

BASUTOLAND.

HIGH COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE
No. 197 OF 1947.

It is hereby notified for general information that, under and by virtue of the powers vested in him by section *one* of the Basutoland Emergency Powers (Defence) Proclamation, 1939 (No. 35 of 1939), His Excellency the High Commissioner has been pleased to make the subjoined regulations relating to the importation of mealies and mealie products.

REGULATIONS.

IMPORTATION OF MEALIES AND MEALIE PRODUCTS.

1. No person shall import into the Territory from the Union of South Africa any mealies or mealie products unless he is in possession of a permit issued to him by the Controller authorising the importation of such mealies or mealie products. The Controller may require any person so importing mealies or mealie products to pay the sum of 6s. 3d. per bag of 200 lb. net weight, or such other sum as may hereafter be fixed by the Government of the Union of South Africa as the export levy on mealies or mealie products exported to Basutoland.

Applications for permission to import mealies or mealie products from the Union of South Africa must be addressed to the Controller, to whom all amounts due in respect of the said export levy on mealies or mealie products for which permits are issued shall be paid by applicants within seven days of the date on which they receive such permits.

2. Any person who contravenes any provision of these regulations shall be guilty of an offence and liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding two hundred pounds or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding one year, or to both such fine and imprisonment.

3. In these regulations "Controller" means the Director of Livestock and Agricultural Services.

By Command of His Excellency
the High Commissioner.

H. E. PRIESTMAN,
Administrative Secretary.

High Commissioner's Office,
Pretoria, 16th October, 1947.