The KING has been graciously pleased to assume the Office of Ranger of Windsor Great Park, vacant by the death of His late Royal Highness Prince Christian, K.G.

Office of H.M. Woods, &c., 10th December 1917.

Foreign Office (Foreign Trade Dept.), 18th December 1917.

The following additions or corrections to the list published as a supplement to the London Gazette of 27th November 1917, of persons to whom articles to be exported to China and Siam may be consigned, are notified by order of the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, in accordance with the provisions of the Proclamation relating to the exportation of articles to China and Siam during the present war, issued on the 24th day of September 1915:—

CHINA.

The following names are added to the list of persons and bodies of persons to whom articles to be exported to China may be consigned:—

Cuthbert, R. R., Kiungehow. Dell'Oro & Co., Shanghai. Leung Pin Kee, Dr., Canton.

SIAM.

The following names are added to the list of persons and bodies of persons to whom articles to be exported to Siam may be consigned:

Rangkok Travelling Agency Bangkok

Bangkok Travelling Agency, Bangkok. Swanson & Sehested, Bangkok.

Whitehall, December 15, 1917.

The KING has been pleased to award the Albert Medal to Mr. Charles John Carne, a Goods Inspector in the employ of the London, Brighton and South Coast Railway Company, in recognition of his gallantry in saving life on the 22nd September last. The circumstances are as follows:—

On the day in question a train loaded with ammunition was running to the coast when, on reaching a point near a town, a truck loaded with fuses was seen to be on fire. The train was stopped and the burning truck was detached, but in the meantime two other trucks containing large loaded shells became ignited. Carne, who had been summoned to the spot when the trucks had been burning for a considerable time, and had been warned of the great danger of an explosion, mounted one of the trucks and then took steps to put out the fire with the help of the engine-driver, fireman and guard. In spite of difficulties in getting water the fire was ultimately extinguished. Had it not been for the courage and resourcefulness of Inspector Carne a destructive explosion would probably have occurred, with loss of life and valuable material.

Ministry of Munitions, 15th December 1917.

ORDER.

TAP CINDER, MILL CINDER, FLUE CINDER AND SCALE.

In pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by Regulation 30A of the Defence of the Realm Regulations the Minister of Munitions hereby orders as follows:—

- 1. The war material to which the Regulation applies shall on and after the 1st October 1917 include:—Tap Cinder, Mill Cinder, Flue Cinder, and Scale produced during the manufacture or mechanical treatment of iron or steel.
- 2. This Order may be cited as the Tap Cinder, &c., Order, 1917.

NOTICE OF GENERAL PERMIT FOR DEALINGS IN TAP CINDER, MILL CINDER, FLUE CINDER AND SCALE.

15th December 1917.

With reference to the Order made by the Minister of Munitions on the 15th December 1917, applying the Defence of the Realm Regulation 30a to certain war material, namely:—Tap Cinder, Mill Cinder, Flue Cinder and Scale, the Minister of Munitions gives notice that he hereby, as from the 1st October 1917, permits all persons until further notice:—

(a) To buy, sell, or deal in; or

(b) Offer or invite an offer, or propose to buy, sell, or deal in; or

(c) Enter into negotiations for the sale or

purchase of or dealing in the war material referred to in the abovementioned Order subject to the following conditions:—

- 1. No sale, purchase or delivery of any such war material now or hereafter situated in the United Kingdom shall be made at a price exceeding the prices specified in the Schedule hereto with reference to the respective classes and descriptions of material therein referred to, provided that this condition shall not apply to a sale, purchase or delivery under a special permit granted by the Minister of Munitions.
- 2. Upon any sale, purchase or delivery of any war material referred to in the above-mentioned Order the persons selling and purchasing or delivering and taking delivery of the same shall comply with all directions, whether of general application or otherwise, which may from time to time or at any time be given by the Minister of Munitions with regard to the use or disposal of such war material.

And no sale or purchase of or dealing in the said war material except in accordance with the above-mentioned conditions is authorised.

The SCHEDULE above referred to.

MAXIMUM PRICES.

Tap Cinder, Mill Cinder, Flue Cinder, and Scale produced during the manufacture or mechanical treatment of iron or steel, £1 10s per ton f.o.t. or f.o.b. at Producers' Works.

The above price includes any agents' commission or merchants' or dealers' profit.