

ORDER IN COUNCIL UNDER SECTION 3 OF THE FOOD PRICES REGULATION ORDINANCE, 1934 (No. 1 OF 1934) PRESCRIBING THE MAXIMUM PRICES AT WHICH CERTAIN ARTICLES OF FOOD AND FUEL SHALL BE SOLD IN THIS COLONY.

WHEREAS, it is enacted by section 3 of the Food Prices Regulation Ordinance, 1934, that the Governor in Council may, if he considers it necessary to prevent any undue increase in the prices of food or in any article used as fuel, by Order prescribe the maximum price at which any articles of food or used as fuel may be sold in any district either by wholesale or by retail ;

And whereas, it appears desirable, as a result of the conditions in the Colony caused by floods, to prescribe the maximum prices at which certain articles of food and fuel shall be sold :—

Now, therefore, the Governor by and with the advice of the Executive Council, doth hereby order and prescribe that :—

- I. This Order may be cited as Food Prices Regulation Order—1934 ;
- II. The prices stated in respect of the articles of food and fuel set out in Schedule I. hereto shall be the maximum prices at which the said articles shall be sold in the Colony exclusive of the parts thereof set out in Schedule II. hereto ;
- III. The Order made on the fifteenth day of January, 1934, under the Food Prices Regulation Ordinance, 1934, is hereby revoked.

Made by the Governor in Council this eighteenth day of January, 1934.

C. W. H. COLLIER,
Clerk of the Council.

18th January, 1934.

SCHEDULE I.

RICE.

SUPER AND NO. 1.

\$5.50 per bag of 180 lbs. delivered by miller (including bag);
 \$5.75 wholesale—lots of 10 or more bags.
 .28 per gallon.
 .04 per pint.

NO. 2 AND NO. 3.

\$4.00 per bag of 180 lbs. delivered by miller (including bag);
 \$4.25 wholesale—lots of 10 or more bags;
 .22 per gallon.
 .03 per pint.

Article.	Wholesale (unbroken package) price in the city of Georgetown.	Retail price in the city of Georgetown.	Retail price elsewhere.
Sugar (Dark Crystals)	... \$ 3.50 per 100 lbs.	... 4c. per lb.	4c. per lb.
Pickled Pork	... \$21.00 per barrel of 190/200 lbs.	... 13c. "	15c. "
Pigtails	... \$18.00 per barrel of 190 lbs.	... 11c. "	12c. "
Pickled Beef	... \$18.00 per barrel of 190 lbs.	... 11c. "	12c. "
Dholl	... \$ 6.50 per bag of 160 lbs.	... 5c. "	6c. "
Biscuits (Midis and Crackers)	\$ 5.00 per barrel of 44 lbs.	} 6 for 1c.	} 5 for 1c.
Do.	... \$ 5.50 per drum of 44 lbs.		
Do.	... \$ 2.55 per half barrel		
Do.	... \$ 2.80 per ha'f drum		
	Breakaday Edger Boy	} 4 for 1c.	} 3 for 1c.
Flour (Extra)	... \$ 6.70 per bag of 196 lbs.		
Flour (Super)	... \$ 5.75 " " "	... 4c. per lb.	4½c. per lb.
Flour (Lower Super)	... \$ 5.25 " " "	... 3½c. "	4c. "
Split peas	... \$ 4.00 per bag of 98 lbs.	... 3c. "	3½c. "
Cornmeal (English)	... \$ 2.75 " " " 98 "	... 4½c. "	5c. "
" " (Canadian)	... \$ 3.25 " " " 98 "	... 4c. "	4½c. "
Firewood (Wallaba)	... \$ 2.64 " ton	... 4c. "	4½c. "
	\$ 1.44 " 100 pieces
Charcoal	... 72 " bag of 90 lbs.
Kerosene Oil	... \$ 5.60 " case of 104 reputed pints	... 6c. per reputed pint	6c. per reputed pint
" " Drum	... 54 " gallon	... 8c. p.r imperial pint	8c. per imperial pint
Condensed Milk— (Milkmaid)	... \$ 6.25 per case of 48 tins	... 14c. per tin	15c. per tin
(Eagle)	... \$ 5.25 " " " 48 "	... 12c. "	13c. "
(Cleeves and other Brands)	\$ 5.00 " " " 48 "	... 12c. "	13c. "
Butter (cooking)	... \$27.00 " 100 lbs.	... 32c. per lb.	34c. per lb.
Margarine (lower grade Oleo)	... \$16.00 " " "	... 20c. "	22c. "
Edible Oil (Fryol)	... \$ 0.93 " gallon	... 13c. per imperial pint	14c. per imperial pint
Sardines (Canadian in oil)	... \$ 4.25 per case of 100 tins	... 5c. per tin	6c. per tin
Pollock	... \$30.00 " cask " 448 lbs.	... 8c. per lb.	9c. per lb.
Coffee Beans 7c. "	8c. "

SCHEDULE II.

Parts of the Colony to which the Order does not apply—

- I. The Mineral and Forest Licensing Area established by Order in Council dated 11th January, 1933, being that part of the Colony bounded as follows :—

On the North and North-East (roughly parallel with the Coast-line).—By the Yarikita river from its junction with the Amakura River on the boundary between British Guiana and Venezuela to the portage between the Yarikita and Aruau rivers, by the said portage and the Aruau river downwards to the Aruka river, by a line thence due East to a point on the Barima river at the mouth of the Sehuruina creek, by the Barima river to the Maruiwa river, by the said Maruiwa river and the Morebo Itabu and Morebo river to the Waini river, by a line thence due East to the watershed between the Waini and Baramani rivers, by the said watershed to the source of the Manawarin river, by the Manawarin river to the Korïa Itabu, by the said Itabu to the Wakapau river, by a line thence in a South-Easterly direction crossing the Akawinni river at a point 2 miles above Pariaka creek and meeting the boundary of the Pomeroon Indian Reservation at the mouth of the Arapiako river, by the Eastern boundary of the said Reservation to the source of the Arahouria river, by the Arahouria river to the Supenaam river, by the Supenaam river thence upwards to the Eastern boundary line of the proposed Forest Reserve No. 2 shewn on a plan by C. G. Brinsley dated December, 1930 (on record in the Lands and Mines Department as No. 3604), by the said Forest Reserve boundary running parallel with the Essequibo river at an average of 4 miles inland to its junction with the Penal Settlement Reserve on the Mazaruni river, by the North-Eastern boundary of the Penal Settlement Reserve to the Mazaruni river, by a line across the said river in a South-Easterly direction to the 5th mile post on the Bartica-Potaro road, a line thence in an Easterly direction across the Essequibo river to the watershed between the Essequibo and Demerara rivers at the source of the Makouria river by the said watershed to the source of the Hibibia river, by the Hibibia river to the Demerara river, by the Demerara river between the Hibibia and Wainibisci rivers, by the Wainibisci river from its mouth to its source on the watershed between the Demerara and Berbice rivers, by the said watershed southwards to the source of the Ituni river, by the Ituni river from its source to its mouth, by the Berbice river from the mouth of the Ituni to the mouth of the Wikki river, by the Wikki river from its mouth to its junction with the Kontrabisi river, by the Kontrabisi river from its mouth to its source, by a line from the said source to the Canje river at the mouth of the Marinero river, by the Marinero river from its mouth to its source, by a line from the said source to the source of the Mapenna

river, and by the Mapenna river from its source to its mouth on the Courantyne river.

On the East.—By that section of the Courantyne river forming the boundary between British Guiana and Dutch Guiana from the Mapenna river to the source of the said Courantyne river.

On the South.—By that section of the boundary of the Colony between British Guiana and Brazil, from the source of the Courantyne river to the source of the Essequibo river.

On the West.—By the boundary between British Guiana and Brazil from the source of the Essequibo river to the source of the Ireng river, by the Eastern and Northern boundaries of the Upper Mazaruni (Omnibus Licence) Mining District from the source of the Ireng to the source of the Wenamu river (thereby excluding the said Upper Mazaruni District) and by the boundary between British Guiana and Venezuela from the source of the Wenamu river to the junction of the Amakura and Yarikita rivers.

II. The Upper Mazaruni Mining District as re-defined by Order in Council dated 5th August, 1931, being :—

That portion of No. 3 mining district (as defined in Government Notice No. 65 of the 23rd of February, 1923) comprising all the lands drained by the Mazaruni and Puruni Rivers and their tributaries from but exclusive of the Mara-Mara river on the left bank of the Puruni river, and from but exclusive of the Semang river on the right bank of the Mazaruni river upwards to the sources of the said Mazaruni and Puruni rivers.