Admiralty, 1st September, 1939.

R.N.

Lieut. (E) G. F. Turnbull to be Lieut.-Comdr. (E). 1st Sept. 1939.

Sub-Lieuts. (E) to be Lieuts. (E):—

F. Withers.

R. G. Lane.

R. J. S. Hobbs.

1st Sept. 1939.

Admiralty, 4th September, 1939.

Lieuts. to be Lieut.-Comdrs. with seny. as stated:-

J. M. Robb. 28th Aug. 1939.

J. D. L. Williams. 30th Aug. 1939.

P. M. Bliss.

J. Grant.

H. C. D. Maclean.

A. G. L. Seale.

1st Sept. 1939.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING GENERAL OR FIELD OFFICERS TO ISSUE REQUISI-TIONS OF EMERGENCY.

(Under the Army Act, Section 115.) GEORGE R.I.

Whereas by Section 115 of the Army Act it is amongst other things enacted that it shall be lawful for His Majesty, by Order distinctly stating that a case of emergency exists, and signified by a Secretary of State, to authorise any General or Field Officer Commanding the Regular Forces in any military district or place in Great Britain and Northern Ireland to issue a Requisition of Emergency under his hand, requiring Justices of the Peace to issue warrants for the provision, for the purposes mentioned in the Requisition, of such carriages, animals and vessels as are mentioned in the said Act, and also of food, forage and stores of every description:

And whereas by the said Section it is provided that a Requisition of Emergency may prohibit during such period and to such extent as may be specified in the Requisition the sale and purchase of horses or carriages or the sale and purchase of horses or carriages of any class or description so specified to or by any person other than a person appointed by the Army Council to purchase horses or carriages:

And whereas it is further enacted by the said Act, that whenever a Proclamation ordering the Army Reserve to be called out on permanent service is in force, His Majesty's Order may authorise such Officers to extend such Requisitions to the provision of carriages, animals, vessels, food, forage and stores, for the purpose of being purchased, as well as of being hired, on behalf of the Crown:

And whereas a Proclamation ordering the Army Reserve to be called out on permanent service is in force;

And whereas a case of emergency exists within the meaning of the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, in pursuance of the said Act is pleased to order and authorise

any General or Field Officer Commanding the Regular Forces in any military district or place in Great Britain and Northern Ireland to issue Requisitions of Emergency under the said Act for all the purposes mentioned in the said Section of the said Act and to extend such Requisitions as by the said Act authorised.

1st day of September, 1939.

Leslie Hore-Belisha.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING GENERAL OR FIELD OFFICERS TO ISSUE BILLET-ING REQUISITIONS.

(Under the Army Act, Section 108A).

GEORGE R.I.

Whereas by Section 108A of the Army Act it is, amongst other things, enacted that it shall be lawful for His Majesty by Order, distinctly stating that a case of emergency exists, and signified by a Secretary of State, to authorize any General or Field Officer commanding any part of His Majesty's Forces in any military district or place in the United Kingdom to issue a Billeting Requisition under his hand requiring chief officers of police to provide billets in such places and for such number of officers and soldiers and their horses, of women enrolled for employment by the Army Council and of vehicles in use for the purposes of His Majesty's Military Forces and for such period as may be specified in the Requisition in accordance with the provisions of the said Section:

And whereas a case of emergency exists

within the meaning of the said Act;
Now, therefore, His Majesty, in pursuance of the said Act, is pleased to order and authorize any General or Field Officer Commanding any part of His Majesty's Forces in any military district or place in the United Kingdom to issue Billeting Requisitions under the said Act.

30th day of August, 1939.

Leslie Hore-Belisha.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING AIR FORCE OFFICERS TO ISSUE REQUISITIONS OF EMERGENCY.

(Under the Air Force Act, Section 115.) GEORGE R.I.

Whereas by Section 115 of the Air Force Act it is amongst other things enacted that it shall be lawful for His Majesty, by Order distinctly stating that a case of emergency exists, and signified by a Secretary of State, to authorize any officer not below the rank of squadron leader holding any appointment designated for the purposes of the said Section by the Air Council or commanding any portion of the regular air force in Great Britain and Northern Ireland to issue a Requisition of Emergency under his hand, requiring Justices of the Peace to issue warrants for the provision, for the purposes mentioned in the Requisition, of such carriages, animals, vessels and aircraft as are mentioned in the said Act, and also of food, forage and stores of every description:

And whereas by the said Section it is provided that Requisitions of Emergency may