April, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, until and including the sixth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, be everywhere within New Zealand a good and legal tender of money to the amount therein expressed to be payable.

THE SCHEDULE.

The Bank of New Zealand.

The National Bank of New Zealand (Limited).

The Union Bank of Australia (Limited).

The Bank of Australasia.

The Bank of New South Wales.

The Commercial Bank of Australia (Limited).

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this fifteenth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. ALLEN, Minister of Finance.

Issued in Executive Council.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Prohibiting the Export of Oats.

LIVERPOOL, Governor.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fifteenth day of March, 1915.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty-seven of the Customs Act, 1913, as extended by section twenty-four of the Regulation of Trade and Commerce Act, 1914, it is enacted that the Governor may, by Order in Council gazetted, prohibit the exportation of any goods the prohibition of the exportation of which is in his opinion necessary in the public interest:

And whereas in the opinion of the Governor it is necessary that the exportation

of oats should be prohibited:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section forty-seven of the Customs Act, 1913, and section twenty-four of the Regulation of Trade and Commerce Act, 1914, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the Dominion, doth hereby prohibit the exportation of oats from the said Dominion, save and except where in any case the Minister of Customs consents to the exportation of any specified quantity of oats in a specified ship, and authorizes the lading and exportation thereof accordingly; and, with the like advice and consent, doth declare that the Orders in Council made and gazetted on the tenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and on the thirteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, are hereby revoked so far as they relate to the exportation of oats, but are in all other respects confirmed.

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