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FRIDAY, JULY 4, 1919.

1st day of July 1919.

PRESENT,

The King's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Right Honourable Lyman Poore Duff, having been appointed a Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council on the 14th day of January 1919, was, by His Majesty's command, sworn and took his place at the Board accordingly and took his place at the Board accordingly.

Almeric FitzRoy.

BY THE KING. A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE R.I.

THEREAS a Definitive Treaty of Peace between Us and the Associated Governments and the German Government was concluded at Versailles on the Twenty-eighth day of June last: In conformity thereunto We have thought fit hereby to command that the same be published in due course throughout all Our Dominions: And We do declare to all Our loving subjects Our Will and Pleasure that upon the exchange of the Ratifications thereof the said Treaty of Peace be observed inviolably as well by sea as by land and in all places whatsoever: strictly charging and com-

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the | manding all Our loving subjects to take notice hereof and to conform themselves thereunto accordingly.

> Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this first day of July in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and in the Tenth year of Our Reign.

> > GOD SAVE THE KING.

BY THE KING. A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE R.I.

WHEREAS it has pleased Almighty God to bring to a close the late wide-spread and sanguinary War in which We were engaged against Germany and her Allies; We, therefore, adoring the Divine Goodness and duly considering that the great and general blessings of Peace do call for public and solemn acknowledgment, have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, to issue this Our Royal Proclamation hereby appointing and commanding that a General Thanksgiving to Almighty God for these His manifold and great mercies be observed throughout Our Dominions on Sunday, the Sixth day of July instant; And for the better and more devout solemnization of the same We have given directions to the Most Reverend the Archbishops and the Right Reverend the Bishops

of England to compose a Form of Prayer suitable to this occasion, to be used in all Churches and Chapels, and to take care for the timely dispersing of the same throughout their respective Dioceses; and to the same end We do further advertise and exhort the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland and all Spiritual Authorities and ministers of religion in their respective churches and other places of public worship throughout Our United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and in all quarters of Our Dominions beyond the Seas to take part as it may properly behave them to do in this

great and common act of worship, and We do strictly charge and command that the said Public Day of Thanksgiving be religiously observed by all as they tender the favour of Almighty God and have the sense of His Benefits.

> Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this first day of July in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and in the Tenth year of Our Reign.

> > GOD SAVE THE KING.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 25th day of June 1919.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HEREAS by the Representation of the People Act, 1918 (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") as amended by the Representation of the People (Amendment) Act, 1918, power is conferred on His Majesty to make provision for various matters by Order in Council :

And whereas by the Representation of the People Order His Majesty was pleased by Order in Council to make provision for various matters under the Act :

And whereas by Section 40 (2) of the Act any Order in Council made thereunder may be

revoked or varied as occasion requires by any subsequent Order in Council :

Now, therefore, His Majesty, in pursuance of the powers conferred on him by the Act, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows :-

The Representation of the People Order shall be amended as follows :---

The following forms shall be substituted in Schedule III. for FORMS OF CLAIM TO BE REGISTERED Nos. (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), and (8); and FORM OF CLAIM TO BE RE-GISTERED number (9) shall be re-numbered (4) accordingly.

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MAN'S CLAIM.

To t	the	Registration	Officer	
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	for the Constituency of	
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<u>ک</u>	(a) the said premises	period.
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Parliamentary (Residence).	at (b) qualifying premises as follows :	¶Strike out
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ĥ	from	
l.	(&c. &c. &c.	
÷	2. I was in occupation of †	+ Here insert full
Premises)	for the purpose of my business [profession] [trade] as	description (e.g., shop
rem	day of	
	last, and during the whole of the six months ending on the said day I have	of which claim is made.
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	last, and during	the whole of the s	ix months ending	on the said day I h	ave of which claim is
	been in occupation	on, for the purpose	of my said business	[profession] [trade]]. made.
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ent.	on the \dots	cupation of** day of l of six months end		last, an	d during	mises in respect of
Local Government.		(a) the said premi (b) qualifying pre- from	ses mises as follows : to			which Local Govern- ment Franchise is claimed (e.g., land at dwelling house at shop atlodgings let unfurnished at).
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	5. I am a Bri	tish subject.				
I aı	I hereby claim m entitled in resp	m to be registered ect.of the particula	as an elector fo ars given in the a	or the franchise above declaration	to which	#Here insert full postal address of residence or, if claimant has no
	Signed			• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		settled residence, of place to which com-
	Dat	e		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		munications may be sent. ³

Note

1. Any false declaration made for the purpose of this claim will render the claimant liable to a penalty.

- 2. If Parliamentary Franchise in respect of a residence qualification is not claimed, paragraph 1 should not be filled in. If Parliamentary Franchise in respect of a business occupation qualification
 - is not claimed, paragraph 2 should not be filled in.
 - If Local Government Franchise in respect of any qualification is not claimed, paragraph 3 should not be filled in.

(2)

WOMAN'S CLAIM. To the Registration Officer for the Constituency of Address.... I*..... * Here insert hereby declare name in full. as follows :--My husband[†] was in occupation of^{**}..... T ** Here insert full postal address of premises in respect of which Parlia-1.day oflast, and during the whole period of six months ending on the said day mentary Franchise is claimed. I have my $\frac{1}{\text{husband has}^+}$ been in ‡ Strike out these words if the claim is made in respect of r(a) the said premises \cdot claimant's own qualification and not her husband's. occupation of ¶ to..... at...... lStrikle ; out whichever of (a) or åс &c. &c. (b) is inapplicable. Such of the said premises as do not comprise a dwelling-house are of the I am rateable value of not less than five pounds, and $\frac{1 \text{ ann}}{\text{my husband is}^{+}}$ entitled to + Here insert full be registered as a local government elector in respect of the occupation in the description of premises in respect of which Local 2. $\frac{1}{My \text{ husband}^{\ddagger}}$ was in occupation of \dagger Government Franchise is claimed.

.....day oflast, and during the whole period of six months ending on the said day.

Parliamentary

Local Government.

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§ Here insert last

qualifying

day of period.

Local Government.	my I have husband has	(a) the said premises			\$ Strike out these words if the claim is made in respect of claimant's own qualification and not her husband's.
DVEL)	occupation of	(b) qualifying premi			¶Strike out
al G		from	to	at	whichever of (a) or (b) is inapplicable.
Loc		&c.	&с.	&с.	
	(respect of the od 3. I had atta date inserted in 4. I am a Bri	ccupation of the above ined the age of§§ paragraphs 1 and 2 itish subject.	ve premises, and we as the last day of t	4 1	§§ The qualifying age is 30 years in all cases except for the Local Government Franchise in respect of a woman's own qualification, in which case it is 21 years.
	entitled in respe	ect of the particulars	an elector for the fr given in the above	anchise to which I am declaration.	claimant has no

Note.

- 1. Any false declaration made for the purposes of this claim will render the claimant liable to a penalty.
- 2. If Parliamentary Franchise is not claimed, paragraph 1 should not be filled in.

If Local Government Franchise is not claimed, paragraph 2 should not be filled in.

(3)

CLAIM BY ONE PERSON ON BEHALF OF ANOTHER.

To the Registration Officer for the Constituency of	
Address	
I hereby claim on behalf of	
ofthat he [she]	
should be registered as an elector for	
(a) the constituency of	
(b) the local government electoral area of	
in respect of*	* Here insert quali-
-	fication (e.g., resi-
	occupation of busi-
	noss promisos av
	occupation of dwell- ing house ator
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Signed	tion of shop at
Address	&c.) and full postal
Date	tion of qualifying
	premises.
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NOTE. The Act provides that where a claim is made by one person on behalf of as to the person on another the name is not to be entered on the Register unless the matters whose behalf the required to be stated in the declaration made by a person claiming on his own claim is made as behalf are proved to the satisfaction of the registration officer behalf are proved to the satisfaction of the registration officer. that person would

Any false declaration made for the purpose of this claim will render the if he were claiming erson signing the declaration liable to a penalty. ALMERIC FITZROY. (See forms⁻(1) and person signing the declaration liable to a penalty.

Almeric FitzRoy.

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Chancery of the Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Downing Street, 30th June 1919.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George in recognition of the services of the undermentioned Officers during the War :---

- To be an Additional Member of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders, of the said Most Distinguished Order :---
- Captain Mansfield George Smith-Cumming, R.N., C.B.

To be an Additional Member of the Third Class, or Companions, of the said Most Distinguished Order :---

Paymaster Lieutenant-Commander (tempy. Paymaster Commander) Reginald Butcher, R.N., M.V.O.

For valuable services as Secretary to Admiral Sir Frederic E. E. Brock, K.C.M.G., C.B., while Senior Naval Officer, Gibraltar, and Admiral Commanding Orkneys and Shetlands.

Central Chancery of the Orders of Knighthood, St. James's Palace, S.W., 30th June 1919.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following appointments to the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire in recognition of the services of the undermentioned Officers during the War :---

To be a Commander of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order :---

Commander (acting Captain) George Norman Ballard, R.N.

For valuable services as Flag Captain to the Admiral Commanding Orkneys and Shetlands.

To be Officers of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order :---

Paymaster Lieutenant-Commander Edward Charles Blanchflower, R.N.

For valuable services as Secretary to Vice-Admiral Seymour E. Erskine, Commanding the Royal Naval Barracks, Chatham.

Lieutenant - Commander Daniel Edwin St. Martin Delius, R.N.

For valuable services as Naval Transport Officer, Cape Town.

- Commander Alan Dixon, R.N.
 - For valuable services as Resident Senior Naval Officer, Smyrna, since the Armistice.

Commander Hugh Gardiner Glennie, R.N.

For valuable services in connection with defensive mining.

Lieutenant James Jack Hamilton, R.N.R.

For valuable services in Special Service Vessels. Captain Arthur Innes, R.M.S.M.

- For valuable services in connection with defensive mining.
- Lieutenant-Commander (Acting Commander) Theodore Leportier, R.N.R.

For valuable services in charge of the Defensive Armament of Merchant Ships at Dakar.

- Lieutenant-Commander (Acting Commander) Walter Campbell M'Mickan, R.N.
- For valuable services at home and abroad throughout the War. $\ \circ$
- Lieutenant-Commander (Acting Commander) Norman Angel Kyrle Money, R.N.
 - For valuable services on the Staff of the Admiral Commanding Orkneys and Shetlands.
- Lieutenant James Benjamin Newman, R.N.

For valuable services in command of H.M. Coastguard Cruiser "Squirrel."

- Commander Charles Vernon Lowcay Norcock, R.N.
 - For valuable services as Flag Lieutenant to Admiral Sir Charles H. Coke, K.C.V.O., Commanding Coast of Ireland.

Commander William Alfred Pickering, R.N.

For valuable services as Coaling Officer, Dover, throughout the War.

Lieutenant Thomas Moffett Potts, R.N.R.

- For valuable services in command of ships in the Eastern Mediterranean and Red Sea.
- Paymaster Lieutenant Joseph Alfred Reid, R.N.R.

For valuable services as Clerk to Captain (S.) 12th Submarine Flotilla.

Major Philip Albert Smith, R.M.S.M.

For valuable services in connection with defensive mining.

Commander Henry Strickland, R.N.

For valuable services in connection with defensive mining.

Lieutenant (acting Commander) James Thompson, R.N.R.

For valuable services in H.M.S. "Olympic" when employed as a Transport.

Lieutenant John Thompson, R.N.R.

For valuable services in command of H.M. Trawler "Anzac II.," employed on Escort and Patrol duties.

To be Members of the Military Division of the said Most Excellent Order :---

Acting Gunner (T.) Walter Bates, R.N.

For valuable services in connection with defensive mining.

Chief Master-at-Arms John Thomas Gammon, R.C.N.

For gallantry and devotion to duty on the occasion of the explosion at Halifax, Nova Scotia, on the 6th December 1917. At the time of the explosion two divers were down under the supervision of Mr. Gammon: the diving party were scattered by the explosion, and there was no one to handle the pump. Mr. Gammon was thrown down, but regaining his feet, manned the pump, and 1

with the assistance of Seaman Walter George Critch kept the pump going until the divers were released and placed in safety. Débris was falling in all directions during the whole time, and four men are normally required to man a diving pump.

Lieutenant Robert Holmes, R.N.

For valuable services in charge of the construction of anti-submarine net defences.

Admiralty, 30th June 1919.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the following decorations and medals to the undermentioned Officers and Men:

To receive the Distinguished Service Cross.

Lieut. John Chevas Cumming, R.N.R.

For distinguished services in command of H.M. Trawler "Chikara," employed on minesweeping duties.

Lieut. Edward Ford Duncanson, R.N.V.R.

For distinguished services in command of H.M. Motor Launch M.L. 13. He has been responsible for the destruction of many enemy mines, when searching mined areas at low water.

Art. Eng. John William Jenkins, R.N.

For distinguished services in H.M. ships "Shark" and "Fearless."

To receive the Meritorious Service Medal.

Dkhnd. William Adams, R.N.R., O.N. 889D.A. C.P.O. Patrick James Bolger, O.N. 163781 (Ch.). P.O., 1st Cl., Tom Burnham, O.N. 101022 (Po.). Pte. Stanley Caird, R.M.S.M., No. Ch./795 (S.).

E.R.A., 1st Cl., Francis Joseph Frederick Dickin-son, R.N.R., O.N. 1786 E.A.

Engmn. Wilfred Evans, R.N.R., O.N. 1847 S.T.

P.O. Herbert Charles Hunt, O.N. 207513 (Po.).

M.A.A. Henry Percy Jones, O.N. 175171 (Po.). Act. Ch. Yeo. Sigs. William James Kimp, O.N. 176348 (R.F.R. Ch./B2493).

- A.B. George Lambert, R.N.V.R., N.O. (Sussex) Z396.
- Vict. C.P.O. Frederick John Lewin, O.N. 341337
- (Ch.). n. Writer William Scrimgeour M'Lachlan, Ch.
- P.O. Donald M'Leod, R.N.R., O.N. 2958B.
- C.P.O. George Henry Pinhay, O.N. 138901 (Ch.)
- Bosn. William Roberts, M.M.R., No. 537728.
- C.E.R.A., 2nd Cl., William George Sheppard, O.N. 270558 (Po.).
- P.O., 1st Cl., James Stone, O.N. 240634 (Dev.).
- S.B.S. Edward Henry Witcombe, O.N. 351505 (Po.)
- Ch. Writer George Harold Wood, O.N. 346515 (Ch.).

The following Officers and Men have been brought to the notice of the Admiralty for valuable services in the prosecution of the War :-

Payr. Lieut.-Cdr. Hugh M'Lean Richardson, Ŕ.N.

- Maj. Thomas Waterman, R.M.S.M.
- Lieut. William Henry Beedle, R.N.
- Lieut. Charles William Graham, R.N.R.
- Lieut. Arthur Scott Horace Pitt Rickards, R.N.R.
- Payr. Lieut. Bennet Palmer, R.N.R.
- Act. Payr. Lieut. John Strickland Lake, R.N.R.
- Maurice Vincent Patrick Payr. Sub-Lieut. **Ö'Byrne**, R.N.R.
- Act. Ch. M.A.A. Harry Massey, R.N.
- Act. Gnr. (T.) Charles Joseph Hoole, R.N.
- Ldg. Sea. John Lyttleton Bennetts, O.N. 201354 (R.F.R. Dev./B5754).
- Offr's Cook, 1st Cl., Charles Brown, O.N. 364077 (Po.).
- Engmn, John Brine, R.N.R., O.N. 595E.S.
- Mechn. William Claydon, O.N. 281827 (Po.).
- Ch. S.B.S. William Hodder, O.N. 351321 (Ch.).
- C.P.O. George William Lewis, O.N. 139239 (Ch.).
- Ldg. Sig. Harold John Wilsher, R.N.V.R., O.N. (London) Z1522.
- P.O. Thomas Wrigglesworth, O.N. J13857 (Po.).

HONOURS FOR SERVICES IN ACTION WITH ENEMY SUBMARINES.

The following awards have been approved :---

To receive the Distinguished Service Medal.

Sea. Kenneth M'Kenzie, R.N.R., O.N. 8094A.

The following Officers and Men have been mentioned in despatches :--

Lieut. Clyde Evan Washer, R.N.R.

Lieut. George Wishart Leith, R.N.R.

- A.B. Richard James Edward Bradbeer, R.N.V.R. O.N. (Bristol) Z1670.
- A.B. Frederick Rowland William Clarke, R.N.V.R., O.N (Bristol) Z5182.
- Ldg. Sea. Lawrence Dermot, O.N. J5261 (Dev.). Ldg. Sea. William James Dewar, O.N. J5851 (Dev.).
- A.B. Harry Victor Fowler, O.N. J20343 (Dev.).
- A.B. Andrew Moir, O.N. J25657 (Dev.).
- Act. Ldg. Sea. David Richardson, R.N.V.R., O.N. (Bristol) Z4956.

HONOURS FOR MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES.

The following awards have been approved :----

To receive the Meritorious Service Medal.

- Act. C.E.R.A., 2nd Cl., Joseph Arthur Ashton, O.N. M1183 (Dev.).
- Sea. Walter George Critch, R.N.R. (Newfoundland), O.N. 1242 X.
- C.E.R.Ä., 1st Cl., James Hay, R.C.N., O.N. 20486 (R.N.R., O.N. 793B).
- P.O. Patrick Murphy, O.N. 196667 (Dev.).

The following Officers have been mentioned in despatches :-

Cdr. George Todd Pickford, R.N.R.

Eng. Lieut. James Sloan, R.N.R.

The KING has been graciously pleased to award the Royal Red Cross Decoration to the undermentioned lady in recognition of her Royal Red Cross, 2nd Class.

Miss Dorothy Newell, Sister, St. John V.A.D. Hospital, Hull.

CORRECTION.

In Gazette of 24th June 1919, page 2263, col. 2, the official number of Vict. C.P.O. William Henry Stilges should have been shown as 341601.

Royal Palace, Christiania, 1st July 1919.

Her Majesty the Queen of Norway (Princess Maud of Great Britain and Ireland) has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant George Arthur Ponsonby, Grenadier Guards, to be Comptroller and Private Secretary to Her Majesty, in the room of Colonel Sir Henry Knollys, K.C.V.O., resigned.

Whitehall, June 27, 1919.

The KING has been pleased to order a Congé d'Elire to pass the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland empowering the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of Chester to elect a Bishop of that See, the same being void by the resignation of the Right Reverend Father in God Doctor Francis John Jayne, late Bishop thereof; and His Majesty has been pleased to recommend to the said Dean and Chapter the Right Reverend Henry Luke Paget, D.D., Bishop Suffragan of Stepney, to be by them elected Bishop of the said See of Chester.

Whitehall; June 27, 1919.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, to confer the dignity of a Viscount of the said United Kingdom upon the Right Honourable Harold Sidney, Baron Rothermere, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of Viscount Rothermere, of Hemsted, in the county of Kent.

Whitehall, June 27, 1919.

Letters Patent have passed the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, conferring the dignity of a Baronet of the said United Kingdom upon the undermentioned gentlemen and the heirs male of their respective bodies lawfully begotten :-

- Sir Charles Edward Heley Chadwyck Chad-wyck-Healey, K.C.B., of Wyphurst, in the parish of Cranleigh, in the County of Surrey, and of New Place, in the parish of Luccombe, in the county of Somerset.
- Sir Kenneth Skelton Anderson, K.C.M.G., of Ardtaraig, in the County of Argyll.
- Sir John David Rees, K.C.I.E., C.V.O., of Ayl-wards Chase, in the parish of Great Stanmore, in the County of Middlesex.

Sir Henry Flemming Hibbert, of Chorley, in the County Palatine of Lancaster, Knight.

- Sir William James Thomas, of Ynyshir, in the County of Glamorgan, Knight.
- James Marr, of Sunderland, in the County Palatine of Durham, Esquire, Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire.
- James Herbert Cory, of Coryton, in the parish of Whitchurch, in the County of Glamorgan, Esquire.
- Davison Alexander Dalziel, of Wooler, in the County of Northumberland, Esquire.
- George Dixon, of Astle, in the parish of Chelford, in the County Palatine of Chester, Esquire.
- George Augustus Duncombe, of Highfield, in the parish of Driffield, in the county of York, Esquire, Honorary Colonel, 3rd Battalion, East Yorkshire Regiment.
- William Garthwaite, of Durham, Esquire. Charles Greenway, of Stanbridge Earls, in the parish of Romsey Extra, in the County of Southampton, Esquire. Ernest Jardine, of Nottingham, Esquire.
- Frederick John Jones, of Treeton, in the West Riding of the County of York, Esquire.
- Thomas Paul Latham, of Crow Clump, in the parish \mathbf{of} Walton-upon-Thames, in the County of Surrey, Esquire.
- William Thomas Madge, of St. Margarets Bay, in the County of Kent, Esquire.
- John Throgmorton Middlemore, of Selly Oak, in the parish of Northfield, in the County of Worcester, Esquire.
- Norman Moore, of Hancox, in the parish of Whatlington, in the County of Sussex, Esquire.
- George Wood Rhodes, of Hollingworth, in the County Palatine of Chester, Esquire.
- George Augustus Sutton, of Castle House, in the parish of Banstead, in the County of Surrey, Esquire.

Whitehall, June 28, 1919.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Sir William Jameson Soulsby, C.B., grant unto Sir william Jameson Soussy, O.Z., C.I.E., Private Secretary to the Lord Mayor of London, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Cross of Commander of the Order of the Crown of Italy, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Italy, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him during the War.

Downing Street, 27th June 1919.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Jenkins, C.M.G., to be Colonial Secretary of the Island of Barbados.

Downing Street, 27th June 1919.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Sir Reginald Edward Stubbs, K.C.M.G., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Hong Kong and its Dependencies.

Board of Trade, 7 Whitehall Gardens, 30th June 1919.

DEFENCE OF THE REALM.

BOARD OF TRADE—COAL MINES DEPARTMENT.

THE HOUSEHOLD FUEL AND LIGHT-ING ORDER, 1919.

THE HOUSEHOLD FUEL AND LIGHTING ORDER, 1919, DATED THE 23RD JUNE 1919, MADE BY THE BOARD OF TRADE UNDER REGULATIONS 2F to 2JJ, INCLUSIVE, OF THE DEFENCE OF THE REALM REGULATIONS.

The Board of Trade deeming it expedient to make further exercise of their powers under the Defence of the Realm Regulations as respects coal, gas, and electricity hereby order as follows :--

PART I.—THE SCOPE OF THE ORDER.

Coal, Gas and Electricity used for Domestic or Quasi-domestic Purposes.

1. This Order extends to coal, gas and electricity used :---

(a) for heating, cooking or other domestic purpose in any premises;

(b) for all purposes in a dwelling-house or in a building adjacent to or connected with a dwelling-house and occupied or used as part thereof or in any premises used or occupied for residential purposes.

(c) 'for lighting purposes in any premises where the use of coal, gas or electricity for any other purpose comes within the scope of this Order in virtue of provision (a) of this clause.

(d) for the production or generation in a private works of gas or electricity to be consumed in any premises where the use of coal, gas or electricity for any other purpose comes within the scope of this Order in virtue of provisions (a) and (b) of this clause.

Where coal for any purpose coming within the scope of this Order is purchased, obtained, or in any way acquired with coal for other purposes, the Controller may declare that all the coal so purchased, obtained, or in any way acquired comes within the scope of this Order.

The decision of the Controller of Coal Mines shall be final and conclusive as to whether any particular premises or class of premises or the use of coal, gas electricity for any particular purpose comes within the scope of this clause.

Definitions of Coal and Fuel.

2. In this Order (except where the context clearly indicates the contrary) "Coal" means anthracite and all other kinds of coal, coke, briquettes and any other solid fuel of which coal or coke is a constituent; "Fuel" means coal, gas and electricity used for all purposes except lighting.

The Controller of Coal Mines to Exercise Powers.

3. The Controller of Coal Mines for the time being appointed by the Board of Trade (hereinafter referred to as the "Controller"), shall be responsible to and is hereby authorised by

the Board of Trade to take such action and enforce such measures as are necessary to give effect to this Order, and for this purpose to make such rules and issue such instructions as may be required from time to time.

Suspension of Order or Part Thereof.

4. The Controller may suspend from time to time and for any period, and in any district or part of a district of a Local Authority, the operation of all or any of the provisions of this Order as he may think fit, and may in like manner restore such operation.

Application of Order ; Definitions.

5. This Order applies to

A. England and Wales and in respect of England and Wales throughout this Order the expression "Local Authority" means the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commons of the City of London in Common Council assembled, the Council of a Metropolitan Borough, the Council of a Municipal Borough or other Urban District, the Council of a Rural district, or the Council of the Isles of Scilly;

B. Scotland and in respect of Scotland throughout this Order the expression "Local Authority" means the Council of a County or Burgh, or any District Committee to which a County Council shall delegate its powers under this Order.

Throughout this Order "Month" means a calendar month; "Quarter" means a threemonthly period ending as nearly as possible on the 31st March, the 30th June, the 30th September, or the 31st December in any year; "Person" includes any firm or association or body of persons, a company, corporation, or other corporate body; "Dwelling-house" includes any part of a dwelling-house in separate occupation.

PART II.—DUTIES OF CONSUMERS.

Consumers to Register for Supply of Coal.

6. Every person requiring coal coming within the scope of this Order shall register with a coal merchant or dealer for the supply of such coal in such form and manner as may be required by the Local Fuel Overseer with the approval of the Controller. A separate registration shall be permitted for the supply of coke as distinct from coal.

Consumers not to Acquire Coal Unless Registered.

7. No person being a consumer shall after the date upon which this Order comes into effect purchase, obtain or in any way acquire coal coming within the scope of this Order unless he shall have registered with a coal merchant or dealer as required by this Order; nor shall he purchase, obtain or in any way acquire coal for consumption from any other coal merchant or dealer than the one with whom he is registered except with the previous assent in writing of the Local Fuel Overseer.

Maximum Quantities Allowed, Except on Certificate.

inafter referred to as the "Controller"), shall 8. Subject to the provisions of clauses 9, 10, be responsible to, and is hereby authorised by and 11 hereof, no person being a consumer shall

after the date upon which this Order comes into effect obtain for consumption or consume in any premises to which this Order applies coal, gas and electricity in excess of the following quantities, namely :---

Coal: 5 tons in the year commencing with the 1st July 1919; and

Gas: 12,500 cubic feet in any quarter; and

Electricity: 400 Board of Trade units in any quarter;

unless he has previously obtained from the Local Fuel Overseer a certificate in writing authorizing him to obtain for consumption or consume a larger quantity or larger quantities, in which event he shall not exceed the quantity or quantities shown on such certificates.

All supplies and deliveries of coal made to a consumer under certificates issued under the provisions of the Household Fuel and Lighting Order, 1918, or the Household Fuel and Lighting (Scotland) Order, 1918, which are not required for consumption in or attributable to the period prior to the 30th June 1919, shall be deemed to be made on account of the allowance of such consumer under this clause and shall be so recorded by the registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer making the supply or delivery.

Allocation of Allowance Over Months of Year.

9. The quantity of coal, gas, and electricity to which a person is entitled under the preceding clause in respect of any premises coming within the scope of this Order is hereinafter referred to as his allowance for such premises, and shall relate to a full year or quarter as the case may be. In determining the allowance for any part of a year in the case of coal the annual quantity shall be allocated to each month of the year in such a way that a consumer in a summer month (May to October inclusive) shall receive only half as much as in a winter month (November to April inclusive) but in the case of gas and electricity the quarterly quantities shall be allocated equally to each month of the year.

Every allowance shall be for the year commencing from July 1st, 1919, or for such part thereof as the premises concerned are in the occupation or use of the consumer in respect of whom the allowance is determined.

Conversion Equivalents for Coal, Gas and Electricity.

10. A consumer shall on application to the Local Fuel Overseer of the district in which the premises are situate be permitted as far as possible to take his allowance for such premises as coal, gas and/or electricity in such proportions as he desires.

In making any alteration or variation in the quantities of coal, gas or electricity the Local Fuel Overseer shall observe the following rules :---

1. A ton of coal shall be deemed to be equivalent to 18,750 cubic feet of gas.

2. A ton of coal shall be deemed to be equivalent to 1000 Board of Trade units of electricity.

3. A ton of coal shall be deemed to be equivalent to 30 cwts. of coke.

4. Alterations or variations shall only be granted to the nearest quarter of a ton.

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Provided always that a consumer may not without the assent of the Local Fuel Overseer, elect to take for consumption more gas or electricity than the quantity taken in the previous year.

The Controller may, by notice at any time and for any district, alter the conversion equivalents set out in this clause or may establish additional conversion equivalents without prejudice to any matters or things done under this Order and without revision of any certificates issued under this Order.

Miners' Coal.

11. Coal supplied to miners and other regular workers at collieries or in connection therewith, either directly or indirectly, and whether free or at a nominal or reduced price, in accordance with any existing agreement or with any previously established practice relating to wages' payments or in substitution therefor, shall be continued and shall not be reduced by reason of any of the provisions of clause 8 hereof.

The person responsible for such supplies shall make a return to the Local Fuel Overseer of the district in which the miner or other person resides of the quantity supplied or to be supplied to such miner or other person under this clause.

Consumers to Give Information as Required.

12. Every person whether or no he requires coal, gas or electricity shall give such information or particulars with regard to any premises in his occupation coming within the scope of this Order or with regard to any stocks of coal on or supplies of coal, gas or electricity for such premises as the Local Fuel Overseer may require for the purposes of this Order, and shall afford every assistance to enable any particulars or information given by him to be checked or verified.

Waste.

13. No person shall waste or permit to be wasted any coal, gas or electricity coming within the scope of this Order; and for the purposes of this clause cinders capable of being further consumed shall be deemed to be coal.

Notice of Removals.

14. Where a person is removing or about to remove from any premises coming within the scope of this Order he shall give notice to the Local Fuel Overseer of such removal and of the address to which he is removing in such form as may be prescribed.

Where it shall be found that the quantity of coal, gas or electricity consumed or acquired for consumption in such premises is in excess of the quantity properly allowed for consumption in respect of the period of time elapsed since July 1st, 1919, or since the commencement of the allowance, such excess shall be brought into account by way of deduction from any new allowance of such occupier in respect of any new premises, subject to any adjustment in respect of the stock of coal which may be left behind at such first-mentioned premises.

Such action shall be without prejudice to any proceedings which may be taken against such consumer for failure to comply with the terms and provisions of this Order.

A person may be required in respect of the

occupation of any premises commenced after the date on which this Order comes into effect to afford evidence to the Local Fuel Overseer of the District in which such premises are situate that he has complied with the requirements of this clause.

Orders for Coal to be in Writing.

15. Every order for coal in excess of 2 cwts. (or in the case of coke 3 cwts.) shall be in writing, in a form to be approved by the Controller, and the consumer shall state on this form particulars of any existing stock of coal which he has available for use in connection with the premises in respect of which the order is placed.

An order may be a continuing order for a delivery at regular intervals, and such order shall not need to be renewed in respect of each delivery.

Stock not to Exceed a Year's Allowance and not to be Acquired in Winter Months.

16. A consumer shall not have in his possession in respect of any premises coming within the scope of this Order at any time coal more than sufficient to satisfy his allowance for a period of 12 months, and shall not acquire coal except to meet current needs month by month during the period from the 1st October to the .30th April in any year without the previous assent of the Local Fuel Overseer.

Method of Dealing with Excess Stocks.

17. Where a person being a consumer has a stock of coal in excess of the quantity referred to in the last preceding clause, the Local Fuel Overseer, or any person duly authorized by him, may take possession on behalf of the Board of Trade of such excess upon such terms as may be determined by agreement or otherwise settled by a single arbitrator to be appointed by the Controller, and apply it in such manner as he may think fit. Provided further that where the Controller shall declare a state of emergency to exist the Local Fuel Overseer may similarly take possession of all coal in the possession of such consumer in excess of one month's allowance of the premises.

Special Reserve Stock for Consumer.

18. A Local Fuel Overseer may grant to a consumer a certificate entitling such consumer to hold such stock in excess of that permitted under clause 16 hereof as he may think fit and subject to such conditions as he may determine, provided that such stock is not disposed of or consumed in such a way as to increase the allowance of such consumer for any period.

Power of Entry to Inspect Premises.

19. A Local. Fuel Overseer or any person specially authorized in writing by him or by the Controller may enter upon any premises, (a) in which he has reason to believe that any coal is being kept in contravention of this Order or (b) in respect of which any information or particulars have been given under clause 12 hereof, and may carry out such inspection and examination of the premises as he may think necessary.

PART III.-ORGANIZATION.

Appointment of Local Fuel Overseer.

20. Each Local Authority shall appoint and keep appointed a person who shall be known as the Local Fuel Overseer for the district of such Local Authority or for such part thereof as is included in the Order, and the Local Authority may, and if required by the Controller shall, vary or renew or determine such appointment from time to time as may be required or deemed expedient.

Two or more Local Authorities may, with the assent of the Controller, and shall if so required by the Controller, combine for the purpose of appointing a common Local Fuel Overseer, or for any other purposes under this Order, where their districts or parts thereof can be conveniently treated as one by reason of their size or configuration, or where their supplies of coal cannot conveniently be separated and distinguished; and a Local Authority may with such assent, and shall if so required, divide its district into more than one where such district is of such extent that it can be most conveniently treated as more than one district, and a Local Fuel Overseer shall in such event be appointed for each part of a district so divided.

The word "district" as hereinafter used in this Order means the district for which a Local Fuel Overseer is appointed under this clause.

Public Office of Local Fuel Overseer.

21. The Local Authority or Authorities shall establish for each district an office or offices which shall be open during the usual business hours of offices in the district and at such other times as may be found necessary, and shall give public notice of the name of the Local Fuel Overseer for such district and the address of such office or offices as aforesaid to the intent that all communications relating to the supply and distribution of fuel and lighting to consumers within such district shall be sent to such office or offices and dealt with by such Local Fuel Overseer.

Local Fuel Overseer to be Independent.

22. The Local Fuel Overseer shall not be interested directly or indirectly in the supply or distribution of coal, gas or electricity, except for the purpose of giving effect to this Order.

Local Fuel Overseer to be Subject to Controller; Appeals.

23. The Local Fuel Overseer shall be responsible to and shall report direct to the Controller, or to the officers to be appointed by him for that purpose, in the execution of all duties laid upon him by this Order or by any rules or instructions made by the Controller under this Order, and he shall comply with any directions given to him by the Controller.

Wherever a decision or act of the Local Fuel Overseer is not declared to be final by this Order or by any rules or instructions issued thereunder, or being required to be taken with the assent or approval of the Controller is not so taken, there shall be an appeal from such decision or in respect of such act to the Controller who may confirm or vary such decision or act as he thinks proper. The decision or act of the Controller shall be final in every case.

Relations of Local Fuel Overseer and Local Authority.

24. Subject to clause 23 hereof, a Loca¹ Authority shall, except in the case of districts included in the Metropolitan Fuel Area, make such arrangements for the supervision and control of the acts and decisions of the Local Fuel Overseer as it deems expedient, and for this purpose the Local Fuel Overseer shall make such reports to the Local Authority, as the Local Authority may reasonably require.

The Local Fuel Overseer shall be responsible to and shall comply with the instructions of the Local Authority in connection with all expenditures incurred by him in the execution of his duties under this Order. This shall apply to districts included in the Metropolitan Fuel Area.

Records, Returns, &c., of Local Fuel Overseer.

25. The Local Fuel Overseer shall keep such records and make such reports and returns from time to time to the Controller as the Controller may determine.

All records, reports, returns, correspondence, books, papers and documents of the Local Fuel Overseer shall be treated as private and confidential, and deemed to be the property of the Controller, and shall be accessible and open at all reasonable times to the inspection of the duly authorized representatives of the Controller, who may make extracts therefrom.

Duties of Local Authority as to Reserve Stocks, Byelaws, &c.

26. The Local Authority shall, by its officers or servants, afford all necessary assistance to the Local Fuel Overseer in the execution of his duties and the administration of this Order, and in particular shall—

(a) if the Controller so directs, and in accordance with his directions, establish a reserve stock of coal which shall be at the disposal of the Local Fuel Overseer; but this provision shall not detract from the power of a Local Authority to establish a reserve stock on its own account under this Order;

(b) at the request of the Local Fuel Overseer direct how and when deliveries of coal shall be made and where and how stocks of coal shall be stored, having regard to the bye-laws, statutory and other regulations governing or purporting to govern such deliveries or such storage where it is expedient to further such deliveries or such storage, and such directions shall have effect notwithstanding any of such bye-laws, statutory or other regulations;

(c) at the request of the Local Fuel Overseer provide for the checking of any particulars relating to any consumer whose premises are within its district in connection with the determination of any allowance of fuel or lighting under this Order;

(d) at the request of the Local Fuel Overseer be responsible for and undertake the distribution among registered coal merchants and licensed coal dealers of supplies of coal allocated by the Controller to meet any emergency or temporary shortage within the district.

Special Powers of Local Fuel Overseers.

27. Subject to the directions of the Controller the Local Fuel Overseer shall take such action and enforce such measures as may be necessary for the purposes of this Order, and in particular shall have power :---

(a) To take possession of all stocks of coal within his district or consigned thereto capable of being used for the purposes of this Order, and direct how such stocks shall be applied from time to time to meet the requirements of consumers.

This power to take possession of all stocks of coal shall not extend to stocks of coal already upon premises coming within the scope of this Order, except as provided in clause 17 thereof, nor shall it extend to take possession of any stock of coal belonging to a transport or public utility undertaking without either the consent of the undertaking or the approval of the Controller.

(b) To issue instructions to registered coal merchants and licensed coal dealers as to how and when and in what quantites supplies and deliveries shall be made to consumers, and for this purpose determine all questions relating to the supply and delivery of coal.

(c) To require the registered coal merchants or licensed coal dealers within the district to re-arrange the cartage facilities necessary for the supply and delivery of coal so as to secure the most economical user of such cartage facilities, and to require one coal merchant or dealer to undertake the cartage or delivery of coal for another coal merchant or dealer upon such terms as may be determined fairly in relation to the cost of such service, but not to the prejudice of such latter merchant's or dealer's trade or business, and in particular to prescribe the streets or localities to be served by persons hawking or selling coal on the streets in quantities not exceeding 2 cwts. at any time, and to prohibit such persons from hawking or selling coal in any other streets.

(d) Where there has been a failure to supply coal in any particular street or locality within the district or where there is an urgent need of coal in any particular street or locality, to direct any registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer within the district to make such deliveries of coal in such quantities and in such order or rotation as he thinks fit in the interests of the consumers, having regard to the requirements of the district as a whole and to the ability of such coal merchant or dealer to make such deliveries.

(e) To require the registered coal merchants or licensed coal dealers to establish and hold under his directions such reserve stocks of coal as he may determine, having regard to the circumstances and ability of such merchants or dealers, the extent and character of their trade and to the possible needs of the consumers, and to determine how and when such reserve stocks shall be used; and in default of such reserve stocks being established or maintained to require the observance by such merchants or dealers as are in default of such restrictions on supplies or deliveries to consumers as he may determine.

Power to Remove Local Fuel Overseers.

28. The Controller shall, by any duly authorized representative, have power to inquire into the acts or defaults of any Local Fuel Overseer, and to call for such reports and to take such action as he thinks fit, and may require the removal of any such person holding office and the appointment or nomination of another in his place without rejudice to any proceedings which may be taken against the person so removed.

PART IV.— TRADE REGISTRATION AND LICENSING.

Registration and Licensing of Distribution Agencies.

29. No person shall deal in or sell coal to a consumer in respect of any premises to which this Order applies unless such person dealing in or selling coal is the holder either of a certificate of registration or of a license issued by the Local Fuel Overseer for the district in which the depot, wharf, office, or other premises from which he proposes to deal in or sell coal is situate.

A person carrying on business at more than one address may register with the Local Fuel Overseer an address to which he wishes all communications in relation to this Order or any matters to arise thereunder to be sent, and communications sent to him at such address shall have effect as if they had been sent to all other addresses registered by him in the district of such Local Fuel Overseer.

Provided always that a person who sells or deals in coal by truck to a consumer in respect of any premises to which this Order applies and forwards or arranges for the forwarding of such trucks to stations throughout the country or parts thereof may, on application to the Controller, register with the Controller, and such registration shall be good for every district comprised within this Order.

Registration of Merchants.

30. Where a person engaged in the coal trade obtains supplies of coal for resale, either from a colliery direct or through a colliery agent or factor, such person shall be entered in a register and shall take out a certificate of registration for each depot, wharf, office, or other premises owned or controlled by him at which he sells or otherwise deals in coal. Such persons herein referred to as a "registered coal merchant."

Subject to the poviso in clause 29 hereof, colliery proprietors or companies, colliery agents or factors supplying coal direct either to consumers as aforesaid or to persons becoming licensed coal dealers under clause 31 hereof and purchasing their supplies of coal landsale, shall take out a certificate of registration in the district or districts in which their colliery or other depots, wharves or offices are situate and for the purposes of this Order be treated as registered coal merchants in respect of their landsale.

Gas companies and other persons producing coke for sale or distribution direct either to consumers as aforesaid or to persons becoming licensed coal dealers under clause 31 hereof shall take out certificates of registration for each separate works, depot, wharf or office at which the coke is sold or otherwise dealt in and for the

purposes of this Order be treated as registered coal merchants.

Licensing of Dealers.

31. Where a person engaged in the coal trade obtains the greater part of his supplies of coal from or through a merchant being a registered coal merchant but not being a colliery, colliery agent or factor, except where such colliery, colliery agent or factor is registered as a coal merchant under clause 30 hereof for landsale supplies; such person shall take out a licence and shall be entered in a separate register. Such person is herein referred to as a "licensed coal dealer."

A person acting as agent for a registered coal merchant and carrying on business in his own name and accepting responsibility for the supplies of consumers as aforesaid but ensuring the delivery of such supplies through such registered coal merchant shall take out a licence as a licensed coal dealer.

Form of Application for, and Certificate or Licence.

32. Every application for a certificate of registration or for a licence shall be in such form as may be prescribed by the Controller, and shall contain a true statement of all particulars specified therein.

Every certificate of registration and every licence shall be in such form as may be prescribed by the Controller, and may be granted and held subject to such conditions as the Controller may from time to time determine.

There shall not be any charge for any certificate of registration or licence.

Refusal. Transfer, or Cancellation of Certificate or Licence.

33. Where a person has not been engaged in selling or otherwise dealing in coal prior to the 1st January 1918, the Local Fuel Overseer may refuse a certificate of registration or licence to such person.

Where a person engaged in the coal trade sells or otherwise deals in coal to a less extent on the average during the last six months than 1 tou per week the Local Fuel Overseer may refuse a certificate of registration or licence to such person, or may suspend or cancel any certificate or licence already issued to such person.

Where a person holding a certificate of registration or licence transfers his business or where such business is transferred at death to some other person, such certificate or licence shall on request to the Local Fuel Overseer be transferred into the name of such other person, together with all certificates for supply to consumers held by such person.

Where a person who has received a certificate of registration or a licence under clause 30 or 31 hereof, respectively, has by himself or by his servants failed to observe the terms of this Order or any rules and instructions made thereunder, or has failed to comply with the directions of the Local Fuel Overseer, the Local Fuel Overseer may revoke or suspend, for such period as he may think fit, any such certificate or licence.

Public Notice of Registration Required.

34. Every person holding a certificate of

registration or licence under this Order shall exhibit and keep exhibited in a conspicuous position at the depot, wharf, office, or other premises to which such certificate or licence relates either the certificate or licence or such other notice in a form to be approved by the Controller to the effect that the person is so registered or licenced in respect of such premises.

Where a person carries on business on his own account, not at any fixed address, but by means of hawking or selling on the streets, he shall carry with him such certificate or licence or such other notice as may be prescribed, which shall be produced on demand to the Local Fuel Overseer, or anyone duly authorized by the Local Fuel Overseer or by the Controller in that behalf.

Return of Premisies at which Coal is Received or Delivered.

35. A registered coal merchant shall supply to the Local Fuel Overseer and to the Controller a statement showing the depots, wharves, and other premises at which he receives and from which he delivers coal, so that returns may be obtained as to the quantities of coal supplied to, or delivered from, each such depot, wharf, or other premises, and any other particulars relating thereto which may be required from time to time.

Supplies of Coal to Licensed Coal Dealers.

36. A licensed coal dealer shall from time to time declare the source or sources from which he obtains his supplies of coal, and shall not obtain supplies from any source not previously declared by him except on notice to the Local Fuel Overseer.

No person shall supply coal to a coal dealer required by this Order to take out a licence unless such person is satisfied that the coal dealer holds a licence issued under clause 31 hereof, and for this purpose such person may require the licence to be produced, and the same shall be produced accordingly.

Miscellaneous Exceptions.

37. Auctioneers shall not sell coal except either to persons holding certificates of registration or licences or to such other persons as may previously be agreed by the Local Fuel Overseer

When the occupier of any premises in respect of which this Order applies is removing to other premises he may dispose of his coal either to the incoming occupier or to such other person as may previously be agreed by the Local Fuel Overseer.

Neither a certificate of registration nor a licence shall be required for the dealing in or sale of coal within the terms of this clause or for the dealing in or sale of coal under an allowance made in respect of a group of consumers on one certificate by the agent or other responsible person to such consumers.

PART V.-DUTIES OF REGISTERED COAL MER-CHANTS AND LICENSED COAL DEALERS.

Only to Supply Registered Consumers.

38. A registered coal merchant or licensed

accept or refuse his registration within a period not exceeding five days, and unless he refuses within that period shall be deemed to have accepted the registration. A registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer shall not accept for registration any consumer under this Order not being a regular customer of his prior to January 1st, 1918, unless he has a reasonable expectation of being able to discharge all orders for coal to be received from such consumer or unless he is required to accept such registration by the Local Fuel Overseer or the Controller.

A registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer shall not supply or deliver coal to any consumer in respect of any premises coming within the scope of this Order unless such consumer is registered with him for such supply or unless the previous assent in writing of the. Local Fuel Overseer has been obtained.

Not to Supply Excess Quantities.

39. A registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer shall not after the date upon which this Order comes into effect sell, deliver, or in any way supply coal for consumption in any premises to which this Order applies in excess of 5 tons in the year commencing with the 1st July 1919, unless he holds a certificate in writing from the Local Fuel Overseer for the supply of a larger quantity, in which event he shall not exceed the larger quantity shown on such certificate.

Record of all Deliveries to be Kept.

40. Every registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer shall keep, at the office or depot at which orders are received and dealt with by him, a record in a form to be approved by the Controller of all coal sold, supplied or delivered by him in respect of any such orders in quantities exceeding 2 cwts. at one time, or in the case of coke 3 cwts. A registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer shall not sell, supply or deliver coal to a consumer in quantities of 2 cwts.or less (or in the case of coke 3 cwts.) where such consumer has a stock of coal of 10 cwts. or more in his possession and in any event not more frequently than once in any week.

The record and all orders, receipts or vouchers for the supplies or deliveries of coal, together with the books and accounts of such merchant or dealer, shall be open to the inspection, at all reasonable times, of the Local Fuel Overseer or of the Controller or of any person duly authorized by either of them.

Small Sales of Coal at Depots.

41. Every registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer shall, if required by the Local Fuel Overseer, provide and thereafter maintain at each of his depots adequate labour and appliances for the sale of coal by retail in quantities not exceeding 1 cwt. (but not less than $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt.) at one time.

Limit to Tonnage to be Delivered at One Time.

42. Every registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer shall comply with such restrictions upon the quantity of coal to be delivered at one time to consumers, in respect of any premises to which the provisions of this Order apply, as coal dealer shall at the request of a consumer may be determined from time to time by the

Local Fuel Overseer or by the Controller, and such restrictions shall be determined as may be necessary to secure the equitable distribution of the available supplies of coal among all consumers as aforesaid.

Where such restrictions are in force no person shall acquire or attempt to acquire coal in excess of the quantity so determined in respect of any premises to which the provisions of this Order apply.

Deliveries to be Made to Instructions of Local Fuel Overseer.

43. A registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer shall make such deliveries as the Local Fuel Overseer may direct, and shall observe any directions and instructions of the Local Fuel Overseer under the terms of this Order.

The Local Fuel Overseer may require any delivery of coal to consumers within his district to be transferred from one depot to another within the district or from one registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer to another within such district as may be most convenient for the delivery of the same, and in such latter case the registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer shall execute any orders received thereunder equitably and in rotation with any other orders that he may have at the date of transfer.

Small Consumers to be Supplied First.

44. At no time shall any delivery of coal in excess of 2 cwts. be made in any week unless full provision has been made for the delivery of at least 2 cwts. (or in the case of coke 3 cwts.) to any registered consumer requiring a delivery to be made to him or unless the Local Fuel Overseer shall expresaly direct otherwise.

Deliveries to be in Rotation in Summer Months.

45. Every registered coalmerchantor licensed coal dealer shall, as far as possible and subject to any special requirement of this Order or instruction of the Local Fuel Overseer or of the Controller, during the period from the 1st May to the 31st October in any year, make deliveries of coal by not more than a full load at a time in rotation to all consumers, in respect of any premises to which the provisions of this Order apply, in accordance with the dates of their respective orders, without variation except in far as may be necessary to make up full loads for delivery where two or more deliveries are included in one load.

Deliveries to be According to Needs in Winter Months.

46. Coal shall not be delivered by a registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer during the period from the 1st November to the 30th April in any year to any consumer in respect of any premises to which the provisions of this Order apply, where the existing stock of coal in the possession of such consumer in respect of such premises exceeds the amount allocated to the next succeeding month in accordance with clause 9 hereof, so long as any orders for coal of such merchant or dealer on behalf of other consumers remain unexecuted in respect of premises where the existing stock of coal in the possession of such other consumers

is less than the amount allocated to such next succeeding month.

Merchants' Reserve Stocks.

47. Every registered coal merchant shall be required to hold such minimum stock of coal at each of his depots and for such period of time as may be required by the Local Fuel Overseer or by the Controller.

With the assent of the Local Fuel Overseer the registered coal merchants may establish a common stock on behalf of them all or of some of them and may agree the terms and conditions to be applied to the provision and use of such stock.

Where the Controller shall declare a state of emergency to exist, the Local Fuel Overseer may require stocks to be treated as a common stock, but not so as to prejudice the trade of any one merchant, and may determine the terms and conditions under which such common stock shall be held and used;

Returns by Merchants and Dealers.

48. A registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer shall make such returns and reports to the Local Fuel Overseer or the Controller as the Controller may from time to time require. Such returns and reports shall be in such form as the Controller may direct.

A registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer shall permit any duly authorized representative of the Controller to inspect his books and accounts and to make extracts therefrom for the purpose of ascertaining whether any return or report made by him is correct or for any purpose in connection with the determination of maximum prices for coal under this Order.

Returns by Factors.

49. A factor, not being a registered coal merchant, may be required by the Controller to submit returns to him from time to time of the supplies of coal which he makes to licensed coal dealers in such form as the Controller shall direct and shall comply with such requirement.

A factor shall supply coal to the licensed coal dealers dependent upon him for supplies equitably, having regard to the supplies made by him to them in previous years; and shall comply with any instructions of the Controller in this connection.

Truck Deliveries to Private Consumers.

50. A registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer selling, supplying or delivering coal by truck to a consumer in respect of any premises to which this Order applies, must give previous notice thereof to the Local Fuel Overseer of the district to which the coal is to be forwarded, and such notice shall give full particulars as to the name and address of the person to be supplied, the premises in respect of which the supply is to be made, and the extent of the supply. Upon receipt of such notice the Local Fuel Overseer shall either assent to or refuse to permit such supply to be made, and where such assent is refused such supply by truck shall not be forwarded.

The Local Fuel Overseer may in his discretion refuse to permit such supply to be made by the truck (a) in any case during the period from the 1st October to the 30th April in any year; and (b) in any case in which there has not been a previous practice for coal to be so supplied to such consumer during the period from the 1st May to the 30th September in any year.

Where a Local Fuel Overseer is entitled to refuse his assent to the forwarding of a supply of coal by truck he may give such assent subject to such conditions as he may think fit, in which event such conditions shall be observed and carried out in connection with such supply.

Power to Take Possession of Coal in Truck at any Time.

51. All persons owning or having power to dispose of coal which has been or is being consigned by truck to a consumer as aforesaid, and in respect of which no assent has been given under the preceding clause, and all carriers thereof shall, if required by the Local Fuel Overseer of the district to which such coal is consigned, hold such coal at the disposal of such Local Fuel Overseer to be applied as he shall direct. The terms upon which such coal shall be disposed of shall be determined by agreement, or in default settled by a single arbitrator to be appointed by the Controller.

Advertising or Touting Prohibited.

52. A registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer or anyone acting in such behalf shall neither advertise nor tout nor canvass for customers or orders, except to such extent as may be permitted by the Local Fuel Overseer or the Controller; and shall not send any forms issued under this Order to any consumer who is not registered with him or who has not asked for the same or who has not since the 1st January 1917 been supplied with coal by such merchant or dealer; and shall not use the forms supplied by the Local Fuel Overseer or by the Controller for the furtherance of his trade, except in accordance with the procedure laid down under this Order.

This clause shall not have effect with regard to any existing advertisement contract or arrangement so long as no renewed or extended contract or arrangement is entered into; nor shall it have any effect with regard to signs or notices on an office or shop or wharf or depot belonging to or in the occupation of such merchant or dealer for the purposes of his business or trading in coal, or on any vehicle or other equipment used by him for the purposes of his business; nor shall it have any effect in relation to notices of prices to be charged for coal or to notices relating to any of the provisions of this Order which are approved by the Local Fuel Overseer or by the Controller.

PART VI.—DUTIES OF UNDERTAKERS OF GA3 AND ELECTRICITY SUPPLIES AND OTHER CLAUSES APPLICABLE THERETO.

Relief from Obligation to Supply.

53. Where a company or undertaking supplying or offering to supply gas or electricity for reward (hereinafter referred to as an "undertaker of gas or electricity supply") is by reason of the provisions of this Order prevented from making a supply or from making a full supply to any consumer it shall to that extent be relieved of any obligation resting upon it by statute or otherwise to make such supply.

Record and Returns.

54. An undertaker of gas or electricity supply shall keep such records of its supplies to consumers as the Controller may require, and such records, together with any orders, receipts, or vouchers for such supplies, and the books and accounts of such undertaker, shall be open at all reasonable times to the inspection of the Local Fuel Overseer of the district in which the premises of any such consumerare situate. or of the Controller, or of any person duly authorized by either of them.

Further, an undertaker of gas or electricity supply shall make such returns to the Local Fuel Overseer or the Controller in such form as the Controller may from time to time direct for the purposes of this Order.

Meter Readings.

55. An undertaker of gas or electricity supply shall take readings of the meters of all consumers not less frequently than once in each quarter, and such other meter readings as, in the opinion of the Controller, may be found necessary to ensue the observance of the restrictions on consumption laid down in this Order.

For the purposes of any accounts and returns required under this Order the meter readings for each quarter shall be taken as nearly as possible to the quarter days set out in clause 5 hereot. The system of taking meter reading: shall as far as possible proceed according to some regular arrangement each quarter, so that the interval between the readings of the meter of any one consumer shall be approximately three months.

The meter readings shall, for the purposes of this Order, be *prima facie* evidence of the quantity of gas or electricity consumed.

Restrictions on Fitting and Equipment of Premises.

56. An undertaker of gas or electricity supply shall not, after the date on which this Order comes into effect, without the previous assent of the Local Fuel Overseer, make any new connection for the purpose of the supply of either gas or electricity coming within the scope of this Order, nor shall it fit or equip or permit or authorize to be fitted or equipped any premises with additional appliances for the purpose of using gas or electricity for fuel without such assent. This clause shall extend to any other persons undertaking the fitting or equipping of premises with appliances for the use of gas or electricity for fuel.

Removals : Failure to Give Notice.

57. When a consumer fails to give notice of removal as required by clause 14 hereof, he shall for the purposes of this Order be assumed to have consumed the gas and/or electricity shown by the next meter readings after his removal.

Quarterly Return of Excess Consumptions.

58. An undertaker of gas or electricity supply

shall, not later than four weeks after the close of any quarter, make a return to the Local Fuel Overseer for each district in which it makes supplies showing for each consumer in such district the excess supply (if any) which such consumer has taken in such quarter for any premises in his occupation over the allowance or proportionate part thereof for such premises in accordance with the provisions of clauses 8 and 9 hereof.

Reserve Stocks of Coal ; Gas and Electricity Undertakers.

59. An undertaker of gas or electricity supply shall maintain such reserves of coal for the purposes of its undertaking as the Controller may determine, and shall report to the Local Fuel Overseer or Overseers concerned and to the Controller any case in which its reserve of coal is not maintained.

The Controller or the Local Fuel Overseer with the assent of the Controller may in such event direct such general reduction or limitation in the supply of gas or electricity to consumers as he may deem necessary to provide against a failure of supply.

PART VII.-THE SALE OF COAL.

Maximum Prices to be Fixed.

60. The Controller, or such persons as he may authorize in writing, or the Local Fuel Overseer with the assent of the Controller, may from time to time determine the maximum prices for coal coming within the scope of this Order.

Where coal is sold for resale, the maximum prices for such coal at every stage shall be determined under this Order, in so far as they are not already determined by the Wholesale Coal Prices Order, 1917, or any amendment thereof.

Maximum Prices and Terms to be Observed.

61. Coal shall not be offered for sale to, or sold to, or purchased by, consumers at prices exceeding the maximum prices so determined, nor shall any charges be made or paid by any person under any pretext for special services rendered to consumers where such services have been brought into reckoning in determining the maximum prices.

Restricted Deliveries under Order, Payment for.

62. When coal is delivered in restricted quantities, in consequence of any of the provisions of this Order, such coal shall be charged and paid for at the price appropriate to the quantity delivered, and shall not, unless the consumer so desires, be deemed to be a part delivery in fulfilment of any then outstanding order for a larger quantity.

Coal to be Sold by Weight.

63. Every sale of coal to which the provisions of this Order apply shall be by weight, except that coke may, with the assent of the Local Fuel Overseer, be sold by measure in quantities of 1 cwt. or less, where such has been the previous practice.

Purchases and Sales to be Unconditional.

64. No conditions involving the purchase of

any other article or any other payments thau those permitted under this Order shall attach to a sale of coal. Where by reason of special circumstances attaching to any delivery or supply of coal the merchant or dealer is of opinion that the cost of such delivery or supply warrants an additional charge, he may apply to the Local Fuel Overseer to have an additional charge per ton or per cwt. determined in respect of such delivery.

No person engaged in the sale or delivery or distribution of any coal shall accept or obtain or agree to accept or endeavour to obtain from any other person for himself or for any other person any gift or any consideration (other than the monies properly payable by reason of such sale, delivery or distribution) as an inducement or reward for selling or delivering or distributing any coal to one purchaser or receiver in priority or in preference to another purchaser or receiver; and no person shall give or agree to give or offer any such gift or consideration.

"Consideration" includes valuable consideration of any kind.

Public Notice of Current or Maximum Prices.

65. A notice, in a form to be approved by the Controller, of the maximum prices determined for any district or such less prices as may be charged, shall be exhibited and kept exhibited in a conspicuous position in all offices or other places at which orders for the sale or delivery of coal are received and in the office or offices to be established under clause 21 hereof.

Where prices are charged in accordance with such notice, such notice shall be *prima facie* evidence that such charging of prices is authorized and that the prices charged are correct.

Prices to be Exhibited by Hawkers and Trolley Men.

66. Subject to any by-law of any Local Authority, no person being the owner of or employed in connection with or in charge of a vehicle offering for sale from such vehicle coal in quantities not exceeding 2 cwts. shall sell or offer for sale such coal unless there shall be affixed on prominent and conspicuous parts of such vehicle, so as to be visible on both sides thereof, metal tablets on which shall be clearly marked in a permanent and legible manner the price per cwt. at which the coal is sold or offered for sale, and such person shall not alter, deface, remove or exchange such figure or figures except at the place of loading or at the office of his employer; and no person in charge of a vehicle to which is affixed a metal tablet as above shall on a sale of any such coal charge to the purchaser any price greater than that marked on the said metal tablet.

Coal of one class or quality only shall be sold or offered for sale upon such a vehicle except with the previous assent of the Local Fuel Overseer, which assent shall not be unreasonably withheld.

Coal to be Paid for on Delivery.

67. Any coal to be supplied under this Order shall be paid for on or before delivery if the registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer so requires.

Evidence in Support of Price Required where | Readjustment of Coal where Gas or Electricity Coal is Hawked or Sold in the Streets.

68. Any person selling or offering for sale coal in quantities not exceeding 2 cwts. may be required to produce evidence to show that the coal which he is selling or offering for sale is of a class or quality entitling him to charge the prices which he is demanding, and for this purpose shall, on the request of a Local Fuel Overseer, or any authorised representative of him or of the Controller, or on the request of the purchaser, produce a sale ticket or loading ticket, as provided in the next paragraph, or produce the invoice relating to the purchase of the coal by him from the colliery or factor. This provision shall also apply to any servant employed by any registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer in the sale or delivery of coal in quantities of 2 cwts. or less at one time.

A receipt must be taken for and a sale ticket or loading ticket must be given with every load or part of a load of coal supplied for resale by a registered coal merchant to a licensed coal dealer, stating the class or quality of the coal supplied and the price paid therefor or applicable thereto.

These provisions shall not apply to coke unless expressly so required by the Local Fuel Overseer.

Evidence in Support of Correctness of any Charges Required.

69. A purchaser of coal may require the seller to produce evidence as to the correctness of the charges made by him in accordance with this Order. A Local Fuel Overseer, or any authorised representative of him or of the Controller, may require any person selling or dealing in coal to satisfy him as to the correctness of the prices exhibited by such person, or as to the prices charged or proposed to be charged for any supply or delivery, or as to the quan-tity of coal contained in any bag or other receptacle or load being offered for sale or being delivered

PART VIII.-GENERAL.

Offences, Defence of the Realm Regulations.

70. Any person who contravenes any of the provisions of this Order or who neglects or fails to comply with any requirement or obligation imposed on him by or in virtue of this Order or who in any application, requisition, return, report or other document in pursuance of or for the purposes of this Order knowingly makes any false statement shall be guilty of a summary offence against the Defence of the Realm Regulations.

Prosecutions.

71. In England and Wales, a Local Fuel Overseer, with consent in writing given by or on behalf of the Controller, may institute and carry on proceedings for the prosecution of any offence committed within his district against the provisions of this Order or against the Defence of the Realm Regulations applicable thereto, or the Controller may himself institute and carry on such proceedings and may designate officers to carry out this work on his behalf.

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Consumed in Excess.

72. Where a consumer shall have taken in connection with any premises more gas or elec-tricity in any period than his quarterly allowance, the Local Fuel Overseer may, in his discretion, reduce in respect of such premises the quantity of coal due to such consumer to such extent as appears to him to be reasonable.

Where such consumer shall have obtained all the coal due to him the Local Fuel Overseer may similarly reduce the allowance of coal of such consumer for any future period.

Power to Cut off Supplies from Consumers.

73. Any undertaker of gas or electricity supply may, and at the request of the Local Fuel Overseer, with approval given by or on behalf of the Controller, shall, cut off the supply to any consumer in respect of any premises at which more than the allowance for any period has been consumed in the period or prior to the conclusion of such period, and shall restore such supply on such terms and conditions as may be necessary to secure the observance of the restrictions on consumption laid down in this Order.

An undertaker of gas or electricity supply may for the purposes of this clause enter upon the premises of such consumer, and any costs to be incurred in connection with the cutting off or restoration of any supply of gas or electricity shall be borne by such consumer.

Any action taken under this clause shall be without prejudice to any proceedings which may be taken against such consumer for failure to observe the terms and provisions of this Order.

Contracts Affected by Terms of Order.

74. Where by reason of any compliance with the provisions of this Order the fulfilment of any contract by any party thereto is inter-fered with, the necessity of complying with the provisions of the Order shall be a good defence to any action or proceeding taken against such party in respect of the non-fufilment of such contract so far as it is due to such interference.

The Metropolitan Fuel Area

75. The Metropolitan Fuel Area for the purposes of this Order shall comprise the City of London and the district of any Local Authority so far as such district is included within the Metropolitan Police District, and the following districts or parts thereof of Local Authorities without the Metropolitan Police District, namely :-

The Municipal Boroughs of-

Hemel Hempstead and St. Albans.

The Urban Districts of-

Caterham, Chertsey, Chorley Wood, Dartford, Egham, Epping, Esher and the Dittons, Leatherhead, Rickmansworth, Romford, Walton-on-Thames, Watford, and Weybridge.

The Rural Districts of-

Bromley, Epsom, Hatfield, Hemel Hempstead, Romford, and Watford.

The following parishes in the following Rural Districts-

- Chertsey.-The parishes of Byfleet, Pyrford, and Thorpe.
- Dartford.-The parishes of Darenth, Stone. Sutton-at-Home, and Wilmington.
- Dorking .- The parish of Effingham.
- Epping.—The parishes of Epping Up-land, Theydon Bois, and Theydon Garnon.
- Eton .- The parishes of Denham, Horton, Iver, and Wyrardisbury.
- Godstone.-The Parishes of Chelsham, Tandridge (detached), Tatsfield, Titsey, and Woldingham.
- Ongar.-The parishes of Lambourne, Theydon Mount, Stapleford Abbots and Stapleford Tawney.
- Reigate .--- The parishes of Chaldon, Chipstead, Gatton, Kingswood, Merstham, and Walton-onthe-Hill.
- St. Albans.-The parishes of Redbourn, St. Michael Rural, St. Peter Rural, St. Stephen's and Sandridge Rural.

Such area may for the purposes of this Order be deemed one district and the powers of the respective Local Fuel Overseers may on notice to them be exercised by the Controller on their behalf.

In particular (a) All questions relating to or arising out of supplies of coal to, or reserve stocks of registered coal merchants trading within the area shall be dealt with by the Controller. (b) The maximum prices of coal within the area shall be fixed by the Controller. (c) All prosecutions for infringements of this Order shall be undertaken by the Controller or on his behalf.

Copies of Order to be Open to Inspection.

76. A copy of this Order shall be open to inspection at every office or coal depot at which a registered coal merchant or licensed coal dealer receives orders for the sale or delivery of coal and at every office to be established under the provisions of clause 21 hereof.

Repeals of Previous Orders.

77. The following Orders are hereby cancelled, except in so far as any acts or things have been commenced or done under such Orders, and all such acts or things as have been commenced or done under such Orders as are in accordance with or meet the requirements and provisions of this Order shall continue in effect as if they had been commenced or done under this Order, namely :

The Household Coal Distribution Order, 1917, dated the 10th August 1917.

The Household Fuel and Lighting Order, 1918, dated the 28th June 1918, except as regards clause 127 of that Order.

The Household Fuel and Lighting (Scotland) Order, 1918, dated the 18th September 1918, except as regards clause 99 of that Order.

The Household Fuel (Prosecutions) Order, 1918, date the 28th November 1918.

The Household Coal (Requisition) Order, 1918, dated the 7th September 1918.

Audit of Joint Accounts.

78. The Local Fuel and Lighting Joint Committees (Audit of Accounts) Order, 1918. dated the 23rd December 1918, shall continue in force as if the references to the Household Fuel and Lighting Order, 1918, or the Household Fuel and Lighting (Scotland) Order, 1918, were to this Order.

Short Title.

79. This Order may be cited as the Household Fuel and Lighting Order, 1919, and shall be read in conjunction with the Local Authorities (Fuel and Lighting) Order, 1919, and the Local Authorities (Fuel and Lighting) (Scotland) Order, 1919, respectively, both of even date herewith.

Date of Operation of Order.

80: This Order shall come into effect on the 1st July 1919.

A. C. Geddes.

Board of Trade,

7 Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W. 1. Dated 23rd June 1919.

DEFENCE OF THE REALM.

THE LOCAL AUTHORITIES (FUEL AND LIGHTING) (SCOTLAND) ORDER, 1919, MADE BY THE SECRETARY FOR SCOTLAND ON THE JUNE 1919, UNDER REGULATIONS 2J AND 2JJ OF THE DEFENCE OF THE REALM REGULATIONS.

In pursuance of the powers conferred on me by Regulation 2J as read with Regulation 2JJ of the Defence of the Realm Regulations and by arrangement with the Board of Trade, I hereby order as follows :-

(1) In this Order the expression "Local Authority " shall mean the Council of a County or Burgh or any District Committee to which a County Council shall delegate its powers under the Household Fuel and Lighting Order, 1919.

(2) I hereby confer and impose upon the Local Authority and upon such of their officers as they may designate or appoint for the purpose the powers and duties necessary to provide for the due discharge within their district, in conformity with the Defence of the Realm Regulations, of the functions assigned to Local Authorities by the Household Fuel and Lighting Order, 1919.

(3) (a) Any expenses incurred by a Local Authority in the execution of this Order shall be defrayed out of the public health general assessment provided that such expenses shall not be reckoned in any calculation as to the statutory limit of that assessment.

(b) Where any Local Authorities have combined for any of the purposes of this Order, any expenses incurred by these Local Authorities under this Order shall be defrayed in such proportions as may be agreed upon or in default

of agreement as may be determined by me. (4) A District Committee, Parish Council, School Board or other local body may make available without charge, or on such terms as may be agreed, to a Local Authority or to any Committee appointed by the Authority, any of their premises and the services of any of their officers for the purposes of the Household Fuel and Lighting Order, 1919.

(5) The Local Authorities (Fuel and Lighting) (Scotland) Order, 1918, made by the Secretary for Scotland on the 18th September 1918, is hereby revoked as from 1st July 1919.

(6) This Order may be cited as the Local

Authorities (Fuel and Lighting) (Scotland) Order, 1919.

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ROBERT MUNRO, His Majesty's Secretary for Scotland.

Scottish Office, Whitehall, 30th June 1919.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per Quarter of 5 Busnels, Imperial Measure,* as received from the Inspectors of Corn Returns in the Week ended 28th June 1919, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

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Barley				1,731 1	63 4		
Oats	•••	•••		3,853 0	49 1		

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the Corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1912 to 1918.

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* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, provides that where returns of purchases of British Corn are made to the Local Inspector of Corn Returns in any other measure than the imperial bushel or by weight or by a weighed measure, that Officer shall convert such returns into the imperial bushel, and in the case of weight or weighed measure the conversion is to be made at the rate of sixty imperial pounds for every bushel of wheat, fifty imperial pounds for every bushel of barley, and thirty-nine imperial pounds for every bushel of oats.

R. HENRY REW.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, 3 St. James's Square, London, S.W. 1, 28th June 1919.

STATEMENT showing the Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per Quarter (Imperial Measure), for the Quarter ending Midsummer 1919, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

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Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, 30th June 1919. R. HENRY REW.

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Treasury Chambers, 3rd July 1919.

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JOHN BRADBURY, Secretary to the Treasury.

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THE EDINBURGH GAZETTE, JULY 4, 1919.

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DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 то 1914.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of SWINE FEVER in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 28th June 1919, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs) :---

	Соиятч.	Outbreaks Confirmed.	Swine Slaughtered as Diseased or as having been Exposed to Infection.	
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Dumbarton		 	1	-
TOTAL		 	1	

The following Areas are now "Scheduled Areas" for the purposes of the Swine Fever (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1908 :-

- Ayrshire, &c.-An Area comprising the counties of Ayr and Wigtown, and the burghs of Ayr, Irvine, and Kilmarnock (16th June 1917).
- Scotland.-An Area comprising Scotland (except the counties of Ayr and Wigtown, and the burghs of Ayr, Irvine, and Kilmarnock) (16th June 1917).

See also under Ayrshire, &c.

RETURN of OUTBREAKS of the undermentioned DISEASE in SCOTLAND for the Week ended 28th June 1919, distinguishing Counties (including Burghs) :-

	C	OUNTY.	Outbreaks Reported.	Animals Attacked		
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Banff		•••			3	4
Dumfries	•••	•••			1	1
Forfar		• • • •			2	5
Lanark		•••			13 .	26
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PARASITIC MANGE.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries, 1st July 1919.

COUNTY OF RENFREW. FIRST OR UPPER DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of Section 14 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1908, that the District Committee of the First or Upper District of the County of Renfrew, at a Special Meeting, duly convened, held at Glasgow on the 18th June 1919, adopted the following Resolution, viz. :--That the District Committee of the First or Upper

| District of the County of Renfrew, having met after District of the County of Renfrew, having met after 21 days' clear notice and considered the propriety thereof, disapproved and hereby disapproves of the formation of the Village of EAGLESHAM into a SPECIAL SCAVENGING DISTRICT, and in-structed the Clerk to publish this Resolution, and to transmit a copy of the same to the Local Government Board and to the County Council of the County of Renfrew, as required by and in terms of the Local Government (Scotland) Acts, 1894 and 1908.

JAS. A. M'CALLUM, District Clerk.

15 West George Street, Glasgow, 30th June 1919.

To the Creditors and other Persons interested in the Succession of the Deceased JAMES MALCOLM CHALMERS, who carried on business under the name of MACFARLANE & CHALMERS, Timber Measurers and Contractors, 20 Harvie Street, Paisley Road West, Glasgow, and who resided at Rhodora, 28 Saint Andrew's Drive, Pollokshields, Glasgow.

AVID GUTHRIE, Chartered Accountant, 31 St. J Vincent Place, Glasgow, having been appointed by the Court of Session Judicial Factor on the Estate by the Court of Session Judicial Factor on the Estate of the said deceased James Malcolm Chalmers under Act 3 & 4 Geo. V., cap. 20, sec. 163, requires all the law-ful Creditors of the said James Malcolm Chalmers and of his said Firm of Macfarlane & Chalmers and other persons interested in his Estate, to lodge with the Judicial Factor within four months after the date of this notice a Statement of their chimes of the date of Judicial Factor within four months after the date of this notice a Statement of their claims as Creditors of the deceased or of his said Firm, or as otherwise inter-ested in his Estate, with such vouchers or other written evidence as they may have to found upon in support of their claims, in order to the same being considered and reported upon by the Judicial Factor.

DAVID GUTHRIE, C.A., Judicial Factor.

31 St. Vincent Place, Glasgow, 3rd July 1919.

THE ROSS STEAM TRAWL FISHING COMPANY LIMITED AND REDUCED.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Petition has been presented to the Court of Session (Second Division,-Mr. Antonio, Clerk) by The Ross Steam Trawl Fishing Company Limited and Reduced, incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, and having its Registered Office at 1 Golden Square, Aberdeen, which Petition prays the Court *inter alia* to confirm the reduction of the Capital of the said Company, resolved on by the following Special Resolu-tion of the Company, passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on 30th May 1919, and confirmed at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting held on 16th June 1919, namely :---

- "That the Capital of the Company be reduced from "£25,000, divided into 25,000 shares of £1 each, "to £12,500, divided into 25,000 shares of 10s. "each, by extinguishing the liability of 10s. "remaining upon each of the said shares."

The Court has pronounced the following Inter-locutor on the said Petition :--

"Edinburgh, 2nd July 1919.—The Lords appoint "the Petition to be intimated on the Walls and in " the Minute-Book in common form and to be adver-" tised once in the Edinburgh Gazette and once in each " of the Scotsman and Aberdeen Free Press newspapers; allow all persons having or claiming interest to lodge Answers, if so advised, within eight days after such intimations and advertisements; and meantime and during the dependence of these proceedings dispense with the words 'and Reduced' "as an addition to the petitioning Company's name.

"CHARLES SCOTT DICKSON, I.P.D."

Of all which Intimation is hereby given.

ALEX. MORISON & Co., W.S., 33 Queen Street, Edinburgh.

EDMONDS & LEDINGHAM, Advocates, 1 Golden Square, Aberdeen.

The Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917.

SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS OF CAMBUSLANG MOTOR COMPANY LIMITED.

Passed on 6th June 1919. Confirmed on 24th June 1919.

A T an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Share-holders of Cambuslang Motor Company Limited, duly convened, and held at 12 Playfair Street, Bridgeton, Glasgow, on the 6th day of June 1919, the subjoined Resolution was duly passed as a Special Resolution; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Sharkelders of the asid Company also duly convend Shareholders of the said Company, also duly convened, and held in the same place on the 24th day of June 1919, the said Resolution was duly confirmed as a Special Resolution :---

RESOLUTION.

"That the Cambuslang Motor Company Limited be wound up voluntarily."

ANDREW LAIDLAW, Secretary.

CAMBUSLANG MOTOR COMPANY LIMITED (in Liquidation).

PURSUANT to Section 188 (1) of the Companies Consolidation Act, 1908, Notice is hereby given that a Meeting of Creditors of above-named Company will be held at 68 Bath Street, Glasgow, on Tuesday, 8th July 1919, at 12 o'clock noon.

MALCOLM KERR, Liquidator.

68 Bath Street, Glasgow, 3rd July 1919.

FRED. M. WALKER LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above-named Company, duly convened, and held at 121 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Monday, 9th June 1919, the following Special Resolution was duly passed; and at a sub-sequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the said Company, duly convened, and held at the same place on Wednesday, 25th June 1919, the said Resolution was duly confirmed :-

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily, and "that Fred. M. Walker, Glasgow, be, and is "hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes " of the winding up."

Notice is also hereby given, pursuant to Section 188 (1) of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a Meeting of the Creditors of the above-named Company will be held in the Offices of M'Adam & Shaw, C.A., 190 West George Street, Glasgow, on Thursday the 10th day of July 1919, at 12 o'clock noon

NOTICE.—This Meeting is held to comply with the provisions of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908. All the Creditors will be paid in full.

FRED. M. WALKER, Liquidator.

190 West George Street, Glasgow, 2nd July 1919.

BARNS O' CLYDE PROVIDENT STORES, LIMITED, 160 Glasgow Road, Clydebank.

INTIMATION is hereby given that a Meeting will be held within the Chambers of Messrs. M'Lay, M'Alister, & M'Gibbon, C.A., Glasgow, on Friday the 8th day of August, at eleven o'clock forenoon, for con-sideration of an account of the winding up, and to resolve thereanent.

W. M'LAY, C.A., A. W. YOUNG, Liquidators.

Glasgow, 3rd July 1919.

PERTH PRESS (LIMITED) (in Voluntary Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of Section 195 of Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above Com-pany will be held within 2 George Street, Edinburgh,

on Tuesday, 5th August 1919, at 12 o'clock, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, show-ing how the winding up has been conducted and the property disposed of, and of hearing explanations that may be given by the Liquidator.

JOHN NICOL, Liquidator.

2 George Street, Edinburgh, 4th July 1919.

PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff A PETITION having been presented to the Sheriff of Stirling, Dumbarton, and Clackmannan at Stirling, at the instance of John W. Elliott & Company, Export Merchants, 14 St. Vincent Place, Glasgow, for Sequestration of the Estates of HENRY MACARTHUR MILLER, formerly residing at 15 Overdale Avenue, Langside, Glasgow, now residing at Benmore, Fountain Road, Bridge of Allun, the Sheriff-Substitute of this date granted Warrant for citing the said Henry MacArthur Miller to annear in citing the said Henry MacArthur Miller to appear in Court on an *inducice* of seven days from the date of such citation, to show cause why Sequestration of his Estates should not be awarded; of all which Intimation is hereby given.

> A. & J. JENKINS & JARDINE, Solicitors, Stirling, Agents.

Stirling, 1st July 1919.

THE Estates of SIR DAVID CHARLES HERBERT DALRYMPLE, Baronet, of Newhailes, Mid-lothian, were Sequestrated on the thirtieth day of June nineteen hundred and nineteen, by the Court of Session.

The first Deliverance is dated the said thirtieth day

of June nineteen hundred and nineteen. The Meeting to elect the Trustee and Commissioners is to be held at twelve o'clock noon on Monday the fourteenth day of July nineteen hundred and nineteen, within Dowell's Rooms, Number eighteen George Street, Edinburgh. 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 thirtieth day of October nineteen hundred and nineteen.

The Sequestration has been remitted to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh.

All future advertisements relating to this Seques-tration will be published in the Edinburgh Gazette alone.

CLARK & MACDONALD, S.S.C., Agents.

24 Hill Street, Edinburgh,

2nd July 1919.

I, HUGH MUIR, Chartered Accountant in Glasgow, Trustee on the Sequestrated Estate of HENRY ROBERT HEYS, Dunselma, Barrhead, hereby call a Meeting of the Creditors, to be held within my Chambers, 190 West George Street, Glasgow, on Monday the 14th day of July 1919, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a Commissioner in room of John Burns, Writer to the Signet, Edinburgh, who has resigned office.

HUGH MUIR, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 2nd July 1919.

In the SEQUESTRATION of JAMES KAY SMALL, Baker, Grocer, and Spirit Merchant, Loanhead.

JOHN STUART GOWANS, C.A., Edinburgh, , Trustee, hereby call a General Meeting of Creditors, to be held within my Chambers here, on Monday the twenty-first day of July 1919, at three o'clock afternoon, to consider as to an application to be made for my discharge as Trustee.

J. STUART GOWANS, Trustee.

33 Charlotte Square, Edinburgh, 4th July 1919.

SEQUESTRATION of CHARLES CAMPBELL DON. Wine and Spirit Merchant, carrying on business at 40 Hutchison Street, Glasgow, and residing at 4 Lusset Road, Old Kilpatrick.

THE Trustee hereby calls a Meeting of Creditors, to be held at 115 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on Friday the 1st August 1919, at 11 o'clock forenoon, to consider an application to be made by him for his discharge as Trustee.

GEORGE HODGE, Trustee. HODGE, MORTON, & MACLEAN.

Glasgow, 3rd July 1919.

SEQUESTRATION of HANDEL GARTH & CO., Piano, Organ, and Music Seller, 25A Shandwick Place, Edinburgh.

ITHE Trustee hereby intimates that the account of his ¹IVHE Trustee hereby intimates that the account of his intromissions, brought down to the period ending 19th June last, have been audited by the Commissioners, and a third and final Dividend will be paid within the Chambers of Messrs. Davies, Tait, & Co., C.A., 168 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, on and after the 19th day of August 1919, to those Creditors whose claims have been lodged and admitted by the Trustee; and he further intimates that a Meeting of Creditors will be held in said Chambers on Friday the 3rd October next, at 12 o'clock noon to consider as to the Trustee's discharge noon, to consider as to the Trustee's discharge.

WM. COUPER TAIT, Trustee.

168 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, 3rd July 1919.

A S Trustee on the Sequestrated Estates of GEORGE PRYDE, Grocer and Fenar, Penicuik, I hereby intimate that the accounts of my intromissions, brought down to 18th June 1919, have been audited by the Commissioners, and that a Dividend will be paid within the Chambers of Messrs. Romanes & Munro, C.A., 50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, upon 18th August 1919.

CHARLES S. ROMANES, C.A., Trustee.

50 Frederick Street, Edinburgh, 4th July 1919.

SEQUESTRATION of the Reverend MURDO SMITH MACLEAN, sometime residing at Mallaig, and now at 17 Glengyle Terrace, Edinburgh.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that a first and final Dividend will be paid at his Chambers, 65 Bath Street, Glasgow, on the 17th day of August 1919.

JOS. W. MACKINNON, C.A., Trustee.

65 Bath Street, Glasgow, 3rd July 1919.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Firm of MACKINTOSH & CUMMING, L carrying on business as Drapers, Grantown-on-Spey, has been DISSOLVED, as at thirtieth June nineteen hundred and nineteen, by mutual consent, by the retiral therefrom of the Subscriber Peter Mackin-tosh, one of the Partners.

The Business will continue to be carried on by the Subscriber William Cumming on his own account under the same name of MACKINTOSH & CUMMING. He is authorised to uplift all debts due to, and he will discharge the whole debts and liabilities of, the Firm. Dated at Grantown-on-Spey, this first day of July

nineteen hundred and nineteen.

PETER MACKINTOSH. WILLIAM CUMMING.

MARGARET HASTINGS, Witness, Draper's Assistant, High Street,

Grantown-on Spey. MAS TEMPLETON, Witness, Draper's Assistant, Castle Road, THOMAS Grantown-on-Spey.

NOTICE.

ANDREW MACKIE, sole Partner of and carrying on Business under the name of MACKIE & DENHOLME, Kirk Stables, Bearsden, hereby intimate that I have transferred my Business of Motor Hirer, Carriage Hirer, and Funeral Undertaker, as at 30th June 1919, to The Bearsden Motor Garage and Engineering Company, who will carry on said Business at the above address.

I will continue to carry on the Business of Carter, Removal Contractor, Coal Merchant, &c., at the same address and under the same Name as formerly, and I respectfully solicit a continuance of the support I have hitherto received in these branches of my Business.

ANDREW MACKIE.

Witnesses to the Signature of Andrew Mackie-

JNO. M'FADZEAN, Writer, 100 West

Regent Street, Glasgow. MARY R. KELLY, Typist, 100 West Regent Street, Glasgow.

THE BEARSDEN MOTOR GARAGE & ENGINEERING COMPANY.

Witnesses to the Signature of The Engineering Companyand

MARY R. KELLY, Typist, 100 West Regent Street, Glasgow, MARY K. T. THOMSON, Typist, 100 West Regent Street, Glasgow.

Bearsden, 30th June 1919.

NOTICE.

THE Firm of R. J. & A. HEGGIE, carrying on business as Dyers at Kirkcaldy, has been DIS-SOLVED as at 30th June 1919, by mutual consent, by the retiral therefrom of the Subscribers James Heggie and Alexander Heggie, the Partners thereof. The Business will continue to be carried on by the Subscriber James Heggie, junior, on his own account and under the same name of R. J. & A. HEGGIE. Mr. James Heggie, inplor is authorised to unlift

Mr. James Heggie, junior, is authorised to uplift all the debts due to, and he will discharge the whole debts and liabilities of, the Firm.

Dated at Kirkcaldy, this 30th day of June 1919.

JAMES HEGGIE.

ALEXR. HEGGIE.

JAMES HEGGIE, JR.

Witnesses to the Signatures of James Heggie, Alexander Heggie, and James Heggie, junior—

ROBERT B. BLACK, Solicitor, Kirk-

caldy. ADA SINTON, Typist, 62 High Street, Kirkcaldy.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Partnership carried on by the Subscribers in the Business of Wall and Floor Tile Merchants and Fixers at 167 Bath Street, Glasgow, under the name of KEAN & WARDROP, was DISSOLVED as at 31st December 1918, of mutual consent, by the retiral therefrom of the Subscriber George Kean. The Business will continue to be carried on by the Subscribers John Kean and Thomas Leishman Wardrop Kean for their own behoof under the Firm name of KEAN & WARDROP. They will receive pay-ment of all debts due to, and will discharge all the liabilities of, the dissolved Firm.

GEORGE KEAN.

JOHN KEAN.

THOMAS L. W. KEAN.

Witnesses to the Signatures of the said George Kean, John Kean, and Thomas Leishman Wardrop Kean—

E. HALL WIGHT, F.S.A.A., 150 Hope Street, Glasgow. ROBERT BARR, Solicitor, 138 West Regent Street, Glasgow.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

THE Firm of LIETKE & COMPANY, Ship and Insurance Brokers, Steamship Agents, and Commission Merchants, 109 Hope Street, Glasgow, and 32 Cathcart Street, Greenock, of which Firm the Subscribers Robert Alexander Wilson, Edward George Lietke, and William Jaffray Blair were the sole Partners, was DISSOLVED by mutual consent on the thirty-first day of March 1919, by the retiral therefrom of the Subscriber William Jaffray Blair. The Subscribers Robert Alexander Wilson and Edward George Lietke, who have acquired and are now

The Subscribers Robert Alexander Wilson and Edward George Lietke, who have acquired and are now in right of the whole assets of said Firm, shall continue to carry on business as Ship and Insurance Brokers, Steamship Agents, and Commission Merchants, under the Firm name of LIETKE & COMPANY, at 109 Hope Street, Glasgow, and 32 Cathcart Street, Greenock, and are authorised to collect all debts due to, and shall pay all debts due by, the dissolved Firm as at the date of dissolution.

R. A. WILSON. EDW. G. LIETKE.

WM. J. BLAIR.

Witnesses to the Signatures of the said Robert Alexander Wilson, Edward George Lietke, and William Jaffray Blair---

W. GORDON SHAW, Writer, 97 Wellington Street, Glasgow.

MINA W. KAY, Typist, 97 Wellington Street, Glasgow.

Glasgow, 1st July 1919.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

- Arthur John Slinn, 14 New Burlington Street, formerly residing at 27 Duke Street, both in the county of London.
- Abraham Longdale Whittaker, 3 Hare Court, Temple, and 55 Whitehall, London, barrister-at-law.
- William B. Morgan (trading as J. Morgan & Son), 95 Great Moor Street, and 56-60 Howell Croft, Bolton, glass merchant.
- John Anderton, Sheriff Farm, Gilstead, Bingley, Yorkshire, farmer.
- Alfred Edward Cannon, Holme House, Esher, Surrey, bookmaker.

THE Firm of GEORGE MORTON & CO., Accountants and Stockbrokers, forty-one Saint Vincent Place, Glasgow, of which the Subscribers George Morton, William Merry Smith, and William Wilson Morton were the only Partners, was DIS-SOLVED on thirtieth June nineteen hundred and nineteen, by the retiral therefrom of the Subscriber George Morton.

The Subscribers William Merry Smith and William Wilson Morton, along with the Subscribers George Cowan M'Vie and William Fleming Gall, Accountants and Stockbrokers in Glasgow, who have been assumed as Partners, will continue the Business under the present Firm name in the same premises on their own account, and will collect all the assets and discharge all the liabilities of the dissolved Firm.

GEO. MORTON.

WM. M. SMITH.

W. W. MORTON.

GEO. C. M'VIE.

W. F. GALL.

Witnesses to the Signatures of the said George Morton, William Merry Smith, William Wilson Morton, George Cowan M'Vie, and William Fleming Gall—

- WARREN CROSBIE, 30 George Square, Glasgow, Solicitor, F. C. CAMERON, 41 St. Vincent Place,
- F. C. CAMERON, 41 St. Vincent Place, Glasgow, Clerk.

Glasgow, 2nd July 1919.

- Benjamin Owen Ledbury, The Old Post Office, Burrow's Road, in the county borough of Swansea, carrying on business at Imperial Chambers, Caer Street, Swansea, aforesaid, and lately residing at 25 Trafalgar Terrace, Swansea aforesaid, insulating engineer.
- The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the Edinburgh Gazette of the 23rd May 1919 :--
- Samuel James Holloway, formerly the Green Man, Ringmer, in the county of Sussex, but now Fernleigh, Summerheath Road, Hailsham, in the said county, formerly licensed victualler, present occupation unknown.

ADJUDICATION ANNULLED.

George Searle, 45 Magdalen Road, Mount Radford, Exeter, tobacconist, newsagent, stationer, and fancy goods dealer.

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