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Additional Regulations under the War Regulations Act, 1914.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General:
 ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-fourth day of June, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by the War Regulations Act, 1914, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations under that Act; and doth hereby declare that the said regulations shall come into operation on the day following the publication thereof in the *Gazette*.

REGULATIONS.

1. EVERY person who trespasses on a guarded wharf shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable under the War Regulations Act, 1914, accordingly.
2. In these regulations "guarded wharf" means any wharf or part of a wharf the entrance to which from the landward side is guarded by an armed guard stationed there by a naval or military authority in pursuance of clause 8 of the regulations made on the 10th day of November, 1914, under the War Regulations Act, 1914.
3. For the purposes of these regulations every person shall be deemed to trespass on a guarded wharf who enters upon that wharf, whether from the seaward or the landward side, otherwise than in pursuance of a permit granted by a naval or military authority.
4. An officer or any such armed guard as aforesaid, or any person authorized for that purpose by a naval or military authority, may arrest

without warrant any person who is reasonably suspected of having committed or of being about to commit any breach of these regulations.

5. Nothing in these regulations shall make it an offence for the master or any member of the crew or any passenger of a ship lawfully lying at a guarded wharf to land upon that wharf from such ship.

6. It shall not be lawful for any person without the written permit of a naval or military authority to approach within fifty yards of a guarded wharf in any pleasure boat of any kind or size, or in any other boat, launch, or vessel of less than 15 tons gross register, not being an official naval, military, or Harbour Board craft.

7. These regulations shall be read together with and deemed part of the War Regulations of the 10th day of November, 1914.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Additional War Regulations providing for Compulsory National Service by Alien Enemies and other Persons of Alien Enemy Descent.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-fourth day of June, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twenty-five of the Finance Act, 1918, the Governor-General is authorized to make War Regulations for procuring, exacting, enforcing, controlling, and regulating national service, as defined in the said section, during the present war: And whereas it is expedient to make regulations accordingly with respect to services required to be rendered by alien enemies and persons of alien enemy descent as hereinafter provided:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by the War Regulations Act, 1914, and its amendments, and by section twenty-five of the Finance Act, 1918, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following War Regulations for the purposes aforesaid.

REGULATIONS.

1. THESE regulations may be cited as the Alien Service Regulations.

2. In these regulations—

“Commissioner” means the Commissioner appointed for the purposes of these regulations.

“Alien enemy” means and includes every person who is or has at any time been a subject of any State with which His Majesty is now at war, notwithstanding that such person may be also by birth, naturalization, or otherwise a British subject, or may have in any manner ceased to be a subject of any such State.

“Alien reservist” means, without in any manner restricting the foregoing definition of alien enemy, a person who, having been called up for service under the Military Service Act, 1916, and not having served beyond the seas with the New Zealand Expeditionary Force, has leave of absence from military service, and whose father is or at any time was a subject of any State with which His Majesty is now at war.

“Medical Officer” means any duly qualified medical practitioner named by the Commissioner in a requirement by the Commissioner under these regulations.

“National service” means any work or service in the employment of the Executive Government of New Zealand or of any local authority in connection with any road or railway construction or drainage works, or in the employment of the Executive Government aforesaid or of any private employer in connection with any pastoral or agricultural operations, and all such forms of service are hereby declared to be essential to the public welfare for the purposes of section 25 of the Finance Act, 1918.

3. The Minister of Defence may, by notice under his hand and gazette, appoint any person to be the Commissioner for the purposes of these regulations.

4. (1.) The Commissioner may from time to time, by notice under his hand, require any alien enemy or alien reservist to report himself, at any time and place to be specified in the notice, to such person as may be therein mentioned or designated, for the purpose of becoming employed in national service.

(2.) A notice under these regulations may be delivered personally or may be sent by registered letter addressed to the person to whom it relates at his last known place of residence.

5. (1.) Every person who receives a notice under these regulations commits an offence against these regulations, and shall be liable under the War Regulations Act, 1914, accordingly, if he—

(a.) Fails without reasonable grounds, the proof whereof shall be on him, to report himself as required by the notice; or

(b.) Having reported himself as required by the notice, fails or refuses to accept such employment in any national service as may be offered to him by or with the approval of the Commissioner on such terms and conditions as may, subject to the provisions of these regulations, be offered to him.

(2.) Every person employed in any national service under these regulations commits an offence who refuses or neglects to perform any work required of or undertaken by him in connection with such service, or fails to perform such work with due diligence, or leaves such work without the permission of the Commissioner or of his employer, or of some person acting with the authority of the Commissioner or his employer, or who assaults any person having direction or authority over him in the performance of his duties, or uses any threatening or abusive or insulting language to any such person.

6. (1.) Any person employed by the Executive Government of New Zealand or by any local authority in any national service under these regulations may, at the option of the person for the time being in charge of the works on which such person is employed, be employed either on piecework or at an hourly or daily or weekly rate of wages. The price for piecework shall be fixed by the person for the time being in charge of such works as aforesaid.

(2.) Where two or more persons are employed on piecework as aforesaid in respect of the same work they may be employed as co-operators on such co-operative system as may be approved by the person for the time being in charge of the works.

(3.) Subject to the foregoing provisions of this clause, every person employed in any national service pursuant to these regulations shall be paid therefor at a rate to be approved by the Commissioner, not exceeding in any case the rate for the time being current in the locality for the same or similar works.

7. (1.) Any person who claims that he is medically unfit to perform any work or service required of him pursuant to these regulations may be required by the Commissioner to submit himself for medical examination by a Medical Officer to be nominated by the Commissioner in that behalf.

(2.) Where such Medical Officer reports that such person is medically unfit at the time of the examination the Commissioner may at any later time or times, and from time to time, require such person to again submit himself for examination by the same or any other Medical Officer.

(3.) The report to the Commissioner by the Medical Officer shall be conclusive evidence of the medical fitness or unfitness of such person at the date of such report to perform the work or service required of him. The Medical Officer may report that such person is medically fit for other work or service, and in such case the Commissioner may substitute and require such other work or service in lieu of the work or service originally required.

(4.) Every person who, having been required as aforesaid to submit himself for medical examination, fails without reasonable grounds (the proof whereof shall lie on him) to comply with such requirement, or who knowingly misleads or attempts to mislead any Medical Officer in the course of such medical examination, commits an offence against these regulations, and shall be liable accordingly.

8. (1.) It shall be the duty of all alien enemies and alien reservists' and all persons employing any such alien enemy or alien reservist, to furnish to the Commissioner, at his request, all such particulars as he may from time to time require with respect to the names, places of residence, and occupations of such alien enemies and alien reservists, and also to inform the Commissioner of the termination of any contract for the employment of any such person.

(2.) Any person who fails to supply to the Commissioner any information required of him by the Commissioner pursuant to this regulation, or who knowingly supplies false or misleading information commits an offence against these regulations, and shall be liable accordingly.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Appointment of Commissioner under the Alien Service Regulations.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred on me by clause 3 of the Alien Service Regulations, I, James Allen, the Minister of Defence for the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

JOHN CULLEN, Esquire,

to be the Commissioner for the purposes of the said regulations.

Dated this 24th day of June, 1918.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Notice under Clause 2 of the Amending Coal Trade Regulations of 21st May, 1918.

IN pursuance of the power conferred on me by clause 2 of the amending Coal Trade Regulations of the 21st day of May, 1918, I hereby declare that the said regulations shall, as from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*, be in force in the Borough of Karori. This notice is in extension of the notice published under the said regulations in the *Gazette* of the 29th May, 1918.

Dated this 21st day of June, 1918.

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister in Charge of Coal Trade Regulations.

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