

War Office,
1st October, 1918.

NOTICE.

With reference to the Order made by the Army Council on the 16th day of June, 1916, applying Defence of the Realm Regulation 30A to Arms and Ammunition specified therein, the Army Council give notice that they hereby permit all persons to

- (a) buy, sell, or deal in; or
- (b) offer or invite an offer or propose to buy, sell or deal in; or
- (c) enter into negotiations for the sale or purchase of or other dealing in Detonators within Great Britain,

The Army Council desire to call attention to the fact that applications for a permit to deal in detonators involving communication outside Great Britain should be addressed as heretofore, to the Secretary, M.I.6D, War Office, S.W. 1.

War Office,
27th September, 1918.

ARMY COUNCIL ORDER.

THE IMPORTED FLAX (DEALINGS) ORDER, 1918.

In pursuance of the powers conferred on them by the Defence of the Realm Regulations the Army Council hereby order as follows:—

1. No person shall purchase or offer to purchase any Dutch Flax or Tow to be imported into the United Kingdom after the date hereof.
2. Save as provided in Clause 1 and in the Russian Flax and Tow No. 1 Order, 1916, the Russian Flax and Tow No. 2 Order, 1916, and the Russian Flax and Tow (Control) Notice, 1917, it shall be lawful for any person not being a consumer of Flax to purchase or offer to purchase any Flax or Tow to be imported into the United Kingdom after the date hereof, provided further that it shall be lawful for any consumer of Flax to purchase any Flax or Tow of the description subject to a permit issued by or on behalf of the Flax Control Board.
3. No person shall without a permit issued by or on behalf of the Flax Control Board sell any Flax or Tow imported or to be imported into the United Kingdom.
4. The Orders indicated in the Schedule hereto annexed are hereby repealed.
5. This Order may be cited as the Imported Flax (Dealings) Order, 1918.

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

SCHEDULE.

- The Linen Yarns (Control) Notice, 1916.
- The Linen Yarns (Control) Amendment Notice, 1917.
- The Courtrai Flax (Control) Notice, 1917.
- The Linen Yarns (Spinning) Order, 1917.

Air Ministry,
1st October, 1918.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

The undermentioned temporary appointments are made at the Air Ministry:—

Deputy Director.

Lt.-Col. (temp. Col.) R. J. Armes, and to retain his temp. rank whilst so empld. 22nd Aug. 1918.

Staff Officer, 1st Class.

Col. R. W. Glennie, C.M.G. 15th Aug. 1918.

The undermentioned temporary appointments are made:—

Staff Officer, 1st Class.

Lt.-Col. F. H. Cleaver, D.S.O. 18th June 1918.

Staff Officer, 2nd Class.

(P.)

J. S. Ruttle (Lt., actg. Capt., attd. E. Kent R.) is granted a temp. commn. as Lt., and to be temp. Maj. whilst so empld. 6th July 1918.

Staff Officers, 3rd Class.

And to be temp. Capts. whilst so empld. if not already holding that rank:—

(P.)

Capt. P. P. C. Penberthy. 15th July 1918.

2nd Lt. (temp. Capt.) F. Waldron. 14th June 1918 to 15th July 1918.

(Q.)

Lt. G. S. Steel. 24th June 1918.

Staff Officer, 4th Class (1st Grade).

2nd Lt. B. Rooke-Cowell, and to be temp. Capt. whilst so empld. 9th Sept. 1918.

FLYING BRANCH.

Capt. J. G. Struthers, D.S.C., to be temp. Maj. whilst empld. as Maj. (Dir.). 19th Sept. 1918.

Lt. G. F. Knight to be temp. Capt. whilst empld. as Capt. (A.). 1st Aug. 1918, with seniority from 1st Aug. 1917. (Substituted for notification in the Gazette 16th Aug. 1918).

The undermentioned Lts. to be temp. Capts. whilst empld. as Capts. (A.):—

1st Aug. 1918.

L. D. Brown.

E. F. Haylock.

J. V. Turner. 9th Aug. 1918.

1st Sept. 1918.

R. D. Best.

P. H. Davy.

S. D. Withers.

16th Sept. 1918.

J. E. H. Dakin.

P. M. McSwiny.

17th Sept. 1918.

N. B. Scott.

M. G. W. Stewart.

G. J. Strange.

F. T. Woods. 19th Sept. 1918.

G. J. Farmer. 22nd Sept. 1918.

The undermentioned Lts. (O.) to be Lts. (A.):—

H. Entwistle. 24th Aug. 1918.

E. G. Williams. 12th Sept. 1918.