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NATIONAL SECURITY (PRICES) REGULATIONS.

PRICES REGULATION No. 3318.

New Fruit Case Shooks—Queensland.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by the National Security (Prices) Regulations, I, Horace Eddy Bishop, Assistant Prices Commissioner, hereby make the following Order:—

Citation.

1. This Order may be cited as Prices Regulation Order No. 3318.

Revocation.

2. Prices Regulation Order No. 1446 is hereby revoked.

Definitions and interpretation.

3. (1) In this Order, unless the contrary intention appears—
 “minimum truck load lot” means a quantity of new fruit case shoos weighing not less than 4 tons;
 “purchaser’s railway station” means the railway station nearest the purchaser’s premises;
 “railway station” includes a railway siding;
 “seller’s railway station” means the railway station nearest the seller’s premises;
 “Stanthorpe-Granite belt district” means all that area of Queensland comprised within a radius of 50 miles from the principal post office at Stanthorpe;

(2) For the purposes of this Order—

- (a) the terms “quarter bushel dump”, “quarter bushel flat”, “half bushel dump”, “long half bushel”, “half bushel flat”, “bushel dump”, “Canadian standard bushel”, “long or flat bushel (pear flat)”, “one and one-half bushel tropical fruit case”, and “banana case” shall be deemed to refer to new fruit case shoos which are prepared from timber conforming to the grading rules set out in the Second Schedule to this Order and which accord to the specifications set out in the Third Schedule to this Order opposite those terms respectively;

- (b) where the nearest railway station to the seller’s premises and the nearest railway station to the purchaser’s premises are the same railway station then the seller’s premises and the purchaser’s premises shall be deemed to be in the same locality.

MAXIMUM PRICES—SALES BY WHOLESALE.

4. I fix and declare the maximum price at which new fruit case shoos may be sold by wholesale in Queensland to be—

- (a) where sold in quantities of not less than a minimum truck load lot by a seller whose premises are not in the same locality as the purchaser’s premises for delivery free on rail at the purchaser’s railway station, or

- (b) where sold in quantities of less than a minimum truck load lot or by a seller whose premises are in the same locality as the purchaser’s premises for delivery *ex mill*—

the price specified in the Schedule to this Order for sales by wholesale.

Maximum prices—Sales by retail.

5. I fix and declare the maximum price at which new fruit case shoos may be sold by retail in Queensland to be—

- (a) where sold in quantities of not less than a minimum truck load lot by a seller whose premises are not in the same locality as the purchaser’s premises for delivery free on rail at the purchaser’s railway station—the price specified in the Schedule to this Order for sales by retail;
- (b) where sold in quantities of less than a minimum truck load lot, or by a seller whose premises are in the same locality as the premises of the purchaser, for delivery *ex mill*, depot, or seller’s railway station—the price so specified;
- (c) where sold in quantities of less than a minimum truck load lot, or by a seller whose premises are in the same locality as the premises of the purchaser, and the seller at the request of or with the concurrence of the purchaser delivers such new fruit case shoos to the purchaser’s premises—the price so specified plus an allowance as follows:—
- (i) in respect of one and one-half bushel tropical fruit case shoos—8s. 4d. per 100 sets;
 - (ii) in respect of bushel dump and Canadian standard bushel fruit case shoos—6s. 3d. per 100 sets;
 - (iii) in respect of other fruit case shoos—4s. 2d. per 100 sets.

Discounts.

6. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order where payment is made within 30 days of the date of delivery the maximum prices fixed by those provisions shall be subject to a reduction of 2½ per centum thereof.

Prohibition of certain sales before application for price.

7. No person shall sell in Queensland any new fruit case shoos, for the sale of which a maximum price is not fixed by or under the provisions of this Order, unless and until he has made written request to the Commissioner to fix the maximum price at which those new fruit case shoos may be sold and the Commissioner has fixed the maximum price accordingly.

Fixation of maximum prices by notice.

8. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Order, I declare the maximum price at which any new fruit case shoos specified in a notice in pursuance of this paragraph may be sold in Queensland by any person to whom such notice is given to be such price as is fixed by the Commissioner by notice in writing to that person.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

| Kind of fruit case shook. | Maximum Price. | |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| | Sales by Wholesale. | Sales by Retail. |
| | Per 100 sets. £ s. d. | Per 100 sets. £ s. d. |
| Quarter bushel dump— | | |
| Hardwood | 2 12 1 | 2 16 3 |
| Pine and scrubwood | 2 18 4 | 3 2 6 |
| Quarter bushel flat— | | |
| Hardwood | 2 14 2 | 2 18 4 |
| Pine and scrubwood | 2 18 4 | 3 2 6 |
| Half bushel dump— | | |
| Hardwood | 3 19 2 | 4 7 6 |
| Pine and scrubwood | 4 7 6 | 4 15 10 |
| Long half bushel— | | |
| Hardwood | 4 9 7 | 4 17 11 |
| Pine and scrubwood | 5 0 0 | 5 8 4 |
| Half bushel flat— | | |
| Hardwood | 4 11 8 | 5 0 0 |
| Pine and scrubwood | 5 2 3 | 5 10 5 |
| Bushel dump— | | |
| Hardwood | 6 7 1 | 6 15 5 |
| Pine and scrubwood | 7 1 8 | 7 10 0 |
| Canadian standard bushel— | | |
| Undressed ends— | | |
| Hardwood | 6 7 1 | 6 15 5 |
| Pine and scrubwood | 6 17 6 | 7 5 10 |
| One end dressed— | | |
| Hardwood | 6 9 2 | 6 17 6 |
| Pine and scrubwood | 6 19 7 | 7 7 11 |
| Long or flat bushel (pear flat)— | | |
| Hardwood | 7 7 11 | 7 16 3 |
| Pine and scrubwood | 8 6 8 | 8 15 0 |
| One and one-half bushel tropical fruit case— | | |
| A Grade— | | |
| Flooded gum | 10 8 4 | 10 16 8 |
| Other hardwood including blackbutt | 10 0 0 | 10 8 4 |
| Pine and scrubwood | 10 18 9 | 11 7 1 |
| B Grade— | | |
| Flooded gum | 9 11 8 | 10 0 0 |
| Other hardwood including blackbutt | 9 3 4 | 9 11 8 |
| Pine and scrubwood | 10 0 0 | 10 8 4 |
| Banana case— | | |
| Flooded gum | 9 9 7 | 9 17 11 |
| Other hardwood including blackbutt | 9 1 3 | 9 9 7 |
| Pine and scrubwood | 10 0 0 | 10 8 4 |
| Any other kind of fruit case shook not specified above | 1 0 0 | 1 0 0 |

For sales for delivery in the Stanthorpe-Granite belt district of half bushel dump hardwood fruit case shooks—the maximum prices specified above shall be subject to an increase of 10s. 5d. per 100 sets.

For sales for delivery in the Stanthorpe-Granite belt district of bushel dump hardwood fruit case shooks the maximum prices specified above shall be subject to an increase of 18s. 9d. per 100 sets.

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

Grading Rules for Timber for Fruit Case Shooks.

General.—Each piece of timber shall be well manufactured and sufficiently free from heart, knots, decay, gum veins or other defects to ensure that the strength of any piece is not impaired by more than 33½ per centum of its cross section and to permit the proper nailing of the piece.

Sawing tolerance.—Each piece of timber shall be cut true to dimension within the following tolerances:—

- Length—Plus ¼ inch or minus 1/16 inch.
- Thickness—Plus ¼ inch or minus 1/16 inch.
- Width—Plus ¼ inch or minus 1/16 inch.

Shrinkage allowance for 1-piece ends.—Width dimensions, green off saw, shall be overcut as under to provide for shrinkage—

| | Widths up to 8½ inches. | Widths over 8½ inches. |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Pine | ½ inch | 3/16 inch |
| Hardwood and scrubwood | ¾ inch | ½ inch |

THE THIRD SCHEDULE.

| Kind of fruit case shook. | Specifications. |
|---|---|
| Quarter bushel dump | Inside measurement, 18" x 4½" x 7½" Two ends, 4½" x ½" x 7½" One top and one bottom, 4" x ½" x 19½" Two sides, 7" x ½" x 19½" One piece top and bottom Sides, no piece to be under 2" in width |
| Quarter bushel flat.. | Inside measurement, 13½" x 10½" x 4" Two ends, 4" x ½" x 10½" One top and one bottom, 4" x ½" x 14½" Two sides, 10" x ½" x 14½" One piece top and bottom Sides, no piece to be under 2" in width |
| Half bushel dump .. | Inside measurement, 18" x 8½" x 7½" Two ends, 7½" x ½" x 8½" One top and one bottom, 8" x ½" x 19½" Two sides, 7" x ½" x 19½" Two pieces top and bottom Sides, no piece to be under 2" in width |
| Long half bushel .. | Inside measurement, 26" x 6" x 7½" Three ends, 6" x ½" x 7½" One top and one bottom, 6" x ½" x 27½" Two sides, 6½" x ½" x 27½" Two pieces top and bottom Sides, no piece to be under 2" in width |
| Half bushel flat .. | Inside measurement, 18" x 11½" x 5½" Two ends, 5½" x ½" x 11½" One top and one bottom, 12" x ½" x 19½" Two sides, 5½" x ½" x 19½" Two lid battens, 2" x ½" x 12" Tops and bottoms, no piece to be under 2" in width |
| Bushel dump .. | Sides, one piece Inside measurement, 18" x 8½" x 14½" Two ends, 8½" x ½" x 14½" One top and one bottom, 8½" x ½" x 19½" Two sides, 13½" x ½" x 19½" Two pieces top and bottom Sides, no piece to be under 3" in width |
| Canadian standard bushel | Inside measurement, 18" x 11½" x 10½" Two ends, 10½" x ½" x 11½" Two tops and two bottoms, 5½" x ½" x 19½" Four sides, 5½" x ½" x 19½" Four cleats, 2" x ½" x 11½" Inside measurement (with centre division), 26" x 6" x 14½" Three ends, 6" x ½" x 14½" One top and one bottom, 6" x ½" x 27½" Two sides, 13½" x ½" x 27½" Two pieces top and bottom Sides, no piece to be under 3" in width |
| Long or flat bushel (pear flat) | "A" Grade— Inside measurement, 24½" x 12" x 12" Two ends, either two pieces, 6" x ¾" x 12", or three pieces, 4" x ¾" x 12" One top and one bottom, 12" x ½" x 26½" Two sides, 11" x ½" x 26½" Four cleats, 2" x ½" x 12" Tops and bottoms each two 6", or three 4" pieces Sides, no piece to be under 3" in width, but no more than three boards to a side |
| One and one-half bushel tropical fruit case | "B" Grade— Specifications as for "A" Grade, except that tops and bottoms and sides shall have only 10" cover in each instance |
| Banana case .. | Inside measurement, 21" x 12" x 12" Two ends, 12" x ½" x 12" One top and one bottom, 12" x ½" x 22½" Two sides, 11" x ½" x 22½" Four cleats, 2" x ½" x ½" Tops and bottoms each of two 6" pieces, or three 4" pieces Sides, no piece to be under 3" in width, but no more than three boards to a side |

Dated this 28th day of May, 1948.

H. E. BISHOP
Assistant Prices Commissioner.

NATIONAL SECURITY (PRICES) REGULATIONS.
PRICES REGULATION ORDER No. 3319.

Meat—Victoria.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by the National Security (Prices) Regulations, I, Mortimer Eugene McCarthy, Commonwealth Prices Commissioner, hereby make the following Order:—

- 1. This Order may be cited as Prices Regulation Order No. 3319.

2. Prices Regulation Order No. 2907 as amended by Prices Regulation Orders No. 2921, 2932, 3116 and 3189 is hereby further amended—

(a) by omitting paragraph 12A and inserting in its stead the following paragraph:—

“12A. Every person who sells by wholesale any meat for which a maximum price is fixed by or under the provisions of this Order shall deliver with that meat an invoice or docket containing the following particulars:—

- (a) his name and place of business;
 - (b) the name and address of the purchaser of that meat;
 - (c) the date of the sale of that meat;
 - (d) the class of that meat described according to the classes of meat specified in the Schedules to this Order;
 - (e) the number in each lot of those classes of meat sold;
 - (f) in the case of any class of meat for which a maximum price is expressed in this Order or the Schedules thereto to be fixed by reference to weight—the total weight of each lot of those classes of meat sold;
 - (g) the price per lb., per dozen or per unit, as the case may be, at which each lot of those classes of meat is sold.”
- (b) by omitting from the First Schedule thereto the items and maximum prices thereof specified in the First Schedule to this Order;
- (c) by omitting the sub-heading “Sheep and Lamb—” appearing in the Second Schedule thereto and inserting in its stead the sub-heading “Sheep—”;
- (d) by omitting the Third Schedule thereto and inserting in its stead the Second Schedule to this Order.

THE FIRST SCHEDULE.

(Items and maximum prices thereof to be omitted from the First Schedule to Prices Regulation Order No. 2907 as amended.)

Wholesale—Maximum Prices.

| | Maximum Price (delivered). |
|---|----------------------------|
| | Per lb. s. d. |
| Lamb weighing not more than 36 lb. per carcass .. | 0 10½ |
| Lamb weighing more than 36 lb. per carcass .. | 0 10½ |

THE SECOND SCHEDULE.

(Amended Schedule—The Third Schedule—Prices Regulation Order No. 2907 as amended.)

Maximum Prices—Sales by Retail.

| | Maximum Prices. | |
|------------------------------|---|---|
| | Sales in Victoria other than Melbourne metropolitan area, Ballarat and Geelong. | Sales in Melbourne metropolitan area, Ballarat and Geelong. |
| | Per lb. s. d. | Per lb. s. d. |
| Beef— | | |
| Fillet steak | 2 0 | 2 2 |
| Rump steak | 1 9 | 1 11 |
| Sirloin steak | 1 6 | 1 8 |
| Porterhouse steak | 1 6 | 1 8 |
| Sirloin beef | 1 3 | 1 3 |
| Sirloin beef, rolled | 1 6 | 1 6 |
| Topside | 1 2 | 1 3 |
| Silverside | 1 1 | 1 2 |
| Boneless back rib | 1 0½ | 1 0½ |
| Prime rib | 0 11 | 1 0½ |
| Boned blade | 1 1½ | 1 1½ |

THE SECOND SCHEDULE—continued.

| | Maximum Prices. | |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|
| | Sales in Victoria other than Melbourne metropolitan area, Ballarat and Geelong. | Sales in Melbourne metropolitan area, Ballarat and Geelong. |
| | Per lb. s. d. | Per lb. s. d. |
| Beef—continued. | | |
| Boned chuck | 0 10½ | 0 10½ |
| Boned brisket | 0 8½ | 0 8½ |
| Gravy beef | 0 8½ | 0 8½ |
| Round | 1 1½ | 1 1½ |
| Wing rib | 1 2 | 1 2 |
| Rolled rib roast beef | 1 1½ | 1 3 |
| Thin skirt steak | 1 0 | 1 0 |
| Mince steak | 0 8½ | 0 8½ |
| Sausages | 0 9 | 0 9 |
| Sausage meat | 0 5 | 0 5 |
| Cuts not otherwise specified | 0 6 | 0 6 |
| Mutton— | | |
| Legs | 1 0 | 1 0 |
| Leg chops | 1 1 | 1 1 |
| Loin chops | 1 0 | 1 0 |
| Chump chops | 1 0 | 1 0 |
| Forequarter chops | 0 7½ | 0 7½ |
| Loin | 0 11 | 0 11 |
| Forequarter | 0 7 | 0 7 |
| Best end | 0 8½ | 0 8½ |
| Breast | 0 7½ | 0 7½ |
| Neck | 0 6 | 0 6 |
| Shoulder | 0 8 | 0 8 |
| Shanks | 0 6 | 0 6 |
| Cuts not otherwise specified | 0 6 | 0 6 |
| Pork— | | |
| Legs | 1 5 | 1 5 |
| Best loin | 1 6 | 1 6 |
| Foreloin | 1 1 | 1 1 |
| Hand | 0 11 | 0 11 |
| Belly, bone in | 1 0 | 1 0 |
| Best loin chops | 1 7 | 1 7 |
| Cuts not otherwise specified | 0 11 | 0 11 |
| Veal— | | |
| Leg, bone in | 1 0 | 1 0 |
| Fillet | 1 3 | 1 3 |
| Cutlets | 1 3½ | 1 3½ |
| Loin | 1 1½ | 1 1½ |
| Loin chops | 1 2 | 1 2 |
| Forequarter | 0 9 | 0 9 |
| Forequarter, rolled | 1 0 | 1 0 |
| Knuckles | 0 5 | 0 5 |
| Cuts not otherwise specified | 0 9 | 0 9 |
| Offal Meats— | | |
| Beef— | | |
| Ox tongues | 0 8 | 0 8 |
| Ox tails | 0 8 | 0 8 |
| Hearts | 0 4½ | 0 4 |
| Kidneys | 0 11 | 0 11½ |
| Livers | 0 3 | 0 3 |
| Tripe, cooked | 0 8 | 0 6 |
| Sheep— | | |
| Tongues | 0 2½ | 0 2½ |
| Livers | 0 6 | 0 6 |
| Kidneys | 0 2 | 0 2 |
| Brains | 0 3 | 0 3 |

Dated this 28th day of May, 1948.

M. E. MCCARTHY
Commonwealth Prices Commissioner.

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