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FRIDAY, 22 FEBRUARY, 1918.

*Lord Chancellor's Office,
20th February, 1918.*

**SUPREME COURT, ENGLAND.
PROCEDURE.**

THE RULES OF THE SUPREME COURT (COSTS No. 1), 1918. DATED 20TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1918.

We, the Rule Committee of the Supreme Court, hereby make the following Rule:—

1. Rule 2 of the Rules of the Supreme Court (Costs), 1917, dated the 11th day of September, 1917, is hereby annulled, and in lieu thereof the following Rule shall stand:—

(2) During the continuance of the present war and for a period of six months thereafter the charges specified in Clause 106 shall be further increased from 1s. 7d. to 1s. 10d.

2. These Rules may be cited as Rules of the Supreme Court (Costs No. 1), 1918.

And we the said Rule Committee, hereby certify that on account of urgency the said Rules should come into immediate operation, and we hereby make the said Rules to come into operation forthwith as Provisional Rules.

Dated the twentieth day of February, 1918.

Copies of the Rules may be purchased either directly or through any Bookseller from H.M. Stationery Office, Imperial House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2.

*Foreign Office,
February 20, 1918.*

GERMAN CONTRABAND LIST.

The following is a translation of an Ordinance of the German Government modifying this list:—

In further retaliation for the regulations issued by England and her Allies inconsistent with the Declaration of London of February 26th, 1909, I approve the application during the present war of the following modifications of the Prize Ordinance of September 30th, 1909, and of the supplements thereto, dated October 18th, November 23rd and December 14th, 1914, April 18th, 1915, June 3rd and July 22nd, 1916, and January 9th, June 25th and July 16th, 1917:—

1. Article 21 [list of absolute contraband], Section 3, add: "paper and cardboard of every kind and in every form and the refuse thereof; wood-pulp and cellulose."