

DOVER DISTRICT.

MILITARY LANDS AT SHORNCLIFFE AND HYTHER.

BYE-LAWS.

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1. NO costermonger, hawker, pedlar, huckster, marine store or other dealer, or rag and bone and bottle gatherer, or book-maker or racing or betting tout, or vendor of newspapers, or any kind of literature, or photographer, or person engaged in any similar traffic or occupation to any one of those specified unless in possession of a Pass issued under the authority of the General or other Officer Commanding Shorncliffe Camp, shall intrude or enter, or be upon, the said War Department lands for the purpose of selling, buying, trafficking or otherwise carrying on his or her or any like business or calling.

2. NO person shall enter upon the said War Department lands for the purpose of idling, loitering or behaving in an indecent or disorderly manner, or for the purpose of gaming, betting or wagering, or of pursuing or killing game or other animals.

3. NO person shall enter or be upon the said War Department lands for the purpose of carrying or of applying for permission to carry the kits of Soldiers or other persons, or of obtaining any other kind of casual employment.

4. NO person shall enter or be upon the said War Department lands for the purpose of removing cartridge cases, lead from the Butts, or any kind of metal or other material, unless duly authorised and in possession of a Pass issued under the authority of the General or other Officer Commanding Shorncliffe Camp.

5. NO person whatever shall continue on the said War Department lands after being warned off by an Officer or by any person acting under the authority of an Officer.

6. NO person, unless in possession of a Pass issued under the authority of the General or other Officer Commanding Shorncliffe Camp, shall camp or bivouac or sleep out upon the said War Department lands.

7. NO person, without the authority of an Officer, shall deposit broken glass or other rubbish upon the said War Department lands.

8. NO night walker or common prostitute shall locate herself in, or trespass on, or resort to the said War Department lands for the purpose of prostitution.

9. NO person without the authority of the General or other Officer Commanding Shorncliffe Camp, shall cut grass, or cut and remove turf or use the said War Department lands for the purpose of grazing any horse, cow, sheep or other animal.

10. NO person without the authority of an Officer shall light a fire on the said lands for any purpose whatever; nor shall any person by throwing down lighted or live matches, or in any other way, do anything causing or tending to cause a fire to break out on the said War Department lands.

11. NO person shall ride a horse or a bicycle upon any footpath by the side of any War Department road maintained by the War Department and situate on the said War Department lands.

12. NO driver of any motor car, motor cycle, or other self-propelled vehicle, shall drive at a speed exceeding 12 miles an hour on any road, or part of a road maintained by the War Department within the said War Department lands, on which notices regulating the speed of such vehicles have been posted.

13. NO driver of a hackney carriage, taxi-cab or other vehicle shall enter or be upon the said War Department lands for the purpose of plying for hire without a Pass issued under the authority of the General or other Officer Commanding Shorncliffe Camp.

14. NO motor car, cycle, or vehicle shall be driven over the said War Department lands without a light between the hours of half an hour after sunset and half an hour before sunrise. The provisions of this bye-law are in addition to and not in derogation of any existing statute, local or other bye-laws or regulations, which may now or hereafter be in force.

15. THE following persons, *viz.* :—

(1) The General or other Officer Commanding Shorncliffe Camp.

(2) The Officer in Charge of the said War Department lands.

(3) Any Officer, Warrant Officer, Non-Commissioned Officer or Military Policeman for the time being under the command of the said General or other Officer Commanding, or of the said Officer-in-Charge.

(4) Any person authorised in writing under the hand of the said General or other Officer Commanding, or of the said Officer-in-Charge.

(5) Any Constable,

shall have power and are hereby authorised—

(1) To remove from the said War Department land and take into custody without Warrant, and bring before a Court of Summary Jurisdiction as provided by the Military

Lands Acts, 1892 to 1903, to be dealt with according to law, any person contravening any of these Bye-laws.

- (2) To remove from the said War Department land any vehicle, animal, or thing found therein in contravention of any of these Bye-laws, and any such vehicle, animal, or thing shall be liable to forfeiture as mentioned in the aforesaid Acts.

16. ANY person doing anything prohibited by, or otherwise contravening any of the preceding Bye-laws, Numbers 1 to 14 respectively, shall be deemed to commit an offence against the same, and is under the said Acts liable, on conviction, to a fine not exceeding Five Pounds.

17. THE lands to which these Bye-laws apply are specified in the Schedule hereto, and a plan showing the boundaries of the said land can be inspected at Shorncliffe Camp.

18. NOTHING in these Bye-laws shall interfere with any public right of way, but subject as aforesaid the expression "lands" or "War Department lands" shall include all roads on such lands.

19. The Bye-Laws for Shorncliffe Camp dated twenty-fourth June, one thousand nine hundred and three and eighth June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, are hereby revoked.

20. COPIES of these Bye-laws can be obtained at the price of One Shilling for each copy, at the Royal Engineer's Office, Shorncliffe Camp, by any person who desires to obtain the same.

Dated this thirtieth day of November, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-two.

(Signed) DERBY.

*His Majesty's Principal Secretary
of State for the War Department.*

SCHEDULE.

The War Department lands to which the foregoing Bye-laws apply are situated at the under-mentioned places, that is to say:—

Shorncliffe.—The War Department lands lying east and west of Horn Street and comprising the Camp, St. Martin's Plain, etc.

Hythe.—The War Department lands lying north and south of the Royal Military Canal and road and comprising the School of Musketry, training area and rifle ranges.