

TRADING WITH ENEMY

Further Particulars Given in Official Proclamation.

The text of a further British proclamation concerning trading with the enemy in the present war situation has been received by the government and published in the Canada Gazette. It is an extension of the first proclamation of this kind, and clears up some points about which uncertainty has been felt.

The expression "enemy", for instance, is defined not to include persons of enemy nationality who are neither resident nor carrying on business in the enemy country. It is provided, too, that where an enemy has a branch locally situated in British, allied or neutral territory, not being neutral territory in Europe, transactions by or with such branch shall not be treated as transactions with the enemy. Payments by or on account of enemies to persons resident, carrying on business or being in British dominions, if such payments arise out of transactions entered into before the outbreak of war are not prohibited.