

(1) No Kips or Calf Skins taken off in Great Britain shall be bought by or on behalf of any person without a permit issued by or on behalf of the Director of Raw Materials, or at prices other than those set out in the Schedule hereto annexed, or at such other prices as in any particular case shall be authorized by or on behalf of the Director of Raw Materials.

(2) No Leather to be produced from Kips or Calf Skins taken off in Great Britain shall be bought by or on behalf of any person without a permit issued by or on behalf of the Director of Raw Materials, or at prices other than those which may be authorized in any particular case by or on behalf of the Director of Raw Materials.

(3) All persons concerned shall furnish such particulars as to their purchases or sales of, or dealings in, such Kips or Skins or Leather produced therefrom as may be required by or on behalf of the Director of Raw Materials.

(4) All persons to whom any permit may be issued by or on behalf of the Director of Raw Materials are required to comply strictly with any conditions that may be imposed by the said permit. It shall be the duty of all parties to any of the transactions herein referred to to require or disclose as the case may be all such information as may be required by such parties as aforesaid or by the Director of Raw Materials for the purpose of satisfying them or him that the provisions of this Order have not been contravened.

(5) Any persons failing to comply with any provision hereof, or with any requirement or direction made or given hereunder, or with any condition of any permit herein referred to, or having control of any such Leather as aforesaid, without the consent of the Army Council sells, removes or secretes it, or deals with it in any way contrary to any condition imposed in any Licence, Permit or Order that may have been granted in respect thereof, shall be guilty of an offence against the said Regulations.

(6) This Order may be cited as the Kips and Calf Skins (Great Britain) Order, 1918.

By Order of the Army Council.

*E. H. Brade.*

SCHEDULE.

KIPS.

Firsts	-	9½d.	per lb. fresh weights.
Seconds	-	8d.	" " "
Thirds	-	6½d.	" " "

A fair allowance to be made for loss in weight if salted.

These prices are the maxima to be paid by Tanners for Kips properly trimmed according to the usual Market custom.

CALF SKINS.

VEAL CALF SKINS.

25 lbs. and over.

Heads on	-	10d.	per lb. fresh weights.
Without Heads	-	11½d.	" " "

17-24 lbs.

Heads on	-	12d.	per lb. fresh weights.
Without Heads	-	13½d.	" " "

16 lbs. and under.

Heads on	-	15d.	per lb. fresh weights.
Without Heads	-	17d.	" " "

CUT AND CASUALTY CALF SKINS.

All weights.

Heads on	-	10d.	per lb. fresh weights.
Without Heads	-	11d.	" " "

These prices are the maxima to be paid by Tanners for Skins trimmed with short shanks and weighed out in bulk.

In the case of Skins weighed out separately, 1d. per lb. may be added to the above prices.

A fair allowance to be made for loss in weight if salted.

*Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York and of the City and County of the City of York.*

Lieut.-Colonel Henry Holdsworth Wayman, Halifax,

Robert Geoffrey Ellis, Esq., Longwood, Moortown, Leeds,

Charles Lupton, Esq., Carr Head, Roundhay, Leeds,

to be Deputy Lieutenants for the West Riding of Yorkshire.

Dated the 25th day of May, 1918.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Durham.*

Lieut.-Colonel William Cuthbert Blackett, T.D., of Acorn Close, Sacriston, in the County of Durham, to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Dated 3rd June, 1918.

War Office,

5th June, 1918.

ARMY COUNCIL ORDER.

DRUGS FOR THE TROOPS.

Whereas by an Order dated the 11th day of May, 1916, the Army Council, under the powers conferred upon them by the Defence of the Realm Regulations, prohibited the sale or supply of certain drugs to or for any member of His Majesty's Forces except subject to certain conditions. Now the Army Council, in pursuance of the said powers and all other powers them thereunto enabling, hereby revoke the said Order of the 11th day of May, 1916, and Order as follows:—

No person shall sell, give, procure, or supply or offer to sell, give, procure, or supply any of the drugs specified in the Schedule to this Order (hereinafter called the drug) to any member of His Majesty's Forces not being a registered medical practitioner or registered dentist or registered veterinary surgeon except in accordance with the following conditions:—

(a) The drug must be supplied on and in accordance with a written prescription of a registered medical practitioner or registered dentist or registered veterinary surgeon, and dispensed by a person legally authorised to dispense such prescription.

(b) The prescription must be dated and signed by the registered medical practitioner