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War Regulations restricting the Business of Fellmongering by Licensees of Meat-export Slaughterhouses.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this seventeenth day of. September, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the twenty-fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and published in the *Gazette* of the same date, the sale of sheep-skins was prohibited except to the New Zealand Government for and on behalf of His Majesty's Government of the United Kingdom, or to licensed persons for resale to the New Zealand Government as aforesaid:

And whereas by section thirty-five of the War Legislation Act, 1917, it is enacted that the Governor-General in Council may, by regulations under the War Regulations Act, 1914, make such provisions as, having regard to the exigencies of the present war or the conditions created thereby, he thinks advisable for the maintenance, control, regulation, and management of any industry or business that may be regarded by him as essential for or affecting the public welfare:

And whereas fellmongering is, in the opinion of the Governor-General, an industry affecting the public welfare, and it is desirable, having regard to the exigencies of the present war in respect of the acquisition of sheep-skins for the service of His Majesty, to make the regulation hereinafter set forth restricting licensees of meat-export slaughterhouses from carrying on the business of fellmongering :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of that Dominion, and in pursuance of the powers conferred on him by section thirty-five of the War Legislation Act, 1917, 3307

doth hereby make the regulation hereinafter set forth, and declare that the said regulation shall come into operation on the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

SCHEDULE.

REGULATION.

IT shall not be lawful for the licensee of a meat-export slaughterhouse under the Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1908, without the consent of the Controller of the Department of Imperial Government Supplies, to receive any sheep-skins to be fellmongered by the licensee, whether on the premises of the meat-export slaughterhouse or elsewhere, or to fellmonger, whether on the said premises or elsewhere, any sheep-skins other than the skins of sheep slaughtered on the said premises.

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

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