

formation is already available in the Foreign Trade Department, and it is in many cases possible to suggest the names of satisfactory substitutes for individual firms on the Lists, without the necessity of referring the matter abroad. The Department is, however, prepared on application to inquire of His Majesty's Representatives abroad for the names of suitable substitutes. When the applicant wishes this done by telegraph he is required to undertake to pay the cost of telegraphic correspondence. It would greatly facilitate the work of the Foreign Trade Department if applicants, in making inquiries, would specify the particular trade or trades for which substitutes are required. *General enquiries for new connections abroad should be addressed to The Comptroller-General, Department of Overseas Trade (Development and Intelligence), 73 Basinghall Street, London, E.C. 2.*

NOTE (5).—The Statutory List for each country is telegraphed, on the day of issue, to His Majesty's representative in that country, who is instructed to notify accordingly British Consular Officers, to whom persons abroad should apply for information as to names on the List. Persons and firms in the United Kingdom with agencies or branches abroad would, however, be well advised to furnish such agencies or branches with issues of the List as they appear. The names on the Lists for all countries in Central or South America are also notified to His Majesty's Ambassador at Washington, who transmits them to H.M. Consul-General at New York and to other centres in the United States likely to be interested.

NOTE (6).—It is not unusual for firms in Holland and the Netherland East Indies to be registered under names commencing with descriptive terms such as "Handel Maatschappij" (Trading Company) or "Naamlooze Venootschap" (Limited Liability Company). In such cases it has been found more convenient to publish the firm under its proper name followed by the general descriptive term "Handel Maatschappij" or "Naamlooze Venootschap" (N.V.) as in the case of an English company. For instance, Handel Maatschappij van den Berg & Company, and Naamlooze Venootschap de Komeet v/h Dumonceau Frères will be found under "Berg" and "Komeet" respectively, and not under "Handel" or "Naamlooze."

At the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 21st day of February 1919.

By the Lords of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

WHEREAS it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation or Order in Council made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, as amended by the Act now in recital, may, whilst a state of war exists, be varied or added to by an Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade:

And whereas it is provided by Section 2 of the Customs (Exportation Restriction) Act, 1914, that any Proclamation made under Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, may, whether the Proclamation was made before or after the passing of the Act now in recital, be varied or added to, whilst a state of war exists, by an

Order made by the Lords of the Council on the recommendation of the Board of Trade:

And whereas by a Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May 1917, and made under Section 8 of the Customs and Inland Revenue Act, 1879, and Section 1 of the Exportation of Arms Act, 1900, and Section 1 of the Customs (Exportation Prohibition) Act, 1914, the exportation from the United Kingdom of certain articles to certain or all destinations was prohibited:

And whereas by subsequent Orders of Council, and by the Proclamation, dated the 18th day of December 1918, the said Proclamation was amended and added to in certain particulars:

And whereas there was this day read at the Board a recommendation from the Board of Trade to the following effect:—

That the Proclamation, dated the 10th day of May 1917, as amended and added to by subsequent Orders of Council, and by the Proclamation, dated the 18th day of December 1918, should be further amended by making the following amendments in and additions to the Schedule to the same:—

(1) That the following headings should be deleted:—

- (A) Asbestos, raw, crude and opened fibre;
- (A) Bones (except fish bones) in any form and bone ash;

Chemicals, drugs, dyes, dye-stuffs, and medicinal and pharmaceutical preparations, the following:—

- (A) Radium and its compounds;
- (A) Deerskins;
- (A) Fats, all animal and vegetable, and articles and mixtures containing such fats, not otherwise specifically prohibited;
- (A) Fatty acids, and articles and mixtures containing fatty acids, not otherwise specifically prohibited;

- (A) Felt, roofing;
- (A) Fibres, vegetable, not otherwise specifically prohibited, except China grass (ramie fibre);

Leather goods of the following descriptions:—

- (A) Leather Waste;
- (A) Manures, organic;
- (A) Molasses and feeding stuffs containing molasses;

Provisions and victuals which may be used as food for man, the following:—

- (A) Syrups which may be used as food for man;
- (A) Rattans;
- (A) Sealskins, fur and hair;

Seeds, the following:—

- (A) Beet;
- (A) Broccoli;
- (A) Brussels sprouts;
- (A) Carrot;
- (A) Chicory;
- (A) Kale;
- (A) Kohl rabi;
- (A) Lettuce;
- (A) Parsnip;
- (A) Shallot;
- (A) Spinach;
- (A) Tomato;

(A) Spirits, potable, of a strength of less than 43 degrees above proof, except gin;

(A) Wool grease, and articles and mixtures containing wool grease.