

To be tempy. Sub-Lieut.—
 Frank G. Harmer.
 John H. Baum.
 28th Feb. 1917.

R.N.V.R.

To be tempy. Lieuts.—
 Alexander W. Smith. 21st Jan. 1917.
 Cecil R. Oliver.
 Llewellyn Lanchester.
 28th Feb. 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieut.—
 Alfred E. Taylor. 28th Feb. 1917.

Admiralty, 1st March, 1917.

R.N.R.

To be tempy. Lieuts.—
 Philip T. Alexander. 16th Feb. 1917.
 John McKelvey. 20th Feb. 1917.
 Frank Dudley.
 Francis Ellis.
 William P. Meldrum.
 1st Mar. 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.—
 Edward Bell.
 Henry Lamb.
 Edward B. Smallman.
 1st Mar. 1917.

To be tempy. Asst. Payrs.—
 George E. Henderson.
 Thomas H. Rimmer.
 William K. B. Stephens.
 Robert E. W. Sutton.
 1st Mar. 1917.

Tempy. Sub-Lieut. to be tempy. Lieut.—
 Alexander Allan. 14th Jan. 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieut.—
 Henry S. Barnes. 20th Feb. 1917.

To be tempy. Asst. Payrs.—
 William V. Gray. 26th Feb. 1917.
 Kenneth E. Baker. 27th Feb. 1917.

R.N.V.R.

To be tempy. Lieuts.—
 Tom N. Chambers.
 Gerald Dodson.
 1st Mar. 1917.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.—
 Hugh S. Watson.
 Hutton R. Laidlaw.
 Robert A. Ross.
 Alfred H. Horsfield.
 1st Mar. 1917.

To be tempy. Asst. Payrs.—
 Arthur C. C. Beach. 26th Feb. 1917.
 David T. Williams. 27th Feb. 1917.

*War Office,
 27th February, 1917.*

ARMY COUNCIL ORDER.

DEFENCE OF THE REALM REGULATIONS.

REGULATION OF THE SALE OF HAY AND OAT AND WHEAT STRAW IN GREAT BRITAIN.

Whereas by Order of the 5th November, 1916, the Army Council in pursuance of the

powers conferred on them by the Defence of the Realm (Consolidation) Regulations, 1914-1916, did regulate the price of hay and oat and wheat straw in Great Britain and Ireland and the Isle of Man.

And whereas it is desired to amend the said Order of the 5th November, 1916, in so far as it relates to Great Britain.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the powers conferred on them by the Defence of the Realm Regulations and all other powers thereunto enabling them, the Army Council hereby cancel so much of the said Order of the 5th November, 1916, as relates to the sale of hay and oat and wheat straw in Great Britain, and hereby order:—

That on any sale of hay or oat straw or wheat straw in Great Britain, the price shall not exceed such prices as are set out in the Schedules hereunder:—

SCHEDULE 1.

Maximum prices per ton which a Producer may not exceed:—

	Hay.			Oat Straw.			Wheat Straw.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
England ...	5	10	0	3	0	0	2	10	0
Scotland ...	5	2	6	2	15	0	2	10	0

The above prices are deemed to include the price of carting to nearest Railway Station, but not the cost of cutting, trussing, tying or baling, or chaffing or chopping.

SCHEDULE 2.

The maximum prices per ton which a Dealer or Distributor may not exceed for quantities of 10 cwt. or over:—

	Hay.			Oat Straw.			Wheat Straw.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
England ...	7	10	0	4	10	0	4	0	0
Scotland ...	7	2	6	4	5	0	4	0	0

The above prices are deemed to include all costs and charges whatsoever for hay and straw delivered on to the Purchaser's premises.

SCHEDULE 3.

Maximum prices per stone which a Dealer or Distributor may not exceed for quantities of less than 10 cwt.:—

	Hay.		Oat Straw.		Wheat Straw.	
	£	s.	£	s.	£	s.
England ...	1s.		7½d.		6¾d.	
Scotland ...	11½d.		7½d.		6¾d.	

The above prices shall include delivery on to the purchaser's premises.

Nothing in this Order shall affect the Orders already made prohibiting the lifting of hay and straw except under licence, dated 31st March, 1916, 30th June, 1916, and 14th September, 1916, or the Order of the 5th November, 1916, in so far as it relates to the sale of hay, oat and wheat straw in Ireland and the Isle of Man.

By Order of the Army Council,
R. H. Brade.

*War Office,
 2nd March, 1917.*

REGULAR FORCES.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned appts. are made:—

PERSONAL STAFF.

A.D.C.—Lt. E. H. Muir-Smith, R.A., T.F., and to be secd., vice temp. Lt. E. P. Douglas-Irvine, Gen. List. 13th July 1916.