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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1917.

EXTRA GLASGOW CIRCUIT.

OCTOBER 1917.

TUESDAY, 23rd October 1917, at Half-past Ten o'clock.

The Hon. LORD SALVESEN and
The Hon. LORD HUNTER.

C. H. BROWN, Esq., *Advocate-Depute.*
Messrs. GEORGE A. SLIGHT and ALEXANDER RAE,
Clerks.

Foreign Office,
6th September 1917.

The KING has been pleased to grant unrestricted permission to the under-mentioned gentlemen to wear decorations conferred upon them respectively by the Russian Government, as indicated below, in recognition of the services which they have rendered to the Russian sick and wounded, under the auspices of the British Red Cross Society and the Order of St. John of Jerusalem in England:—

Order of St. Anne, Class 2, with Swords.

Frank Gerard Clemow, Esq., C.M.G., M.D.

Order of St. Stanislas, Class 2.

Edward Maurice Hime, Esq., M.B., B.Ch.

Order of St. Anne, Class 3.

Alfred Ernest Hind, Esq., F.R.C.S.

DEFENCE OF THE REALM REGULATION
No. 24.

Order of the Secretary of State.

In virtue of the Powers conferred on me by Regulation 24 of the Defence of the Realm Regulations, which relates to the transmission otherwise than through the post, or conveyance, to or from the United Kingdom, of any letter, written message, memorandum, printed or written matter (including plans, photographs and other pictorial representations),

I hereby exempt from the provisions of the Regulation:

(1) Any document conveyed in a sealed bag for or on behalf of the British Foreign Office or any British or Foreign Embassy or Legation;

(2) Any letter, message or memorandum or any printed or written matter (including plans, photographs and other pictorial representations) conveyed for or on behalf of any Government Department or the Government of any of His Majesty's Dominions or the Government of any Allied State by an accredited representative;

(3) Any shipping document from a shipping company or business firm, provided that such document

(a) relates to the cargo or charter of the vessel on which it is conveyed,

(b) is placed for conveyance in the ship's box,

(c) is handed over on demand in an open cover for inspection to any competent naval or military authority or any person authorised by him to any aliens officer or officer of police, unless it can be shown that it has already been examined and passed by an officer of the Postal Censorship.

GEO. CAVE.

One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Whitehall, 3rd September 1917.

(In substitution for the notice which appeared in the Edinburgh Gazette of the 7th September 1917).

Whitehall, September 5, 1917.

The King has been pleased to appoint Edmund Toulmin Nicolle, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, Advocate of the Royal Court of Jersey, to the office of Viscount of the Island of Jersey, in the room of Reginald Raoul Lemprière, Esq., resigned.

Downing Street,
5th September 1917.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Francis Michael M'Namara, Esq., Samuel Kelly Bell, Esq., Tasker Keech Cook, Esq., and Alexander Whiteford Mews, Esq., to be Members of the Legislative Council of Newfoundland.

Whereas a Licence was granted by the Board of Trade, on 7th December 1915, permitting, in certain circumstances, the payment of fees and agents' charges and expenses in respect of patents, trade marks and designs, payable in an enemy country or on behalf of an enemy:

And whereas it has been deemed desirable to amend the terms of the said Licence:

Now, therefore, the Board, acting on behalf of His Majesty, and in pursuance of all powers thereunto them enabling, do hereby amend the said Licence, dated 7th December 1915, as follows, that is to say:—

The said Licence shall have effect subject to the following amendments:—

(a) The words "person" or "persons" respectively wherever they occur in clauses 1 and 2 thereof shall mean a person or persons being of British, Allied or Neutral nationality.

(b) in clauses 1 (b) and 2 (b) of the said Licence there shall be added immediately after the words "His Majesty's Dominions" wherever they occur, the words "or of Allied territory not in hostile occupation":

The following provisos shall be added, viz.:—

Provided always that as regards payments on behalf of an enemy under clause 2 of the said Licence as amended hereby, the same may only be made by the person making the same, out of monies—

(a) remitted by or on behalf of such enemy,
or

(b) held for or on account of such enemy, and subject to the provisions of the next paragraph hereof nothing in the said Licence or herein shall permit any payments to be made on behalf of an enemy by way of gift or by way of advancement or loan to or on account of such enemy:

Provided also that nothing herein contained shall prevent persons of British, Allied or Neutral nationality residing, carrying on business or being in the United Kingdom who have an interest in or under a patent or design belonging in whole or in part to an enemy from paying out of their own monies fees payable in the United Kingdom for obtaining the renewal of such patent or for obtaining the renewal of the registration of such design, or from paying agents in the United Kingdom (including themselves) their charges and expenses (if any) in relation to such matters.

Dated this 5th day of September 1917.

H. LLEWELLYN SMITH,
Secretary to the Board of Trade.

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens,
7th September 1917.

The KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Decoration of the Albert Medal upon Mr. James Campbell Hurry, master of the steamship "Earl of Forfar," of Glasgow.

The following is an account of the services in respect of which the Decoration has been conferred:—

On the 8th November 1916, while the steamship "Earl of Forfar," of Glasgow, was lying at Archangel, a fire broke out on a Russian steamship and spread to the "Earl of Forfar," which was lying immediately ahead. Captain Hurry, who was on shore, attempted to return to his vessel, but he was unable to do so. He proceeded, however, to render assistance to other vessels which were in danger of being burnt.

While doing so, he heard voices coming from his own ship, which was burning and exploding furiously. Calling for volunteers, he led them on board his steamer, and seven injured men were rescued, some of whom he personally carried to a tug.

While thus engaged considerable risk was incurred by Captain Hurry, who had to lift several live shells from the deck of the vessel in order to get at the wounded.

Within ten minutes of the last man being rescued the deck blew up.

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens,
7th September 1917.

The KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Decoration of the Albert Medal upon Mr. Edgar Twidle, master, and Mr. William Francis Gordon Martin, chief officer, of the steamship "Bayropea," of London, and Mr. Robert MacBryde, Admiralty clerk, temporarily employed as Commodore's Secretary.

The following is an account of the services in respect of which the Decoration has been conferred:—

On the 26th January 1917 a series of fires and explosions occurred at Economia, port of Archangel. When Captain Twidle arrived on the scene his ship was burning fiercely.

On being informed that the Chief Engineer was alive, Captain Twidle climbed on board but found that he was dead.

He then examined the other rooms and found a Chinese sailor in a dazed condition.

With the assistance of Mr. Martin and Mr. MacBryde this man was got over to the ship's side across the ice, and eventually to the Red Cross station.

About four minutes after the seaman had been removed the vessel blew up.

*Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens,
7th September 1917.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Decoration of the Albert Medal upon John David Bulmer, boatswain of the steamship "Rhydwen," of Cardiff, and Private John Edward Brown, R.M.L.I.

The following is an account of the services in respect of which the Decoration has been conferred:—

On the 31st January 1917, while the steamship "Rhydwen," of Cardiff, was lying at Genoa, a fire broke out in the ship's magazine.

A fire signal was immediately hoisted, but before assistance arrived Bulmer and Brown went below, unlocked the door of the magazine and got the hose at the seat of the fire.

Water was then played on the magazine and the ammunition was taken out on deck, and, owing to the prompt action of the ship's crew, the fire was extinguished.

Considerable risk was incurred by Bulmer and Brown in rendering the service.

*Ministry of Munitions,
1st September 1917.*

LEAD ORDER.

The Minister of Munitions in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Defence of the Realm (Consolidation) Act, 1914, the Defence of the Realm (Amendment) No. 2 Act, 1915, the Defence of the Realm Regulations, the Munitions of War Acts, 1915 and 1916, and all other powers thereunto enabling him, hereby gives notice and orders as follows:—

(1) He hereby takes possession as from the date hereof until further notice of all pig lead, whether Virgin or Remelted, old and scrap lead and lead residues, now or hereafter situated in the United Kingdom, subject to the following exceptions:—

(a) All such lead as may be in the possession of or due under an existing lawful contract in writing for future delivery to a manufacturer for use in such manufacturer's own works.

(b) All such lead as may be specially excepted under the written authority of the Minister of Munitions.

The lead of which possession is taken as aforesaid will until further notice be paid for by the Minister of Munitions on delivery, as to virgin pig lead at the prices specified in the schedule hereto, and as to remelted, old and scrap lead and lead residues upon terms which will be communicated in due course to the various owners.

(2) If any person having control of any lead of which possession has been taken under clause 1 hereof without the consent of the Minister of Munitions sells, removes or secretes it or deals with it in any way contrary to any conditions imposed in any licence or permit that may be granted in respect thereof, he will be guilty of an offence against the Defence of the Realm Regulations.

(3) All existing licences issued by or on behalf of the Minister of Munitions for dealing in any remelted, old or scrap lead or lead residues are hereby cancelled.

(4) No person shall as from the date hereof until further notice purchase, sell, offer to purchase or sell, or, except for the purpose of carrying out a contract in writing existing prior to the 6th April 1917, for the sale or purchase of white lead, lead oxides, lead manufactures, lead alloys or lead compounds of any kind, or a contract in writing existing prior to the 2nd February 1917, for the sale or purchase of any other kind of lead, enter into any transaction or negotiation in relation to the sale or purchase of lead situated outside the United Kingdom except under and in accordance with the terms of a licence issued under the authority of the Minister of Munitions.

(5) No persons shall as from the date hereof until further notice offer to purchase, purchase or take delivery of any lead situated in the United Kingdom except under and in accordance with the terms of a licence issued under the authority of the Minister of Munitions, or offer to sell, sell, supply or deliver any such lead to any person other than the holder of such a licence, and in accordance with the terms thereof, provided that no such licence shall be required in the case of any offer to sell or purchase, sale, purchase, or delivery of such lead:—

(a) For the purpose of a contract or order for the time being in existence, certified to be within Class "A" in the Order of the Minister of Munitions as to priority, dated the 8th March 1917, and made in substitution for Circular L.33, or certified by or on behalf of the Minister of Munitions to be within Class "B" of the said Order.

(b) For the purpose of necessary repairs or renewals requiring immediate execution, and for which no other metal can be substituted, and requiring for the entire carrying out thereof the use of not exceeding 1 cwt. of sheet lead or lead pipe, and not exceeding 28 lb. of solder and no other lead, and in respect of which repairs or renewals the purchaser shall have given to the seller, at or before the time of purchase, a declaration in writing specifying the nature of the work for which the same is required, and the place where the same is to be carried out, and that the lead purchased is for the purpose mentioned in this sub-clause, and for no other purpose.

(6) No purchase or sale of lead situated in the United Kingdom, or offer to purchase or sell any such lead, whether such purchase, sale or offer is or is not under any licence issued under the authority of the Minister of Munitions, shall, in the case of any class of lead specified in the Schedule hereto, until further notice be at a price exceeding the price set opposite the same in the said Schedule.

(7) No person shall, as from the date hereof until further notice, use any lead for the purpose of any manufacture or work except:—

(a) For the purpose of a contract or order for the time being in existence, certified to be within Class "A" of the Order of the Minister of Munitions as to priority, dated 8th March 1917, and made in substitution for Circular L.33, or certified by or on behalf of the Minister of Munitions to be within Class "B" of the said Order.

(b) For the purpose of necessary repairs or renewals requiring immediate execution, and requiring for the entire carrying out thereof, the use of not exceeding 1 cwt. of sheet lead or lead pipe, and not exceeding 28 lb. of solder, and no other lead.

(c) For the purpose of type-casting from metal already in the form of type on the 2nd February 1917, or from lead purchased for that purpose prior to that date.

(d) Under and in accordance with the terms of a licence issued under the authority of the Minister of Munitions.

(8) All persons shall, within seven days from the first day of each month, send in monthly returns of—

(a) All lead held by them, in stock or otherwise under their control on the last day of the preceding month, the lead actually in stock to be shown separately.

(b) All lead purchased or sold by them for future delivery and not yet delivered on such last day.

(c) All lead delivered to them during the preceding month.

(d) All contracts or orders existing on the last day of or entered into during the preceding month requiring for their execution the use of lead for any purpose, specifying the amounts of lead required monthly for the purposes of such contracts or orders, and distinguishing between the amounts required for work certified to be within Class "A" in the said Order of the 8th March 1917, and the amounts required for other purposes, or certified by or on behalf of the Minister of Munitions to be within Class "B" of the said Order.

Notwithstanding the above, no return is required from any person whose total stock of lead in hand and on order for future delivery to him has not at any time during the preceding month exceeded 1 cwt.

Returns shall as regards remelted, old and scrap lead and lead residues be sent in to the Director of Materials, AM2/ES Hotel Victoria, Northumberland Avenue, London, W.C. 2, and as regards all other kinds of lead, to the Director of Materials, AM2/E Hotel Victoria, Northumberland Avenue, London, W.C. 2.

(9) For the purpose of this Order the expression "Lead" shall mean pig lead, whether virgin or remelted, sheet lead, lead pipe, and old and

scrap lead, lead residues, white lead, whether dry, in oil, or prepared for use, lead oxides, lead manufactures, lead alloys and lead compounds of every kind, or any of them.

(10) All communications on the subject of remelted, old or scrap lead or lead residues shall be addressed to:—

The Director of Materials, AM2/ES,
Hotel Victoria,
Northumberland Avenue,
London, W.C. 2.

and marked "Scrap Lead."

All applications for licences to purchase lead other than remelted, old or scrap lead or lead residues, shall be made to:—

The Director of Materials, AM2/E,
Hotel Victoria,
Northumberland Avenue,
London, W.C. 2.

and marked "Lead Licence";

And all applications to use lead other than remelted, old or scrap lead or lead residues shall be made to:—

The Controller,
The Priority Department,
1 Caxton Street,
Westminster, S.W. 1.

(11) The Order of the Minister of Munitions dated the 6th April 1917, relating to certain classes of lead is hereby cancelled except clause 8 thereof, but such cancellation shall not affect the previous operation of that Order or the validity of any action taken thereunder, or the liability to any penalty or punishment in respect of any contravention or failure to comply with the same prior to its cancellation, or any proceeding or remedy in respect of such penalty or punishment.

THE SCHEDULE above referred to:—

Maximum Prices.

Virgin Pig Lead, £29 per ton c.i.f., £30 per ton ex store or ex refiner's works.

Manufactured Lead.

Sheet lead, £39 10s. per ton delivered United Kingdom, less 2½ per cent. monthly account; the usual trade extras and allowances to apply.

Lead pipe, £40 per ton delivered United Kingdom, less 2½ per cent. monthly account; the usual trade extras and allowances to apply.

The rate of exchange between Chemical Houses and Manufacturers of Chemical Sheet Lead, for the old lead in pig lead shape, to be £8 per ton net for sheet lead and £8 10s. per ton net for lead pipe, the manufacturer paying cost of delivery of the old lead; the sheet lead or lead pipe to be delivered United Kingdom. The usual trade extras to apply.

Lead Compounds.

Dry White Lead.—£46 per ton less 5 per cent. monthly account delivered United Kingdom. The usual trade extras and allowances to apply.

White Lead in Oil.—£53 per ton less 5 per cent. monthly account for deliveries in packages of 5 cwt. and over.

£55 per ton less 5 per cent. monthly account for lots of less than 5 cwt. White lead in pack-

ages less than 5 cwt. to be charged at the customary trade extra for packing.

These prices for white lead in oil are based on a price of £50 per ton as the spot price for raw linseed oil in barrels. If the average daily spot price of raw linseed oil during the preceding month rises or falls by multiples of £6, then the above maximum price of white lead in oil shall rise or fall by 10s per ton for every £6 per ton rise or fall in the price of linseed oil.

Red Lead and Litharge.—£42 per ton less 2½ per cent. monthly account in 5 cwt. casks delivered United Kingdom. The usual trade extras and allowances to apply.

NOTE.—Any person acting in contravention of or failing to comply with the above Order will be guilty of an offence under the Defence of the Realm Regulations, and be liable to penalties of fine and imprisonment.

War Office,
4th September 1917.

ARMY COUNCIL ORDER.

ARMS, AMMUNITION AND EXPLOSIVES.

In pursuance of the powers conferred on them by Regulation 30A of the Defence of the Realm Consolidation Regulations, 1914, the Army Council hereby order that the War Material to which that Regulation applies shall include single barrel shot guns.

The Army Council Order of September 24th, 1915, is hereby amended to read as follows:—

“In pursuance of the powers conferred on them by Regulation 30A of the Defence of the Realm Consolidation Regulations, 1914, the Army Council hereby order that the War Material to which that Regulation applies shall be war material of the following classes and descriptions, that is to say:—Arms and Ammunition of a military nature, including all arms of greater calibre than 23 inch and ammunition therefor (other than double barrel shot guns and sporting ammunition for shot guns) and military explosives.”

By Order of the Army Council.

R. H. BRADE.

War Office,
September 6, 1917.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Victoria Cross to the undermentioned Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men:—

T./Capt. Harold Ackroyd, M.C., M.D., late R.A.M.C. (attd. R. Berks. R.).

For most conspicuous bravery.

During recent operations Capt. Ackroyd displayed the greatest gallantry and devotion to duty. Utterly regardless of danger, he worked continuously for many hours up and down and in front of the line tending the wounded and saving the lives of officers and men. In so doing he had to move across the open under heavy machine gun, rifle and shell fire. He carried a wounded officer

to a place of safety under very heavy fire. On another occasion he went some way in front of our advanced line and brought in a wounded man under continuous sniping and machine gun fire.

His heroism was the means of saving many lives, and provided a magnificent example of courage, cheerfulness, and determination to the fighting men in whose midst he was carrying out his splendid work.

This gallant officer has since been killed in action.

Capt. (T./Lt.-Col.) Bertram Best-Dunkley, late Lan. Fus.

For most conspicuous bravery and devotion to duty when in command of his battalion, the leading waves of which, during an attack, became disorganised by reason of rifle and machine gun fire at close range from positions which were believed to be in our hands.

Lt.-Col. Best-Dunkley dashed forward, rallied his leading waves, and personally led them to the assault of these positions, which, despite heavy losses, were carried.

He continued to lead his battalion until all their objectives had been gained. Had it not been for this officer's gallant and determined action it is doubtful if the left of the brigade would have reached its objectives.

Later in the day, when our position was threatened, he collected his battalion headquarters, led them to the attack, and beat off the advancing enemy.

This gallant officer has since died of wounds.

2nd Lt. (actg. Capt.) Thomas Riversdale Colyer-Fergusson, late North'n R.

For most conspicuous bravery, skilful leading, and determination in attack.

The tactical situation having developed contrary to expectation, it was not possible for his company to adhere to the original plan of deployment, and, owing to the difficulties of the ground and to enemy wire, Capt. Colyer-Fergusson found himself with a Serjeant and five men only. He carried out the attack nevertheless, and succeeded in capturing the enemy trench and disposing of the garrison. His party was then threatened by a heavy counter-attack from the left front, but this attack he successfully resisted.

During this operation, assisted by his Orderly only, he attacked and captured an enemy machine gun and turned it on the assailants, many of whom were killed and a large number were driven into the hands of an adjoining British unit. Later, assisted only by his Serjeant, he again attacked and captured a second enemy machine gun, by which time he had been joined by other portions of his company, and was enabled to consolidate his position. The conduct of this officer throughout forms an amazing record of dash, gallantry and skill, for which no reward can be too great having regard to the importance of the position won.

This gallant officer was shortly afterwards killed by a sniper.

No. 939 Sjt. Robert Bye, Welsh Guards (Penrhiwceiber, Glamorgan).

For most conspicuous bravery.

Sjt. Bye displayed the utmost courage and devotion to duty during an attack on the enemy's position. Seeing that the leading waves were being troubled by two enemy blockhouses, he, on his own initiative, rushed at one of them and put the garrison out of action. He then rejoined his company and went forward to the assault of the second objective.

When the troops had gone forward to the attack on the third objective, a party was detailed to clear up a line of blockhouses which had been passed. Sjt. Bye volunteered to take charge of this party, accomplished his object, and took many prisoners. He subsequently advanced to the third objective, capturing a number of prisoners, thus rendering invaluable assistance to the assaulting companies.

He displayed throughout the most remarkable initiative.

No. 11795 Cpl. Leslie Wilton Andrew, Infy. Bn., N.Z. Force.

For most conspicuous bravery when in charge of a small party in an attack on the enemy's position.

His objective was a machine gun post which had been located in an isolated building. On leading his men forward he encountered unexpectedly a machine gun post which was holding up the advance of another company; he immediately attacked, capturing the machine gun and killing several of the crew.

He then continued the attack on the machine gun post which had been his original objective.

He displayed great skill and determination in his disposition, finally capturing the post, killing several of the enemy, and putting the remainder to flight.

Cpl. Andrew's conduct throughout was unexampled for cool daring, initiative, and fine leadership, and his magnificent example was a great stimulant to his comrades.

No. 31161 Cpl. James Llewellyn Davies, late R. Welsh Fus. (Nantymoel, Glamorgan).

For most conspicuous bravery.

During an attack on the enemy's line, this non-commissioned officer pushed through our own barrage and, single handed, attacked a machine gun emplacement after several men had been killed in attempting to take it.

He bayoneted one of the machine gun crew and brought in another man, together with the captured gun.

Cpl. Davies, although wounded, then led a bombing party to the assault of a defended house, and killed a sniper who was harassing

his platoon. This gallant non-commissioned officer has since died of wounds received during the attack.

No. 17114 Pte. Thomas Barratt, late S. Staffs. R. (Tipton).

For most conspicuous bravery when as Scout to a patrol he worked his way towards the enemy line with the greatest gallantry and determination, in spite of continuous fire from hostile snipers at close range.

These snipers he stalked and killed. Later his patrol was similarly held up, and again he disposed of the snipers.

When during the subsequent withdrawal of the patrol it was observed that a party of the enemy were endeavouring to outflank them, Pte. Barratt at once volunteered to cover the retirement, and this he succeeded in accomplishing.

His accurate shooting caused many casualties to the enemy, and prevented their advance.

Throughout the enterprise he was under heavy machine gun and rifle fire, and his splendid example of coolness and daring was beyond all praise.

After safely regaining our lines, this very gallant soldier was killed by a shell.

No. 265579 Pte. George M'Intosh, Gord. Highrs. (Buckie, Banffshire).

For most conspicuous bravery when, during the consolidation of a position, his Company came under machine gun fire at close range.

Pte. M'Intosh immediately rushed forward under heavy fire, and, reaching the emplacement, he threw a Mill's Grenade into it, killing two of the enemy and wounding a third. Subsequently, entering the dug-out, he found two light machine guns, which he carried back with him.

His quick grasp of the situation and the utter fearlessness and rapidity with which he acted, undoubtedly saved many of his comrades and enabled the consolidation to proceed unhindered by machine gun fire.

Throughout the day the cheerfulness and courage of Pte. M'Intosh was indomitable, and to his fine example, in a great measure, was due the success which attended his Company.

No. 15067 Pte. Thomas Witham, C. Gds. (Burnley).

For most conspicuous bravery when, during an attack, an enemy machine gun was seen to be enfilading the battalion on the right. Pte. Witham, on his own initiative, immediately worked his way from shell-hole to shell-hole through our own barrage, rushed the machine gun, and, although under a very heavy fire, captured it, together with an officer and two other ranks.

The bold action on the part of Pte. Witham was of great assistance to the battalion on the right, and undoubtedly saved many lives and enabled the whole line to advance.

CURRENCY NOTES.
(4 & 5 Geo. V., cc. 14 and 72.)

I.—ISSUE ACCOUNT.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Total issued up to 29th August 1917 inclusive—				Total cancelled up to 29th August 1917 inclusive—						
£1 notes	485,101,493	0	0	£1 notes	359,084,132	0	0			
10/- notes	160,678,389	10	0	10/- notes	128,304,659	10	0			
Currency notes certificates	43,520,000	0	0	Currency notes certificates	28,550,000	0	0			
Issued during the week ended 5th September 1917—				Cancelled during the week ended 5th September 1917—						
£1 notes	3,620,104	0	0	£1 notes	2,657,138	0	0			
10/- notes	1,295,289	10	0	10/- notes	1,149,377	10	0			
Currency notes certificates	150,000	0	0	Currency notes certificates	60,000	0	0			
				TOTAL				519,805,307	0	0
				Outstanding—						
				£1 notes	126,980,327	0	0			
				10/- notes	32,519,642	0	0			
				Currency notes certificates	15,060,000	0	0			
				TOTAL				174,559,969	0	0
TOTAL	<u>£694,365,276</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	TOTAL				<u>£694,365,276</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

II.—BALANCE SHEET.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Notes outstanding	159,499,969	0	0	Advances—			
Certificates outstanding	15,060,000	0	0	Scottish and Irish Banks of Issue	129,000	0	0
				Other Bankers	—	—	—
				Post Office Savings Bank	—	—	—
				Trustee Savings Banks	235,000	0	0
Investments Reserve Account	7,286,464	15	6	Currency Note Redemption Account—			
				Gold Coin and Bullion	28,500,000	0	0
				Government Securities	147,896,123	15	11
				Balance at the Bank of England	5,086,309	19	7
TOTAL	<u>£181,846,433</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>6</u>	TOTAL	<u>£181,846,433</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>6</u>

Treasury Chambers, 6th September 1917.

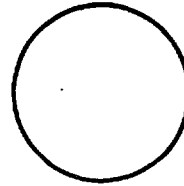
JOHN BRADBURY, Secretary to the Treasury.

“THE COMPANIES ACTS, 1908 to 1917.”

Forms of Returns pursuant to Section 274 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, and Section 1 of the Companies (Particulars as to Directors) Act, 1917.

Registered No. F.....

[Form No. 2 F.]



A 5/-
Companies
Registration
Fee Stamp
must be
impressed
here.

“THE COMPANIES ACTS, 1908 to 1917.”

Return, pursuant to Section 274 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, and Section 1 of the Companies (Particulars as to Directors) Act, 1917, by—

The*.....

incorporated in †.....

and which has a place of business in the United Kingdom at

.....
of a List of its Directors and Particulars respecting such Directors.

* Insert name of Company.

† Insert country of origin.

Presented for filing

by.....

List of and Particulars respecting Directors* of the.....

§ The present Christian Name or Names and Surnames.	† Any former Christian Name or Names or Surname.	Nationality.	Nationality of origin (if other than the present Nationality).	Usual Residence.	Occupation.

Signature of the persons
authorised under Sec. 274
(1) (c) of the Companies
(Consolidation) Act, 1908,
or of some other person in
the United Kingdom duly
authorised by the Com-
pany.

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Date.....

* “Director” includes any person who occupies the position of a Director and any person in accordance with whose directions or instructions the Directors of a Company are accustomed to act.

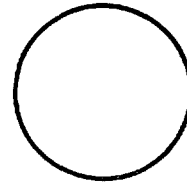
§ Christian name includes any forename. In the case of a peer or person usually known by a title different from his surname, the title by which he is known must be substituted for his surname.

† In the case of natural-born British subjects, a former Christian name or surname should not be shown where that name or surname has been changed or disused before the person bearing the name had attained the age of 18 years; and in the case of a married woman the name or surname by which she was known previous to the marriage should not be given.

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NOTICE OF ALTERATION IN THE LIST OF DIRECTORS OR CHANGE IN THE PARTICULARS
RESPECTING DIRECTORS OF THE

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* Insert Name of Company.

Pursuant to Section 274 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, and Section 1 of the Companies (Particulars as to Directors) Act, 1917.

NOTE.—This Notice must be filed within twenty-one days after the date on which particulars of the alteration could, in due course of post, and if dispatched with due diligence, have been received in the United Kingdom from the place where the Company is incorporated.

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NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Section 274 of the Companies (Consolidation Act), 1908, and Section 1 of the Companies (Particulars as to Directors) Act, 1917,
by the.....
incorporated in
and which has a place of business in the United Kingdom, at.....
of Alteration in the List of Directors * or change in the Particulars respecting Directors.

§ The present Christian Name or Names and Surname.	† Any former Christian Name or Names or Surname.	Nationality.	Nationality of origin (if other than the present nationality).	Usual residence.	Occupations.	Remarks as to the alteration.

Signature of the persons authorised under Sec. 274 (1) (c) of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, or of some other person in the United Kingdom duly authorised by the Company.

Date.....

* "Director" includes any person who occupies the position of a director and any person in accordance with whose directions or instructions the directors of a company are accustomed to act.
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**NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION
OF NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.**

*Department of the Accountant-General of the
Navy, Admiralty, S. W. 1,
4th September 1917.*

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of the award for the salvage of S.S. "Athamas" on 17th and 18th November 1915, by His Majesty's Ships "Resono," "Electra," "Fervent," "Seaflower," "Sicyon," "Marloes," "Croupier," Torpedo Boat "No. 9," and "Robust" will commence on Saturday the 8th instant, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, S. W.

All applications from persons entitled to share, who are not serving afloat, should be addressed "On Prize Business:—to the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, London, S. W. 1." Such applications (except in the case of Commissioned Officers) should be accompanied by certificates of service.

*Ministry of Food,
6th September 1917.*

**THE MEAT (MAXIMUM PRICES) ORDER,
29TH AUGUST 1917.**

Statutory Rule and Order, 1917, No. 903,
price 1d. net, post free 1½d.

**THE CHEESE (MAXIMUM PRICES) ORDER,
31ST AUGUST 1917.**

Statutory Rule and Order, 1917, No. 911,
price 1d. net, post free 1½d.

**THE SEA FISHING (IRELAND) ORDER,
31ST AUGUST 1917.**

Statutory Rule and Order, 1917, No. 915,
price 1d. net, post free 1½d.

Notice is hereby given that the above-named Orders have been made by the Food Controller, and that copies of the Orders and of all other Orders made by the Food Controller, printed as Statutory Rules and Orders, and receivable in evidence under the Documentary Evidence Acts, can be purchased at the prices stated, through any bookseller or directly from H.M. Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—Imperial House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2; 37 Peter Street, Manchester; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 23 Forth Street, Edinburgh; or E. Ponsonby Ltd., 116 Grafton Street, Dublin.

Re WILLIAM DODSHON, Deceased.

PURSUANT to the Act of Parliament of the 22nd & 23rd Vict., c. 35, Notice is hereby given that all Creditors and other persons having any debts, claims, or demands against the Estate of William Dodshon, late of Stockton-on-Tees, in the County of Durham, and of Harrogate, in the County of York, Wholesale Provision Merchant, deceased (who died on the 16th day of February 1917, and whose Will was proved in the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of His Majesty's High Court of Justice on the 21st day of August 1917, by Thomas Walter Pumphrey and Walter Harland, two of the Executors therein named), are hereby required to send in the particulars of their debts, claims, or demands to the undersigned, the Solicitors for the said Executors, on or before the 31st day of October 1917, 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.

The Business of a Wholesale Provision Merchant carried on by the deceased at West Row, Stockton-on-Tees, under the style of "JOHN DODSHON & Co.," has been sold to Mr. Walter Danby, who is continuing the Business at Stockton-on-Tees under the same style, and who will discharge all the debts due by the deceased or his Executors in connection with such Business.

Dated this sixth day of September 1917.

ARCHER, PARKIN, & ARCHER, 77 High
Street, Stockton-on-Tees, Solicitors for
the said Executors.

GLEN FULTON LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the above Company, duly convened, and held within the Registered Office of the Company at Huntershill Quarry, Bishopbriggs, on the 15th day of August 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 31st day of August 1917, the following Special Resolutions were duly confirmed:—

- "(1) That the Company be wound up voluntarily.
- "(2) That Robert Milne, Engineer, Huntershill Quarry, Bishopbriggs, be, and is hereby appointed Liquidator of the Company for the purpose of winding up the affairs and distributing the assets thereof."

In terms of Section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation Act, 1908, Notice is hereby given that a Meeting of the Creditors of the Company will be held within the Registered Office of the Company at Huntershill Quarry, Bishopbriggs, on Monday the 17th day of September 1917, at 10 o'clock forenoon.

ROB. MILNE, Liquidator.

Huntershill Quarry, Bishopbriggs,
4th September 1917.

A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Stirling, Dumbarton, and Clackmannan at Falkirk, at the instance of George Younger & Son Limited, Brewers, Alloa, for Sequestration of the Estates of DAVID SHAND, Spirit Merchant, Victoria Inn, Carronshore, the Sheriff-Substitute of this date granted Warrant for citing the said David Shand to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation, to show cause why Sequestration of his Estates should not be awarded. Of all which Intimation is hereby given.

ANDREW HUNTER, Solicitor, Falkirk,
Agent for Petitioners.

8th September 1917.

A PETITION having been presented to the Lord Ordinary officiating on the Bills, at the instance of Charles Dalrymple Gairdner, C.A., one hundred and fifteen St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Liquidator of John Scott Engines Limited, who had their Registered Office at Lonend Motor Works, Paisley, for Sequestration of the Estates of CAPTAIN A. J. MACARTHUR, Lonend House, Paisley, his Lordship of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Captain A. J. MacArthur to appear in Court on the seventh day next after citation if within Scotland, and on the fourteenth day next after citation if furth of Scotland, to show cause why Sequestration should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

NEIL MACVICAR, W.S., Agent, 71
Hanover Street, Edinburgh.

Edinburgh, 6th September 1917.

THE Estates of DAVID BUCHANAN, residing sometime at 147 Centre Street, Tradeston, Glasgow, and thereafter c/o Miss M'Coll, Clachan House, Lismore, Argyllshire, and now deceased, were Sequestrated on the 7th day of September 1917, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated the 18th day of August 1917.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Tuesday the 18th day of September 1917, within the Faculty Hall, St. George's Place, Glasgow. A Composition may be offered at this Meeting; and to entitle Creditors to the first Dividend their oaths and grounds of debt must be lodged on or before the 7th day of January 1918.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the County of Lanark at Glasgow.

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

H. HUME M'GREGOR, S.S.C., Petitioner's Agent.

6 York Place, Edinburgh.

THE Estates of BOWMAN & CO., 9 Watson Street, Glasgow, and George Petch, 9 Watson Street, Glasgow, the sole Partner thereof, as such Partner, and as an Individual, were Sequestrated on the 10th September 1917, by the Sheriff of Lanarkshire at Glasgow.

The first Deliverance is dated 23rd August 1917.

The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Friday the 21st day of September 1917, within the Faculty Hall, St. George's Place, Glasgow. 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 advertised in the Edinburgh Gazette Notice calling the second Meeting.

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

A. A. STEWART & PRICE, Solicitors,
205 Hope Street, Glasgow, Agents.

**SEQUESTRATION of ROBERT JACKSON, Farmer,
Stand Farm, Airdrie.**

GEORGE KIRKWOOD JOHNSTON, C.A., 29 Alva Street, Edinburgh, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and John Gray (James Gray & Co., Seed Merchants, Stirling), Andrew Devar (Gartshore & Sons, Seed Merchants, Stirling), and Thomas Gray (Gray & Harrower, Grain Merchants, Alloa), have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in the Sheriff Court House, Edinburgh, on Tuesday the 18th day of September 1917, at two o'clock afternoon. The Creditors will meet in the Chambers of Wilson & Johnston, C.A., 29 Alva Street, Edinburgh, on Thursday the 27th day of September 1917, at 10.30 o'clock (forenoon).

GEORGE K. JOHNSTON, C.A., Trustee.

Edinburgh, 7th September 1917.

**SEQUESTRATION of SEMPLE & COMPANY,
Lion Chambers, 170 Hope Street, Glasgow, and
Robert Semple, Lion Chambers, 170 Hope Street
aforesaid, the only known Partner of said Firm, as
such Partner, and as an Individual.**

JAMES ANDREW FRENCH, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, the Trustee, hereby intimates that at the Special Meeting of Creditors held on 8th September 1917 the Bankrupt offered to Creditors a Composition on his whole debts of 5s. in the pound, payable with security, and that the Creditors present at that Meeting unanimously entertained said offer for consideration, and Notice is hereby given that it will be decided upon at a Meeting of Creditors, to be held within the Office of French & Cowan, Chartered

Accountants, 116 Hope Street, Glasgow, upon the 4th day of October 1917, at 12 o'clock noon.

JAS. A. FRENCH, C.A., Trustee.

116 Hope Street, Glasgow,
10th September 1917.

SEQUESTRATION of M. SPECULAND & COMPANY, Wholesale Jewellers, Hardware Merchants, and Foreign Goods Importers, lately carrying on business at 88 South Bridge, Edinburgh, and now at 36 Chambers Street there, and Morris Speculand, Wholesale Jeweller there, the sole Partner of said Company, as such Partner, and as an Individual.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions, brought down to 27th August 1917, has been audited by the Commissioners. Further, that on or after 28th October 1917 a first Dividend will be paid on all claims admitted to an ordinary ranking.

J. FLEMING ROBERTSON, C.A., Trustee.

17 Duke Street, Edinburgh,
11th September 1917.

SUMMARY SEQUESTRATION of JOHN CUMMING, lately Farmer, Mains of Cairnty, Orton, Boharm.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that an account of his intromissions with the funds of the Estate, brought down to date, has been audited by the Commissioners, and that a first and final Dividend of 2s. 6d. per £ will be paid upon 8th October 1917, within his Chambers, Commercial Bank Buildings, Keith, to those Creditors whose claims have been lodged and admitted.

S. W. MAYER, Trustee.

Keith, 7th September 1917.

**In the SEQUESTRATION of JOHN MOIR,
13 Wales Street, Aberdeen.**

ALEXANDER ESSLEMONT, Wholesale Merchant, 30 King Street, Aberdeen, Trustee, hereby intimates that the Commissioners have postponed a Dividend till the recurrence of another statutory period for making a Dividend.

A. ESSLEMONT, Trustee.

Aberdeen, 10th September 1917.

NOTICE.

THE Firm of GEORGE PATON & SON, Seed-merchants and Nurserymen, 40 Whitehall Crescent, Dundee, and Craigview Nursery, Tayport, Fife, the sole Partners of which were the late George Paton and the Subscriber Frederick William Paton, was DISSOLVED by the death of the said George Paton on 18th July 1917.

Since said date the Business of the Firm has been, and will continue to be, carried on under the said name, for his own behoof, by the said Frederick William Paton, who is in right of the Firm's assets and will discharge its liabilities.

Dated at Dundee, the 10th day of September 1917.

JANE PATON,

D. J. TWEEDIE,

A majority and quorum of the Trustees of the said late George Paton.

F. W. PATON.

Witnesses to the Signatures of Mrs.
Jane Watt or Paton, David James
Tweedie, and the said Frederick
William Paton—
LAURA J. SCOTT, Clerk, 27 Bank
Street, Dundee.
ISABELLA D. BRUNTON, Clerk, 27
Bank Street, Dundee.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Firm of WILLIAM AFFLECK & SON, Cabinetmakers, Upholsterers, &c., carrying on business at 27 and 49 High Street, Ayr, was DIS-SOLVED as at 13th April 1917, by the death on active service of one of the Partners, Matthew White, 2nd Lieut., 5th R.S.F. The remaining Partner, James Wills, has acquired the whole assets of the Firm as at said date, and will carry on the Business under the same Firm name. He will also uplift all debts due to, and discharge the whole debts and liabilities of, the Firm.

JESSIE WHITE,
Executrix of the deceased Matthew
White.

JAMES WILLS.

JOHN HOWIE, Solicitor, Ayr,
AGNES F. M'FARLANE, Typist, at 58
Alloway Street, Ayr,
Witnesses to the Signatures of the
said Mrs. Jessie White and James
Wills.

BANKRUPTS.
FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

E. H. Evans, late 580 High Road, Streatham, London, but whose present residence the Petitioning Creditors are unable to ascertain, draper.

Sydney Hulley, 5 Eastfields Road, Acton, in the county of Middlesex, lately residing at Maryville, Hewlett Road, Cheltenham, aeronautical mechanic.

Lewis Davies, Ellen's Castle Hotel, Dolwyddelen, Carnarvonshire, licensed victualler.

Richard Huntley, residing and employed at Barmston, Yorkshire, farm labourer, formerly mercantile clerk.

Robert Charles Luxton, now 42 Ventnor Villas, Hove, near Brighton, Sussex, lately residing at Limpfield, Cardigan Road, Bridlington, Yorkshire, no occupation, lately manager for the Bridlington Corporation of the New Spa and Gardens.

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