

Dilution of spirits.

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

Explanatory provisions.

9. (a) Nothing in this Order authorises any licensed premises to be kept open for the sale of exciseable liquor except during the hours now permitted by law.
- (b) The prohibition under this Order of the sale and consumption of exciseable liquor except on and during certain days and hours is not subject to the exceptions provided for in the Licensing Acts with respect to travellers and the supply of exciseable liquor at railway stations or to any other provisions in those Acts enabling exciseable liquor to be supplied during closing hours in special cases.
- (c) The expression "licensed premises" includes any premises or place where the sale of exciseable liquor is carried on under a licence.
- (d) This Order does not affect sales of exciseable liquor to a trader for the purposes of his trade.
- (e) This Order does not affect the sale or supply of exciseable liquor to or in any canteen where the sale of exciseable liquor is carried on under the authority of a Secretary of State or of the Admiralty.

Exhibition of the Order.

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

Commencement of Order.

11. This Order shall come into force on the twenty-seventh day of September 1915.

Given under the seal of the Central Control Board (Liquor Traffic) this seventeenth day of September 1915.

L. S.

D'ABERNON, Chairman.

JOHN PEDDER, Member of Board.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1901.

In pursuance of Section 1 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, notice is hereby given that the Secretary of State for the Home Department proposes, at the expiration of 40 days from the publication of this notice, to make an Order under Section 73 (4) of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, applying the provisions

of the said section to all cases of "dope poisoning" occurring in a factory or workshop.

For the purposes of the Order "dope poisoning" will be defined as poisoning by tetrachlorethane or any other substance used as or in conjunction with a solvent for acetate of cellulose, or its sequela.

Copies of the draft of the proposed Order may be obtained on application to the Chief Inspector of Factories, Home Office, London, S. W.

Whitehall,

20th September 1915.

DOWNING STREET, September 15, 1915.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Lionel Mabbott Woodward, Esq. (Judicial Commissioner, Federated Malay States), to be the Senior Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Straits Settlements.

King's and Lord Treasurer's
Remembrancer's Office, Exchequer Chambers,
Edinburgh, 18th September 1915.

NOTICE is hereby given that a moiety of the Estate of MRS. EMILY TUPPER FRASER or STUART, Mills of Chapelton, Glenlivet, Banffshire, who died there on 6th December 1914, has fallen to His Majesty as *ultimus hæres*.

KENNETH MACKENZIE, K. & L. T. R.

In the Matter of WESTLANDS LAIDLAW & CO. LTD.

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company, duly convened, and held at 124 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on the 3rd day of September 1915, the following 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 20th September 1915, the same Resolution was duly confirmed as a Special Resolution, viz.:-

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that John William Gourlay, Chartered Accountant, 124 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

Dated at Glasgow, 20th September 1915.

DAVID ROY, Chairman.

JOHN MURDOCH, Solicitor, 216 West George Street, Glasgow, Witness.

JACKSON & BEAT LIMITED (in Liquidation).

AT an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at 54 Commercial Street, Dundee, on the 31st day of August 1915, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of said Company, also duly convened, and held at the same place on the 16th day of September 1915, the said Resolution was duly confirmed:-

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and that Alfred Watson Carlisle, Solicitor, Dundee, be, and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

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 in the Office of the Subscriber, 54 Commercial Street, Dundee, on Tuesday the 5th day of October 1915, at 10 o'clock forenoon, for the purposes provided for in the said Section.

ALFRED W. CARLISLE, Liquidator.

Dated 20th September 1915.