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THURSDAY, 1 JUNE, 1916.

By THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

RELATING TO THE IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN ARTICLES INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM.

GEORGE R.I.

WHEREAS by Section forty-three of the Customs Consolidation Act, 1876, it is provided that the importation of arms, ammunition, gunpowder, or any other goods may be prohibited by Proclamation:

And whereas by various Proclamations entitled Prohibition of Import Proclamations the importation of certain goods has been prohibited accordingly:

And whereas it is expedient that the importation into the United Kingdom of certain other goods should be prohibited, and the existing prohibition imposed on the importation of certain goods removed:

Now, therefore, We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, in pursuance of the said Act and of all other powers enabling Us in that

behalf, do hereby proclaim, direct and ordain as follows:—

(1) As from and after the Eighth day of June, 1916, subject as hereinafter provided, the importation into the United Kingdom of the following goods is hereby prohibited, viz.:—

Aluminium, manufactures of.

Baths of metal.

Beer.

Carpet sweepers.

Cash registers.

Hops.

Lawn mowers.

Leather, manufactures of, other than belting, boots and shoes, and gloves.

Matches.

Sewing machines.

Stoves and ranges.

Toilet articles containing glycerine.

Wringers and mangles.

Provided always, and it is hereby declared, that this prohibition shall not apply to any such goods which are imported under licence given by or on behalf of the Board of Trade, and subject to the provisions and conditions of such licence.

(2) As from and after the date hereof the prohibition imposed by the Prohibition of Import (No. 5) Proclamation, 1916, on the importation of the following goods shall be removed and the said Proclamation amended accordingly, viz.:—

Starch, dextrine, farina and potato flour. This Proclamation may be cited as the Prohibition of Import (No. 6) Proclamation, 1916.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this First day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and in the seventh year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 1st day of June, 1916.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council, dated the twenty-eighth day of November nineteen hundred and fourteen, His Majesty was pleased to make Regulations (called the "Defence of the Realm (Consolidation) Regulations, 1914") under the Defence of the Realm Consolidation Act, 1914, for securing the public safety and the defence of the realm:

And whereas the said Act has been amended by the Defence of the Realm (Amendment) Act, 1915, the Defence of the Realm (Amendment) (No. 2) Act, 1915, and the Munitions of War Act, 1915:

And whereas the said Regulations have been amended by various subsequent Orders in Council:

And whereas it is expedient further to amend the said Regulations in manner hereinafter appearing:

Now, THEREFORE, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the following amendments be made in the said Regulations:

- 1. After Regulation 15 the following Regulation shall be inserted:—
 - "15A. Every person who uses or keeps motor spirit, whether for the purpose of supplying motive power to motor-cars or for any other purpose, shall supply such information in relation to the motor spirit used or kept by him, and the purposes for which and the manner in which it is used or kept by him, as the Board of Trade may by any general or special order require, giving such particulars in such form and at such times as the Board of Trade may by order direct; and if any person fails to comply with this Regulation, or with any order made by the Board of Trade thereunder, or knowingly gives any false information, he shall be guilty of a summary offence against these Regulations.
 - "For the purposes of this Regulation, motor spirit, has the same meaning as in

- section eighty-four of the Finance (1909-10) Act, 1910."
- 2. After Regulation 39 the following Regulation shall be inserted:—
 - "39B. No person in the employment of a general lighthouse authority, and no person in the employment of a pilotage authority as master or member of the crew of any vessel belonging to the authority, shall, without the consent of the authority, leave his employment before the expiration of six months after he has given to the authority notice in writing to determine his employment, and every such person shall, so long as he continues in the employment of a general lighthouse authority, or in the employment of a pilotage authority as master or member of the crew of a vessel belonging to the authority, obey all lawful orders that may be given to him by or on behalf of the authority.
 - "A person shall not give or offer to give employment to any person who is, or has within the last previous six weeks been, in the employment of a general lighthouse authority or in the employment of a pilotage authority as master or member of the crew of a vessel belonging to the authority, unless such last-mentioned person holds a certificate from the authority that he left his employment under that authority with the consent of that authority, or after having given such notice as aforesaid.
 - "If any person so employed feels aggrieved by the refusal of the authority to consent to his leaving their employment before the expiration of six months from the time when he gave notice, or to grant him such a certificate as aforesaid, he may appeal, if employed by a general lighthouse authority, to the Board of Trade, and if employed by a pilotage authority to the Admiralty, whose decision shall be final.
 - "If any person contravenes any of the provisions of this Regulation he shall be guilty of a summary offence against these Regulations."
- 3. After Regulation 45 the following Regulation shall be inserted:—
 - "45A. If any person alters or tampers with any certificate of exemption from military service granted otherwise than under the Military Service Acts, 1916, or personates or falsely represents himself to be a person to whom such a certificate has been granted, or improperly allows any other person to have possession of any such certificate issued for his use alone, or makes any false statement or false representation for the purpose of obtaining such a certificate for himself or any other person, or for the purpose of obtaining the renewal, variation, or withdrawal of any such certificate, he shall be guilty of a summary offence against these Regulations."
- 4. In Regulation 56A, for the words "unless the jury find that the offence was committed with the intention of assisting the enemy," there shall be substituted the words "unless the offender has pleaded guilty to committing the offence with the intention of assisting the enemy, or the jury find that the offence was committed with such intention."

Almeric FitzRoy.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 1st day of June, 1916.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HEREAS under the Defence of the Realm (Amendment) (No. 3) Act, 1915, His Majesty has power, by Order in Council, to define any area wherein it appears to His Majesty on the grounds specified in the said Act to be expedient for the purpose of the successful prosecution of the present war that the sale and supply of intoxicating liquor should be controlled by the State, and to apply to such area so defined the Regulations issued by His Majesty in pursuance of the said Act, under the Defence of the Realm Consolidation Act, 1914:

And whereas His Majesty in Council, in pursuance of the said first-mentioned Act, has issued the Defence of the Realm (Liquor Control) Regulations, 1915, under the said last-mentioned Act:

And whereas it appears to His Majesty that it is expedient for the purpose of the successful prosecution of the present war that the sale and supply of intoxicating liquor in the area defined and specified in the Schedule hereto should be controlled by the State, on the grounds that men belonging to His Majesty's naval and military forces are assembled therein:

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

The Defence of the Realm (Liquor Control) Regulations, 1915, and any Regulations amending the same shall be, and are hereby, applied to the area defined and specified in the Schedule hereto.

Almeric FitzRoy.

SCHEDULE.

Scotland (North Coast) Area, being the area comprising the counties of Caithness and Sutherland, including all burghs within the geographical limits thereof.