANK NOTES of the several Banks of Issue in ENGLAND and WALES in Circulation during the week ended Saturday, the 15th day of December, 1917.

PRIVATE BANKS.

Name, Title and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
Banbury Bank	Banbury	Gillett and Co.	£ 6221
Bicester and Oxfordshire Bank	Bicester	Tubb and Co.	15283
Leeds Old Bank	Leeds	Beckett and Co.	44534
Oxfordshire Witney Bank	Witney	Gillett and Co.	8573
Wellington Somerset Bank	Wellington	Fox, Fowler and Co.	2509
York and East Riding Bank	Beverley	Beckett and Co.	50355

JOINT STOCK BANKS.

Name, Title, and Principal Place of Issue.			Average Amount.
Halifax Commercial Banking Company Limited	Halifax		£ 2518
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Banking Company Limited	Nottingham		26002
West Yorkshire Bank Limited	Halifax		2137

H. BIRTLES, Registrar of Bank Returns.

RECEIPTS into and ISSUES out of the EXCHEQUER

REVENUE AND OTHER RECEIPTS.	Estimate for the Year 1917-18. (See Note.)	Total Receipts into the Exchequer from	
		1st April, 1917, to 22nd Dec., 1917.	1st April, 1916, to 23rd Dec., 1916.
Balances in Exchequer on 1st April:—	£	£	£
Bank of England	—	25,209,947	25,111,065
Bank of Ireland	—	1,225,912	463,941
		26,435,859	25,575,006
REVENUE.			
Customs	70,750,000	51,957,000	49,755,000
Excise	34,950,000	27,966,000	41,064,000
Estate, &c., Duties	29,000,000	22,479,000	21,441,000
Stamps	8,000,000	5,474,000	5,330,000
Land Tax	2,600,000	380,000	370,000
House Duty			
Property and Income Tax (including Super-Tax) ...	224,000,000	65,103,000	49,599,000
Excess Profits Duty (including Munitions Levy) ...	200,000,000	144,414,000	76,450,000
Land Value Duties	400,000	289,000	141,000
Post Office	33,700,000	23,850,000	23,350,000
Crown Lands	600,000	420,000	420,000
Receipts from Sundry Loans, &c.	7,500,000	1,719,013	4,822,145
Miscellaneous	27,100,000	46,238,923	11,675,396
REVENUE	638,600,000	390,289,936	284,417,541
Total, including Balance		416,725,795	309,992,547
OTHER RECEIPTS.			
Repayment of Advances for Bullion		1,670,000	2,800,000
Repayment of Advances for Interest on Exchequer Bonds under the Capital Expenditure (Money) Act, 1904		169,818	—
Under Telegraph (Money) Act, 1913		100,000	180,000
„ Post Office (London) Railway Act, 1913 ...		68,000	160,000
„ Housing Act, 1914		394,500	45,200
For Treasury Bills for Supply		1,945,242,000	1,623,989,000
For Exchequer Bonds under the Capital Expendi- ture (Money) Act, 1904		—	3,087,600
For Exchequer Bonds under the Cunard Agreement (Money) Act, 1904		1,300,000	—
For 4½ per cent. War Loan, 1925-1945		—	424
For 5 per cent. Exchequer Bonds, 1919		—	34,222,000
For 5 per cent. Exchequer Bonds, 1920		—	84,140,469
For 5 per cent. Exchequer Bonds, 1921		—	62,464,000
For 5 per cent. Exchequer Bonds, 1922		82,209,400	—
For 6 per cent. Exchequer Bonds, 1920		—	150,010,000
For War Expenditure Certificates		—	29,596,500
For War Savings Certificates		30,000,000	39,950,000
For other Debt created under the War Loan Acts, 1914 to 1917		540,737,032	150,117,751
For 4 per cent. War Loan, 1929-1942, and 5 per cent. War Loan, 1929-1947		166,913,580	—
For National War Bonds		174,150,000*	—
Cunard Loan: Repayment on account of Principal		130,000	130,000
Temporary Advances— Ways and Means (including Treasury Bills £345,000,000 in 1916-17)		694,687,000	466,156,500
Total	£	4,054,497,125	2,957,041,991

Notes.—Estimate as in House of Commons Paper No. 75 of 1917, and Supplementary Grants.

* Excluding sales through Joint Stock and Private Banks not yet brought to account.

Treasury, 24th December, 1917.

between the 1st April, 1917, and the 22nd December, 1917.

EXPENDITURE AND OTHER ISSUES.	Estimate for the Year 1917-18. (See Note.)	Total Issues out of the Exchequer to meet payments from	
		1st April, 1917, to 22nd Dec., 1917.	1st April, 1916, to 23rd Dec., 1916.
EXPENDITURE.	£	£	£
Permanent Charge of Debt	17,000,000	12,590,066	15,189,637
Interest, &c., on War Debt	194,500,000	138,411,122	97,025,874
Payments to Local Taxation Accounts, &c.	9,700,000	6,517,664	6,438,012
Other Consolidated Fund Services	1,695,000	1,170,642	1,358,202
Supply Services	2,543,830,000	1,822,435,044	1,332,474,191
EXPENDITURE	2,766,725,000	1,981,124,538	1,452,485,916
OTHER ISSUES.			
For Advances for Bullion		1,880,000	2,880,000
For Advances for Interest on Exchequer Bonds under the Capital Expenditure (Money) Act, 1904		169,818	91,370
Under Telegraph (Money) Act, 1913		100,000	210,000
„ Post Office (London) Railway Act, 1913		68,000	160,000
„ Military Works Acts, 1897 to 1903		—	8,008
„ Public Buildings Expenses Act, 1903		—	8,000
„ Housing Act, 1914		394,500	44,500
For Treasury Bills for Supply		1,352,222,000	1,071,694,000
For Exchequer Bonds under the Capital Expenditure (Money) Act, 1904		—	3,087,600
For Exchequer Bonds under the Cunard Agreement (Money) Act, 1904		1,300,000	—
For War Loans, Exchequer Bonds, &c., under Section 34 of Finance Act, 1917		6,501,682	235,915
For other Debt under the War Loan Acts, 1914 to 1917		23,246,051	—
For Depreciation Fund under the Finance Act, 1917		26,490,200	—
Old Sinking Fund, 1907-8, issued under section 9 of the Finance Act, 1908		10,000	69,000
Old Sinking Fund, 1910-11— Issued under the Finance Act, 1911— Section 16 (1) (b)		20,000	53,160
Old Sinking Funds, 1911-12 and 1913-14— Issued under the Anglo-Persian Oil Company (Acquisition of Capital) Act, 1914		949,000	250,000
Cunard Loan Repayments— Issued to reduce Debt under the Cunard Agreement (Money) Act, 1904		130,000	130,000
Temporary Advances repaid— Ways and Means (including Treasury Bills £315,253,000 in 1916-17)		641,558,000	399,149,500
Balances in Exchequer—	1917. 22nd Dec.	1916. 23rd Dec.	
Bank of England	£17,821,505	£25,719,615	
Bank of Ireland	511,831	765,407	
Total	£	4,054,497,125	2,957,041,991

MEMO.

Treasury Bills outstanding on 22nd December, 1917:—

£
*1,057,094,000

* Includes £377,000, the proceeds of which were not carried to the Exchequer within the period of the Account.

COTTON STATISTICS ACT, 1868.

RETURN of the Number of BALES OF COTTON Imported and Exported at the Various Ports of the United Kingdom during the week and 51 weeks ending 20th December, 1917, together with the Number of Bales Imported and Exported during the corresponding 51 weeks in 1916 and 1915:—

PORTS.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ending 20th December, 1917.												
Liverpool ...	Bales. 49,037	Bales. 2,839	Bales. 9,524	Bales. ...	Bales. 1,223	Bales. 62,623	Bales. ...	Bales. ...	Bales. ...	Bales. ...	Bales. ...	Bales. ...
London ...	...	...	...	...	860	860	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hull ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Manchester ...	221	...	...	...	...	221	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports ...	1,663	...	...	...	...	1,663	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	50,921	2,839	9,524	...	2,083	65,367	...	...	...	...	...	...
51 weeks ending 20th December, 1917.												
Liverpool ...	2,027,031	30,543	127,038	218,000	129,247	2,531,859	31,479	...	1,745	101,463	1,996	136,683
London ...	2,873	...	12,608	...	15,284	30,765	...	...	3,177	...	...	3,177
Hull ...	203	...	15,309	5,425	33	20,970	2,143	...	1,015	2,747	640	6,545
Manchester ...	290,646	...	1,510	110,740	1,371	404,267	1,666	...	...	16,979	298	18,943
Other Ports ...	53,685	...	...	...	119	53,804	4,073	...	743	...	...	4,816
Total ...	2,374,438	30,543	156,465	334,165	*146,054	3,041,665	39,361	...	6,680	121,189	2,934	170,164
51 Weeks ending :												
21st December, 1916 ...	3,262,514	3,441	115,247	462,344	216,784	4,060,330	122,142	223	27,986	168,590	5,248	324,189
23rd December, 1915 ...	3,971,758	24,011	203,462	638,340	190,847	5,028,418	294,225	1,472	61,254	224,512	2,210	583,673

* Including 2,968 bales British West Indian, 13,187 bales British West African, 29,239 bales British East African, and 1,822 bales Foreign East African.

H. FOUNTAIN,

22nd December, 1917.

Commercial Department, Board of Trade.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1914.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE FEVER for the Week ended 22nd December, 1917.

Counties (including all Boroughs therein*).	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine slaughtered as diseased or as having been exposed to infection.	Counties (including all Boroughs therein*).	Outbreaks confirmed.	Swine slaughtered as diseased or as having been exposed to infection.
ENGLAND.	No.	No.	ENGLAND.	No.	No.
Berks	2	...	Suffolk	1	...
Derby	1	...	Sussex, East	1	...
Hants	1	...	Worcester	1	...
Huntingdon	5	...	York, West Riding	3	1
Kent	2	...			
Norfolk	2	...			
Northampton	1	...			
Somerset	1	...			
			SCOTLAND.		
			Lanark	1	...
			TOTAL	22	1

* For convenience Berwick-upon-Tweed is considered to be in Northumberland, Dudley in Worcestershire, Stockport in Cheshire, and the city of London in the county of London.

NOTE.—The term “administrative county” used in the following descriptions of Areas is the district for which a county council is elected under the Local Government Act, 1888, and includes all boroughs in it which are not county boroughs.

The following Areas are now “Infected Areas” for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1908 :—

Norfolk.—An Area in the administrative county of Norfolk, comprising the parishes of Hemsby, Winterton, East Somerton,

West Somerton, and Martham (10 November, 1917.)

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

Anglesey, &c.—An Area comprising the administrative counties of Anglesey, Brecon,

Cardigan, Carmarthen, Carnarvon, Denbigh (excluding the petty sessional division of

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1914—*continued*.

NOTE.—The term “administrative county” used in the following descriptions of Areas is the district for which a county council is elected under the Local Government Act, 1888, and includes all boroughs in it which are not county boroughs.

The following Areas are now “Scheduled Areas” for the purposes of the Swine-Fever (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1908—*continued*.

Upper Chirk—except such parts of the parish of *Llangadwaladr* as lie to the north of a line commencing at the boundary of that parish at *Tomen y Gwyddel* and proceeding westward along the fence, following the watershed by *Llyn Gloyw-bach* and *Pen Llyn Gloyw* to the boundary between the parishes of *Llangadwaladr* and *Llanarmon Dyffryn Ceiriog* on *Bryn Du*—and also excluding that part of the parish of *Glyn Traian* which lies to the south of the *River Ceiriog*; *Flint* (excluding the petty sessional division of *Overton*), *Glamorgan*, *Hereford*, *Merioneth*, *Monmouth*, *Montgomery* [excluding the borough of *Llanfyllin* and the parishes of *Hyssington*, *Snead*, *Aston*, *Castlewright*, *Llangynog*, *Hirnant*, *Pennant*, *Llanrhysadr-yn-Mochmant*, *Llanfechain*, *Llansaintffraid Porl*, *Llansaintffraid Deythur*, *Careghofa*, *Llandrinio*, *Llandysilio*, *Criggion*, *Bausley*, *Llanwddyn*, *Llanfihangel-yng-ngwynfa*, and *Meifod* (except the portion which lies to the south of that part of the *River Vyrnwy* between the *Bronarth Bridge* and *New Bridge Mechain*, and also except such portion as lies to the south-east of a line commencing at the junction of the road from *Castlehill-lane* to the *Fighting Cocks Inn* with the southern boundary of the parish, and proceeding thence in a westerly direction by that road via the *Fighting Cocks Inn* and the main road from *Sarnau* to *Geuffordd* to the junction near *Waen Cottage* of the latter road with the road leading north-westward to *Pont Ysgawrhud*, thence following that road to *Pont Ysgawrhud*, and thence following the southern bank of *Afon Vyrnwy* to its junction near *Celynog* with the southern boundary of the parish)], *Pembroke*, and *Radnor*;

The county boroughs of *Cardiff*, *Newport*, *Merthyr Tydfil*, and *Swansea*;

The parish of *Brompton* and *Rhaston*, and such parts of the parish of *Chirbury* as lie to the west of the *River Camlad*, in the administrative county of *Salop*; and

The parishes of *Bromsberrow*, *Dymock*, *Kempley*, *Preston near Ledbury*, *Hewelsfield*, *Lancaut*, *St. Briavels*, *Tidenham*, *Woolaston*, *Staunton and Alvington*, in the administrative county of *Gloucester* (31 July, 1917).—See also under *Berks*, &c.

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

Bedfordshire, &c.—An Area comprising the administrative counties of *Bedford*, *Cambridge* (except the parishes of *Kirtling*, *Borough Green*, *Westley Waterless*, *Brinkley*, *Carlton-cum-Willingham*, *Weston Colville*, *West Wrattling*, *Balsham*, *West Wickham*, *Horseheath*, *Bartlow*, *Shudy Camps*

and *Castle Camps*), *Derby* (except the parishes of *Boyleston*, *Doveridge*—with its detached part—*Marston Montgomery*, *Somershall Herbert*, and *Sudbury*—with its detached parts), *Hertford*, *Huntingdon*, the *Isle of Ely*, *Leicester*, the *Parts of Holland*, *Kesteven*, and *Lindsey Divisions of Lincolnshire*, *Nottingham* (except the parishes of *Finningley* and *Mission*), *Rutland*, and the *Soke of Peterborough*;

The county boroughs of *Derby*, *Grimsby*, *Leicester*, *Lincoln* and *Nottingham*;

The parishes of *Linslade*, *Grove*, *Slapton*, *Edlesborough*, *Ivinghoe*, *Pitstone*, *Cheddington*, *Marsworth*, and *Mentmore*, in the administrative county of *Buckingham*;

The parishes of *Little Hallingbury*, *Great Hallingbury*, *Birchanger*, *Stansted Mountfichet*, *Farnham*, *Manuden*, *Berden*, *Ugley*, *Elsenham*, and *Henham*, in the administrative county of *Essex*; and

The petty sessional division of *Little Bowden* and the parishes of *Easton-on-the-Hill*, *Collyweston*, *Duddington*, *Wakerley*, *Harringworth*, *Bulwick*, *Blatherwycke*, *Laxton*, *Fineshade*, *King's Cliffe*, *Apethorpe*, *Nassington*, and *Yarwell*, in the administrative county of *Northampton* (16 June, 1917). See also under *Suffolk*, *Berkshire*, &c., and *Yorkshire (West Riding)*, &c.

Berkshire, &c.—An Area comprising the administrative counties of *Berks*, *Buckingham* (except the parishes of *Linslade*, *Grove*, *Slapton*, *Edlesborough*, *Ivinghoe*, *Pitstone*, *Cheddington*, *Marsworth*, and *Mentmore*), *Chester*, *Dorset*, *Gloucester* (except the parishes of *Bromsberrow*, *Dymock*, *Kempley*, *Preston near Ledbury*, *Hewelsfield*, *Lancaut*, *St. Briavels*, *Tidenham*, *Woolaston*, *Staunton and Alvington*), the *Isle of Wight*, *Middlesex*, *Northampton* (except the petty sessional division of *Little Bowden* and the parishes of *Easton-on-the-Hill*, *Collyweston*, *Duddington*, *Wakerley*, *Harringworth*, *Bulwick*, *Blatherwycke*, *Laxton*, *Fineshade*, *King's Cliffe*, *Apethorpe*, *Nassington*, and *Yarwell*), *Oxford*, *Salop* (except the parish of *Brompton* and *Rhaston*, and such parts of the parish of *Chirbury* as lie to the west of the *River Camlad*), *Somerset*, *Southampton*, *Stafford*, *Warwick*, *Wilts*, and *Worcester*;

The county boroughs of *Bath*, *Birkenhead*, *Bournemouth*, *Bristol*, *Burton-upon-Trent*, *Chester*, *Coventry*, *Dudley*, *Gloucester*, *Northampton*, *Oxford*, *Portsmouth*, *Reading*, *Smethwick*, *Southampton*, *Stockport*, *Stoke-upon-Trent*, *Wallasey*, *Walsall*, *West Bromwich*, *Wolverhampton*, and *Worcester*.

The petty sessional division of *Upper Chirk* (except such parts of the parish of *Llangadwaladr* as lie to the north of a line

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

commencing at the boundary of that parish at Tomen y Gwyddel and proceeding westward along the fence following the watershed by Llyn Gloyubach and Pen Llyn Gloyw to the boundary between the parishes of Llangadwaladr and Llanarmon Dyffryn Ceiriog on Bryn Du) and that part of the parish of Glyn Traian which lies to the south of the River Ceiriog, in the administrative county of Denbigh;

The parishes of Boyleston, Doveridge (including its detached part), Marston Montgomery, Somershall Herbert, and Sudbury (including its detached parts), in the administrative county of Derby;

The petty sessional division of Overton, in the administrative county of Flint;

The borough of Llanfyllin, and the parishes of Hyssington, Snead; Aston, Castlewright, Llangynog, Hirnant, Pennant, Llanrhaiadr - yn - Mochnant, Llanfechain, Llansaintffraid Pool, Llansaintffraid Deythur, Careghofa, Llandrinio, Llandysilio, Criggion, Bausley, Llanwddyn, Llanfihangel-yng-ngwynfa, and Meifod (except the portion which lies to the south of that part of the River Vyrnwy between the Broniarth Bridge and New Bridge Mechain, and also except such portion as lies to the south-east of a line commencing at the junction of the road from Castlehill-lane to the Fighting Cocks Inn with the southern boundary of the parish, and proceeding thence in a westerly direction by that road via the Fighting Cocks Inn and the main road from Sarnau to Geuffordd to the junction near Waen Cottage of the latter road with the road leading north-westward to Pont Ysgawrhwyd, thence following that road to Pont Ysgawrhwyd, and thence following the southern bank of Afon Vyrnwy to its junction near Celynog with the southern boundary of the parish), in the administrative county of Montgomery; and

The parishes of Chithurst, Elsted, Farnhurst, Harting, Iping, Linch, Linchmere, Rogate, Stedham, Terwick, Trotton (including its detached part), Woolbeding; Treyford, Didling, and Bepton, in the administrative county of West Sussex (31 July, 1917).—See also under Bedfordshire, &c., and also under Anglesey, &c.

Breconshire.—See under Anglesey, &c.

Buckinghamshire.—See under Berks, &c., and also under Bedfordshire, &c.

Cambridgeshire.—See under Bedfordshire, &c., and also under Suffolk.

Cardiganshire.—See under Anglesey, &c.

Carmarthenshire.—See under Anglesey, &c.

Carnarvonshire.—See under Anglesey, &c.

Cheshire.—See under Berks, &c.

Cornwall, &c.—An Area comprising the administrative counties of Cornwall and Devon and the county boroughs of Exeter and Plymouth (16 June, 1917)

Cumberland.—See under Scotland, &c.

Denbighshire.—See under Anglesey, &c., and also under Berks, &c.

Derbyshire.—See under Bedfordshire, &c., and also under Berks, &c.

Devonshire.—See under Cornwall, &c.

Dorsetshire.—See under Berks, &c.

Durham, &c.—An Area comprising the administrative counties of Durham, the East Riding of Yorkshire, and the North Riding of Yorkshire (except the parishes of Langthorpe, Milby, Ellenthorpe, Kirby Hill, Humberton, Thornton Bridge, Marton-le-Moor, Norton-le-Clay, Cundall with Lecky, Dishforth, Asenby, Rainton with Newby, Hutton Conyers, Melmerby, Wath, Norton Conyers, Middleton Quernhow, Sutton Howgrave, Howgrave, East Tanfield and West Tanfield); and also comprising the county boroughs of Darlington, Gateshead, South Shields, Sunderland, West Hartlepool, Kingston-upon-Hull, and Middlesbrough (16 June, 1917).—See also under Yorkshire (West Riding), &c.

Essex.—An Area comprising the administrative county of Essex (excluding the parishes of Little Hallingbury, Great Hallingbury, Birchanger, Stansted Mountfitchet, Farnham, Manuden, Berden, Ugley, Elsenham, and Henham); and also comprising the county borough of Southend-on-Sea (15 March 1915).—See also under Bedfordshire, &c., and under London.

Flintshire.—See under Anglesey, &c., and also under Berks, &c.

Glamorgan.—See under Anglesey, &c.

Gloucestershire.—See under Berks, &c., and also under Anglesey, &c.

Hampshire.—See under Southampton.

Herefordshire.—See under Anglesey, &c.

Hertfordshire.—See under Bedfordshire, &c.

Huntingdonshire.—See under Bedfordshire, &c.

Isle of Ely.—See under Bedfordshire, &c.

Isle of Wight.—See under Berks, &c.

Kent, &c.—An Area comprising the administrative county of Kent and the city and county borough of Canterbury; the administrative county of Surrey (except the parishes of Crowhurst, Lingfield, and Horne; so much of the parish of Tandridge as lies to the south of the South-Eastern Railway—old main line—and to the east of Tandridge Lane; and so much of the parish of Godstone, including its detached part, as lies to the south of a line commencing at the junction of Danemore Lane and Tandridge Lane, and proceeding thence in a westerly direction via Danemore Lane, the Roman Road, Byers Lane, the northern boundary fence of Hookstile House and the orchard on the western side of Hookstile House to the boundary between the parishes of Godstone and Horne); and the county borough of Croydon (16 June, 1917).—See also under Sussex.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1914—*continued*.

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

Lancashire.—An Area comprising the administrative county of Lancaster—*except the petty sessional divisions of North Lonsdale and Hawkshead (including its detached part)*; and also comprising the county boroughs of Blackburn, Blackpool, Bolton, Bootle, Burnley, Bury, Liverpool, Manchester, Oldham, Preston, Rochdale, St. Helens, Salford, Southport, Warrington, and Wigan (16 June, 1917).—*See also under Scotland, &c.*

Leicestershire.—*See under Bedfordshire, &c.*

Lincolnshire.—*See under Bedfordshire, &c.*

London.—An Area comprising the administrative county of London, the city of London, the county boroughs of East Ham and West Ham (1 June, 1908).

Merionethshire.—*See under Anglesey.*

Middlesex.—*See under Berks.*

Monmouthshire.—*See under Anglesey.*

Montgomeryshire.—*See under Anglesey, &c., and also under Berks, &c.*

†**Norfolk.**—An Area comprising the administrative county of Norfolk, and the county boroughs of Norwich and Great Yarmouth (20 March, 1915).

Northamptonshire.—*See under Berks, &c., and also under Bedfordshire, &c.*

Northumberland.—*See under Scotland, &c.*

Nottinghamshire.—*See under Bedfordshire, &c., and also under Yorkshire (West Riding), &c.*

Oxfordshire.—*See under Berks, &c.*

Pembrokeshire.—*See under Anglesey, &c.*

Radnorshire.—*See under Anglesey, &c.*

Rutland.—*See under Bedfordshire, &c.*

Salop.—*See under Berks, &c., and also under Anglesey, &c.*

Scotland.—An Area comprising Scotland (*except the counties of Ayr and Wigton, and the burghs of Ayr, Irvine, and Kilmarnock*);

The administrative counties of Cumberland, Northumberland (including the borough of Berwick-upon-Tweed), and Westmorland;

The county boroughs of Barrow-in-Furness, Carlisle, and Tynemouth;

The petty sessional divisions of North Lonsdale and Hawkshead (*including its detached part*), in the administrative county of Lancaster; and

The parishes of Dent, Garsdale, and Sedburgh, in the administrative county of the West Riding of Yorkshire (16 June, 1917).—*See also under Ayrshire, &c.*

Soke of Peterborough.—*See under Bedfordshire, &c.*

Somerset.—*See under Berks, &c.*

Southampton.—*See under Berks, &c.*

Staffordshire.—*See under Berks, &c.*

Suffolk.—An Area comprising the administrative counties of East Suffolk and West

Suffolk, and the county borough of Ipswich; and also comprising the parishes of Kirtling, Borough Green, Westley Waterless, Brinkley, Carlton-cum-Willingham, Weston Colville, West Wrattling, Balsham, West Wickham, Horseheath, Bartlow, Shudy Camps and Castle Camps, in the administrative county of Cambridge (17 November, 1911).

Surrey.—*See under Kent, &c., and also under Sussex.*

Sussex.—An Area comprising the administrative counties of East Sussex and West Sussex (*except the parishes of Chithurst, Elsted, Farnhurst, Harting, Iping, Linch, Linchmere, Rogate, Stedham, Terwick, Trotton—including its detached part—Woolbeding, Treyford, Didling, and Bepton, in the administrative county of West Sussex*), and the county boroughs of Brighton, Eastbourne, and Hastings; and also comprising the parishes of Crowhurst, Lingfield, and Horne; so much of the parish of Tandridge as lies to the south of the South Eastern Railway (old main line) and to the east of Tandridge Lane; and so much of the parish of Godstone, including its detached part, as lies to the south of a line commencing at the junction of Danemore Lane and Tandridge Lane, and proceeding thence in a westerly direction via Danemore Lane, the Roman Road, Byers Lane, the northern boundary fence of Hookstile House, and the orchard on the western side of Hookstile House to the boundary between the parishes of Godstone and Horne, in the administrative county of Surrey (31 October, 1911).—*See under Berks, &c.*

Warwickshire.—*See under Berks, &c.*

Westmorland.—*See under Scotland.*

Wiltshire.—*See under Berks, &c.*

Worcestershire.—*See under Berks, &c.*

Yorkshire (East Riding).—*See under Durham, &c.*

Yorkshire (North Riding).—*See under Durham, &c., and also under Yorkshire (West Riding), &c.*

Yorkshire (West Riding), &c.—An Area comprising the administrative county of the West Riding of the county of York (*except the parishes of Dent, Garsdale and Sedburgh*) and the county boroughs of Barnsley, Bradford, Wakefield, Halifax, Huddersfield, Leeds, Rotherham, Sheffield, Dewsbury, and York; the parishes of Finningley and Misson, in the administrative county of Nottingham; and the parishes of Langthorpe, Milby, Ellenthorpe, Kirby Hill, Humberton, Thcruton Bridge, Marton-le-Moor, Norton-le-Clay, Cundall with Leckby, Dishforth, Asenby, Rainton with Newby, Hutton Conyers, Melmerby, Wath, Norton Conyers, Middleton Quernhow, Sutton Howgrave, Howgrave, East Tanfield and West Tanfield, in the administrative county of the North Riding of the county of York (5 June, 1917).—*See also under Scotland.*

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1914—*continued*.

The following boroughs are subject to Special Orders relating to Swine-Fever:—City of Birmingham, city of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

In the case of Birmingham, the movement of swine into the borough by railway is not affected. In the case of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the movement of swine out of, but not into, the borough is affected.

RETURN OF OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASES for the Week ended
22nd December, 1917.

ANTHRAX.

Counties (including all Boroughs therein*).	Outbreaks confirmed.	Animals attacked.					
		Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Horses.	Dogs.	
ENGLAND.		No.	No.	No	No.	No.	No.
Huntingdon	1	...	...	1	...	...
Lancaster	1	1	...	...	...	...
Norfolk... ..	2	2	...	...	...	...
York, East Riding	1	1	...	...	...	...
„ North „	1	1	...	...	...	...
SCOTLAND.							
Ayr	1	2	...	...	...	...
Lanark	1	1	...	...	...	...
Roxburgh	1	1	...	...	...	...
Wigtown	1	1	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	10	10	...	1	...	...

SHEEP-SCAB.

Counties (including all Boroughs therein*).	Outbreaks reported by the Local Authorities.
ENGLAND.	
	No.
Chester	1
Derby	1
Monmouth	1
Somerset	1
Warwick	3
WALES.	
Cardigan	8
Merioneth	1
SCOTLAND.	
Aberdeen... ..	1
Bute	1
Inverness	2
Stirling	1
TOTAL	21

* For convenience Berwick-upon-Tweed is considered to be in Northumberland, Dudley in Worcestershire, Stockport in Cheshire, and the city of London in the county of London.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 to 1914—*continued*.

RETURNS OF OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASES for the week ended
22nd December, 1917—*continued*.

PARASITIC MANGE.

Counties (including all Boroughs therein*).	Outbreaks reported by the Local Authorities.	Animals Attacked.	Counties (including all Boroughs therein*).	Outbreaks reported by the Local Authorities.	Animals Attacked.
ENGLAND.	No.	No.	ENGLAND.	No.	No.
Berks	1	3	Notts	1	1
Buckingham	2	3	Suffolk	3	3
Chester ... ..	...	3	Surrey	5	9
Devon	1	1	Warwick	1	5
Durham	3	3	Wilts	1	2
Essex	1	2	Worcester	1	1
Gloucester	1	1	York, North Riding	1	4
Hants	2	4	" West " 	3	7
Hertford	3	10			
Kent	3	5			
Lancaster	4	7			
Lincoln, parts of Lindsey	1	1	SCOTLAND.		
London	11	30	Argyll	1	2
Middlesex	1	2	Lanark	9	18
Norfolk	1	1			
Northumberland	1	1			
			TOTAL	62	129

* For convenience Berwick-upon-Tweed is considered to be in Northumberland, Dudley in Worcestershire, Stockport in Cheshire, and the city of London in the county of London.

SUMMARY OF RETURNS.

Period.	Anthrax.		Foot-and-Mouth Disease.		Glanders (including Farcy).§		Parasitic Mange.†		Sheep Scab.	Swine-Fever.	
	Outbreaks con- firmed.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks con- firmed.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks reported by the Local Authorities.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks reported by the Local Authorities.	Animals attacked.	Outbreaks reported by the Local Authorities.	Outbreaks con- firmed.	Swine slaughtered or as diseased or exposed to in- fection.
Week ended Dec. 22nd, 1917 ...	No. 10	No. 11	No. ...	No. ...	No. ...	No. ...	No. 62	No. 129	No. 21	No. 22	No. 1
Corresponding week in { 1916 ...	15	20	...	...	...	2	42	91	27	75	36
{ 1915 ...	10	10	...	...	1	1	40	105	22	61	225
{ 1914 ...	18	20	3	42	1	5	—	—	15	77	361
Total for 51 weeks, 1917 ...	417	474	...	...	24	55	2,477	4,613	521	2,081	864
Corresponding period in { 1916 ...	538	642	1	24	46	117	2,063	4,534	345	4,239	9,119
{ 1915 ...	566	632	56	702	49	85	879	1,908	238	3,913	16,434
{ 1914 ...	710	775	27	166	97	286	1,530	2,642	218	4,298	39,078

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

† The Parasitic Mange Order of 1911 was suspended from 6th August, 1914, to 27th March, 1915, inclusive.

§ Excluding outbreaks in Army horses.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, 25th December, 1917.

Average Price of BRITISH WHEAT, BARLEY and OATS, per Quarter of Eight Bushels (Imperial Measure), as received by the Board of Agriculture and Fisheries from the Inspectors of Corn Returns at each of the undermentioned Towns during the week ended Saturday, the 22nd December, 1917.

Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Bedfordshire :—				Hampshire :—			
Bedford ...	70 8	56 8	...	Andover ...	70 7	57 0	42 6
Luton ...	69 6	54 5	42 1	Basingstoke ...	68 9	56 4	42 0
Berkshire :—				Fareham ...	69 4	55 11	41 9
Abingdon ...	70 11	57 0	...	Newport ...	...	59 2	...
Hungerford ...	70 8	56 3	42 3	Southampton ...	63 8	60 2	41 9
Newbury ...	71 0	56 7	44 2	Winchester ...	...	...	42 1
Reading ...	70 8	53 10	45 6	Herefordshire :—			
Wallingford ...	65 9	56 7	...	Hereford ...	71 2	56 11	50 3
Buckinghamshire :—				Ross ...	70 6	56 1	42 0
Aylesbury ...	70 11	56 2	43 3	Hertfordshire :—			
Newport Pagnell ...	70 3	56 6	43 11	Bishop's Stortford ...	70 10	57 8	...
Cambridgeshire :—				Hertford ...	70 6	58 5	...
Cambridge ...	70 6	58 4	...	Hitchin ...	70 2	58 5	43 3
Ely ...	70 8	57 8	...	Royston ...	70 4	59 7	37 2
Wisbech ...	71 1	56 3	42 0	Huntingdonshire :—			
Cheshire :—				St. Ives ...	70 8	57 3	42 0
Chester ...	70 11	...	42 0	St. Neots ...	70 5	56 1	...
Cornwall :—				Kent :—			
Truro ...	65 2	54 0	41 4	Ashford ...	71 1	56 2	...
Wadebridge ...	69 1	55 9	41 10	Canterbury ...	71 6	60 5	...
Cumberland :—				Maidstone ...	71 4	58 10	...
Carlisle ...	...	...	41 6	Rochester ...	70 8	59 7	...
Penrith ...	Nil.	...	...	Sandwich ...	Nil.	...	...
Derbyshire :—				Lancashire :—			
Derby ...	70 11	60 1	47 5	Manchester ...	71 11	...	43 2
Devonshire :—				Warrington ...	70 11	...	...
Barnstaple ...	71 10	56 1	...	Leicestershire :—			
Exeter ...	70 11	59 11	42 8	Leicester ...	73 4	56 9	51 11
Kingsbridge ...	70 10	58 3	42 0	Loughborough ...	70 10	57 2	41 6
Newton Abbot ...	Nil.	...	...	Melton Mowbray ...	69 11	56 11	...
Okehampton ...	Nil.	...	...	Lincolnshire :—			
Plymouth ...	70 3	56 9	42 2	Boston ...	70 9	56 6	42 1
Tiverton ...	Nil.	61 9	...	Brigg ...	70 11	58 0	...
Totnes ...	70 5	59 8	41 9	Gainsborough ...	70 11	57 6	42 1
Dorsetshire :—				Grantham ...	70 10	56 10	...
Blandford ...	70 11	58 2	...	Lincoln ...	70 7	58 2	45 0
Bridport ...	70 8	57 7	42 1	Louth ...	71 0	56 4	...
Dorchester ...	71 0	60 1	...	Spalding ...	70 11	57 8	...
Wareham ...	Nil.	...	...	Spalding ...	70 11	56 3	42 0
Wimborne ...	70 8	59 3	42 0	Stamford ...	71 6	57 4	43 0
Durham :—				London :—			
Darlington ...	71 0	59 0	42 0	London ...	71 8	58 4	43 1
Stockton-on-Tees ...	71 9	57 11	42 1	Middlesex :—			
Sunderland ...	70 2	56 4	...	Uxbridge ...	71 8	56 11	...
Essex :—				Monmouthshire :—			
Braintree ...	70 7	56 5	...	Abergavenny ...	70 11	56 5	...
Chelmsford ...	71 1	57 2	42 1	Chepstow ...	70 2	56 1	41 0
Colchester ...	71 1	56 5	42 1	Newport ...	70 5	56 0	42 0
Romford ...	70 11	...	41 2	Norfolk :—			
Saffron Walden ...	71 1	56 1	...	Diss ...	71 4	55 5	...
Gloucestershire :—				East Dereham ...	71 2	58 9	42 2
Cheltenham ...	71 5	59 1	...	Fakenham ...	66 9	57 3	...
Cirencester ...	70 6	56 2	42 0	Harleston ...	70 10	56 4	...
Gloucester ...	71 7	56 4	42 0	Holt ...	70 11	56 0	43 10
Tewkesbury ...	72 0	62 8	...	Lynn ...	70 10	55 8	42 0
				North Walsham ...	70 11	54 9	...

Average Price of BRITISH WHEAT, BARLEY and OATS—continued.

Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Towns.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Norfolk—continued :—				Sussex :—			
Norwich	71 1	57 6	44 2	Brighton	70 6	...	...
Watton	70 11	53 3	42 0	Chichester	70 11	56 11	42 2
Yarmouth	71 7	56 3	42 0	Hayward's Heath	71 3	56 9	41 8
				Horsham	71 0	...	...
Northamptonshire :—				Lewes	71 7	...	42 0
Kettering	71 0	56 7	...	Warwickshire :—			
Northampton	70 7	56 11	42 1	Birmingham	71 9	60 4	42 1
Peterborough	71 8	57 8	42 1	Coventry ... ..	...	56 10	43 6
				Stratford-on-Avon	71 2	56 2	...
Northumberland :—				Warwick	71 3	56 5	42 2
Alnwick	Nil.	...	...	Wiltshire :—			
Berwick	70 9	59 11	50 1	Devizes	70 4	57 5	42 1
Newcastle-on-Tyne	71 0	59 0	50 2	Salisbury	70 11	58 3	42 0
				Swindon	70 9	55 11	...
Nottinghamshire :—				Warminster	65 0	54 5	...
Mansfield	71 3	56 6	42 9	Worcestershire :—			
Newark	70 11	58 3	45 8	Evesham	70 11	56 1	42 0
Nottingham	70 7	57 1	45 5	Worcester	71 7	56 9	42 2
Retford	70 11	57 1	41 11				
Worksop	Nil.	...	...	Yorkshire, E.R. :—			
Oxfordshire :—				Beverley	70 11	56 7	...
Banbury	70 9	56 7	42 0	Bridlington	70 11	56 5	42 0
Bicester ... ..	...	56 1	...	Driffield	71 0	59 8	42 0
Oxford	70 11	56 1	42 9	Hull	71 8	56 10	42 6
Shropshire :—				Yorkshire, N.R. :—			
Bridgnorth	71 0	54 11	42 1	Bedale	Nil.	...	...
Market Drayton	70 7	56 2	42 0	Malton	70 11	58 4	43 6
Oswestry	70 11	56 1	41 11	Northallerton ... ..	...	59 2	45 9
Shrewsbury	70 11	58 0	42 0	Scarborough	70 10	56 7	42 0
Somersetshire :—				Thirsk ... ..	...	58 5	...
Bath	Nil.	...	...	Yorkshire, W.R. :—			
Bridgwater	70 7	59 0	41 6	Doncaster	70 11	57 3	42 0
Bristol	71 8	57 6	...	Goole	71 4	57 6	42 0
Taunton	70 0	59 7	42 1	Knarborough	70 10	57 7	41 10
Yeovil	70 11	60 3	...	Leeds	71 10	59 1	43 11
Staffordshire :—				Pontefract	Nil.	...	...
Burton-on-Trent ... ..	...	59 6	...	Ripon	74 6	59 9	47 0
Stafford	70 6	56 4	...	Selby	70 11	57 3	42 0
Wolverhampton	70 3	57 0	41 8	Wakefield	71 10	...	...
Suffolk :—				York	71 7	58 1	41 8
Beccles	70 11	56 11	...	Anglesey :—			
Bungay	70 7	56 4	42 1	Llangefni ... ..	...	56 0	45 8
Bury St. Edmunds	71 7	57 5	41 11	Carnarvonshire :—			
Eye ... ..	...	61 1	...	Carnarvon	Nil.	...	...
Framlingham	Nil.	...	...	Denbighshire :—			
Hadleigh	71 0	56 10	...	Denbigh	69 10	57 9	42 1
Halesworth	70 2	56 8	...	Wrexham	Nil.	...	...
Haverhill	70 11	58 11	...				
Ipswich	71 6	56 10	46 7	Glamorgan :—			
Saxmundham	70 7	55 11	42 2	Cardiff	Nil.	...	...
Stowmarket	71 6	56 11	...	Montgomeryshire :—			
Sudbury	71 0	56 6	...	Welshpool	71 0	56 1	41 9
Woodbridge	70 6	58 2	...	Pembrokeshire :—			
Surrey :—				Haverfordwest	74 3	52 3	40 9
Farnham	Nil.	...	...		
Guildford ... ..	...	59 11	...				
Redhill	71 3	...	...		

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 22nd December, 1917, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882:

British Corn.					Quantities Sold.		Average Price.	
					Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
WHEAT	...	...	...	...	80,148	6	71	1
BARLEY	...	...	...	...	89,776	4	57	7
OATS	...	...	...	...	20,422	4	44	2

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the Corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1910 to 1916.

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.
1910	...	...	...	37,608	5	55,644	7	14,049	2
1911	...	...	...	42,256	3	23,335	3	12,103	6
1912	...	...	...	32,632	1	61,849	4	12,343	1
1913	...	...	...	64,804	5	95,587	7	18,845	2
1914	...	...	...	64,161	0	95,217	1	32,576	4
1915	...	...	...	80,026	3	50,432	4	32,702	7
1916	...	...	...	73,341	4	111,733	6	32,985	6

* 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. HENRY REW,
Assistant Secretary.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,
3, St. James's Square, London, S.W. 1.
22nd December, 1917.

A Separate Building, duly certified for religious worship, named **ST. JOSEPH'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH**, situated at Woodlands-road, Ansdell, in the civil parish of Lytham, in the county of Lancaster, in Fylde registration district, was, on the 5th day of December, 1917, registered for solemnizing marriages therein, pursuant to 6th and 7th Wm. IV, c. 85.—Dated the 21st December, 1917.

FRED. H. BROWN, Superintendent Registrar.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the **FOXHOUND** £2 10s. **LOAN SOCIETY**, Register No. 886, held at the Dolphin Hotel, North Church-street, Nottingham, in the county of Nottingham, is dissolved by Instrument, registered at this office, the 14th day of December, 1917, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears proceedings be commenced by member or other person interested in, or having a claim on, the funds of the Society, to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

G. STUART ROBERTSON, Chief Registrar.

Dean Stanley-street, Westminster,
the 14th day of December, 1917.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the **LOYAL HENRY JAMES LESLEY FREE FRIENDLY SOCIETY**, Register No. 2495, held at the Schoolroom, Great Barugh, Pickering, in the county of York, is dissolved by Instrument, registered at this office, the 19th day of December, 1917, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in, or having any claim on, the funds of the Society, to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

G. STUART ROBERTSON, Chief Registrar.

Dean Stanley-street, Westminster,
the 19th day of December, 1917.

Friendly Societies Act, 1896.

Advertisement of Dissolution by Instrument.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the **ST. AUGUSTINE'S UNITED ASSURANCE SICK AND BURIAL SOCIETY**, Register No. 3391, held at the Schoolroom, Little Howard-street, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, is dissolved by Instrument, registered at this office, the 14th day of December, 1917, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in, or having any claim on, the funds of the Society, to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

G. STUART ROBERTSON, Chief Registrar.

Dean Stanley-street, Westminster,
the 14th day of December, 1917.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.

Mr. Justice Astbury.

1917 G. 079.

In the Matter of the **GUAYULE RUBBER COMPANY** Limited and Reduced, and in the Matter of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a petition presented to the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, on the 29th day of November, 1917, for confirming the proposed reduction of the capital of the above named Company from £400,000 to £120,000 by cancelling capital which has been lost or is unrepre-

sented by available assets, is directed to be heard before Mr. Justice Neville on Friday, the 11th day of January, 1918. Any creditor or shareholder desiring to oppose the making of an order for a reduction of the capital of the said Company under the above Act may appear at the time of hearing, by himself or his Counsel, for that purpose. Such person is required to give two clear days' notice in writing of his intention to appear, with the ground of his objections, to the undersigned, the Solicitors of the Company. A copy of the petition will be furnished to any such person requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.—Dated the 21st day of December, 1917.

SPEECHLY, MUMFORD and CRAIG, 10, New-square, Lincoln's Inn, London, W.C., Solicitors for the Company.

Extraordinary Resolution of the **BRITISH AND IRISH CATERING COMPANY** Limited.

Passed 19th December, 1917.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at the registered office of the Company, No. 1, Claro-terrace, Earl's Court, in the county of London, on the 19th day of December, 1917, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this Meeting that the Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable that the same should be wound up, and that accordingly the Company be wound up voluntarily; and that Mr. Owen Ward, of the Coleherne Hotel, Earl's Court, S.W., be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up, at a fee of twenty-five guineas, plus out-of-pocket expenses.

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J. S. GUBBINS, Chairman.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917, and in the Matter of **LIONEL SMITH & CO.** Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at 12, Coleman-street, in the city of London, on the 21st day of December, 1917, the following Extraordinary Resolution was duly passed, viz.:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the Company that this Company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is desirable that the same should be wound up voluntarily, and that the Company be wound up accordingly; and that Lionel Smith, of Hampden Club, Phoenix-street, in the county of London, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator of the Company for the purposes of such winding-up."

090

LIONEL SMITH, Chairman.

NATIONAL PROVINCIAL ELECTRICITY CORPORATION Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at 118, Queen Victoria-street, in the city of London, on the 25th day of October, 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place, on the 5th day of December, 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily; and that Mr. Septimus Gillatt, F.C.A., of Balfour House, Finsbury-pavement, in the city of London, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

001

W. J. MOGGRIDGE, Chairman.

In the Matter of **KIDD & DUNTON** Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened, and held at the registered office of the Company, St. John's, Maddermarket, Norwich, in the county of

Norfolk, on the 30th day of November, 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place, on the 15th day of December, 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

Resolved.

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily; and that Mr. Charles Larking, of Norwich, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the Company."

005 W. MOORE, Chairman of the Meetings.

In the Matter of the BLOXHAM IRONSTONE COMPANY Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at the Queen's Hotel, Birmingham, on the 5th day of December, 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place, on the 20th day of December, 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed, viz.:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily; and that Charles Ferguson Walkley, of 115, Colmore-row, Birmingham, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

068 N. W. KIDNER, Chairman.

WEBSTER & BARRACLOUGH Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at Wolviston Hall, Stockton-on-Tees, on the 4th day of December, 1917, the following Special Resolution was passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at Wolviston Hall, Stockton-on-Tees, on the 19th day of December, 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

Resolution.

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily; and that Mr. Herbert S. Squance, of 26, John-street, Sunderland, Chartered Accountant, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

014 ERNEST A. WEBSTER, Chairman of Meeting.

SAWLEY TEXTILES Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at 7A, Boulevard Works, Radford, Nottingham, in the county of Notts, on the 23rd day of November, 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place, on the 12th day of December, 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily; and that Mr. John Henry Rogers, of 121, Colmore-row, Birmingham, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

076 EDITH LOCKWOOD, Chairman.

In the Matter of G. H. WILLS & CORY Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company, duly convened, and held at the registered office of the Company, No. 49, Mount Stuart-square, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, on the 28th day of November, 1917, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place, on the 14th day of December, 1917, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

Resolved.

1. "That the Company be wound up voluntarily; and that George Henry Wills, of 49, Mount Stuart-square, in the city of Cardiff, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator to conduct such winding-up."

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2. "That the Liquidator be and is hereby authorized to negotiate and settle the affairs of the Company in such manner as he may deem necessary or advisable, and, after meeting all outstanding claims and liabilities, to distribute the surplus assets among the Members of the Company in proportion to their respective interests therein."

006 GEO. H. WILLS, Chairman of the Meetings.

The Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.

Special Resolution of JAMES CLEGG (ROCHDALE) Limited.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, duly convened, and held at Crown Chambers, 36, Yorkshire-street, Rochdale, in the county of Lancaster, on the 3rd day of December, 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on the 19th day of December, 1917, the following Special Resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Ernest James Wolstenholme, of Crown Chambers, 36, Yorkshire-street, Rochdale aforesaid, be appointed Liquidator of the Company."

Dated this 19th day of December, 1917.

060 T. W. WILD, Chairman.

The Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913.

The BRITISH AND IRISH CATERING COMPANY Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at No. 1, Claro-terrace, Earl's Court, in the county of London, on Monday, the 7th day of January, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon.

—Dated this 21st day of December, 1917.

035 OWEN WARD, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, and in the Matter of RAINHAM CHEMICAL WORKS Limited. (In Voluntary Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the creditors of the above mentioned Company will be held at the offices of the Liquidator, 44, Bedford-row, W.C. 1, on Tuesday, the 1st day of January, 1918, at 10.30 in the forenoon.

034 JAMES E. WARD, Liquidator.

The M. & S. POULTRY MEAL COMPANY Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at the offices of Messrs. Viney, Price and Goodyear, Chartered Accountants, 99, Cheapside, London, E.C., on Friday, the 4th day of January, 1918, at 12 o'clock noon.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

015 HORACE E. SIER, Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913.

In the Matter of WEBSTER AND BARRACLOUGH Limited.

IN pursuance of section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, a meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at the office of Mr. Herbert Salisbury Squance, No. 26, John-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Chartered Accountant, the Liquidator of the said Company, on Friday, the 4th day of January, 1918, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purposes provided for in the said section.—Dated the 20th day of December, 1917.

016 H. S. SQUANCE, Liquidator.

SAWLEY TEXTILES Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at the Victoria Hotel, Nottingham, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of January, 1918, at 11.45 o'clock in the morning.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1917.

079

J. H. ROGERS, Liquidator.

GEORGE JENNINGS PEYTON & COMPANY Limited. (In Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at 20, Craven-road, London, W., on the fourth day of January, 1918, at 2.30 o'clock p.m., for the purposes provided in the said section.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1917.

080

JOSEPH STEPHENSON, Liquidator.

WAGSTAFF'S Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at 89, Mostyn-street, Llandudno, on Monday, the seventh day of January, 1918, at three o'clock in the afternoon.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1917.

077

M. L. WAGSTAFF, Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913.

Notice of Meeting of Creditors.

In the Matter of the BELGRAVE ROLLER SKATING RINK Limited. (In Voluntary Liquidation.)

PURSUANT to section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, a Meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at the offices of Messrs. Newby, Dove and Co., No. 10, Gallowtree-gate, Leicester, on Friday, the 4th day of January, 1918, at 5 in the afternoon. Any person claiming to be a creditor and desiring to be present should at once inform me, the undersigned, Samuel Arthur Dove, at my address, 10, Gallowtree-gate, Leicester aforesaid.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1917.

078

SAMUEL ARTHUR DOVE, Liquidator.

LIONEL SMITH & CO. Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at 56, Spencer-street, Birmingham, on the 7th day of January, 1918, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1917.

091

LIONEL SMITH, Liquidator.

The Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.

Notice of Meeting of Creditors.

JAMES CLEGG (ROCHDALE) Limited.

(In Voluntary Liquidation.)

PURSUANT to section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, a Meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at Crown Chambers, 36, Yorkshire-street, Rochdale, on the 4th day of January, 1918, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purposes provided for in the said section.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

061

E. J. WOLSTENHOLME, Liquidator.

The BLOXHAM IRONSTONE COMPANY Limited.

(In Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at the office of the Liquidator,

115, Colmore-row, Birmingham, on the 9th day of January, 1918, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purposes provided for in the said section.—Dated the 20th day of December, 1917.

070

CHARLES F. WALKLEY, Liquidator.

The WESTMINSTER GLASS & FURNACE CO. Ltd. (In Voluntary Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, of 1908, that a Meeting of creditors of the above named Company will be held at 39, Victoria-street, S.W., on Thursday, the 27th day of December, 1917, at 12 o'clock noon.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1917.

069

W. T. CUNNINGHAM, Liquidator.

The Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.

In the Matter of J. S. AMBROSE & COMPANY Limited. (In Voluntary Liquidation.)

PURSUANT to section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, notice is hereby given, that a Meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at 83, The Exchange, Cardiff, at noon, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of January, 1918, for the purposes provided for in the said section. Notice is also hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 8th day of February, 1918, to send in their names and addresses, and particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to Herbert Whitaker, of Post Office Chambers, Cardiff Docks, the Liquidator of the Company; and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors or personally, to come in and prove their debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 18th day of December, 1917.

081

HERBERT WHITAKER, Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913.

The "EAST WALES" STEAMSHIP COMPANY Limited.

PURSUANT to section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, notice is hereby given, that a Meeting of the creditors of the above named Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, Merthyr House, James-street, Docks, Cardiff, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of January, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purposes provided for in the said section. And notice is also hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 13th day of February, 1918, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to Mr. Henry Alfred Bartlett, of Merthyr House, James-street, Docks, Cardiff, the Liquidator of the said Company; and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors or personally, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1917.

VAUGHAN and ROCHE, 31, West Bute-street, Cardiff, Solicitors for the said Liquidator.

093

In the Matter of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, and in the Matter of F. FORRESTER AND SON Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company, which is being voluntarily wound up, are required, on or before the 31st day of January, 1918, to send in their Christian and surnames, their addresses and descriptions, and full

particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to the undersigned, R. J. Knight, of 3, Raymond-buildings, Gray's Inn, London, W.C. 1, Chartered Accountant, the Liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, personally or by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

019

R. J. KNIGHT, Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913.

The CRAIG YR HESG QUARRIES Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 31st day of January, 1918, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any) to George Charles King, of 110, Edmund-street, Birmingham, Incorporated Accountant, the Liquidator of the said Company; and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors or personally, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1917.

C. UPFILL JAGGER, 4, Waterloo-street, Birmingham, Solicitor to the Liquidator.

017

The Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913.

In the Matter of WEBSTER & BARRACLOUGH Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before Friday, the 1st day of February, 1918, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to Mr. Herbert Salisbury Squance, of No. 26, John-street, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, Chartered Accountant, the Liquidator of the said Company; and, if so required, by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

TURNBULL and TILLY, West Hartlepool, Solicitors to the above named Liquidator.

018

LORD TREDEGAR STEAMSHIP COMPANY Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 5th day of January, 1918, to send in their names and addresses, with particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to the undersigned, Thomas Henry Mordey, of Dominion Buildings, Cardiff, the Liquidator of the said Company; and, if so required, by notice in writing by the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors or personally, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1917.

082

THOS. H. MORDEY, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, and in the Matter of JOSEPH ELISHA Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company, which is being wound up voluntarily, are required, on or before the 22nd January, 1918, being the day for that purpose fixed by the undersigned, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or

claims, and the names and addresses of their Solicitors (if any), to Albert Edward Quaife, of 155, Fenchurch-street, London, E.C., the Liquidator of the said Company, and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

STANLEY EVANS and CO., 20 and 22, Theobald's-road, Bedford-row, London, W.C. 1, Solicitors for the above named Liquidator.

087

The Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.

Notice to Creditors.

JAMES CLEGG (ROCHDALE) Limited.

(In Voluntary Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that the creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 31st day of January, 1918, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of the debt or claims, to me, Ernest James Wolstenholme, of 36, Yorkshire-street, Rochdale, Incorporated Accountant, the Liquidator of the said Company, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debt or claims are made to me.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

062

E. J. WOLSTENHOLME, Liquidator.

The RUBBER SHARE TRUST & FINANCE COMPANY Limited. (In Liquidation.)

Mincing-lane House,
59, Eastcheap,
London, E.C.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, London, E.C., on Monday, the 28th day of January, 1918, at 11.45 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated the 22nd day of December, 1917.

036

F. C. RYCROFT, Liquidator.

CULLODEN TEA & RUBBER INVESTMENT COMPANY Limited. (In Liquidation.)

Mincing-lane House,
59, Eastcheap,
London, E.C.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at Winchester House, Old Broad-street, London, E.C., on Monday, the 28th day of January, 1918, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.—Dated the 22nd day of December, 1917.

037

F. C. RYCROFT, Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913.

In the Matter of the "GLENMAY" STEAMSHIP COMPANY Ltd.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the offices of Messieurs W. T. Walton and Son, Incorporated Accountants, Scarborough-street, West Hartlepool, in the county of Durham, on Thursday, the 31st day of January,

1918, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining, by Extraordinary Resolution, the manner in which the books, accounts and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

020

ROBERT LIVINGSTON, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913, and in the Matter of R. HENDEWERK & COMPANY Limited.

TAKE notice that, pursuant to section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at 32, Great Saint Helens, London, E.C., on the 31st day of January, 1918, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining, by Extraordinary Resolution, the manner in which the books, accounts and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator, shall be disposed of. As previously advertised, the business is being carried on by R. Hendewerk & Co.—Dated the 19th day of December, 1917.

054

R. J. VINING, Liquidator.

In the Matter of the MECHANICAL MANUFACTURING COMPANY Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at No. 52, Gray's Inn-road, London, W.C., on Thursday, the 31st day of January, 1918, at 12 o'clock noon precisely, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining, by Extraordinary Resolution, the manner in which the books, accounts and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1917.

002

JAMES ALISON, Liquidator.

The PERUVIAN MINING TRUST Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the above named Company will be held at 56, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on Thursday, the 31st day of January, 1918, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having the Liquidators' accounts, showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, laid before such Meeting, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators; and also of determining, by Extraordinary Resolution, the manner in which the books, accounts and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidators thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

072

J. DE CATELIN, } Joint
A. DANGERFIELD, } Liquidators.

Notice of Final Winding-up Meeting.

Pursuant to section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908.

In the Matter of ALLUVIALS Ltd.

(In Voluntary Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 195 (2) of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a General Meeting of the above named Company will be held at No. 8, Laurence Pountney-hill, Cannon-street, in the city of London, on Wednesday, the 30th day of January, 1918, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purposes of having laid before it an account, showing the manner in which the winding-up

has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation which may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining, by Extraordinary Resolution, the manner in which the books and papers of the Company, and of the Liquidator, shall be disposed of.—Dated the 20th day of December, 1917.

007

J. W. H. DEW, Liquidator.

The OVERSEAS PURCHASING COMPANY
Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of sec. 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at Carmelite House, Carmelite-street, in the city of London, on the 28th day of January, 1918, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining, by Extraordinary Resolution, the manner in which the books and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1917.

008

C. T. TRUEFIT, Liquidator.

In the Matter of JAMES, TALBOT & DAVISON Limited (whose business has been purchased by James, Talbot & Davison (1916) Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 195 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the offices of James, Talbot & Davison (1916) Limited, Freemantle-road, Lowestoft, on Saturday, the 26th January, 1918, at 7.45 p.m., for the purpose of having an account laid before them by the Liquidator, showing the manner in which the winding-up of the said Company has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining, by Extraordinary Resolution, the manner in which the books, accounts and documents of the Company, and of the Liquidator thereof, shall be disposed of.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1917.

083

STAN. A. WALLER, F.C.A., Liquidator.

The Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913.

NO. 3 RAILWAY HOTEL MUTUAL INVESTMENT SOCIETY Limited.

(In Voluntary Liquidation.)

NOTICE is hereby given, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above named Company will be held at the Society's registered office, viz., the Railway Hotel, 86, Blackburn-road, Accrington, on Monday, the 28th day of January, 1918, at eight o'clock in the evening precisely, to receive the report of the Liquidator, showing how the winding-up of the Company has been conducted and its property disposed of, to hear any explanation that may be furnished by the Liquidator, and to pass an Extraordinary Resolution as to the disposal of the books, accounts and documents of the Company.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1917.

084

JOSEPH GREENWOOD, Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between Robert Walker and William Townsend Dobson, carrying on business as Surgeons and General Medical Practitioners, at James-street, Cardiff, under the style or firm of "WALKER & DOBSON," has been dissolved as from the 15th day of December, 1917. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by the said Robert Walker.—Dated the 18th day of December, 1917.

085

ROBERT WALKER.
WILLIAM TOWNSEND DOBSON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, Arthur Stanley Bacon and Francis Howard Bacon, carrying on business as General Merchants, at Liverpool and Manchester, Sierra Leone and Lisbon, under the style or firm of "EDWARDS BROTHERS," has been dissolved by mutual consent as and from the thirtieth day of June, 1917. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said Francis Howard Bacon, who will continue the said business under the same style or firm as heretofore.—Dated this seventeenth day of December, 1917.

A. STANLEY BACON.
FRANCIS H. BACON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Partnership lately subsisting between us, the undersigned, Douglas Edward Godwin and Paul Cheung, carrying on business as Leather Dressers, Curriers and Leather Merchants, at 27, Sheep-street, Birmingham, Warwick, as GODWIN, PAUL & CO., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due to or owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by Mr. C. H. Godwin, of 27, Sheep-street, Birmingham.—As witness our hands this eleventh day of December, 1917.

D. E. GODWIN.
PAUL CHEUNG,

by Leopold G. Hill, his Attorney.

Re JOHN JAMES HALSALL, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of the above named, John James Halsall, late of Clovelly-road, Anfield, Liverpool, in the county of Lancaster, deceased (who died on the 9th day of June, 1917, and letters of administration to whose estate were granted at the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 21st day of November, 1917, to Sarah Ann Halsall), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said administratrix, on or before the 28th day of January, 1918, after which date the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice; and she will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 14th day of December, 1917.

LOUIS E. MENZIES and CO., 51, North John-street, Liverpool, Solicitors for the said Sarah Ann Halsall.

Re AMELIA BLOWEY, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act, 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Amelia Blowey, late of 6, Ford-park, Plymouth, in the county of Devon, Widow, deceased (who died on the 9th day of March, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 25th day of May, 1917, by Ambrose Andrews, of 6, St. Lawrence-road, Plymouth aforesaid, one of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said Ambrose Andrews, on or before the 25th day of January, 1918, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 18th day of December, 1917.

WEEKES and SON, 11, Frankfort-street, Plymouth, Solicitors for the said Ambrose Andrews.

Re JOHN THOMAS SHAKESPEARE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John Thomas Shakespeare, of 9, Edgbaston-road, Moseley, in the city of Birmingham, Manufacturer (who died on the 9th day of November, 1917), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the executors, under the will of the said deceased, on or before the 22nd day of January, 1918, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1917.

DUGGAN and ELTON, 43, Cannon-street, Birmingham, Solicitors for the said Executors.

CHRISTIANA BAUM, Deceased.

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Victoria, chapter 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having claims against the estate of Christiana Baum, late of Ebberston, in the county of York, Widow (who died on the 1st May, 1917, and whose will was proved in the York District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 19th May, 1917, by Watson Roger Scales and Francis William Thorpe, the executors therein named), are required to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, before the 31st January, 1918, after which date the said executors will distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated this 20th December, 1917.

J. D. WHITEHEAD and SON, Pickering, Solicitors for the said Executors.

CHARLOTTE LEE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act, 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims against the estate of Charlotte Lee, late of Reading, in the county of Berks, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 19th October, 1916, and whose will was proved by John Wesley Martin, the sole surviving executor therein named, in the Oxford District Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, on 20th February, 1917), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 19th day of January, 1918, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they then shall have notice; and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1917.

MARTIN and MARTIN, 16, Market-place, Reading, Solicitors for the Executor.

ANARELLA HOOPER, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vict., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Anarella Hooper, late of Clodiagh, Clarendon-road, Leamington, in the county of Warwick, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 6th day of March, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Birmingham District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 4th day of May, 1917, by Hubert Kenrick Beale and Henry Cecil Hiffe Hills, two of the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 24th day of

January next, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

BEALE and CO., 12, Newhall-street, Birmingham,
Solicitors for the Executors.

MARY ANNE KNIGHT, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35.

ALL creditors having any claims against the estate of the late Mrs. Knight, formerly of 139, Brooke-road, and latterly of 53, Jenner-road, Stoke Newington, Widow (whose will, by way of letters of administration with the will annexed, was proved in the Principal Probate Registry, by the Public Trustee, on the 6th December, 1917), are required to send particulars to us, the undersigned, within one month from the date thereof, after which time the estate will be distributed among those entitled, having regard only to claims which shall have come to our notice.—Dated the 20th December, 1917.

WATSON, SONS and ROOM, Hammersmith,
W. 6, Solicitors for the Public Trustee in this
Matter.

Re ARTHUR WILLIAM MORLEY, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Arthur William Morley, late of 73, New-street, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, deceased (who died on the 25th day of December, 1916, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 12th day of May, 1917, by Reginald James Morley, one of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 31st day of January next, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

FORSYTH, BETTINGSON and CO., Cannon-street,
Birmingham, Solicitors for the Executor.

ALBERT EDWARD BRETT, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act 22 and 23 Vic., chap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Albert Edward Brett, late of The White Hart, New Cross Gate, in the county of London, Licensed Victualler (who died on the 18th day of January, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 2nd day of March, 1917, by Amy Brett and Henry James Dixon, two of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 31st day of January, 1918, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1917.

F. B. BENTON and CO., 7, Mincing-lane, E.C. 3,
Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re MAURICE HEMMANT, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vict., c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having debts, claims or demands against the estate of Maurice Hemmant, late of "Bulimba," Sevenoaks, in the county of Kent, a Lieutenant in His Majesty's Army, deceased (who died on the 14th day of August, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 28th day of November, 1917, by the Hon. Sir James Richard Atkin, the sole executor therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 28th day of February, 1918, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debts, claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

HERBERT SMITH and CO., 62, London Wall,
London, E.C. 2, Solicitors for the said Executor.

Re MARION BRADFORD, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vict., c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having debts, claims or demands against the estate of Marion Bradford, late of 128, Albert Palace-mansions, Battersea Park, in the county of London, deceased (who died on the 21st day of September, 1917, intestate, and letters of administration to whose estate were granted on the 6th day of December, 1917, by the Principal Probate Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, to Herbert William Bradford), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims or demands to us, the undersigned, Solicitors for the said administrator, on or before the 31st day of January, 1918, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice; and he will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debts, claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

HERBERT SMITH and CO., 62, London Wall,
E.C. 2, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

MARTHA SEVERS, Deceased.

Pursuant to 22 and 23 Vic., c. 35.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of Martha Severs, late of 275, Cheetham Hill-road, Dukinfield, Lancashire, Wife of Edward Severs (who died on the 24th September, 1917, and letters of administration of whose estate were granted out of the Principal Probate Registry, on the 15th December, 1917, to the Public Trustee, Manchester), are required to send written particulars thereof to the undersigned, before the 30th January, 1918, after which date he will distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to claims then received.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1917.

SWIRE and HIGSON, 2, Mount-street, Manchester, Solicitors in this Matter to the Deputy Public Trustee (Manchester).

Re WALTER GEORGE CROTCH, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vict., c. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having claims against the estate of Walter George Crotch, late of Magdalen-road, Norwich, Plasterer, deceased (who died on the 9th November, 1916, and

whose will was proved in the Norwich District Probate Registry, on the 8th January, 1917, by the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars of their claims and demands to me, the undersigned, Solicitor for the executors, by the 31st January, 1918, after which date the executors will distribute the assets of the deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

E. E. BLYTH, LL.D., Upper King-street, Norwich, Solicitor for the Executors.

Re the Reverend FORBES PHILLIPS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of the Reverend Forbes Phillips, late of the Vicarage, High-street, Gorleston, Great Yarmouth, deceased (who died on the 29th day of May, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Ipswich District Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 9th day of July, 1917, by Mrs. Mary Forbes Cadbury, now of No. 6, Kimberley-terrace, Great Yarmouth, one of the executrixes therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said Mrs. Mary Forbes Cadbury, on or before the 5th day of January, 1918, after which date the said executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice; and she will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1917.

FERRIER and FERRIER, 16, South-quay, Great Yarmouth, Solicitors for the said Executrix.

Re ROBERT MARTIN, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Robert Martin, late of 54, Maryon-road, Old Charlton, in the county of London, deceased (who died on the 10th day of November, 1910, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 24th day of December, 1910, by Ruth Martin (now deceased), Alfred Thomas Ives, of 453, Barking-road, Plaistow, Essex, Gentleman, and William McCann, of 136, Humber-road, Greenwich, London, S.E., retired Army Captain, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the surviving executors, on or before the 8th day of February, 1918, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1917.

A. W. STONE, 83, Powis-street, Woolwich, S.E. 18, Solicitor for the said Executors.

Re WILLIAM ALLEN, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Victoria, chapter 35, intituled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of William Allen, late of 16, Montgomery-road, Roath Park, in the city of Cardiff, formerly of Cheadle, in the county of Stafford, Wesleyan Minister, deceased (who died on the 11th day of

March, 1917, and whose will and codicil were proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 14th day of April, 1917, by Matthew William Scott, of Amberley Common, Stroud, in the county of Gloucester, and David Brace, of 91, Ninian-road, Roath, in the city of Cardiff, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 23rd day of January, 1918, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1917.

LLOYD and PRATT, 28, Stow-hill, Newport, Mon., Solicitors for the said Executors.

EDWARD STURDY, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act, 1859.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Edward Sturdy, late of "Cuyuni," Broom-road, Teddington, Middlesex, and "Trigon," Wareham, Dorset, Esquire, deceased (who died on the 4th day of August, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 2nd day of November, 1917, by Edward Toronto Sturdy, Alan Sturdy and Arthur Edward Savill, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, as Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 31st day of January, 1918, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

DRUCES and ATTLEE, 10, Billiter-square, E.C. 3, Solicitors for the said Executors.

MARY GOLLAN, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Mary Gollan, late of 3, Tannery-road, Bangalore, Mysore, India, who died on the 18th October, 1916, and letters of administration to whose estate, with the will annexed, were granted by the Principal Probate Registry, on the 18th December, 1917, to Douglas Cameron Lee, of 46, Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C., the lawful attorney of Frederick Arundel Dene, one of the executors named in the said will, are required to send particulars of their claims to the undersigned, on or before the 28th January, 1918, after which date the administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

SANDERSON, ADKIN, LEE and EDDIS, 46, Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C., Solicitors for the Administrator.

CHARLES LEIGHFIELD, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Charles Leighfield, deceased, late of 53, Rolleston-street, Swindon, and of Bynoll Barn Farm, Broad Hinton, in the county of Wilts, Corn, Coal and Hay Merchant and Farmer (who died on the 1st day of September, 1911, and whose will, with one codicil thereto, was proved in the Principal Probate Registry, on the 29th day of December, 1911, by William Gough, one of the executors named in the said will), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, on or before the

25th day of January next, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice; and that the said executor will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part so distributed, to any person of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1917.

H. BEVIR and SON, Wootton Bassett, Wilts,
024 Solicitors for the said Executor.

JAMES SANDERSON, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, intitled "An Act to further amend the Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands upon or against the estate of James Sanderson, late of Woodstock, in the Cape Division, in South Africa, Leather Manufacturer (who died at Kimberley, in the Cape Division, in South Africa, on the 6th day of April, 1917, and letters of administration, with the will annexed, to whose estate were granted by His Majesty's High Court of Justice, at the Principal Probate Registry thereof, on the 10th day of December, 1917, to Samuel Alfred Newman, the lawful attorney of Fanny Elizabeth Sanderson, the executrix of the will of the said James Sanderson, until she shall apply for and obtain probate of the said will), are hereby required to send, in writing, the particulars of their debts, claims and demands to the undersigned, administrator and the Solicitor for the said Fanny Elizabeth Sanderson, on or before the 31st day of January, 1918; and notice is hereby also given, that at the expiration of the last mentioned day I, the said administrator, will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I, the said administrator, shall have then had notice; and that I, the said administrator, will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose claim I, the said administrator, have not had notice at the time of the distribution.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

S. A. NEWMAN, of 53, Bridge-street, Walsall, in
003 the county of Stafford, Solicitor.

REGINALD JAMES HUGH ARBUTHNOT, Deceased.

ALL creditors having any claims against the estate of Reginald James Hugh Arbuthnot, late of 79, Ashley-gardens, in the county of London, and 123, Marine-parade, Brighton, in the county of Sussex, Esquire, Bachelor (who died on the 19th day of September, 1917, and to whose estate administration, with the will annexed, was granted to Walter George Covington, the lawful syndic of Coutts and Co., the executor therein named, in the Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 13th day of December, 1917), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, on or before the 1st day of February, 1918, after which date the said administrator will distribute the assets of the said testator among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1917.

FARRER and CO., 66, Lincoln's Inn-fields,
055 London, W.C., Solicitors for the said Administrator.

Re Lieutenant ARTHUR EGERTON HODGE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act,
1859.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Arthur Egerton Hodge, late of Strensall Camp, York, in the county of York, deceased (who died on or about the 13th day of June, 1917, being killed in action in Belgium, and of whose estate letters of administration were granted to Maud Lillian Stephens, on the 21st day of September, 1917, by the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice), are hereby required to send in particulars of

their claims and demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said Maud Lillian Stephens, on or before the 28th day of January, 1918; and notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said administratrix shall then have notice; and that she will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose debt or claim she shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

DURNFORD and SON, 9, King's Bench-walk,
Temple, E.C. 4, Solicitors for the said Adminis-
004 tratrix.

Re PHILIP LODWIDGE, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act,
1859.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Philip Lodwidge, late of 11, Azalea-terrace North, Sunderland, in the county of Durham, deceased (who died on the 12th day of April, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Durham District Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 9th day of June, 1917, by Oswin John Charlton and Charles Owston Nicholson, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 25th day of January, 1918, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1917.

OSWIN J. CHARLTON, 6, Eldon-square,
025 Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Solicitor for the said Executors.

Miss MARY ROSE WOODGATE, Deceased.

Pursuant to Statute 22 and 23 Victoria, cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Mary Rose Woodgate, late of No. 10, Hardwick-road, Eastbourne, in the county of Sussex, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 20th day of November, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Lewes District Probate Registry, on the 12th day of December, 1917, by Emily Mary Woodgate, of No. 10, Hardwick-road, Eastbourne, in the county of Sussex, Spinster, and Herbert Henry Webb Perkins, of Bolton Chambers, Eastbourne aforesaid, Incorporated Accountant, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the undersigned, one of the said executors, on or before the 31st day of January, 1918, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1917.

HERBERT H. W. PERKINS, Bolton Cham-
026 bers, Eastbourne.

Re Mrs. JANE HATHAWAY, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament, 22 and 23 Vic.,
cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Jane Hathaway, late of No. 47, Regent-street, in the city and county of Kingston-upon-Hull, Widow, deceased (who died on the 18th day of May, 1917, and whose will was proved in the York District Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 25th day of June, 1917, by Emma Coultas and John Paul Hathaway,

the executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the 31st day of January, 1918, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this twenty-first day of December, 1917.

THOMPSON, COOK and BABINGTON, 12,
Parliament-street, Hull, Solicitors for the
063 Executors.

Re THOMAS HICKS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of Thomas Hicks, late of Sandpits Farm, Wilton-in-Cleveland, in the county of York, Farmer (who died on the 15th day of September, 1917), and whose will was proved by Michael Hicks, John Hicks and Thomas Hicks, the executors therein named, in the Principal Probate Registry of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 21st day of November, 1917, are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their debts, claims or demands to me, the undersigned, as Solicitor to the said executors, on or before the 20th day of January, 1918, after which day the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debt, claim or demand they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1917.

H. MEREDITH HARDY, Court Chambers,
Albert-road, Middlesbrough, Solicitor to the
011 said Executors.

Mrs. ELIZA MARCUARD, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all persons having any claims against the estate of Eliza Marcuard, late of The Retreat, Bath-road, Hounslow, in the county of Middlesex, Widow (who died on the 10th October, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice, on the 21st November, 1917, by John Alexander Aparcar, the executor named in the said will), are hereby required to send the particulars, in writing, of their claims to the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executor, on or before the 1st February, 1918, after which date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1917.

SANDERSON, ADKIN, LEE and EDDIS, 46,
Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C., Solicitors
071 to the said Executor.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Law of Property Amendment Act, 1859, that all persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of HENRIETTA DEAN, late of 35, Harrison-road, Halifax, in the county of York, Spinster, deceased (who died on the 6th day of July, 1917, and administration, with the will annexed, of whose estate was granted to Edith Tylecote, of Holmleigh, Great Haywood, in the county of Stafford, and Margaret Elizabeth Walker, of Cardrona Kent's Bank, in the county of Lancaster; Widows, on the 5th day of September, 1917, by the Principal Probate Registry), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts or claims to the said administratrices at the

offices of the undersigned, their Solicitors, on or before the 1st day of February, 1918. And notice is hereby also given, that after that day the said administratrices will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Henrietta Dean, deceased, amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.—Dated the 21st day of December, 1917.

HIRST, WHITLEY and AKEROYD, 5,
Harrison-road, Halifax, Solicitors for the said
036 Administratrices.

Re EVANGELINE JANE MILLWARD, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22 and 23 Vic.,
cap. 35.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Evangeline Jane Millward, of 141, Pershore-road, in the city of Birmingham, deceased (who died on the 18th day of October, 1917, and letters of administration of all her estate were granted by His Majesty's High Court of Justice, at the District Probate Registry, at Birmingham, on the 29th day of November, 1917, to James Vincent Millward, the lawful Husband of the said deceased), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said administrator, on or before the 22nd day of January, 1918, after which date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1917.

DUGGAN and ELTON, 43, Cannon-street, Bir-
040 mingham, Solicitors for the said Administrator.

Re CHARLES CECIL LEEDING, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament 22nd and 23rd Vic.,
cap. 35, intitled "An Act to further amend the
Law of Property and to relieve Trustees."

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Charles Cecil Leeding, late of Witcham, in the county of Cambridge, Farmer (who at the time of his death was a Private in the Royal Fusiliers), deceased (who died on the 27th day of May, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 24th day of November, 1917, by Maud Mary Poole and William Leeding, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to us, the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said executors, on or before the first day of February, 1918, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 22nd day of December, 1917.

HALL and CAMPBELL, Market-square, Ely,
041 Cambs, Solicitors for the said Executors.

Re GEORGE CHESSWAS, Deceased.

Pursuant to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd and
23rd Vic., c. 35:

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands against the estate of George Chesswas, late of Victoria House, Granville Marina, Ramsgate, in the county of Kent, Builder, deceased (who died on the 14th day of August, 1916, and whose will was proved in

the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, on the 14th day of December, 1917, by Mildred Amy Chesswas, Stanley Arthur Ovenden, and Samuel Tree, the executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims or demands to me, the undersigned, the Solicitor for the said executors, on or before the 28th day of February, 1918, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which they shall then have had notice; and they will not be liable for the assets of the said deceased, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debts, claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

LEONARD HILL, 8, Cecil-square, Margate,
Solicitor for the said Executors.

HARRY PLANT, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Harry Plant, late of 17, Heathview-road, Thornton Heath, Surrey, deceased (who died on the 12th August, 1917, and whose will was proved in the Principal Probate Registry, on the 24th November, 1917, by Edith Marie Riddel, Dorothy Elsie Woodcock, and Beatrice May Woodcock, three of the executors therein named), are hereby required to send particulars of their claims or demands to the undersigned on or before the 21st day of January, 1918, after which date the said executrices will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice; and they will not be liable for the assets, or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose claims or demands they shall not then have had notice.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1917.

EDRIDGE, SON and MARTEN, 4, High-street,
Croydon, Surrey.

I, ALBERT GOULD, of 36, Heber-road, Cricklewood, in the county of Middlesex, retired Diamond Merchant, lately known by the name of Albert Goldberg, do hereby give notice, that I have assumed and intend henceforth upon all occasions and at all times to sign and use and to be called and known by the name of Albert Gould, in lieu of and in substitution for my former name of Albert Goldberg, and that such intended change or assumption of name is formally declared and evidenced by a deed poll under my hand and seal, and dated the twenty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and enrolled in the Central Office of the Supreme Court of Judicature on the twenty-second day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. In testimony whereof I do hereby sign and subscribe myself by such my intended future name.—Dated this twenty-second day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

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A. GOULD.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Reverend CHARLES THEOPHILUS HAHN, of Rutleigh, Furze-lane, Purley, formerly of Dewsbury Moor, Yorkshire, Clerk in Holy Orders, a natural-born British subject, of natural-born British parents, has assumed and intends henceforth upon all occasions to sign and to be known by the surname of Headley in substitution for his former surname of Hahn, and that such change of name is formally evidenced by deed poll under his hand and seal, dated the twentieth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, duly enrolled at the Central Office of the Supreme Court of Judicature, on the twenty-seventh November, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.—Dated the 21st day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

FOYER and CO., 26, Essex-street, Strand, London, W.C. 2, Solicitors for the said Reverend Charles Theophilus Headley (late Hahn).

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TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, Chancery Division, made in an action HOPKINS v. PHILLIPS (1913, H. No. 1553), with the approbation of Mr. Justice Younger, by Mr. William James, the person appointed by the said Judge, at the Gower Inn, Gowerton, in the county of Glamorgan, on Tuesday, the 1st day of February, 1918, at 7 o'clock in the evening, in 3 lots, the Leasehold Public-House known as the Gower Inn, two Cottages and Gardens, Nos. 2 and 3, Mount-street, Gowerton. The Gower Inn is held upon lease for the residue of the term of 99 years from the 29th September, 1866, at the yearly ground rent of £2, and Nos. 2 and 3, Mount-street, Gowerton, are let at the yearly rents of £15 12s. each house inclusive, held under the same lease, free of ground rent.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be obtained gratis from Mr. P. Lewis Martell, 4, College-street, Swansea; Messrs. Mann and Crimp, 17, Essex-street, Strand, London, W.C. 2; Mr. William Davies, 3, Frederick-street, Llanelli; Messrs. Rhys, Roberts and Co., of 63, Queen Victoria-street, London, E.C. 3, Solicitors; and of the Auctioneer, 7, Goat-street, Swansea, and at the place of sale.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

CHAS. HULBERT, Master of the Supreme
Court.

TO be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Justice, made in an action Re HONYCHURCH, deceased, Munro v. Amos, 1917, H. 1419, with the approbation of Mr. Justice Astbury, by Mr. William James Fairminer, the person appointed by the said Judge, at The Mart, Tokenhouse-yard, in the city of London, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of January, 1918, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, a Detached Leasehold Residence, known as Abbeywood, 175, Croydon-road, Anerley, in the county of Surrey, held for a term of 99 years from the 24th June, 1871, at a ground rent of £15 per annum, also fully paid and Ordinary shares in various companies, amounting in the aggregate to £1,461 3s.

Particulars and conditions of sale may be had, gratis, of Mr. Francis Colyer, of Bank Chambers, 329, High Holborn, London, W.C. 1, Solicitor; of Mr. George R. Cran, of 5, King's Bench-walk, Temple, London, E.C. 4, Solicitor; of Mr. William James Fairminer, the Auctioneer, at 9, Portugal-street, Lincoln's Inn-fields, London, W.C. 2; and at the place of sale.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

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H. HUGHES-ONSLow, Master.

PURSUANT to a Judgment of the Court of Chancery of the County Palatine of Lancaster, made in the Matter of the estate of ELIZABETH BECK, deceased, in an action Attia versus Seed (1917, B. 1734), the creditors of Elizabeth Beck, whose last known address in England was at Overdale, Penwortham, near Preston, in the county of Lancaster (who died in or about the month of April, 1915), are, on or before the 4th day of February, 1918, to send by post (prepaid) to Mr. Alan Chambre Dickson, of 17, Winckley-street, Preston aforesaid, the Solicitor of the defendant, Thomas Seed, the executor of the deceased, their Christian and surname, addresses and descriptions, and, in the case of firms, the names of the partners and the style or title of the firm, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said judgment. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before the Registrar of the Liverpool District at his chambers, situate at No. 9, Cook-street, in the city of Liverpool, on Monday, the 18th day of February, 1918, at 11 of the clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

ROGER B. LAWRENCE, Registrar.

MATHER and SON, 13, Harrington-street,
Liverpool; Agents for

BRIGHOUSE, JONES and CO., Southport,
Plaintiff's Solicitors.

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PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, made in the Matter of the estate of **THOMAS GEORGE CLARK**, deceased, between the Reverend Gerald Henry Rendall, Ann Morris Oakeshott (Widow), and Thomas Smith (Plaintiffs) and Fanny Clark (Widow) and James William Clark (Defendants) the creditors of Thomas George Clark, late of 5, Anderson-street, Chelsea, in the county of London, who died on the 10th day of June, 1916, are on or before the 31st day of January, 1918, to send by post prepaid to Pownall and Co., of Vernon House, Bloomsbury-square, London, W.C. 1, the Solicitors for the Defendants, Fanny Clark (Widow) and James William Clark, the executors of the deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same before Mr. Justice Astbury at his Chambers, Room 700, the Royal Courts of Justice, London, on the 5th day of February, 1918, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1917.

POWNALL and CO., Solicitors for the Executors, the said Defendants.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, dated the 24th day of October, 1917, and made in the Matter of the estate of **CHARLES LANGLEY BROOKE**, deceased, and in an action of The Union of London and Smiths Bank Limited versus Usher and Others (1917, B. No. 683), the following inquiry was directed: "An inquiry whether any, and, if so, which, of the following persons named in the testator's said will as legatees thereunder, that is to say, his nephew Harry Lee Brooke, and his nieces Katherine Ada Brooke, Maud Brooke, May Brooke, Mabel Brooke and Ethel Brooke (the children of his late brother George Brooke), were living at the date of the testator's death, and whether any of them have died since that date, and, if so, who are their respective legal personal representatives." Notice is hereby given, that the said Harry Lee Brooke, Katherine Ada Brooke, Maud Brooke, May Brooke, Mabel Brooke, and Ethel Brooke, if living, or if living on the 13th August, 1916, and have since died, their legal personal representatives, and all other persons making any claims under the said inquiry, are, by themselves or their Solicitors, on or before the 11th July, 1918, to enter their names and the particulars of their claims in a book kept for that purpose at the Chambers of the Judge (Room 699) at the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, England, and, also on or before the 18th July, 1918, to come in and prove their claims at the said Chambers, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order. Thursday, the 18th day of July, 1918, at 12 o'clock at noon (Room 700) is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the said claims.—Dated the 20th day of December, 1917.

J. H. P. CHITTY, Master of the Supreme Court.

NOTE.—The above named testator, Charles Langley Brooke, who was late of Cromwell-street, in the city of Gloucester, England, died there on the 13th August, 1916. It is believed that the testator's said brother, George Brooke, was at one time secretary of the London, Chatham and Dover Railway Company.

C. T. COURTNEY-LEWIS, 29, Martin's-lane, Cannon-street, London, E.C. 4, Solicitor for the Plaintiffs.

Re **BENJAMIN BEHRENS**, Deceased.

PURSUANT to Order dated 17th December, 1917, of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, England, in "Re Solomon Levi Behrens Behrens v. Brown, 1917, B. No. 2555," enquiries were directed:—(1) "Whether the said Benjamin Behrens, the Son of Sampson Lucas Behrens, is living or dead, and, if dead, when he died and who are his legal personal representatives," and (2) "Whether the said Benjamin Behrens had any and what child or children, and, if so, whether they are living or dead, and whether any and which of them have, being male, attained the age of 21, or, being female, attained that age or married, and if any of them who attained 21

or married are dead, when they died and who are their respective legal personal representatives." Now all persons claiming to be interested under the enquiries are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 1st July, 1918, to come in and prove their claims at the Chambers of Mr. Justice Eve and Mr. Justice Peterson, Room No. 696, Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, England, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said Order. Monday, the 8th day of July, 1918, at 12 o'clock noon, at the said Chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.

NOTE.—The testator Solomon Levi Behrens died 30th June, 1873, at Alderley Edge, Cheshire, England. It is alleged that Benjamin Behrens left England about forty years ago, and was married once only, namely, to Harriet Sutherland, on 28th November, 1905, at Christchurch, New Zealand, and died there on 16th January, 1916, without ever having had any issue.—Dated this 21st day of December, 1917.

ARTHUR F. RIDSDALE, Master.

TATHAM and LOUSADA, 16, Old Broad-street, London, E.C. 2; Agents for

FARRAR and COMPANY, of Manchester, Solicitors for the Executors of the said Solomon Levi Behrens, Deceased.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Chancery Division of the High Court of Justice, dated the 29th of October, 1917, made in the Matter of the estate of **ROBERT TAMLYN**, deceased, Tamlyn against Brock (1917, T. No. 371), whereby the following enquiry was directed, namely: An enquiry whether William Robert Tamlyn (one of the children of the said testator) is living, or, if dead, when he died, and whether he left any, and what, children, and when such children were respectively born, and whether the defendants, Emeline May Tamlyn and Albert William Tamlyn, are two of such children, and whether all such children are living, or, if any of them are dead, when they respectively died. Notice is hereby given, that all persons claiming to be entitled under the said enquiry are, either personally or by their Solicitors, on or before the 30th day of April, 1918, to come in and prove their claims at the Chambers of the Judge at the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, London, England, and to enter their names and the particulars of their claims in a book kept for that purpose in Room 705, at the said Royal Courts of Justice, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order. Tuesday, the 7th day of May, 1918, at 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, at the said Chambers (Room No. 704), is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.—Dated this 19th day of December, 1917.

J. C. FOX, Master.

NOTE.—The said William Robert Tamlyn was from the year 1877 (and probably much earlier) resident in Australia, and resided at various times at Melbourne, Brunswick, Angus Town, Jumbunna, Whroo, and Wonthaggi, in Victoria, Australia, and at Southern Cross, in Western Australia. He is believed to have been twice married; firstly, to Eliza Gandar, at Brisbane, on the 10th February, 1877, and, secondly, to Amelia Jane Hodge, at the Brunswick-street Wesleyan Church, Fitzroy, Victoria, on 22nd July, 1897. The said William Robert Tamlyn is believed to have died on the 20th September, 1915, at Wonthaggi, Victoria aforesaid.

WOODROFFES and ASHBY, 18, Great Dover-street, S.E. 1, London, England, Solicitors in these Proceedings.

In the Matter of a Deed of Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, executed on the first day of May, 1914, by **ARTHUR ERNEST GREY** and **DAVID GREY**, both of 13 and 14, Spencer-street, in the city of London, carrying on business at that address as "Botwright & Grey," as Wholesale Manufacturing Opticians.

THE creditors of the above named Arthur Ernest Grey and David Grey who have not already sent in their claims are required, on or before the nineteenth day of January, 1918, to send in their names and

addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims to the undersigned, Albert Edward Tilley, of No. 8, Staple-inn, Holborn, in the county of London, Chartered Accountant, the Trustee under the said deed, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the dividend under the said assignment.—Dated this 20th day of December, 1917.

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A. E. TILLEY, Trustee.

In the Matter of a Deed of Arrangement between HENRY BALDWIN, of the Black Lion Hotel, Lampeter, Hotel Proprietor and Licensed Victualler, and his Creditors, dated the 5th day of June, 1916, and registered under the Deeds of Arrangement Act, 1887, on the 9th day of June, 1916. Trustee, Daniel Isaac Rees, of Lampeter, Auctioneer.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the trustee of the above mentioned deed of arrangement intends to declare a dividend on the 21st day of January, 1918; and the creditors of the said Henry Baldwin who are entitled to benefit under the said deed are hereby required to give to the trustee, or or before that date, notice of the debts owing to them respectively; and notice is further given, that after the said date the Trustee will distribute the assets of the debtor among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice.—Dated the 20th day of December, 1917.

A. J. and T. C. HUGHES, Aberystwyth,
031 Solicitors for the Trustee.

THE estates of JOHN HALLIWELL, Farmer, late of Lanton Crag, presently residing at Townhead, Bonjedward, Jedburgh, were sequestrated on 18th

December, 1917, by the Sheriff of Roxburghshire, at Jedburgh.

The first deliverance is dated 18th December, 1917.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at 11 o'clock forenoon, on Friday, 28th December, 1917, within the office of James Barrie, Solicitor, 3, Oliver-place, Hawick. A composition may be offered at this Meeting.

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

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

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

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JAMES BARRIE, Solicitor, Hawick, Agent.

In the High Court of Justice.—In Bankruptcy.

In the Matter of a Bankruptcy Notice dated the 27th day of November, 1917.

To EDGAR WILLIAM FRANCIS DUKE, of 42, Antrim Mansions, Hampstead, in the county of London.

TAKE notice, that a Bankruptcy Notice has been issued against you in this Court at the instance of F. Lawrence Limited, of 10/11, Jermyn-street, in the county of London, and the Court has ordered that the publication of this Notice in the London Gazette and in the Daily Telegraph newspaper shall be deemed to be service of the Bankruptcy Notice upon you. The Bankruptcy Notice can be inspected by you on application at this Court.—Dated 13th day of December, 1917.

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FRANK MELLOR, Registrar.

THE BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1914.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
1075	Stewart, H. J. Lindsell	Formerly Sleaford House, The Grove, Denmark Hill, London, but whose present residence or place of business the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain	Officer in His Majesty's Army	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Nov. 20, 1917	496 of 1917	Dec. 20, 1917	228	Creditor's...	Sec. 1-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1914
1076	Thornhill, William Henry (Lieut.-Colonel)	85, Pimlico-road, London, S.W.	Officer (Retired) in His Majesty's Army	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	Oct. 17, 1917	451 of 1917	Dec. 20, 1917	229	Creditor's...	Sec. 1-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1914
1077	Herring-Browne, Carlotta	Gladwyn, Totteridge, in the county of Hertford	Lecturer ...	Barnet and St. Albans	Dec. 5, 1917	9 of 1917	Dec. 19, 1917	8	Creditor's...	Sec. 1-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1914
1078	Pearce, F. A. (Male)	Lately 31, St. Nicholas-street, Bristol, and 20, Upper Mandlin-street, Bristol, and residing at Bishopsworth, near Bristol, in the county of Somerset	Tobacco Dealer, Accountant and Estate Agent, now Clerk in His Majesty's Army Pay Corps at Pill in the county of Somerset	Bristol ...	Dec. 8, 1917	14 of 1917	Dec. 21, 1917	15	Creditor's...	Sec. 1-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1914
1079	Hindle, Agnes	Residing and carrying on business at 158, Scotland-road, Nelson, in the county of Lancaster	Milliner (Spinster)	Burnley	Dec. 21, 1917	8 of 1917	Dec. 21, 1917	8	Debtor's	
1080	Robinson, Arthur (trading as W. J. D. Williams)	141, Coppice Side, Swadlincote, in the county of Derby	Grocer ...	Burton-on-Trent	Dec. 21, 1917	6 of 1917	Dec. 21, 1917	5	Debtor's	
1081	Williams, Annie	316, High-street, Connah's Quay, in the county of Flint	Baker (Widow)	Chester	Dec. 19, 1917	8 of 1917	Dec. 19, 1917	7	Debtor's	
1082	Ryan, Sara	106, Far Gosford-street, Coventry, in the county of Warwick	Cooked Meat Parveyer	Coventry	Dec. 21, 1917	10 of 1917	Dec. 21, 1917	10	Debtor's	
1083	Wriglesworth, John Henry	Cross Keys Inn, Muston, Yorkshire	Licensed Victualler	Scarborough	Dec. 22, 1917	11 of 1917	Dec. 22, 1917	10	Debtor's	
1084	Newton, William Henry	62, Glen-road and 29, Norfolk-street, both in Sheffield, in the county of York	Constructional Engineer	Sheffield	Dec. 5, 1917	35 of 1917	Dec. 19, 1917	32	Creditor's...	Sec. 1-1 (G.), Bankruptcy Act, 1914

RECEIVING ORDERS—*continued.*

No.	Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	Date of Filing Petition.	No. of Matter.	Date of Receiving Order.	No. of Receiving Order.	Whether Debtor's or Creditor's Petition.	Act or Acts of Bankruptcy proved in Creditor's Petition.
1085	Ledger, Amos John ...	116, High-street, Tonbridge, in the county of Kent	Manager of an Eating-house and Licensed Premises	Tunbridge Wells	Dec. 20, 1917	9 of 1917	Dec. 20, 1917	6	Debtor's	

ADMINISTRATION ORDER IN THE CASE OF DECEASED DEBTOR.

Name of Deceased.	Address.	Description.	Date of Death.	Court.	No. of Matter	Date of Order.	Date of filing Petition or of Transfer.	Whether Will or other Testamentary Disposition (with date thereof), or Letters of Administration.	Date when proved or granted
Morrish, John James Baron	Late the Dolphin Hotel, Market-street, formerly 33, Courtenay-street, both in Newton Abbot, Devonshire	Late Restaurant Keeper, formerly Commercial Traveller	May 31, 1917 ...	Exeter ...	16 of 1917	Dec. 20, 1917 ...	Dec. 20, 1917 ...	Will proved ...	July 18, 1917

FIRST MEETINGS AND PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of First Meeting.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Public Examination.	Hour.	Place.	Date of Order, if any, for Summary Administration.
Stewart, H. J Lindsell	Formerly Sleaford House, The Grove, Denmark Hill, London, but whose present residence or place of business the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain	Officer in H.M. Army	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	496 of 1917	Jan. 9, 1918	11 A.M.	Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London	Feb. 12, 1918	11 A.M.	At Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Thornhill, William Henry (Lieut - Col.)	85, Pimlico-road, London, S.W.	Officer (Retired) in H.M. Army	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	451 of 1917	Jan. 9, 1918	12 noon	Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London	Feb. 12, 1918	11 A.M.	At Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.	
Herring - Browne, Carlotta	Gladwyn, Totteridge, in the county of Hertford	Lecturer (Spinster)	Barnet and St. Alban's	9 of 1917	Jan. 8, 1918	11 A.M.	14, Bedford-row, London, W.C.	Jan. 9, 1918	12.30 P.M.	Court House, St. Alban's	
Matthews, J. Harris	26, Corporation-street, Bolton, Lancashire	...	Bolton ...	17 of 1917	Jan. 3, 1918	3 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, Byrom-street, Manchester	Jan. 16, 1918	2.15 P.M.	Court House, Mawdsley-street, Bolton	Dec. 22, 1917
Fisher, George Hubert	114, High-street, Lowestoft, Suffolk	Late Smack Owner	Great Yarmouth	5 of 1917	Jan. 4, 1918	3.15 P.M.	Official Receiver's Office, 8, Upper King-street, Norwich	Feb. 12, 1918	11 A.M.	Town Hall, Great Yarmouth	Dec. 17, 1917
Williams, Robert ..	Wern, Llangerniew, Denbighshire	Farmer ...	Portmadoc and Festiniog	10 of 1917	Jan. 2, 1918	12 noon	Crypt - chambers, Chester	Jan. 14, 1918	2 P.M.	Court House, Blaenau Festiniog	Dec. 20, 1917
Ledger, Amos John	116, High-street, Tunbridge, in the county of Kent	Manager of an Eating House and Licensed Premises	Tunbridge Wells	9 of 1917	Jan. 4, 1918	2.30 P.M.	Official Receiver's Offices, 12A, Marlborough - place, Brighton	Jan. 22, 1918	12 noon	Town Hall, Tunbridge Wells	

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Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Date of Filing Petition.
Fullwood, Reginald Joseph (in the Receiving Order named Reginald Fullwood)	156, Strand, London	Dairy and General Business Transfer Agent	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	513 of 1917	Dec. 20, 1917 ...	Nov. 27, 1917
Rooker, Harold Alfred	Residing and carrying on business at 35, 37 and 38, Horse-fair, in the city of Birmingham	Tobacconist and Fancy Goods Dealer	Birmingham ...	42 of 1917	Dec. 17, 1917 ...	Nov. 28, 1917
Davies, Jeremiah	The Lodge, Hurlbutts-drive, Queen's Ferry, Cheshire, lately 3, Shepherd Cross-street, Bolton, Lancs.	Tailor	Bolton	18 of 1917	Dec. 21, 1917 ...	Nov. 28, 1917
Hindle, Agnes	Residing and carrying on business at 158, Scotland-road, Nelson, in the county of Lancaster	Milliner (Spinster)	Burnley	8 of 1917	Dec. 21, 1917 ...	Dec. 21, 1917
Robinson, Arthur (trading as W. J. D. Williams)	141, Coppice-side, Swadlincote, in the county of Derby ...	Grocer	Burton-on-Trent ...	6 of 1917	Dec. 21, 1917 ...	Dec. 21, 1917
Ryan, Sara	106, Far Gosford-street, Coventry, in the county of Warwick	Cooked Meat Purveyor	Coventry	10 of 1917	Dec. 21, 1917 ...	Dec. 21, 1917
Fisher, George Hubert	114, High-street, Lowestoft, Suffolk	Late Smack Owner	Great Yarmouth ...	5 of 1917	Dec. 17, 1917 ...	Nov. 16, 1917
Wriglesworth, John Henry	Cross Keys Inn, Muston, Yorkshire	Licensed Victualler	Scarborough	11 of 1917	Dec. 22, 1917 ...	Dec. 22, 1917
Newton, William Henry	62, Glen-road and 29, Norfolk-lane, both in Sheffield, in the county of York	Constructional Engineer	Sheffield	35 of 1917	Dec. 21, 1917 ...	Dec. 5, 1917
Ledger, Amos John	116, High-street, Tonbridge, in the county of Kent ...	Manager of an Eating House and Licensed Premises	Tunbridge Wells ...	9 of 1917	Dec. 20, 1917 ...	Dec. 20, 1917

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APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day Fixed for Hearing.
Dennis, John Richard	44, Dalston-lane, lately residing at 21, Lanhill-road, Paddington, both in the county of London	Wine and Spirit Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1229 of 1894	Jan. 16, 1918, 11 a.m., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Dickstain, Pincus (described in the Receiving Order and known as Philip Dix)	124, Southampton-row, London	Leather Goods Dealer	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	1323 of 1914	Jan. 16, 1918, 11 a.m., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Ehrlich, Mark	8, Bevis Marks, Bishopsgate, in the city of London, and 60, Tredegar-square, Bow, London	Woollen and Manchester Warehouseman	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	855 of 1913	Jan. 16, 1918, 11 a.m., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Fielder, John George (lately trading as J. G. Fielder and Co.)	7, Wellesley-road, Ilford, Essex, lately residing at 7, De Vere-gardens, Ilford aforesaid, and also lately carrying on business at 8, Bayer-street, London, E.C.	Clothier	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	449 of 1915	Jan. 16, 1918, 11 a.m., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Fletcher, Arthur Chesshyre	18, Bassett-road, North Kensington, London ...	... ..	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	640 of 1908	Jan. 16, 1918, 11 a.m., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Kelland, William P.	36, Camomile-street, in the city of London ...	Hardware Merchant	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	323 of 1917	Feb. 1, 1918, 11 a.m., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Radin, Abraham (trading as Radin and Co.)	16, Linthorpe-road, Stoke Newington, carrying on business at 384, Old-street, both in London; and also carrying on business at 5, Crosby-square, Bishopsgate, E.C.	Shop Fitter Hairdresser	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	375 of 1916	Jan. 15, 1918, 11 a.m., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Weindling, Sander Samuel	Residing at 85, Rectory-road, Stoke Newington, lately carrying on business at 54A, Newington-green, Canonbury, N., in the county of London	Foreman, lately Manufacturing Confectioner	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	294 of 1913	Jan. 15, 1918, 11 a.m., Bankruptcy-buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Fleming, Alexander	Chart Court, Little Chart, near Ashford, in the county of Kent	Farmer	Canterbury ...	52 of 1912	Feb. 5, 1918, 11 a.m., Guildhall, Canterbury
Hall, Sydney Charles Michael and Hall, Harriett Louisa (trading as S. and H. Hall) ... ..	... .. 20, The Promenade, Palmers Green, in the county of Middlesex	Spinster Grocers and Provision Dealers	Edmonton	7 of 1917	Feb. 15, 1918, 10.30 a.m., Court House, Upper Edmonton

APPLICATIONS FOR DEBTORS' DISCHARGE—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Day Fixed for Hearing.
Tee, Frederick William (trading as Tee and Webber)	206 and 208, Fore-street, Upper Edmonton, in the county of Middlesex	Draper, &c.	Edmonton	14 of 1916	Feb. 15, 1918, 10 a.m., Court House, Upper Edmonton
Grice, George Thomas	48, Teign-street and 15, Bank-street, Teignmouth, Devonshire	Confectioner	Exeter	53 of 1888	Jan. 7, 1918, 10.30 a.m., The Castle, Exeter (Application to vary Order of Nov. 5, 1891)
Funnell, Thomas	14, Esplanade, Scaford, in the county of Sussex, and Brooklyn-road, Scaford aforesaid	Builder	Lewes and East-bourne	5 of 1907	Jan. 21, 1918, 12 noon, County Hall, Lewes
Minskip, John	90, Bank-street, Mexborough, in the county of York	Greengrocer	Sheffield	23 of 1905	Jan. 24, 1918, 2 p.m., County Court Hall, Bank-street, Sheffield
Courtney, George and Newhook, Arthur (trading as Courtney and Newhook)	The Shipyard, Lymington and the latter residing at The Laurels, Stanley-road, Lymington, Hampshire.	Yacht Builders	Southampton	16 of 1910	Jan. 17, 1918, 11 a.m., Court House, Castle-square, Southampton

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Aarons, Lazarus (lately trading or carrying on business as R. Lazarus and Co.)	158, Ladbroke-grove, London; At 16, Mark-lane, Lon- don, E.C.	Merchant ...	High Court of Justice in Bank- ruptcy	40 of 1914	Nov. 21, 1917	Discharge refused ...	Bankrupt had committed the following misdemeanours connected with the bankruptcy, viz. :—(1) Conspiring with his manager, and others, to obtain goods by false pretences; (2) disposing otherwise than in the ordinary course of trade of goods obtained upon credit and not paid for; (3) concealing books and documents relating to his property and affairs, with intent to conceal the state of his affairs and defeat the law; and (4) obtaining property upon credit from persons and firms who are creditors in this bankruptcy under the false pretence of carrying on business and dealing in the ordinary way of his trade. Bankrupt had been guilty of fraudulent misconduct in that he attempted to conceal and failed to disclose to the Official Receiver or the Trustees the existence of a certain banking account opened in the name of his sister with a view to concealing his assets and defeating his creditors; his assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; had contributed to his bankruptcy by gambling and by culpable neglect of his business affairs; had failed to account satisfactorily for that part of his deficiency represented by the losses in betting referred to in the deficiency accounts filed herein; and had on a previous occasion been adjudged bankrupt
Dickeson, Campbell Boyd and Huggett, Joseph ... (trading as Dickeson and Stewart)	Residing at Clifden, Raglan-gardens, Wembley Park Residing at 39, Church- road, Leyton At 94, Queen Victoria- street, E.C.	Merchants and Agents	High Court of Justice in Bank- ruptcy	98 of 1917	Nov. 7, 1917	Bankrupts discharged as from the 17th April, 1918, subject to the following condition to be fulfilled before their discharge takes effect, viz. :—Bankrupts shall, before the signing of this Order, consent to Judgment being entered against them in the King's Bench Division of the High Court by the Official Receiver for the sum of	Bankrupts' assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of their unsecured liabilities; that the bankrupts had continued to trade after knowing themselves to be insolvent; bankrupts had been guilty of misconduct in that they at various times, when they knew they were insolvent, mixed with their own moneys and used for their own purposes money received by them as agents from and on behalf of their customers and clients

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
						£500, being part of the balance of the debts provable in the bankruptcy which is not satisfied at the date of this Order, and pay £1 10s. costs of Judgment; and that, upon the required consent being given, Judgment may be entered against the bankrupts in the King's Bench Division of the High Court for the sum of £500. Note.—£500 paid to the Official Receiver in lieu of entering up Judgment. Bankrupts' discharge suspended for six months as from 17th October, 1917, and that they be discharged as from 17th April, 1918	
Davies, John (carrying on business under the name or style of J. G. Davies)	Lately residing and carrying on business at Gravelly Hill Farm, Beoley, Holt End, near Redditch, in the county of Worcester, and at 2, Lodge-road, Redditch aforesaid	Farmer and Hay and Straw Dealer	Birmingham	37 of 1916	Oct. 11, 1917	Discharge granted subject to the bankrupt consenting to Judgment being entered against him in the County Court of Warwickshire, holden at Birmingham, by the Official Receiver for the sum of £3	Proof of facts mentioned in sec. 26, sub-sec. 3 (B.), Bankruptcy Act, 1914
Hutchison, Joseph Anderson	44, Deane - avenue, Bolton, and lately trading at Hulton, near Bolton	Tar Distiller ...	Bolton ...	15 of 1916	July 11, 1917	Discharge granted subject to bankrupt's consenting to Judgment for £200	Assets not equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of bankrupt's unsecured liabilities
Mason, Frederick	19, Godstone - road, Purley, Surrey	Bank Clerk...	Croydon ..	27 of 1913	April 19, 1917	Bankrupt to be discharged subject to the following condition to be fulfilled before his discharge takes effect, namely:— He shall consent to Judgment being entered against him in the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon, by the Official Receiver for the sum of £100, being part of the balance of the debts provable in the bankruptcy which is not satisfied at the date of this Order, and £1 10s. for costs of Judgment. And that the said sum of £100 be paid	Proof of facts under sec. 26, sub-sec. 3 (A.), (E.), and (F.), Bankruptcy Act, 1914

/ ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Heath, Stanley ...	2, Bedford-circus, Exeter	Auctioneer ...	Exeter ...	14 of 1915	July 9, 1917	out of the future earnings or after-acquired property of the bankrupt within fourteen days from the date of this Order. And it is further ordered that, upon the required consent being given, Judgment may be entered against the bankrupt in the County Court of Surrey, holden at Croydon, for the said sum of £100, and £1 10s. costs of Judgment Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from the 9th July, 1919	Bankrupt's assets are not of a value equal to 10s. in the pound on the amount of his unsecured liabilities; he had omitted to keep such books of account as are usual and proper in the business carried on by him, and as sufficiently disclose his business transactions and financial position within the three years immediately preceding his bankruptcy; had continued to trade after knowing himself to be insolvent; and had failed to account satisfactorily for the deficiency of his assets to meet his liabilities
Haywood, Cedric Thompson	Jesmond Dene, Portsmouth-road, Thames Ditton, Surrey, and lately carrying on business at Great Gates, Thames, Ditton aforesaid	Builder ...	Kingston, Surrey	18 of 1915	Nov. 20, 1917	Application adjourned sine die ...	Bankrupt in H.M. Forces
Davies, William ...	224, Palatine-road, Blackpool, lately carrying on business at the Ferry Hotel, Talycarn, in the county of Carnarvon	Lately Licensed Victualler	Portmadoc and Festiniog	9 of 1910	Nov. 28, 1917	Discharge granted subject to the following condition to be fulfilled before his discharge takes effect, viz.:—He shall, before the signing of this Order, consent to Judgment being entered against him in the County Court of Carnarvonshire, holden at Portmadoc and Festiniog, by the Official Receiver for the sum of £300, being part of the balance of the debts provable in the bankruptcy which is not satisfied at the date of this Order, and £1 10s. costs of Judgment. And it was further ordered, without prejudice and subject to any execution which may be issued on the said Judgment with the leave of	Proof of facts mentioned in paragraphs (A.), (B.), (E.), (F.), and (L.) of sub-sec. 3 of sec. 26, Bankruptcy Act, 1914

ORDERS MADE ON APPLICATIONS FOR DISCHARGE—continued.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Date of Order.	Nature of Order made.	Grounds named in Order for refusing an Absolute Order of Discharge.
Ridge, George William	25, Carbrook - street, Sheffield, in the county of York	Stationer and Tobacconist	Sheffield ...	54 of 1914	Nov. 29, 1917	the Court, that the said sum of £300 be paid out of the future earnings or after-acquired property of the bankrupt in manner following, that is to say:— The sum of £200 to be paid forthwith, and the balance of £100 within twelve calendar months from the 28th day of November, 1917, and on payment of the said balance the Official Receiver to assign to the debtor his interest through his late wife under the will of Richard Maries, deceased. And it was further ordered that, upon the required consent being given, Judgment may be entered against the bankrupt in the County Court of Carnarvonshire, holden at Portmadoc and Festiniog, for the sum of £300, together with £1 10s. for costs of Judgment	
Simpson, Bertram	19, Chesterfield - road and 558, Abbeydale- road, both in the city of Sheffield	Chemist and Drug- gist	Sheffield ...	42 of 1906	Nov. 29, 1917	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from the 29th November, 1919	Discharge suspended for two years. Bankrupt to be discharged as from the 29th November, 1919
							Proof of facts mentioned in paragraphs (A.), (B.), (C.), (D.) of sub-sec. 3 of sec. 26 of the Bankruptcy Act, 1914
							Proof of facts mentioned in paragraphs (A.), (C.) and (D.) of sub-sec. 3 of sec. 26 of the Bankruptcy Act, 1914

APPOINTMENTS OF TRUSTEES.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Trustee's Name.	Address.	Date of Certificate of Appointment.
Rooker, Harold Alfred ...	Residing and carrying on business at 35, 37, and 38, Horse Fair, in the city of Birmingham	Tobacconist and Fancy Goods Dealer	Birmingham	42 of 1917	Appleby, Charles Thomas	26, Corporation-street, Birmingham, Chartered Accountant	Dec. 18, 1917
Roberts, George Albert --	Residing at 66, Kenyon-road, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, and carrying on business at Central-chambers, 26, Victoria-street, in the city of Manchester	Civil, Mining and Mechanical Engineer	Manchester...	25 of 1917	Yearsley, Archibald	27, Brazennose-street, Manchester, Incorporated Accountant	Dec. 22, 1917
Dix, George James ...	Cholsey, in the county of Berks ...	Grocer and Baker ...	Oxford	7 of 1917	Cork, William Henry	19, Eastcheap, London, E.C. 3, Accountant	Dec. 21, 1917

NOTICES OF INTENDED DIVIDENDS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Last Day for Receiving Proofs.	Name of Trustee.	Address.
Hills, Frederick ...	Residing at Nunnery Green, in the city of Canterbury, and carrying on business at 7, Nunnery-fields, Canterbury	Butcher	Canterbury...	23 of 1897	Jan. 12, 1918 ...	John Osborne Morris	Official Receiver's Office, 68A, Castle-street, Canter- bury
Keates, Thomas Henry William	Norfolk Hotel, Marine-parade, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk	Hotel Keeper	Great Yarmouth ...	31 of 1907	Jan. 9, 1918 ...	H. P. Gould, Official Receiver	8, King-street, Norwich
James, John	Gwynfryn Gendros, Forestfach, near Swansea, in the county of Glamorgan, and lately residing and carrying on business at the Lord Jersey Hotel, Orange-street, in the county borough of Swansea	Collier, late Licensed Victualler	Swansea	6 of 1917	Jan. 9, 1918 ...	Henry Rees, Official Receiver	Government-buildings, St. Mary's-street, Swansea
Jones, Edward John ...	American Market, School-street, New Tredegar, in the county of Monmouth	Grocer	Tredegar	10 of 1917	Jan. 9, 1918 ...	Edgar Frederic Gardner, Official Receiver	144, Commercial-street, Newport, Mon.

NOTICES OF DIVIDENDS.

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Beard, Frederick William	73 and 61E, Abbey-road, St. John's Wood, and the Wigmore Garage, Thayer-street, Manchester-square, both in London	Fishmonger, Butcher and Poulterer, and Proprietor of a Motor Garage	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	573 of 1916	6d.	First	Jan. 4, 1918 ...	1-2, Bucklersbury, London, E.C.
Tisley, Alfred	St. Dunstan's Vestry, St. Dunstan's in the West, Fleet-street, in the city of London, and 2, Lovelace-villas, Long Ditton, in the county of Surrey	Vestry Clerk	High Court of Justice in Bankruptcy	533 of 1888	3s.	Supplemental	Any day (except Saturday) between the hours of 11 and 2	At Bankruptcy - buildings, Carey-street, London, W.C.
Peatey, Thomas	13, Mendy-street, High Wycombe, Bucks	Baker	Aylesbury	6 of 1916	2s. 4d.	First and Final	Dec. 31, 1917 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 1, St. Aldate-street, Oxford
O'Hagan, Thomas Roberts Stanley	3, Harrington-road, Preston, Brighton, Sussex	Of no occupation	Brighton	41 of 1915	1s. 6d.	Third	Jan. 2, 1918...	At the Offices of Orbell and Kirk, 151 and 152, North-street, Brighton
Evans, David Rees (deceased) (trading as D. R. Evans and Co.)	39, Bridge-street, Lampeter	Printer and Stationer	Carmarthen	6 of 1916	7s.	First and Final	Dec. 29, 1917 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 4, Queen-street, Carmarthen
Evett, James Mackrell (described in the Petition as J. M. Evett)	36 and 38, Victoria-road, Romford, Essex	Draper	Chelmsford	4 of 1917	1d.	First and Final	Jan. 14, 1917 ...	Office of Trustee, H. H. Thompson, 10, South-street, Romford
Lind, George Macan	Late 43, Elmwood-road, Chiswick, London, now Reed Hall Camp, Colchester, Essex	Bank Clerk, Second Lieutenant in the 330th Brigade, Royal Field Artillery	Colchester	1 of 1917	10s. 6d.	First and Final	Dec. 24, 1917 ...	36, Princes-street, Ipswich
Clegg, Smith	Residing at 5, Carlton-terrace, Savile Town, Dewsbury, in the county of York, and carrying on business at Tithe Barn-street, Dewsbury aforesaid	Rug Manufacturer	Dewsbury	24 of 1910	20s.	First and Final	Dec. 31, 1917 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Bank-chambers, Corporation-street, Dewsbury

NOTICES OF DIVIDENDS—*continued.*

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First or Final, or otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Cann, Tom	Abbotskerswell Bakery, Abbotskerswell, near Newton Abbot, Devonshire	Baker	Exeter	9 of 1916	1s. 6½d.	First and Final	Dec. 31, 1917 ...	Official Receiver's Office, Bedford-circus, Exeter
Main, John	63, Coventry-road, Market Harborough, in the county of Leicester.	Carpenter	Leicester	20 of 1910	1s. 9½d.	Supplemental	Jan. 2, 1918... ..	Official Receiver's Office, 1, Berridge-street, Leicester
Timm, Sidney	Late Red Lion-street, Spalding, in the county of Lincoln	Baker, but now Driver in His Majesty's Army	Peterborough	4 of 1916	1s. 9½d.	First and Final	Dec. 31, 1917 ...	Official Receiver's Office, 5, Petty-cury, Cambridge
Dennis, Thomas	54, Fore-street, Ivybridge, in the county of Devon	Grocer	Plymouth	2 of 1917	20s.	First and Final	Jan. 2, 1918... ..	Official Receiver's Office, 7, Buckland-terrace, Plymouth
King, Charles Henry and Abel, John	16, Drake-street, Plymouth, in the county of Devon	Grocers and Confectioners	Plymouth	18 of 1885	5s. 3½d.	Supplemental	Jan. 7, 1918... ..	Official Receiver's Office, 7, Buckland-terrace, Plymouth
Davies, Lewis	Ellens Castle Hotel, Dolwyddelen, Carnarvonshire	Licensed Victualler ...	Portmadoc and Festiniog	8 of 1917	11½d.	First and Final	Jan. 9, 1918... ..	Official Receiver's Office, Crypt-chambers, Eastgate-row, Chester
Young, William Sisley (trading as G. Young and Son)	77, High-street, Andover, in the county of Hants	Military Caterer ...	Salisbury	1 of 1917	2s. 6d.	Third instalment of Composition	Jan. 9, 1918	Official Receiver's Office, City-chambers, Catherine-street, Salisbury
Bowser, Edward Henry...	Residing at 4, Oxford-street, Bridlington, in the county of York, and lately carrying on business at 31, Prospect-street, Bridlington aforesaid	Corn Merchant, Market Gardener and Fruiterer	Scarborough	5 of 1917	15s.	First and Final	Dec. 31, 1917 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, 48, Westborough, Scarborough
Foster, William	Hayfield Farm, Auckley, near Doncaster, in the county of York, and lately carrying on business there	Farmer	Sheffield	15 of 1913	9s. 3d. and interest at 4 per cent. per annum	Supplemental	Dec. 28, 1917 ...	Official Receiver's Offices, Figtree-lane, Sheffield

NOTICES OF DIVIDENDS—*continued.*

Debtor's Name.	Address.	Description.	Court.	No.	Amount per Pound.	First, or Final, or otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Haines, Ellen and Fellows, Annie (trading together in co - partnership under the style or firm of Haines and Fellows)	Residing and carrying on business at 13, Avenue - road, Leamington, in the county of Warwick	Boarding House Pro- prietors	Warwick	7 of 1916	6s. 8d.	First	Dec. 31, 1917	At the Official Receiver's Offices, 8, High - street, Coventry
Aston, Mary Frances Kathleen (Separate Estate)	Residing and carrying on business at Corbett House, Droitwich, in the county of Worcester	Boarding House Keeper (carrying on business with William Aston)	Worcester	12 of 1915	1s.	Second	Dec. 29, 1917	Official Receiver's Office, 11, Copenhagen - street, Wor- cester

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Pursuant to the Act and Rules, notices to the above effect have been received by the Board of Trade.

J. G. WILLIS, Inspector-General in Bankruptcy.

THE COMPANIES (WINDING-UP) ACT, 1890, AND THE COMPANIES (CONSOLIDATION) ACT, 1908.

WINDING-UP ORDER.

Name or Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No. of Matter.	Date of Order.	Date of Presentation of Petition.
The Rhine and Sea Transport Company Limited	65, London Wall, in the city of London	High Court of Justice	00212 of 1917	Dec. 21, 1917	Nov. 28, 1917

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND.

Name of Company.	Address of Registered Office.	Court.	No.	Amount, per Pound.	First, or Final, or otherwise.	When Payable.	Where Payable.
Ingle and Burnett Limited	Essex Wharf, Hackney Wick, N.E.	High Court of Justice	0035 of 1917	2s. 11d.	First and Final	Jan. 1, 1918, or any subsequent day (except Saturday) between 11 and 2	At the Office of the Official Receiver and Liquidator, 33, Carey-street, Lincoln's Inn, London, W.C. 2.

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