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The following is substituted for the notice which appeared in the London Gazette of the 20th August, 1918, page 9700:---

Asst. Principals on probation confirmed Asst. Principals:----

Miss Ellen G. Harrison. 15th July 1918. Miss Olive M. Deacon. Miss Barbara Drummond. Miss Frances M. Emerton. Miss Violet K. Fletcher. Mrs. Clara Heron. Miss Mary K. Hume. Miss Isabella F. Lee. Mrs. Helen A. Mackenzie. Miss Margaret M. Hugh-Smith. Miss Susanna J. Tyler. Miss Alice M. Willes. 20th July 1918.

Admiralty, 11th September, 1918.

Tempy. Engr. Sub-Lieut. to be temp. Engr. Lieut. :---

Charles P. Lee. 10th Sept. 1918.

R.N.R.

To be tempy. Lieut. :---Frank H. Davies. 11th Sept. 1918.

R.N.V.R.

Temp. Sub-Lieut. Leonard Farmborough, who has been invalided on account of ill-health contracted in the service, to retain his rank.

To be tempy. Lieuts.:--Frank C. Thorn. 10th Sept. 1918. Fredk. M. Hall. Arthur W. Lavy. Thomas Milliken. 11th Sept. 1918.

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Tempy. Sub-Lieuts. to be tempy. Lieuts. :-Clarence Kerridge. 19th Aug. 1918. George L. Morris. Arthur T. Cuss. 10th Sept. 1918.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.:---George W. Cooling. 9th Sept. 1918.

Herbert Carroll Aspinall. Reginald Leonard Arnold. Guy S. Callendar. Sydney Halder. Michael M. Marshall. 11th Sept. 1918.

> War Office, 7th September, 1918.

ARMY COUNCIL ORDER.

THE WOOLLEN AND WORSTED (CONSOLIDATION) AMENDMENT No. 3 ORDER, 1918.

Whereas by the Woollen and Worsted (Consolidation) Order, 1917, as amended by Orders made by the Army Council on the 23rd day of March, 17th day of May, and 2nd day of August, 1918, the Army Council regulated upon certain conditions the production of goods of which Wool or any derivative thereof, or Mohair, Alpaca, Cashmere, or Camel-hair is a constituent part.

And whereas it is expedient that the said Order should be amended:

Now, therefore, the Army Council, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by the Defence of the Realm Regulations, hereby order that the Woollen and Worsted (Consolidation) Order, 1917, shall be amended as follows:---

(1) In Clause 4 the word "Noils" shall be inserted after the word "Tops."

(2) The following Clause shall be inserted next following after Clause 6:---

"(7) No person, the business carried on by whom consists wholly or partly in the production of goods of which wool or any derivative thereof or Mohair, Alpaca, Cashmere, or Camel-hair is a constituent part shall, except under permit issued by or on behalf of the Director of Wool Textile Production, put into manufacture at any time after the 30th day of November, 1918, any Noils made from Merino, British or Colonial, Crossbred or Persian Wools, otherwise than for any purpose referred to in Clause 3 hereof."

And the said Order may be printed with the remaining Clauses of the said Order numbered consecutively from Clause 8 to Clause 23 respectively.

(3) The following clauses shall be inserted next following after Clause 8 of Schedule "A" annexed to the said Order.

"(9) The basis of distribution as between individual manufacturers of wool felt hats shall be the consumption for civil orders in 1916 and the average number of forming cards effecting such consumption. The requirements of machinery engaged on Government work in each period shall be deducted."

"(10) The basis of distribution as between individual manufacturers of felt other than that required for wool felt hats shall be the consumption for civil orders in 1916 and the average number of inches in the carding sets effecting such consumption. The requirements of machinery engaged on Government work in each period shall be deducted."

(4) The following Clause shall be inserted next following after Sub-Section (d) of Clause 13 of the said Schedule:—

"(e) Export Yarn Rationing Certificates for hand-knitting and mending yarns will in the majority of cases be issued to spinners only. Any merchants exporting such yarns will obtain the number of the Export Yarn Rationing Certificates from the Spinner and will quote such number in his application for an export licence. Delivery certificates and monthly returns of deliveries will not be required from merchants in respect of handknitting and mending yarns."

"Application for Export Yarn Rationing Certificates will only be made by the merchant when the yarn is already in his stock or when it is obtained from a spinner who holds no export yarn rationing certificate for the particular destination."

(5) The following words shall be added to