

appointments should be as below and not as therein stated.

To be Qrs. Supervisor—

Miss Barbara Drummond.

Miss Susanna T. Tyler.

On probation 20th July, confirmed 20th Aug. 1918.

*Admiralty, 27th August, 1918.*

*R.N.R.*

Lieut.-Cdr. Alexander Henderson is placed on retired list with rank of Cdr. 30th July 1918.

Sub-Lieut. (ret.) to be Lieut. (ret.)—

Bernard Firth. 27th Jan. 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieut.—

Hubert H. Grace. 29th Sept. 1917.

*R.N.V.R.*

To be tempy. Lieut.—

John W. Western. 26th Aug. 1918.

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

Edwin H. Edwards. 6th Feb. 1918.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.—

William T. Owen. 6th Mar. 1918.

Sydney C. Phelp. 23rd Aug. 1918.

*Admiralty, 28th August, 1918.*

Chief Art. Engr. to be Engr. Lieut.—

Ambrose S. V. Whitehead. 28th Aug. 1918.

Actg. Mate to be Mate—

Samuel J. Glover. 28th June 1917.

To be tempy. Surg.—

Robert D. Lockhart, M.B. 23rd Aug. 1918.

*R.N.R.*

Tempy. Lieut. Wilfred Hamilton, who relinquishes his appt. on account of ill-health contracted in the service, to retain his rank. 29th Aug. 1918.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieut.—

Henry de Denne. 13th June 1918.

*Coastguard.*

Divnl. Chf. Offr. Harrison Ireland is granted the hon. rank of Lieut. on being pensioned. 21st June 1918.

*War Office,*

*23rd August, 1918.*

#### ARMY COUNCIL ORDER.

##### THE HOSIERY (RESTRICTION OF MANUFACTURE) ORDER, 1918.

In pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by the Defence of the Realm Regulations, the Army Council hereby order as follows:—

1. No person shall without a permit issued by or on behalf of the Director of Wool Textile Production, at any time after the 31st day of August, 1918, use for the Manufacture of any Hosiery or Fabric, any machinery of the description indicated in the Schedule annexed.

2. This Order may be cited as the Hosiery (Restriction of Manufacture) Order, 1918.

By Order of the Army Council.

*R. H. Brade.*

#### SCHEDULE.

All Cottons Patent machines up to and including 26 gauge having a needle bed, each division of 16 inches and wider.

All plain circular fabric machines, of a wider diameter than 8 inches, up to and including 14 needles to the inch.

All ribbed circular fabric machines, of a wider diameter than 8 inches, up to and including 10 needles to the inch (the cylinder needles only should be included).

All hand flat knitting machines or power-driven or Lamb frames of any width needled, up to and including 14 needles to the inch.

All plain circular machines, power and hand, for the manufacture of hose, half hose and gloves of a diameter of  $3\frac{3}{4}$  inches and over, and up to and including 176 needles in the circumference.

All X.L. Ribbed machines of a diameter of  $3\frac{3}{4}$  inches up to and including 144 needles.

All dial machines (S. & G. type) of a diameter of  $3\frac{3}{4}$  inches and over, up to and including 120 needles in cylinder.

*War Office,*

*27th August, 1918.*

#### ARMY COUNCIL ORDER.

##### DEFENCE OF THE REALM REGULATIONS.

##### REGULATION OF THE SALE OF HAY AND STRAW, AND CHOPPED HAY AND STRAW IN ENGLAND AND WALES.

Whereas by Order of the 20th August, 1918, the Army Council, in pursuance of the powers conferred on them by the Defence of the Realm Regulations, did regulate the price of Hay and Straw and Chopped Hay and Straw in England and Wales.

And whereas it is desired to amend the said Order of the 20th August, 1918.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the powers conferred on them by the Defence of the Realm Regulations, and all other powers thereunto enabling them, the Army Council hereby cancel sections (e) and (g) of paragraph 2, Schedule 3, of the said Order of 20th August, 1918, and substitute the following two sections (e) and (g) in lieu thereof:—

(e) In the case of Straw tied by hand in bundles with two strings or bands, instead of the sum mentioned in paragraph 2 (b), the sum of 14s. per ton.

(g) In the case of Straw baled or bundled with two or more wires or strings behind the threshing drum, instead of the sum mentioned in paragraph 2 (b), the sum of 10s. per ton.

And the Army Council do hereby Order that after section (b) in paragraph 3, Schedule 3, of the said Order of the 20th August, 1918, the following two sections (c) and (d) shall be added:—

(c) All costs of storage by County Distributing (Forage) Committee.

(d) All costs of storage on premises occupied by Dealers at rates approved by the County Distributing (Forage) Committee of the County in which such premises are situate.

And the Army Council do further Order that the price of Rye Straw shall be the same as the price of Oat Straw as laid down in the said Order of 20th August, 1918.

Save as aforesaid nothing in this Order shall affect the said Army Council Order of the 20th August, 1918.

By Order of the Army Council.

*R. H. Brade.*