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TITLE 3—THE PRESIDENT

EXECUTIVE ORDER 9847

LIQUIDATION OF THE SOLID FUELS ADMINISTRATION FOR WAR

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the statutes of the United States, including the last paragraph of Title I of the First Supplemental Surplus Appropriation Rescission Act, 1946, approved February 18, 1946 (60 Stat. 6, 13) and as President of the United States, it is hereby ordered, in the interest of the internal management of the Government, as follows:

1. Effective on the date of this order the authority of the Solid Fuels Administrator to exercise any power or function vested in him by the provisions of Executive Order No. 9332 of April 19, 1943, establishing the Solid Fuels Administration for War, is terminated.

2. Effective at the close of business on June 30, 1947, the Solid Fuels Administration for War is abolished, and Executive Order No. 9332 of April 19, 1943, is revoked.

3. The Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Solid Fuels Administration for War until its abolishment and thereafter through such agency or agencies of the Department of the Interior as he may designate, is authorized to wind up and liquidate the affairs of the Solid Fuels Administration for War as expeditiously as practicable and to utilize for such purposes, to the extent necessary, the personnel, property, records, and funds of the Solid Fuels Administration for War and such other funds as may be appropriated therefor.

4. All prior Executive orders in conflict with this order are amended accordingly.

HARRY S. TRUMAN

THE WHITE HOUSE,
May 6, 1947

[F. R. Doc. 47-4401; Filed, May 6, 1947; 4:57 p. m.]

TITLE 7—AGRICULTURE

Subtitle A—Office of the Secretary of Agriculture

PART 1—ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATIONS

DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO SELL CERTAIN LANDS IN JEFFERSON COUNTY, OREG.

The delegation of authority to the Administrator of the Farm Security Administration to sell certain lands in Jefferson County, Oregon, issued by the Secretary of Agriculture on the 13th day of May 1946 (11 F. R. 5211), is hereby superseded by the following:

Delegation of authority to the Administrator of the Farmers Home Administration to sell certain lands in Jefferson County, Oregon. Pursuant to sections 43 and 44, Title IV, of the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act as approved July 22, 1937 (50 Stat. 530; 7 U. S. C. 1017, 1018), which sections, insofar as they affect Title III of the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act (50 Stat. 525-526; 7 U. S. C. 1010-1013) are not amended by the Farmers Home Administration Act of 1946 (Public Law 731, 79th Congress; 60 Stat. 1062) it is hereby determined and ordered as follows:

(a) Sale of the hereinafter described lands, which are located within the Central Oregon Land Utilization Project and held by the United States under the supervision of the Secretary pursuant to Executive Order No. 7530, dated December 31, 1936, as amended by Executive Order No. 7557, dated February 19, 1937, and pursuant to Executive Order No. 7908, dated June 9, 1938, affects the program administered by the Soil Conservation Service in accordance with Title III of the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act. Any of said lands may, where found suitable for the purposes of Title I of the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act, be sold, and loans for the necessary improvement thereof may be made, to such individuals and upon such terms as shall be in accordance with Title I of the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act, as amended.

(b) The Administrator of the Farmers Home Administration is hereby

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vested with full authority and responsibility for consummating and administering such sales and loans consistent with the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act, as amended, including the authority to execute, on behalf of the United States, conveyances, contracts, and other instruments. Prior to execution of each conveyance hereunder, the lands to be conveyed shall be determined by the Administrator to be suitable for sale to the purchaser in furtherance of the purposes of Title I of the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act, as amended. Each sale shall be subject to reservation on behalf of the United States of all fissionable materials and not less than an undivided three-fourths of the interest of the United States in all coal, oil, gas, and other minerals in or under the real property involved. The Administrator of the Farmers Home Administration is authorized to formulate and issue such procedural instructions, consistent with this delegation, as he finds necessary to implement the provisions hereof relating to his powers and responsibilities hereunder.

(c) Upon conveyance of any part of the hereinafter described lands, the responsibilities of the Chief of the Soil Conservation Service respecting administration of the lands conveyed shall terminate. The Administrator of the Farmers Home Administration and the Chief of the Soil Conservation Service shall cooperate in the performance of their respective functions regarding all of the hereinafter described lands to insure the uninterrupted administration thereof.

(d) The Administrator of the Farmers Home Administration and the Chief of the Soil Conservation Service are hereby authorized to delegate any of their respective powers hereunder.

(e) This order shall take effect immediately with respect to the lands in Jefferson County, Oregon, described as follows:

T. 11 S., R. 14 E. W. M..	
Sec. 30:	Acres
NWNE—Only that part below canal.....	5.0
SWNE.....	40.0
NENW—Only that part below canal.....	11.9
SE NW.....	40.0

T. 11 S., R. 14 E. W. M.—Continued

Sec. 30—Continued	Acres
Lot 2	32.93
NESW	40.0
SESW	40.0
SWSE	40.0

T. 13 S., R. 12 E.

Sec. 2:	
NW SW	40.0
SW SW	40.0

Sec. 3:

Lot 1	37.28
Lot 2	37.28
SENE	40.0
SW NE	40.0
Lot 3	37.78
Lot 4	39.63
SENW	40.0
Lot 5	41.39
NE SW	40.0
NESE	40.0
NW SE	40.0
Lot 9	41.38
Lot 10	41.93

Sec. 11:

NENW	40.0
NW NW	40.0
SW NW	40.0
SENW	40.0
NENE	40.0
NW NE	40.0
SW NE	40.0
SENE	40.0
NW SE	40.0
SW SE	40.0
SESE	40.0
NESW	40.0

Sec. 12:

Lot 4—Only that part below canal	14.2
Lot 5—Only that part below canal	15.8
Lot 11—Only that part below canal	23.7
Lot 12	40.45
Lot 13	40.45
Lot 14	40.47
Lot 10—Only that part west of wasteway	8.0
Lot 15	8.2

Sec. 14:

Lot 1	33.99
Lot 2	40.42
Lot 3—Only that part east of Crooked River	Apr. 37.0
Lot 4	35.45

T. 13 S., R. 13 E.

Sec. 7:

Lot 4—Only that part between railroad and canal	2.0
SESW—Only that part between railroad and canal	22.6
SWSE—Only that part south of canal	24.7

Sec. 17:

NW SW—Only that part NE of railroad	4.0
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Sec. 18:

NW NE—Only that part NE of railroad	20.0
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Sec. 20:

NESW	40.0
NW SW—Only that part east of railroad	14.0
SWSW—Only that part east of railroad	20.0
SESW	40.0
NESE	40.0
NW SE	40.0
SW SE	40.0
SESE	40.0

Sec. 22:

NW SW—Only that part below canal	5.0
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Sec. 27:

NESW—Only that part below canal	25.8
NW SW	40.0

Sec. 28:

SENE	40.0
SW NE	40.0
NW NW	40.0

T. 13 S., R. 13 E.—Continued

Sec. 28—Continued	Acres
SW NW	40.0
SE NW	40.0
NE SE	40.0
NW SE	40.0
SW SE	40.0
SE SE—Less the east 440'	26.69
NE SW	40.0
NW SW	40.0
SWSW	40.0
SE SW	40.0

Sec. 29:

NENE	40.0
NW NE	40.0
SW NE	40.0
SENE	40.0

T. 12 S., R. 13 E:

Sec. 2:

NESE	40.0
SESE—Only that part below ditch	8.0
NW SE	40.0
SENE	40.0
SW NE	40.0
SENW	40.0
NESW	40.0
SESW	40.0

Sec. 11:

SW NE—Only that part below canal	13.5
NENW—Only that part below canal	10.6

Sec. 14:

SENE—Only that part below canal	3.3
NESE—Only that part below canal	10.0
NW SE—Only that part below canal	6.0

(Secs. 43, 44, 50 Stat. 530, 7 U. S. C. 1017, 1018; Pub. Law 731, 79th Cong., 60 Stat. 1062)

Issued this 2d day of May 1947.

[SEAL] N. E. DODD,
Acting Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 47-4349; Filed, May 7, 1947; 8:50 a. m.]

PART 7—PRICE DECONTROL AND RECONTROL

CERTIFICATION OF AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES NO LONGER IN SHORT SUPPLY

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942, as amended, and particularly by section 1A (e) (1) of said act as added by the Price Control Extension Act of 1946, I hereby certify to the Temporary Controls Administrator that modifications in the certification of commodities in short supply (§ 7.50 *Certification of agricultural commodities in short supply*) made on September 1, 1946, as amended (11 F. R. 9669, 11349, 13135, 14063; 12 F. R. 60, 825, 1475, 2215), should be, and the same hereby are, made as follows: The following commodities are determined to be no longer in short supply:

Milk and butterfat

(Pub. Law 548, 79th Congress, 2d sess.)

Done this 1st day of May 1947.

[SEAL] N. E. DODD,
Acting Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 47-4350; Filed, May 7, 1947; 8:50 a. m.]

TITLE 10—ARMY- WAR DEPARTMENT

Chapter II—Aircraft

PART 202—ASSISTANCE TO CIVIL AIRCRAFT AT CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES BASES

PART 203—ASSISTANCE OF FOREIGN REGISTRY AT CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES BASES

The headnote of Part 202, Chapter II, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations is amended to read as set forth above.

[AR 90-50, May 3, 1946, as amended by WD Cir 99, Apr. 17, 1947] (44 Stat. 571; 49 U. S. C. 175, 22 U. S. C. 259)

The headnote of Part 203, Chapter II, Title 10, Code of Federal Regulations is amended to read as set forth above.

[AR 90-55, July 13, 1942, as amended by WD Cir 99, Apr. 17, 1947] (44 Stat. 571, 53 Stat. 795; 49 U. S. C. 175, 22 U. S. C. 259)

[SEAL] EDWARD F. WITSELL,
Major General,
The Adjutant General.

[F. R. Doc. 47-4347; Filed, May 7, 1947; 8:50 a. m.]

Chapter VII—Personnel

PART 709—PRESCRIBED SERVICE UNIFORM

MISCELLANEOUS AMENDMENTS

Part 709 is amended as follows:

1. Paragraph (b) (4) of § 709.12 is revoked as follows:

- § 709.12 *Headgear.* * * *
- (b) *Cap service.* * * *
- (4) *Enlisted men.* [Rescinded]

2. Paragraph (w) of § 709.63 is amended as follows:

- § 709.63 *Colors of arms, services, bureau, etc.* * * *
- (w) *Staff and Administrative Reserve.* Green.

[AR 600-35, 31 Mar. 1944 as amended by WD Cir. 99 and 100, 1947] (R. S. 1296; 10 U. S. C. 1391)

[SEAL] EDWARD F. WITSELL,
Major General,
The Adjutant General.

[F. R. Doc. 47-4346; Filed, May 7, 1947; 8:50 a. m.]

TITLE 20—EMPLOYEES' BENEFITS

Chapter II—Railroad Retirement Board

PART 235—PAYMENTS UPON DEATH OCCURRING BEFORE JANUARY 1, 1947

PART 237—INSURANCE ANNUITIES AND LUMP SUMS FOR SURVIVORS

In Federal Register Document 47-632, appearing at 12 F. R. 466 of the issue for Thursday, January 23, 1947, the following change is made: In the third column on 12 F. R. 469, in the nineteenth line of § 235.9, "§ 210.2 (a) (1) and (2)" should be "§ 210.2 (b) (1) and (2)"

In Federal Register Document 47-2832 appearing at 12 F. R. 2017 of the issue for Thursday, March 27, 1947, the following change is made: In the last line of the paragraph on "Widow's Insurance Annuity" in § 237.401, the reference in parentheses should be "Section 5 (a)" instead of "Section 8 (a)"

Dated: April 30, 1947.

By authority of the Board.

[SEAL] MARY B. LINKINS,
Secretary of the Board.

[F. R. Doc. 47-4341; Filed, May 7, 1947;
8:49 a. m.]

TITLE 24—HOUSING CREDIT

Chapter VIII—Office of Housing Expediter

[HED-283-RFC-45]

PART 802—DELEGATIONS OF FINAL AUTHORITY

DIRECTIVE TO RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION ON PREMIUM PAYMENT REGULATIONS

§ 802.18 *Directive to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation on premium payment regulations.* This section amends all existing directives of the Housing Expediter to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation relating to premium payment regulations, to take into account the fact that all functions under such regulations formerly performed by the Civilian Production Administration are now performed by the Office of the Housing Expediter.

(a) Accordingly, pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Veterans' Emergency Housing Act of 1946, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation is hereby authorized and directed to:

(1) Substitute "OHE" for "CPA" in all places in the existing directives for premium payment regulations;

(2) Send all copies of applications for quota, claim for payment and information returns to the OHE, sending to the "Office of the Housing Expediter, Washington 25, D. C., Attention Premium Payments Division," all copies which formerly went to Washington offices of the OHE and the CPA, and to the "Office of the Housing Expediter, Western Log and Lumber Administrator, 406 Central Building, 530 Southwest 10th Avenue, Portland 5, Oregon," veneer mill claims for payment formerly sent to the CPA at that address;

(3) Strike from the existing directives wherever it appears, the phrase "Together with appropriate references as related delegations to the CPA"

(4) Strike from the existing directives wherever it appears, the statement that "The RFC shall act upon advice from the CPA with respect to such authority delegated to the CPA by the Housing Expediter as affects the functions of the RFC in the program" (60 Stat. 207; 50 U. S. C. App. Sup. 1821)

Issued this 2d day of May 1947.

FRANK R. CREEDON,
Housing Expediter

[F. R. Doc. 47-4326; Filed, May 7, 1947;
8:48 a. m.]

[Housing Expediter Premium Payments Reg. 9, Amdt. 3]

PART 805—PREMIUM PAYMENTS REGULATIONS UNDER VETERANS' EMERGENCY HOUSING ACT OF 1946

MERCHANT PIG IRON

Section 805.9 (Housing Expediter Premium Payments Regulation No. 9) is amended in the following respect:

Paragraph (a) (1) is amended to read as follows:

(1) "Foundry and malleable grades of pig iron" means pig iron which is shipped to foundries which manufacture grey or malleable iron castings.

This amendment shall become effective June 1, 1947.

Issued this 7th day of May 1947.

OFFICE OF THE HOUSING
EXPEDITER,
By JAMES V SARCONO,
Authorizing Officer

[F. R. Doc. 47-4403; Filed, May 7, 1947;
10:24 a. m.]

TITLE 25—INDIANS

Chapter I—Office of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior

Subchapter I—Irrigation Projects: Operation and Maintenance

PART 130—OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE CHARGES

FLATHEAD INDIAN IRRIGATION PROJECT, MONTANA

On March 20 there was published in the daily issue of the FEDERAL REGISTER a notice of-intention to amend §§ 130.16, 130.17 and 130.18 (12 F. R. 1859) effective for the irrigation season of 1947 and thereafter until further notice. Interested persons were to be given opportunity to participate in preparing the amendments by submitting data or arguments within thirty days from the date of publication of the notice. No comments, oral or written, having been received within the prescribed period the said sections are hereby amended and promulgated as follows:

§ 130.16 *Charge, Jocko Division.* An annual minimum charge of \$1.92 per acre shall be made against all lands within the Jocko Division to which water can be delivered, regardless of whether the water is used.

The minimum charge when paid shall be credited on the delivery of water at the following per acre-foot rates:

(a) For lands receiving water from the lower Jocko and Revais Creek laterals, water will be delivered in amounts equal to one acre-foot per acre for the entire irrigable area of the farm unit,

allotment, or tract, at the rate of one dollar (\$1) per acre-foot, and additional water will be delivered at the rate of fifty cents (50¢) per acre-foot.

(b) For irrigable lands as defined in paragraph (a) of this section receiving water from Finley, East Finley, Agency, and Big Knife Creeks, water will be delivered at the rate of seventy-five cents (75¢) per acre-foot at any time during the irrigation season.

(c) For irrigable lands as defined in paragraph (a) of this section receiving water from Jocko River through the Jocko K Lateral system, at the rate of fifty cents (50¢) per acre-foot at any time during the irrigation season.

§ 130.17 *Charges, Mission Valley and Camas Divisions.* A minimum charge of \$2.10 per acre shall be levied against all irrigable land within these divisions as defined in § 130.16 (a) to which water can be delivered, regardless of whether water is used.

This charge shall entitle the farm unit, allotment, or tract of land to receive one and one-half acre-feet of water per irrigable acre or, in case of shortage, the proportionate share of the available supply.

For water delivered in excess of one and one-half acre-feet per irrigable acre there shall be an additional charge of seventy-five cents (75¢) per acre-foot.

§ 130.18 *Lands with secretarial private water rights.* For all areas recognized by the Secretary of the Interior as entitled to so-called private water rights where the water is regulated by the Flathead irrigation project and delivered through any part of the Flathead irrigation project system, a charge equal to fifty percent of the annual operation and maintenance charge for project lands not having such private water rights in the same general area shall be made for water delivered up to two acre-feet per acre or such quantity of water allowed for each acre under the Secretary's private water right findings.

Upon filing a written application on the approved form by the owner of land with a secretarial private water right for a pro rata per acre share of the available water, natural flow and project stored supply, which application shall be a recognition that his land has relative water requirements as the soils of similar character of project lands, then there shall be delivered each irrigation season thereafter to his land the pro rata per acre share of the available water for which shall be paid the annual per acre charge fixed in §§ 130.16 and 130.17. The lands covered by any application filed pursuant to this section shall be treated from the date of the application as a part of the Flathead Indian irrigation project and subject to all the terms and conditions of applicable law and regulations.

(38 Stat. 583, 39 Stat. 142, 45 Stat. 210, 46 Stat. 291, 25 U. S. C. 385, 387)

J. W. HUTCHISON,
Acting Commissioner

[F. R. Doc. 47-4339; Filed, May 7, 1947;
8:48 a. m.]

Subchapter R—Leases and Sale of Minerals,
Restricted Indian Lands

[Order No. 2316]

PART 186—LEASING OF TRIBAL LANDS FOR
MINING

PART 189—LEASING OF CERTAIN RE-
STRICTED ALLOTTED INDIAN LANDS
FOR MINING

ACREAGE LIMITATION

1. Section 186.9 is amended to read as follows:

§ 186.9 *Acreage limitation.* (a) No individual, corporation, partnership, company, or association shall hold under leases for mining purposes Indian tribal lands and restricted allotted Indian lands in any one State in excess of the following areas, exclusive of holdings in the Five Civilized Tribes and the Osage Nation:

(1) On deposits of the nature of lodes or veins, containing ores of gold, silver, copper, lead, zinc, or other useful metals, not more than 640 acres.

(2) For beds of placer gold, gypsum, asphaltum, phosphate, iron ores, or other useful minerals except coal, oil, and gas, not more than 960 acres.

(3) For coal, not more than 10,240 acres.

(4) For oil or gas, not more than 15,360 acres, except as follows:

(i) State of Oklahoma—no limitation.

(ii) Tribal lands within that part of the Navajo Reservation lying within the State of New Mexico—10,240 acres irrespective of other holdings in said State.

(iii) Leases operated under a cooperative or unit plan approved or prescribed by the Secretary of the Interior shall not be considered in determining holdings under this subparagraph.

(b) For the purposes of this section:

(1) Acreage leased by an officer or director of a corporation, company, or association, or by a stockholder holding 40 percent or more of the stock of the corporation, company, or association, shall be charged against the corporation, company, or association, and vice versa.

(2) Acreage leased by a member of a partnership shall be charged against the partnership, and vice versa.

(3) The acreage of corporations, companies, or associations having common stockholders owning a majority of the stock of each corporation, company, or association, or having one or more common officers or directors, shall be charged against each other. (52 Stat. 347; 25 U. S. C. 396a-396f)

2. Section 189.13 is amended to read as follows:

§ 189.13 *Acreage limitation.* The provisions of § 186.9, of this subchapter as amended, are applicable to leases under Part 189. (35 Stat. 783; 25 U. S. C. 396)

OSCAR L. CHAPMAN,

Under Secretary of the Interior

MAY 1, 1947.

[F. R. Doc. 47-4338; Filed, May 7, 1947; 8:48 a. m.]

TITLE 30—MINERAL RESOURCES

Chapter VI—Solid Fuels Administration for War, Department of the Interior

LIQUIDATION OF THE SOLID FUELS
ADMINISTRATION FOR WAR

CROSS REFERENCE: For the liquidation of The Solid Fuels Administration for War, see Executive Order 9347, *supra*.

TITLE 32—NATIONAL DEFENSE

Chapter VII—Sugar Rationing Administration, Department of Agriculture

[Sugar Rationing Administration Delegation Order 2]

PART 705—ADMINISTRATION

DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO REGIONAL SUGAR EXECUTIVES AND BRANCH OFFICE DIRECTORS TO SIGN AND ISSUE SUGAR RATIONING SUBPOENAS AND INSPECTION ORDERS

Pursuant to the authority conferred upon the Administrator, Sugar Rationing Administration by the Secretary of Agriculture in General Order 1, issued March 31, 1947, and by the Sugar Control Extension Act of 1947, it is ordered:

§ 705.202 *Order delegating authority to sign and issue subpoenas and inspection orders in connection with rationing investigations.* (a) (1) In connection with any investigation related to the administration or enforcement of the allocation or rationing authority of the Secretary of Agriculture and the Administrator of the Sugar Rationing Administration under the Sugar Control Extension Act of 1947 with respect to sugar, or any regulation or order issued or continued in force and effect pursuant to that authority, the several Regional Sugar Executives and Branch Office Directors are each authorized within their respective regions or branches, to sign and issue: (i) subpoenas requiring any person to appear and testify, or to appear and produce books or records or any other documentary or physical evidence, or both; and (ii) inspection orders for the inspection of the books, records, and other writing, premises and property of any person.

(2) The authority conferred upon the several Regional Sugar Executives and Branch Office Directors by this paragraph (a) shall be exercised in conformity with the provisions of subparagraphs (3) and (4) of section 2 (a) of the act of June 28, 1940 (54 Stat. 676), as amended by the act of May 31, 1941 (Public Law No. 89, 77th Cong.) and by Title III of the Second War Powers Act, 1942 (Act of March 27, 1942, Public Law No. 507, 77th Cong.) as amended.

(b) *Meaning of terms.* The terms used herein shall have the same meaning as in the Sugar Control Extension Act of 1947.

(c) *What this order supersedes.* This order supersedes Revised General Order 24 issued by the Office of Price Administration on February 2, 1944 (9 F. R. 1471), and General Order 75 issued by the Office

of Price Administration on November 25, 1946 (11 F. R. 13834), insofar as they relate to the authority to sign and issue subpoenas and inspection orders with respect to sugar. However, those orders shall remain in full force and effect with respect to any action taken thereunder prior to the effective date of this order.

This order shall become effective May 2, 1947.

(Pub. Law 30, 80th Cong., 1st session; General Order 1, issued by the Secretary of Agriculture March 31, 1947, 12 F. R. 2807)

Issued this 2d day of May 1947.

IRVIN L. RICE,
Acting Administrator
Sugar Rationing Administration.

[F. R. Doc. 47-4413; Filed, May 7, 1947; 11:40 a. m.]

PART 705—ADMINISTRATION

[Sugar Rationing Administration Delegation Order 3]

DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO REGIONAL SUGAR EXECUTIVES AND BRANCH OFFICE DIRECTORS TO SIGN AND ISSUE PRICE SUBPOENAS AND INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS

Pursuant to the authority conferred upon the Administrator, Sugar Rationing Administration by the Secretary of Agriculture in General Order 1, issued March 31, 1947, and by the Sugar Control Extension Act of 1947, it is ordered:

§ 705.203 *Order delegating authority to sign and issue subpoenas and inspection requirements in connection with price investigations.* (a) In connection with any investigation related to the administration or enforcement of the authority of the Secretary of Agriculture and the Administrator of the Sugar Rationing Administration under the Sugar Control Extension Act of 1947 with respect to price control of sugar, or any regulation or order issued or continued in force and effect pursuant to that authority, the several Regional Sugar Executives and Branch Office Directors are each authorized within their respective regions or branches to sign and issue: (1) subpoenas requiring any person to appear and testify, or to appear and produce documents, or both, at any designated place; (2) inspection requirements requiring any person who is engaged in the business of dealing in sugar, or who uses sugar, to permit the inspection and copying of records and any other documents, and to permit the inspection of inventories, property and premises.

(b) *Meaning of terms.* The terms used herein shall have the same meaning as in the Sugar Control Extension Act of 1947.

(c) *What this order supersedes.* This order supersedes Revised General Order 53 issued by the Office of Price Administration on May 13, 1944 (9 F. R. 5191) and General Order 75 issued by the Office of Price Administration on November 25, 1946 (11 F. R. 13834) insofar as they relate to the authority to sign and issue subpoenas and inspection requirements

with respect to the price control of sugar. However, those orders shall remain in full force and effect with respect to any action taken thereunder prior to the effective date of this order.

This order shall become effective May 2, 1947.

(Pub. Law 30, 80th Cong., 1st session; General Order 1, issued by the Secretary of Agriculture March 31, 1947, 12 F. R. 2807)

Issued this 2d day of May 1947.

IRVIN L. RICE,
Acting Administrator
Sugar Rationing Administration.

[F. R. Doc. 47-4412; Filed, May 7, 1947;
11:39 a. m.]

[3d Rev. RO 3, 1st Amdt. 23 to Supp. 1]

PART 707—RATIONING OF SUGAR
SUGAR

Section 4.1 of Supplement 1 to Third Revised Ration Order 3² is amended by changing the percentage for the County of El Paso, Texas, from zero to twenty.

This amendment shall become effective as of April 1, 1947.

Issued this 1st day of May 1947.

CLINTON P. ANDERSON,
Secretary of Agriculture.

[F. R. Doc. 47-4411; Filed, May 7, 1947;
11:39 a. m.]

TITLE 39—POSTAL SERVICE

Chapter I—Post Office Department

Subchapter B—Regulations

PART 3—POSTAGE STAMPS AND OTHER STAMPED PAPER

REDEMPTION OF STAMPED PAPER

Amend § 3.7 (39 CFR, Part 3) to read as follows:

§ 3.7 *Postage stamps, postal cards, stamped envelopes.* (a) Postage stamps, or special delivery stamps, whether affixed to envelopes or not, shall not be redeemed from the public nor exchanged for other postage stamps, stamped envelopes, newspaper wrappers, air letter sheets, or postal cards, except as provided in paragraph (g) of this section. Stamps removed from embossed stamped envelopes, air letter sheets, newspaper wrappers, or postal cards shall not be redeemed nor accepted in payment of postage.

(b) Postage stamps, stamp books, postage-due stamps, special-delivery stamps, special handling stamps, international reply coupons, stamped envelopes, air letter sheets, newspaper wrappers, postal cards, and internal revenue stamps damaged in the post office may be returned for redemption and credit, but shall be accompanied with a statement setting forth fully the time when, and manner in which, they were damaged.

¹ 11 F. R. 177.

² Codified as § 707.1.

(c) Uncanceled, unserviceable, and spoiled stamped envelopes, air letter sheets, and newspaper wrappers in a substantially whole condition, without a printed return card or address thereon, and postal cards without printing thereon, may be redeemed from any responsible person in postage stamps or other stamped paper at the postage value only of the stamped envelopes and newspaper wrappers, 75 percent of the face value of the postal cards, and at 90 percent of the face value of the air letter sheets.

(d) Stamped envelopes, air letter sheets, and newspaper wrappers bearing a printed return card or address and postal cards with printed matter of the purchaser thereon may be reduced as provided in paragraph (c) of this section but only from the person who purchased them at a post office or whose printing appears thereon, unless special authorization therefor is obtained from the Department.

(e) Postal cards, stamped envelopes, and air letter sheets received for reply purposes, parts or pieces of cards, and postal cards treated by bronzing, enameling, or other process of coating shall not be redeemed.

(f) When the redemption value of stamped envelopes, newspaper wrappers, or postal cards includes a fraction of a cent, such fraction shall accrue to the department.

(g) When, through inadvertence, a postmaster sells damaged or unserviceable postage stamps, international reply coupons, stamped envelopes, air letter sheets, newspaper wrappers, or postal cards, or when a patron through error purchases postage stamps of the wrong denomination, or stamped envelopes of the wrong color, quality, size, or denomination, or newspaper wrappers of the wrong denomination, or postal cards of the wrong size, postmasters may exchange such stamped paper at full value, provided that it is presented for exchange by the original purchaser thereof within a reasonable time after the sale, not to exceed two business days. Errors made by purchasers in ordering special-request envelopes shall be adjusted by redemption at postage value only, in accordance with § 3.6. (R. S. 161, 396, secs. 304, 309, 42 Stat. 24, 25; 5 U. S. C. 22, 369)

[SEAL]

JOSEPH J. LAWLER,
Acting Postmaster General.

[F. R. Doc. 47-4340; Filed, May 7, 1947;
8:49 a. m.]

TITLE 49—TRANSPORTATION AND RAILROADS

Chapter 1—Interstate Commerce Commission

[4th Rev. S. O. 104, Amdt. 5]

PART 95—CAR SERVICE

SUBSTITUTION OF REFRIGERATOR FOR BOX CARS

At a session of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Division 3, held at its office in Washington, D. C., on the 2d day of May A. D. 1947.

Upon further consideration of Fourth Revised Service Order No. 104 (11 F. R. 2189) as amended (11 F. R. 3952, 9039; 12 F. R. 1235, 1574), and good cause appearing therefor: It is ordered, that:

Section 95.304 *Substitution of refrigerator cars for box cars*, of Fourth Revised Service Order No. 104, as amended, be, and it is hereby, further amended by substituting the following paragraph (a) (iii) for paragraph (a) (iii) thereof, and by adding the following paragraph (f) thereto:

§ 95.304 *Substitution of refrigerator cars for box cars.* (a) Any common carrier by railroad subject to the Interstate Commerce Act, for transporting:

(iii) Or westbound shipments in carloads originating in the States of Michigan (lower peninsula only) Indiana, (excluding Chicago switching district), Kentucky, Tennessee, or Mississippi or east thereof, and destined to Kansas City, Missouri, or to points in the States of Iowa, Kansas, Oklahoma, and Texas, or west thereof, but not when destined to points in the States of Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana, Washington, Oregon or northern Idaho (north of the Union Pacific main and branch lines across southern Idaho including the line from Pocatello to the Montana-Idaho State line and the branches north of Blackfoot, Idaho)

(f) Westbound shipments in carloads originating in the States of Michigan (lower peninsula only), Kentucky, Tennessee, or Mississippi or east thereof, and destined to points in the States of California, Arizona, Nevada, Utah or southern Idaho (on the Union Pacific main and branch lines across southern Idaho, including the line from Pocatello to the Montana-Idaho State line and the branches north of Blackfoot, Idaho) may be billed to Chicago, Ill., or St. Louis, Mo., providing such cars are rebilled within 48 hours after actual or constructive placement. When those cars are not rebilled within the 48 consecutive hours, rates to apply will be those applicable to the refrigerator cars used without benefit of substitution for box cars.

It is further ordered, that this amendment shall become effective at 12:01 a. m., May 9, 1947; that a copy of this order and direction shall be served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and that notice of this order be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

(40 Stat. 101, sec. 402, 41 Stat. 476, sec. 4, 54 Stat. 901, 49 U. S. C. 1 (10)-(17))

By the Commission, Division 3.

[SEAL]

W P BARTEL,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 47-4354; Filed, May 7, 1947;
8:51 a. m.]

[S. O. 647-D]

PART 95—CAR SERVICE

PRIORITY FOR WHEAT IN PACIFIC NORTHWEST

At a session of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Division 3, held at its office in Washington, D. C., on the 2d day of May A. D. 1947.

Upon further consideration of Revised Service Order No. 647 (12 F. R. 104, 1724, 2168, 2562), and good cause appearing therefor: *It is ordered*, That:

Revised Service Order No. 647 (codified as 49 CFR § 95.647) *Box cars to be used for loading export wheat*, be, and it is hereby, vacated.

It is further ordered, That this order shall become effective at 11:59 p. m., May 4, 1947; that a copy of this order and direction be served upon the State railroad regulatory bodies of the States

of Oregon, Washington, Idaho, and Montana, and upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and that notice of this order be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

(40 Stat. 101, secs. 402, 418, 41 Stat. 476, 485, secs. 4, 10, 54 Stat. 901, 912; 49 U. S. C. 1 (10)-(17), 15 (4))

By the Commission, Division 3.

[SEAL] | W. P. BARTEL,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 47-4351; Filed, May 7, 1947; 8:51 a. m.]

PROPOSED RULE MAKING

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Production and Marketing Administration

[7 CFR, Part 26]

GRAIN STANDARDS REGULATIONS

NOTICE OF HEARINGS ON PROPOSED AMENDMENT

Correction

In Federal Register Document 47-3814, beginning in the third column on page 2573 of the issue for Tuesday, April 22, 1947, the subject headnote should read as set forth above.

NOTICES

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Office of Alien Property

AUTHORITY: 40 Stat. 411, 55 Stat. 839, Pub. Laws 322, 671, 79th Cong., 60 Stat. 50, 925; 50 U. S. C. and Supp. App. 1, 616; E. O. 9193, July 6, 1942, 3 CFR, Cum. Supp., E. O. 9567, June 8, 1945, 3 CFR, 1945 Supp., E. O. 9788, Oct. 14, 1946, 11 F. R. 11981.

[Vesting Order 8569]

I. G. FARBENINDUSTRIE, A. G.

In re: Bank account owned by I. G. Farbenindustrie, A. G.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That I. G. Farbenindustrie, A. G., the last known address of which is Unter den Linden 78, Berlin NW7, Germany, is a corporation, organized under the laws of Germany, and which has or, since the effective date of Executive Order 8389, as amended, has had its principal place of business in Germany and is a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

2. That the property described as follows: That certain debt or other obligation owing to I. G. Farbenindustrie, A. G., by The National City Bank of New York, 55 Wall Street, New York, New York, arising out of an attachment ledger account, entitled I. G. Farbenindustrie, A. G., Berlin, Germany, and any and all rights to demand, enforce and collect the same,

is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by, the aforesaid national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

and it is hereby determined:

3. That to the extent that the person named in subparagraph 1 hereof is not within a designated enemy country, the

national interest of the United States requires that such person be treated as a national of a designated enemy country (Germany).

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on March 27, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DONALD C. COOK,
Director.

[F. R. Doc. 47-4366; Filed, May 7, 1947; 8:48 a. m.]

[Vesting Order 8781]

EMILIE PFELL

In re: Estate of Emilie Pfell, deceased, and T/W of Emilie Pfell, deceased. File D-28-3671, E. T. sec. 5960.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Wilhelm Korte, Luise K. Thomann, Wille Korte, and Reinhold Korte, whose last known address is Germany, are residents of Germany and nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany),

2. That the heirs-at-law and next of kin of Wille Korte, who there is reasonable cause to believe are residents of

Germany, are nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany)

3. That all right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of Wilhelm Korte in and to the property presently in the possession of William C. Bender, Emil G. Bender, and Carl F. Bender, trustees under the will of Emilie Pfell, deceased, is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by, the aforesaid nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany),

4. That all right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of the persons identified in subparagraphs 1 and 2 hereof, and each of them, in and to the trust created under the will of Emilie Pfell, deceased, is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by the aforesaid nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany),

and it is hereby determined:

5. That to the extent that the above-named persons and the heirs-at-law and next of kin of Wille Korte are not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest.

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold, or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall

have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on April 24, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DONALD C. COOK,
Director

[F. R. Doc. 47-4367; Filed, May 7, 1947;
8:48 a. m.]

[Vesting Order 8782]

CHRISTINE SCHABER

In re: Estate of Christine Schaber, deceased. File F-28-28167 A-1.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Christine Kohler and Marie Muller (Kramer) whose last known address is Germany, are residents of Germany and nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany)

2. That all the property and estate of Christine Kohler and Marie Muller (Kramer) of any kind or character whatsoever in the possession, custody or control of Wallace Robertson, executor of the estate of Christine Schaber, deceased, is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by, the aforesaid nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany);

and it is hereby determined:

3. That to the extent that the persons named in subparagraph 1 hereof are not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on April 24, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DONALD C. COOK,
Director

[F. R. Doc. 47-4368; Filed, May 7, 1947;
8:48 a. m.]

[Vesting Order 8786]

EMIL GEPPERT

In re: Debt, stock, bonds, and certificates owned by Emil Geppert. F-28-8078-A-1, F-28-8078-C-1.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That Emil Geppert, whose last known address is Stauffen, Baden, Breisgau, Germany, is a resident of Germany and a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

2. That the property described as follows:

a. That certain certificate of deposit representing one The Berkshire, New York City, 6%, 1st mortgage building and leasehold Bond, due 1-1-41, of \$1,000 face value, bearing the Number 1544, said certificate of deposit being issued by the Bankers Trust Company, New York, Numbered CD 393, registered in the name of Emil Geppert, and presently in the custody of the Germantown Trust Company, Chelton and Germantown Avenues, Philadelphia 44, Pennsylvania, together with any and all rights thereunder and thereto,

b. That certain certificate of deposit representing four Buena Terrace, Chicago, Illinois, 1st mortgage 6½% Bonds, due 4-15-36, of \$100 face value each, bearing the Numbers 729 through 732, said certificate of deposit being issued by the Chicago Title & Trust Company, Chicago, Illinois, Numbered 610, registered in the name of Emil Geppert, and presently in the custody of the Germantown Trust Company, Chelton and Germantown Avenues, Philadelphia 44, Pennsylvania, together with any and all rights thereunder and thereto,

c. That certain certificate of deposit representing Parkway-Webster Hotels, Chicago, 1st mortgage, 6½% Bond, due 4-1-34, of \$500 face value, bearing the Number 5616, said certificate of deposit being issued by the Chicago Title & Trust Company, Chicago, Illinois, Numbered 2363, registered in the name of Emil Geppert, and presently in the custody of the Germantown Trust Company, Chelton and Germantown Avenues, Philadelphia 44, Pennsylvania, together with any and all rights thereunder and thereto,

d. Two Industrial Real Estate Trust Company Registered General Mortgage Income 6's Bonds, due 4-1-49, each of \$1,000 face value, bearing the Numbers M-951 and M-952, registered in the name of Emil Geppert, and presently in the custody of the Germantown Trust Company, Chelton and Germantown Avenues, Philadelphia 44, Pennsylvania, together with any and all rights thereunder and thereto,

e. One Philadelphia Warwick Company Income Debenture, 2s to 6s, due 3-1-56, of \$500 face value, bearing the Number 332, registered in the name of Emil Geppert, and presently in the custody of the Germantown Trust Company, Chelton and Germantown Avenues, Philadelphia 44, Pennsylvania, together with any and all rights thereunder and thereto,

f. That certain Participation Certificate representing 10 Tr. shares of no par value Capital stock of Bismarck Hotel Co. (formerly Randolph Hotel Co.) Randolph at LaSalle Street, Chicago, Illinois, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Illinois, said Participation

Certificate being Numbered TCO-1245, registered in the name of Emil Geppert, and presently in the custody of the Germantown Trust Company, Chelton and Germantown Avenues, Philadelphia 44, Pennsylvania, together with any and all rights thereunder and thereto,

g. That certain Participation Certificate representing 10 Tr. shares of \$10.00 par value Capital stock of Knickerbocker Hotel Co., 163 E. Walton Place, Chicago, Illinois, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Illinois, said Participation Certificate being Numbered 591, registered in the name of Emil Geppert, and presently in the custody of the Germantown Trust Company, Chelton and Germantown Avenues, Philadelphia 44, Pennsylvania, together with any and all rights thereunder and thereto,

h. That certain Voting Trust Certificate representing 12 shares of no par value, common Capital stock of Philadelphia Warwick Co., Locust & 17th Streets, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, said certificate being Numbered 256, registered in the name of Emil Geppert, and presently in the custody of the Germantown Trust Company, Chelton and Germantown Avenues, Philadelphia 44, Pennsylvania, together with any and all rights thereunder and thereto,

i. Forty shares of no par value Beneficial Interest of the Industrial Real Estate Trust, 2101 West Pershing Road, Chicago, Illinois, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Massachusetts, evidenced by certificate Numbered 432 and registered in the name of Emil Geppert, and presently in the custody of the Germantown Trust Company, Chelton and Germantown Avenues, Philadelphia 44, Pennsylvania, together with all declared and unpaid dividends thereon, and

j. Those debts or other obligations owing to Emil Geppert by the Germantown Trust Company, Chelton and Germantown Avenues, Philadelphia 44, Pennsylvania, arising out of uninvested Principal, in the amount of \$2,068.99 and Income Cash Balance of \$947.61, as of February 16, 1947, together with any and all accruals thereto, and any and all rights to demand, enforce and collect the same,

is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of or on account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by, the aforesaid national of a designated enemy country (Germany),

and it is hereby determined:

3. That to the extent that the person named in subparagraph 1 hereof is not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such person be treated as a national of a designated enemy country (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described above, to be held, used,

administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on April 24, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DONALD C. COOK,
Director.

[F. R. Doc. 47-4369; Filed, May 7, 1947;
8:48 a. m.]

[Vesting Order 8812]

GUSTAV HECKMANN ET AL.

In re: Interest in real property, property insurance policies and claim owned by Gustav Heckmann, and others.

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, Executive Order 9193, as amended, and Executive Order 9788, and pursuant to law, after investigation, it is hereby found:

1. That the persons, whose names and last known addresses appear below, are residents of Germany and nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany)

Names and Addresses

Gustav Heckmann, Hadamar, Germany.
Ilse Heckmann, Hadamar, Germany.
Hermann Heckmann, Hadamar, Germany.
Johanna Heckmann, Hadamar, Germany.
Ilse Heckmann, Hadamar, Germany.
"John" Heckmann (true given name unknown), Hadamar, Germany.

2. That the property described as follows:

a. An undivided four-fifths interest in real property, situated in the City of Fort Thomas, County of Campbell, State of Kentucky, particularly described in Exhibit A, attached hereto and by reference made a part hereof, together with all hereditaments, fixtures, improvements and appurtenances thereto, and any and all claims for rents, refunds, benefits or other payments arising from the ownership of such property,

b. All right, title and interest of the persons named in subparagraph 1, in and to property insurance policies Nos. O 860729 and O 860730, in the amounts of \$3,000.00 and \$1,500.00 respectively, and any extensions or renewals thereof, which policies were issued by Manhattan Fire & Marine Insurance Company, 99 John Street, New York, New York, and insure the property described in subparagraph 2-a hereof, and

c. That certain debt or obligation owing to the persons named in subparagraph 1 hereof by Edward J. Elliott, 403 Covington Trust Building, Covington, Kentucky, arising out of but not limited to rents collected from the premises described in subparagraph 2-a hereof, and any and all rights to demand, enforce and collect the same,

is property within the United States owned or controlled by, payable or deliverable to, held on behalf of or on

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account of, or owing to, or which is evidence of ownership or control by, the aforesaid nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany),

and it is hereby determined:

3. That to the extent that the persons named in subparagraph 1 hereof are not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany)

All determinations and all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, having been made and taken, and, it being deemed necessary in the national interest,

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described in subparagraph 2-3 hereof, subject to recorded liens, encumbrances and other rights of record held by or for persons who are not nationals of designated enemy countries, and

There is hereby vested in the Attorney General of the United States the property described in subparagraphs 2-b and 2-c hereof,

All such property so vested to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order 9193, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on April 25, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] DONALD C. COOK,
Director.

EXHIBIT A

Situated in the City of Fort Thomas, Campbell County, Kentucky, and fronting on the north side of Illinois (now Mayfield) Avenue and being lot numbered 7 of J. K. Mays Subdivision, more particularly described and bounded as follows: Beginning at a point in the north side of Mayfield (formerly Illinois) Avenue 398.31 feet from the west line of Highland Avenue, as widened to 60 feet; thence running northwardly and at right angles to the north line of Mayfield Avenue 140.0 feet; thence westwardly and parallel to said north line of Mayfield Avenue 50 feet; thence southwardly and at right angles to the north line of Mayfield Avenue 140 feet to a point in the said north line of Mayfield Avenue; thence eastwardly along the said north line of Mayfield Avenue, 79 feet to the place of beginning.

[F. R. Doc. 47-4370; Filed, May 7, 1947;
8:48 a. m.]

BUILDERS IRON FOUNDRY

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO RETURN VESTED PROPERTY

Pursuant to section 32 (f) of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, notice is hereby given of intention to return, on or after 30 days from the date of publication hereof, the following property located in Washington, D. C., including all royalties accrued thereunder and all damages and profits recoverable for

past infringement thereof, after adequate provision for taxes and conservatory expenses:

Claimant, Claim No. and Property

Builders Iron Foundry; A-238; Property described in Vesting Order No. 201 (8 F. R. 625, January 16, 1943), relating to United States Letters Patent No. 1,822,633, to the extent owned by the claimant immediately prior to the vesting thereof.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on May 1, 1947.

For the Attorney General.

DONALD C. COOK,
Director.

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FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION

[Docket No. G-141]

CITIES SERVICE GAS CO.

NOTICE OF ORDER ALLOWING RATE SCHEDULES TO TAKE EFFECT

MAY 5, 1947.

Notice is hereby given that, on May 2, 1947, the Federal Power Commission issued its order entered May 2, 1947, allowing rate schedules to take effect in the above-designated matter.

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

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[Docket No. G-752]

KENTUCKY NATURAL GAS CORP.

ORDER POSTPONING HEARING

It appearing to the Commission that:
(a) On July 12, 1946, Kentucky Natural Gas Corporation (Applicant) filed an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity authorizing the construction and operation of certain facilities therein described for the transportation and sale of natural gas in interstate commerce, and said application was by order of April 8, 1947, designated for hearing on May 12, 1947; and
(b) On April 30, 1947, Applicant filed a request that the date of hearing in the above-entitled matter be postponed to an indefinite and later date.

The Commission finds that: Good cause exists for postponing the date for hearing in the above-entitled matter.

The Commission orders that: The hearing in the above-entitled matter be and it hereby is postponed to a date to be fixed by further order of the Commission.

Date of issuance: May 5, 1947.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

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[Docket No. G-817]

NEW YORK STATE NATURAL GAS CORP.

NOTICE OF AMENDMENT TO APPLICATION

MAY 1, 1947.

Notice is hereby given that New York State Natural Gas Corporation (Applicant) a New York corporation with its principal office in New York, New York, filed with the Federal Power Commission on April 14, 1947, an amendment to its application filed herein on November 20, 1946, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity pursuant to section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, as amended. The amended application is for a certificate of public convenience and necessity pursuant to section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, as amended, authorizing the construction and operation of the following-described facilities:

1. Facilities to be completed by December 1, 1947:

(a) A continuous pipeline to parallel Applicant's existing lines Nos. 9 and 10 from a point in Burrell Township, Armstrong County, Pennsylvania, to a point in Sergeant Township, McKean County, Pennsylvania, consisting of:

(1) 35 miles of 12 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch pipeline paralleling existing line No. 9 southwardly from its northern terminus in Clarion County;

(2) 55 miles of 14-inch pipeline paralleling existing line No. 10 northwardly from its southern terminus in Clarion County.

(b) Installation at Boom Compressor Station in Tioga County, Pennsylvania, of three 300 horsepower and three 600 horsepower gas engine driven compressors together with auxiliary equipment, buildings, coolers, additions, and change piping, fittings and valves in and about the station and the adjacent Boom Storage Pool.

2. Facilities to be completed by December 1, 1948:

(a) A continuation of the pipeline looping described in paragraphs 1. (a) (1) and 1. (a) (2) above to complete the paralleling of Applicant's existing lines Nos. 9 and 10 from a point in Franklin Township, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, to a point in Liberty Township, McKean County, Pennsylvania, consisting of:

(1) 24.5 miles of 16-inch pipeline paralleling existing line No. 9 and extending south from the loop line to be installed in 1947 described in paragraph 1. (a) (1) above;

(2) 21 miles of 14-inch pipeline paralleling existing line No. 10 and extending north from the loop line to be installed in 1947 described in paragraph 1. (a) (2) above.

(b) 13.4 miles of 16-inch pipeline to connect the north end of line No. 10 in Hebron Township with the south end of line No. 14 in Genesee Township, Potter County, Pennsylvania, and also with line No. 12 which leads to Applicant's Sabinsville Compressor Station.

It is stated by Applicant that it has become necessary to revise the facilities described in paragraph C, pages 3 and 4 of the original application in several particulars.¹ It is further stated by Appli-

¹For a description of the facilities as originally proposed, see Notice of Application, 11 F. R. 14331.

cant that shortly after the original application was filed it became apparent that gas demands of gas consumers would be greater than had been anticipated by the distributing companies or by Applicant which continued throughout the 1946-47 winter, and that curtailments of varying extent and duration have been in effect until April, 1947 that in its efforts to meet the 1947-48 winter demands Applicant must rely more on gas storage than was anticipated when the original application was filed; and that the facilities described herein are proposed by Applicant in its efforts to provide sufficient capacity to meet the anticipated requirements of its customers.

Applicant recites that the pipe lines described above which are to be completed by December 1, 1947, are to enable Applicant to take 90,000 Mcf. of gas per day from the Big Inch and Little Big Inch pipelines (Inch Lines)² and Hope Natural Gas Company and that completion of the remainder of the pipeline facilities described above by December 1, 1948, will be necessary if Applicant is to take 110,000 Mcf. of gas per day thereafter from the Inch Lines and Hope Natural Gas Company in order to meet anticipated demands. Applicant further recites that when completed Boom Compressor Station will have a total of 3,200 horsepower which will permit withdrawal from the Boom Storage Pool of 85,000 Mcf. per day at a minimum suction pressure of 170 pounds and a discharge pressure of 300 pounds and that said station could be adapted almost immediately to store gas at suction and discharge pressures necessary to meet any conditions anticipated in the operations of the storage pool.

Applicant estimates the total over-all capital cost of construction of the facilities described herein to be \$5,342,366, which Applicant proposes to finance by issuance and sale of capital stock to Consolidated Natural Gas Company.³

Any interested State commission is requested to notify the Federal Power Commission whether the application should be considered under the cooperative provisions of the Commission's rules of practice and procedure, and, if so, to advise the Federal Power Commission as to the nature of its interest in the matter and whether it desires a conference, the creation of a board, or a joint or concurrent hearing, together with reasons for such request.

The application of New York State Natural Gas Corporation is on file with the Commission and is open to public inspection. Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to the application shall file with the Federal Power Commission, Washington 25, D. C., not later than fifteen days

²Applicant filed an application with the Federal Power Commission on April 14, 1947, in Docket No. G-888 for authorization to construct and operate a compressor station for the purpose of receiving deliveries of gas from the Inch Lines into its main transmission pipeline No. 9.

³The over-all capital cost of the facilities as proposed in the original application was estimated to be \$5,250,000.

from the date of publication of this notice in the FEDERAL REGISTER, a petition to intervene or protest. Such petition or protest shall conform to the requirements of the rules of practice and procedure (effective September 11, 1946), and shall set out clearly and concisely the facts from which the nature of the petitioner or protestant's alleged right or interest can be determined. Petitions for intervention shall state fully and completely the grounds of the proposed intervention and the contentions of the petitioner in the proceeding so as to advise the parties and the Commission as to the specific issues of fact or law to be raised or controverted, by admitting, denying, or otherwise answering, specifically and in detail, each material allegation of fact or law asserted in the proceeding.

[SEAL]

LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.[P. R. Doc. 47-4364; Filed, May 7, 1947;
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[Docket No. G-888]

NEW YORK STATE NATURAL GAS CORP.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

APRIL 30, 1947.

Notice is hereby given that on April 14, 1947, an application was filed with the Federal Power Commission by New York State Natural Gas Corporation (Applicant) a New York corporation with its principal office in New York, New York, for a certificate of public convenience and necessity pursuant to section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, as amended, authorizing the Applicant to construct and operate a compressor station, to be known as Preston Station, in Greene County, Pennsylvania, near the place where Applicant's main transmission pipeline No. 9 crosses the Big Inch and Little Big Inch pipelines (Inch Lines) to enable Applicant to receive gas from such pipelines and discharge it into its pipeline No. 9 against the operating pressures of the latter pipeline, as hereinafter more fully described.

Applicant seeks authorization to construct and operate the following-described facilities:

(a) Preston Station, consisting of five 1200 horsepower gas engines and compressors with auxiliary equipment, tankage and storage, cooling tower, structures for housing the machinery, and appurtenant equipment;

(b) Approximately eight-tenths of a mile of 20-inch pipeline from the Inch Lines to Preston Station and approximately three-tenths of a mile of 20-inch pipeline from Preston Station to Applicant's pipeline No. 9.

Applicant recites that it, together with its affiliates, The East Ohio Gas Company and Peoples Natural Gas Company, entered into an interim contract to run during the period the Inch Lines are operated under lease and also a long term contract with Texas Eastern Transmission Corporation to purchase gas to be delivered from the Inch Lines. Applicant and its affiliates are to receive under the interim agreement up to 125,-

000 Mcf per day and under the long term contract initially up to 125,000 Mcf per day, with options to receive ultimately 200,000 Mcf per day.

It is stated that upon completion of Preston Station Applicant will be able to receive gas from the Inch Lines at existing pressure, which will likely not exceed 100 p. s. until after Texas Eastern Transmission Company puts its proposed compressor stations in operation, and discharge it into Applicant's line No. 9 which has an operating pressure of approximately 1200 p. s. i.

It is further stated that the shortage of gas during the winter of 1946-47 made it impossible for Hope Natural Gas Company to deliver to Applicant sufficient gas to meet the requirements of all its customer companies; that gas must be obtained from the Inch Lines and from Hope Natural Gas Company if Applicant is to meet the anticipated requirements of its customers for 1947 and 1948 which, in addition to the anticipated demands of fourteen wholesale customers to which Applicant now delivers gas, includes the following: Republic Light, Heat & Power Company, Inc., which will distribute the gas purchased; Penn-York Natural Gas Corporation which intends to resell the gas purchased to Dominion Natural Gas Company Iroquois Gas Corporation; and Pennsylvania Gas Company.

Applicant estimates the total over-all capital cost of construction of the facilities described herein to be approximately \$1,215,785, which Applicant proposes to finance by issuing and selling capital stock to its parent, Consolidated Natural Gas Company, at par for cash.

Any interested State commission is requested to notify the Federal Power Commission whether the application should be considered under the cooperative provisions of the Commission's rules of practice and procedure, and if so, to advise the Federal Power Commission as to the nature of its interest in the matter and whether it desires a conference, the creation of a board, or a joint or concurrent hearing, together with reasons for such request.

The application of New York State Natural Gas Corporation is on file with the Commission and is open to public inspection. Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to the application shall file with the Federal Power Commission, Washington 25, D. C., not later than fifteen days from the date of publication of this notice in the FEDERAL REGISTER, a petition to intervene or protest. Such petition or protest shall conform to the requirements of the rules of practice and procedure (effective September 11, 1946) and shall set out clearly and concisely the facts from which the nature of the petitioner or protestant's alleged right or interest can be determined. Petitions for intervention shall state fully and completely the grounds, of the proposed intervention and the contentions of the petitioner in the proceeding so as to advise the parties and the Commission as to the specific issues of fact or law to be raised or controverted, by admitting,

denying, or otherwise answering, specifically and in detail, each material allegation of fact or law asserted in the proceeding.

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

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INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

[S. O. 396, Special Permit 177]

RECONSIGNMENT OF CELERY AT ALTOONA, PA.

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by paragraph (f) of the first ordering paragraph of Service Order No. 396 (10 F. R. 15008), permission is granted for any common carrier by railroad subject to the Interstate Commerce Act:

To disregard entirely the provisions of paragraph (j) of Service Order No. 396 insofar as it applies to the reconsignment at Altoona, Pa., May 1, 1947, by J. E. Nelson & Son, of car ART 22522, celery, now on the P. R. R. to O'Donnell Fruit Co., Pittsburgh, Pa. (PRR)

The waybill shall show reference to this special permit.

A copy of this special permit has been served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and notice of this permit shall be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

Issued at Washington, D. C., this 1st day of May 1947.

V. C. CLINGER,
Director
Bureau of Service.

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[S. O. 726]

UNLOADING OF LUMBER AT LOS ANGELES AND COLTON, CALIF.

At a session of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Division 3, held at its office in Washington, D. C., on the 2d day of May A. D. 1947.

It appearing, that 6 cars containing lumber at Los Angeles and Colton, California, on the Southern Pacific Company have been on hand for an unreasonable length of time and that the delay in unloading said cars is impeding their use; in the opinion of the Commission an emergency exists requiring immediate action: It is ordered, that:

(a) *Lumber at Los Angeles and Colton, Calif., be unloaded.* The Southern Pacific Company, its agents or employees, shall unload immediately cars NP 27687, EJE 60729 and CGW 85112, loaded with lumber, now on hand at Los Angeles, California, and cars ACL 21476, Wab

48773 and WLE 25480, loaded with lumber, now on hand at Colton, California.

(b) *Demurrage.* No common carrier by railroad subject to the Interstate Commerce Act shall charge or demand or collect or receive any demurrage or storage charges, for the detention under load of any car specified in paragraph (a) of this order, for the detention period commencing at 7:00 a. m., May 5, 1947, and continuing until the actual unloading of said car or cars is completed.

(c) *Provisions suspended.* The operation of any or all rules, regulations, or practices, insofar as they conflict with the provisions of this order, is hereby suspended.

(d) *Notice and expiration.* Said carrier shall notify V. C. Clinger, Director, Bureau of Service, Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, D. C., when it has completed the unloading required by paragraph (a) hereof, and such notice shall specify when, where, and by whom such unloading was performed. Upon receipt of that notice this order shall expire.

It is further ordered, that this order shall become effective immediately; that a copy of this order and direction be served upon the Association of American Railroads, Car Service Division, as agent of the railroads subscribing to the car service and per diem agreement under the terms of that agreement; and that notice of this order be given to the general public by depositing a copy in the office of the Secretary of the Commission, at Washington, D. C., and by filing it with the Director, Division of the Federal Register.

(40 Stat. 101, sec. 402, 41 Stat. 476, sec. 4, 54 Stat. 901, 911; 49 U. S. C. 1 (10)-(17), 15 (2))

By the Commission, Division 3.

[SEAL] W. P. BARTEL,
Secretary.

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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[File No. 1-559]

LEONARD CUSTOM TAILORS Co.

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION TO WITHDRAW FROM LISTING AND REGISTRATION

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the City of Philadelphia, Pa., on the 2d day of May A. D. 1947.

The Leonard Custom Tailors Company, pursuant to section 12 (d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule X-12D2-1 (b) promulgated thereunder, having made application to withdraw its Common Stock, No Par Value, from listing and registration on the Cincinnati Stock Exchange;

Appropriate notice and opportunity for hearing having been given to interested persons and the public generally.

No request having been received from any interested person for a hearing in this matter; and

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The Commission having considered the facts stated in the application, and having due regard for the public interest and the protection of investors;

It is ordered, That said application be, and the same is, hereby granted, effective at the close of the trading session on May 12, 1947.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

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[File No. 7-976]

CERTAIN-TEED PRODUCTS CORP.

ORDER GRANTING UNLISTED TRADING PRIVILEGES

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the City of Philadelphia, Pa., on the 1st day of May A. D. 1947.

The Boston Stock Exchange has made application to the Commission pursuant to section 12 (f) (2) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule X-12F-1 for permission to extend unlisted trading privileges to the Common Stock, \$1.00 Par Value, of Certain-Teed Products Corporation.

After appropriate notice and opportunity for hearing and in the absence of any request by any interested person for hearing on this matter, the Commission on the basis of the facts submitted in the application makes the following findings:

(1) That this security is listed and registered on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange and the New York Stock Exchange; that the geographical area deemed to constitute the vicinity of the Boston Stock Exchange for the purpose of this application is the New England States exclusive of Fairfield County, Connecticut; that out of a total of 1,619,999 shares outstanding, 39,925 shares are owned by 581 shareholders in the vicinity of the Boston Stock Exchange; and that in the vicinity of the Boston Stock Exchange there were 815 transactions involving 77,102 shares from January 1, 1946 to December 31, 1946;

(2) That sufficient public distribution of, and sufficient public trading activity in, this security exist in the vicinity of the applicant exchange to render the extension of unlisted trading privileges thereto appropriate in the public interest and for the protection of investors; and

(3) That the extension of unlisted trading privileges on the applicant exchange to this security is otherwise appropriate in the public interest and for the protection of investors.

Accordingly it is ordered, Pursuant to section 12 (f) (2) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, that the application of the Boston Stock Exchange for permission to extend unlisted trading privileges to the Common Stock, \$1.00 Par Value, of Certain-Teed Products Corpo-

ration be, and the same is, hereby granted.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

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[File No. 7-987]

LIGGETT & MYERS TOBACCO CO.
ORDER DETERMINING VALUE OF CERTAIN STOCK

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the City of Philadelphia, Pa., on the 2d day of May A. D. 1947.

The Boston Stock Exchange has made application under Rule X-12F-2 (b) for a determination that the Common Stock, \$25 Par Value, of Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company is substantially equivalent to the Common Stock B, \$25 Par Value, of that company, which has heretofore been admitted to unlisted trading privileges on the applicant exchange.

The Commission having duly considered the matter, and having due regard for the public interest and the protection of investors;

It is ordered, Pursuant to sections 12 (f) and 23 (a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule X-12F-2 (b) thereunder, that the Common Stock, \$25 Par Value, of Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company is hereby determined to be substantially equivalent to the Common Stock B, \$25 Par Value, of that company heretofore admitted to unlisted trading privileges on the applicant exchange.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

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[File No. 812-491]

AMERICAN GOLD, INC.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION, STATEMENT OF ISSUES AND ORDER FOR HEARING

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the City of Philadelphia, Pa., on the 2d day of May A. D. 1947.

Notice is hereby given that American Gold, Inc., a registered investment company, has filed an application pursuant to section 17 (b) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 for an order exempting from the provisions of section 17 (a) of said act a proposed transaction in which American Gold, Inc., is to sell to R. H. Carpenter, director and secretary-treasurer, one share of Bulolo Gold Dredging Company, Ltd., one share of Consolidated Gold Fields, South Africa, Ltd., one share of East Geduld Mines, Ltd., 6,800 shares of Atlas Gold Mining Company; 300 shares of Split Lake Gold Mines, Ltd., 2,500 shares of French Hill

Gold Mines Company 40/100 share of 6% Preferred Stock of Walworth Company; and 120 Warrants of United Gas Corporation for an aggregate consideration of \$130.27. R. H. Carpenter is an affiliated person of American Gold, Inc., within the meaning of the act.

All interested persons are referred to said application which is on file in the offices of this Commission for a more detailed statement of the proposed transaction.

It appearing to the Commission that a hearing upon the application is necessary and appropriate:

It is ordered, Pursuant to section 40 (a) of said act, that a public hearing on the aforesaid application be held on the 19th day of May 1947, at 9:45 a. m., eastern daylight saving time, in Room 318 of the offices of the Securities and Exchange Commission, 18th and Locust Streets, Philadelphia 3, Pennsylvania.

It is further ordered, That William W. Swift, or any officer or officers of the Commission designated by it for that purpose shall preside at the hearing and any officer or officers so designated to preside at any such hearing is hereby authorized to exercise all of the powers granted to the Commission under sections 41 and 42 (b) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 and to trial examiners under the Commission's rules of practice.

The Corporation Finance Division of the Commission has advised the Commission that upon a preliminary examination of the application, it deems the following issues to be raised thereby without prejudice to the specification of additional issues upon further examination:

(1) Whether the terms of the proposed transaction, including the consideration to be paid and received, are reasonable and fair and do not involve overreaching on the part of any person concerned;

(2) Whether the proposed transaction is consistent with the policy of American Gold, Inc., as recited in its registration statement and reports filed under the act; and

(3) Whether the proposed transaction is consistent with the general purposes of the act.

Notice of such hearing is hereby given to the above-named American Gold, Inc., and to any other person or persons whose participation in such proceedings may be in the public interest or for the protection of investors. Any person desiring to be heard or otherwise wishing to participate in said proceeding should file with the Secretary of the Commission, on or before May 16, 1947, his application therefor as provided by Rule XVII of the rules of practice of the Commission, setting forth therein any of the above issues of law or fact which he desires to controvert and any additional issues he deems raised by the aforesaid application.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

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