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APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 76 of 1942.

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HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to order that the under-mentioned officers on probation in the Ceylon Naval Volunteer Force be confirmed in their ranks with seniority as indicated:—

Sub-Lieutenant KENNETH MAITLAND MARTINUS with seniority from December 14, 1941.

Sub-Lieutenant HARRY LAWRENCE HAIGH with seniority from December 23, 1941

By His Excellency's command,

Chief Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 20, 1942.

G. S. WODEMAN,  
Chief Secretary

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GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

L. D.—CF 26B/39

THE DEFENCE (PROHIBITION OF EXPORTS) REGULATIONS.

*Order.*

IN pursuance of the provisions of regulation 3 of the Defence (Prohibition of Exports) Regulations, I, Andrew Caldecott, Governor of Ceylon, do by this Order add to the First Schedule to those Regulations the following new item:—

“(6) Empty cigarette tins.”

Colombo, January 23, 1942.

A. CALDECOTT,  
Governor.

UNDER Regulation 2 of the Defence (Air Raid Precautions Services) Regulations, His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to constitute an Air Raid Precautions Service for the area within the administrative limits of the Galle Municipal Council and to appoint Mr. R. J. Mendis Controller thereof.

CF. D 936/42.

Chief Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, January 22, 1942.

G. S. WODEMAN,  
Chief Secretary.

L. D.—B 135/39.

THE FOOD CONTROL ORDINANCE.

*Order No. 2.*

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 4 (1) (a) of the Food Control Ordinance (Chapter 132), I, George Claude Stanley Corea, Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce, do by this Order prohibit the transport or removal of imported rice from the areas specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto, except under the authority of a permit issued by the person mentioned in the corresponding entry in the second column of that Schedule.

Colombo, January 22, 1942

G. C. S. COREA,  
Minister for Labour, Industry and Commerce.

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Column 1. Area.	Schedule.	Column 2. Person by whom Permit may be issued.
1. Jaffna District	..	Government Agent, Northern Province, Deputy Food Controller.
2. Trincomalee District	..	Assistant Government Agent, Trincomalee, Deputy Food Controller.

THE CONTROL OF PRICES ORDINANCE, No. 39 OF 1939.

RICE.

Order.

BY virtue of the powers vested in the Controller of Prices by section 3 of the Control of Prices Ordinance, No. 39 of 1939, I, Reginald Sydney Vernon Poulter, Controller of Prices, do by this Order—

- (i.) rescind with effect from this date my Orders dated December 16, 1941, and December 19, 1941, published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*, No. 8,832 of December 17, 1941, and No. 8,834 of December 20, 1941, respectively, in so far as they relate to the maximum prices fixed in respect of rice of the description named and specified in column 1 of the Schedule hereto;
- (ii.) fix the prices specified in columns 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9 of the Schedule hereto to be respectively the maximum c.i.f. price per bag, the maximum wholesale price per bag at the "Granaries", the maximum wholesale price per bushel at the "Granaries", the maximum wholesale price per bag outside the "Granaries" and within the Colombo Municipal area, the maximum wholesale price per bushel outside the "Granaries" and within the Colombo Municipal area, the maximum retail price per bag within the Colombo Municipal area, the maximum retail price per bushel within the Colombo Municipal area and the maximum retail price per measure within the Colombo Municipal area above which rice of the description and grade specified in the corresponding entry in column 1 of the Schedule hereto shall not be sold, provided that for any retail sale within the "Granaries" the maximum price per bag or bushel shall not exceed the maximum wholesale price at the "Granaries" per bag or per bushel as the case may be fixed by this Order;
- (iii.) direct that when rice of any description and grade mentioned in column 1 of the Schedule is sold by the bag (by wholesale or by retail) the maximum price fixed by this Order shall include the cost of the container in which such rice is sold;
- (iv.) direct that when rice of any description and grade mentioned in column 1 of the Schedule hereto is sold by the bushel (by wholesale or by retail) in quantities exceeding 2 bushels the maximum price fixed by this Order shall include the price of the container in which such rice is sold;
- (v.) direct that every trader who, at any premises within the Municipal limits of the town of Colombo, exposes for sale rice of any description and grade specified in column 1 of the Schedule hereto shall exhibit in a conspicuous position at those premises, a notice on which shall be set out the maximum prices fixed by this Order in respect of rice of that description and grade;
- (vi.) direct that no trader shall sell any rice of any description and grade mentioned in the Schedule hereto which is adulterated with any article or with rice of an inferior description and grade or quality;
- (vii.) direct that every trader who sells rice of any description and grade mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall give to the purchaser of that rice a receipt on which there shall be set out—
  - (1) the quantity, description and grade of rice sold;
  - (2) the price paid for the quantity of rice sold;
  - (3) the date of sale;
  - (4) the nature of the sale, that is to say, whether the sale was c.i.f., wholesale (other than c.i.f.) or retail; and
- (viii.) direct that for the purposes of this Order—
  - (a) any sale of any quantity of rice for the purpose of resale shall be deemed to be a sale by wholesale;
  - (b) any sale of any quantity of rice for the purpose of consumption or use shall be deemed to be a sale by retail;
  - (c) any sale (by wholesale) of any rice lying at the Customs end in the Colombo harbour, of the description and grade specified in column 1 of the Schedule hereto, before such rice is cleared through the Customs and delivery thereof granted by the Collector of Customs or person authorised by him, shall be deemed to be a c.i.f. sale;
  - (d) the maximum c.i.f. price shall apply to all c.i.f. sales except sales in fulfilment of a contract made prior to the date of this Order;
  - (e) the maximum wholesale price shall apply to all sales by wholesale within the areas specified except sales to which the maximum c.i.f. prices would apply;
  - (f) the maximum retail prices shall apply to all sales by retail within the areas specified except sales within the "Granaries";
  - (g) a bag of rice other than Broken Raw Rice shall contain not less than 77 measures by volume and 154 pounds of rice by weight;
  - (h) a bag of Broken Raw Rice shall contain not less than 115 measures by volume and 239 lb. of rice by weight;
  - (i) the "Granaries" shall mean the "Chalmers' Granaries" and the "Manning Market" in the town of Colombo; and
  - (j) measure shall be deemed to be the standard quart dry measure, equivalent to one thirty-second part of a bushel.

Signed at Colombo, at 10 A.M., January 24, 1942.

R. S. V. POULTER,  
Controller of Prices.

Column 1. Description and Grade.	Column 2. Maximum c.i.f. Price Per Bag.	Column 3. Maximum Wholesale Price Per Bag at the "Granaries".	Column 4. Maximum Wholesale Price Per Bushel at the "Granaries".	Column 5. Maximum Wholesale Price Per Bag Outside the "Granaries" and within the Colombo Municipal Area.	Column 6. Maximum Wholesale Price Per Bushel Outside the "Granaries" and within the Colombo Municipal Area.	Column 7. Maximum Retail Price Per Bag within the Colombo Municipal Area.	Column 8. Maximum Retail Price Per Bushel within the Colombo Municipal Area.	Column 9. Maximum Retail Price Per Measure within the Colombo Municipal Area.
	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
1. Rangoon Raw Extra	18 20	21 20	5 94	22 58	6 38	23 90	6 76	0 22
2. Rangoon Raw A 1	17 60	20 60	5 77	21 75	6 15	22 83	6 46	0 21
3. Karachchi Raw No. 1	17 0	20 0	5 61	20 98	5 92	21 69	6 10	0 20
4. Karachchi Raw No. 2	14 50	17 50	4 91	18 48	5 22	19 19	5 42	0 18
5. Milchard White No. 1	10 72	12 72	5 33	13 46	5 68	14 10	5 96	0 19
6. Milchard White No. 2	10 35	12 35	5 17	13 9	5 53	13 73	5 80	0 19
7. Milchard Red No. 1	10 10	12 10	5 7	12 84	5 42	13 47	5 69	0 19
8. Milchard Red No. 2	9 60	11 60	4 86	12 34	5 21	12 98	5 48	0 18
9. Milchard Red No. 3*	9 40	11 40	4 78	12 15	5 13	12 78	5 40	0 17
10. Milchard Full Boiled	9 22	11 22	4 70	11 96	5 6	12 57	5 31	0 17
11. Bassein	9 40	11 40	4 78	12 15	5 13	12 78	5 40	0 17
12. Muttusamba No. 1	—	15 25	6 38	15 96	6 72	16 64	7 1	0 22
13. Muttusamba No. 2	—	14 50	6 6	15 28	6 43	15 99	6 74	0 22
14. Kaivarai Samba	—	13 25	5 54	13 96	5 89	14 60	6 17	0 20

\* Red Milchard No. 3 is rice which is inferior in quality to Red Milchard No. 2 but superior to Milchard full boiled.

Note.—1. These prices do not constitute fixed prices at which the above must be sold. They are the MAXIMUM prices above which sales cannot take place.  
2. The retail price at the "Granaries" is the same as the wholesale price—vide (ii.) above.