Order of St. Stanislas, 3rd Class.

2nd Lieutenant Alfred Hill, Royal Highlanders.
Lieutenant Eric Hill, Special List.
Lieutenant Leo Steveni, Special List.
Lieutenant Frank Urmston, Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve.

Medal of St. George, 4th Class.

720442 Private Edward John Greengrass, London Regiment.

The following medals were awarded by the Greek Provisional Government for services rendered in conjunction with the military forces of that Government.

His Majesty the King has given unrestricted permission to wear the medals in question.

Medal for Military Merit.

Temporary 2nd Lieutenant Anthony George Kephala, Special List.

2257 (now 225496) Private Peter M'Gregor, Cameron Highlanders (Fort-William).

371 (now 225187) Private Douglas Howard Duncan, Cameron Highlanders (Dundee).

> War Office, 11th October 1917.

ARMY COUNCIL ORDER.

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SURPLUS LEATHER.

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

Where any manufacturer of boots or shoes has obtained delivery of any leather in pursuance of a guarantee by such manufacturer that he has an order from the Director of Navy Contracts or the Director of Army Contracts or the Director of Raw Materials, or the Minister of Munitions for certain goods, and where any surplus of such leather remains after the performance of such contract, the said surplus of leather shall not, without a permit issued by or on behalf of the Director of Raw Materials, be sold, removed or put into manufacture for any purpose other than the production of Naval or Military boots, or of any other articles approved by or on behalf of the Director of Raw Materials.

By Order of the Army Council,

R. H. BRADE.

NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, S.W. 1, 12th October 1917.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested therein, that preparations are now being made for the intended distribution of the following awards:—2

Salvage money awarded to H.M.S. "Zinnia" for the salvage of the s.s. "Terek," 26th and 27th December 1916.

Salvage money awarded to H.M. Ships "Cave," "Ratapiko," "Emily," "Lapwing II." and motor launch "295" for salvage of s.s. "Zwaluw," 21st November 1916.

Agents or other persons having any just and legal demand, unliquidated, against the award are required to transmit the particulars of any such demand to the Registrar of the Admiralty Division of H.M. High Court of Justice, in order that the same may be examined, taxed, and allowed by that Officer, and paid under the sanction of the Judge of the said court.

Due notice will be given, by future advertisement in the London Gazette, of the date proposed for the commencement of distribution.

NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, S.W. 1, 12th October 1917.

Notice is hereby given to the officers, seamen, and marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of the undermentioned awards will commence on Wednesday, the 17th instant, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, S.W. 1.

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.

Salvage of s.s. "Angelica Maersk" by H.M. trawler "Dagon" on 22nd and 23rd November 1916.

Salvage services rendered to s.s. "Menado" by H.M. trawler "Cambria" on 22nd and 23rd February 1917.

Salvage of schooner "Albatross" by H.M. trawler "St. Elmo" on 23rd and 24th January 1917.

Salvage of s.s. "Ragna" by one of H.M. ships on 4th February 1917.

Civil Service Commission, October 16, 1917.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury the following Regulation is substituted for the existing Regulation Number 8 in the Regulations respecting Boy Clerks registered for temporary employment in Public Departments dated 15th September 1916, and published in the London Gazette of the same date :--

8. Boy Clerks will usually be engaged and paid by the week of 39 hours, viz. --7 hours a day on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays, and 4 hours on Saturdays; and they