

Tempy. Eng. Sub-Lieut. to be tempy. Engr. Lieut.—

William H. Reynolds. 12th Sept. 1918.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.—

Arthur H. Vincent. 31st Aug. 1918.

Alexander McNeill. 16th Sept. 1918.

R.N.V.R.

Tempy. Sub-Lieut. Percival Batchelor, who has been invalided on account of ill-health contracted in the service, to retain his rank.

Tempy. Sub-Lieuts to be tempy. Lieuts.—

Thomas Hogg. 27th June 1918.

Sidney R. Bew. 8th Aug. 1918.

Thomas St. H. Eaddy. 9th Aug. 1918.

Bertie Kerwell. 9th Aug. 1918.

Loudoun B. Maule. 20th Aug. 1918.

James R. Davies. 27th Aug. 1918.

David M. Williams. 3rd Sept. 1918.

Douglas Wallace. 3rd Sept. 1918.

Harold E. Forster. 4th Sept. 1918.

Richard H. Rowley. 3rd Sept. 1918.

Tempy. actg. Lieut. to be tempy. Lieut.—

Thomas E. Hughes. 31st Aug. 1918.

Admiralty, 21st September, 1918.

Placed on the Ret'd List. Physically unfit—
Lieut.-Comdr. Joseph D. Ellaby. 10th Sept. 1918.

R.N.R.

To be tempy. Asst. Payrs.—

James A. More.

Herbert H. Bowen.

Gerald C. Caton.

21st Sept. 1918.

R.N.V.R.

To be tempy. Lieut.—

John V. Thomas. 21st Sept. 1918.

Tempy. Sub-Lieut. to be tempy. Lieut.—

Richard O. Richards. 21st Sept. 1918.

To be tempy. Sub-Lieuts.—

Cecil A. Gay.

Samuel A. Bellis.

21st Sept. 1918.

*War Office,
19th September, 1918.*

ARMY COUNCIL ORDER.

**WAR TIME BOOTS (MANUFACTURE AND SALE)
ORDER, 1918.**

Whereas it appears to the Army Council that certain regulations should be made respecting the manufacture and sale of boots and shoes for other than Naval and Military purposes;

And whereas by Regulation 2J of the Defence of the Realm Regulations it is provided that the Board of Trade shall have the like powers as are given to the Food Controller under Regulations 2B, 2F to 2J inclusive and 7 as respects any article of commerce not being an article of food where it appears to the Board necessary or expedient to exercise any of those powers for the purpose of encouraging, maintaining or regulating the supply of any such article which is required by the public or by any section of the public;

And whereas such powers include the power to make arrangements with any Government

Department for the exercise by that Department of the powers of the Board of Trade;

And whereas it appears to the Board of Trade necessary and expedient for the purpose of encouraging, maintaining and regulating the supply of boots and shoes which may be required by the public or any section of the public that certain regulations should be made respecting the manufacture and sale of boots and shoes for other than Naval and Military purposes;

And whereas the Board of Trade have made arrangements with the Army Council for the exercise by the Council on behalf of the Board of Trade of the powers of the Board of Trade under the said regulations with respect to boots and shoes;

Now therefore in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by the Defence of the Realm Regulations and of every other power enabling them in that behalf, the Army Council do hereby order as follows:—

1. It shall be the duty of all manufacturers of boots or shoes to comply strictly with any directions that may be given from time to time by or on behalf of the Director of Raw Materials, with a view to the production of War Time Boots or Shoes, notwithstanding any agreements that may have been entered into by such manufacturers prior to the date of any such directions.

2. No manufacturer of boots or shoes shall without a permit issued by or on behalf of the Director of Raw Materials manufacture or cause to be manufactured any War Time Boots or Shoes.

3. No manufacturer of boots or shoes shall manufacture or cause to be manufactured any War Time Boots or Shoes otherwise than to such specification as may be approved by or on behalf of the Director of Raw Materials.

4. It shall be the duty of all manufacturers of boots or shoes engaged in the manufacture of War Time Boots or Shoes to cause to be stamped upon the inside of the upper of each boot or shoe the registered identification number of the manufacturer thereof, and upon the sole of each boot or shoe the price approved by or on behalf of the Director of Raw Materials as the retail sale price in the case of each description of boots or shoes respectively together with the words "War Time."

5. It shall be the duty of all manufacturers of boots or shoes to give priority over all other work except work under or in connection with any Government contract or order to any order for War Time Boots and Shoes.

6. No manufacturer of boots or shoes shall sell any War Time Boots or Shoes at any price other than the price approved by or on behalf of the Director of Raw Materials as the manufacturers' sale price in the case of each description of boots or shoes, provided that discounts of 5 per cent. for cash payment within thirty days or 6½ per cent. for cash payment within seven days next following the date of the despatch of the goods shall be allowed on orders accepted for quantities of three dozen pairs of men's boots manufactured in accordance with one specification or four dozen pairs women's, girls', youths', or children's boots manufactured in accordance with one specification, and provided that discount of 1½ per cent. for cash payment within thirty days shall be allowed on orders accepted for quantities less than these.

7. It shall be the duty of all manufacturers of boots or shoes engaged in the manufacture