

The Home Secretary gives notice that in pursuance of Section 2 (1) of the Employment of Women, Young Persons and Children Act, 1920, he has made an order authorising the employment on two day shifts of women of 18 and young persons of 16 years of age and over in dough cutting and biscuit baking at the works of the Blackpool Biscuit Company Limited, Buchanan Street, Blackpool, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks; that there shall be provided suitable protective clothing, cloakroom and messroom accommodation, washing facilities and facilities for sitting; and that arrangements shall be made for the effective and regular supervision of the women and young persons employed by a responsible forewoman during the whole time the shifts are at work.

Whitehall,
20th November, 1924.

WILD BIRDS PROTECTION ACTS.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that, on the 14th instant he made an Order under the Wild Birds Protection Acts, 1880 to 1908, for the Administrative County of Hertford.

Copies of the Order may be purchased through any bookseller or directly from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses:—
Astral House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2, and 28, Abingdon Street, London, S.W. 1; York Street, Manchester; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; and 120, George Street, Edinburgh.

Whitehall,
17th November, 1924.

FIELD LANE BOYS' SCHOOL, WEST HAMPSTEAD, N.W. 6.

New Certificate.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that, being satisfied that it is desirable that the number of boys to be accommodated in the Field Lane Boys' School, West Hampstead, N.W. 6, should be reduced, he has certified that the said School is now fitted for the reception of not more than ninety boys in all.

Whitehall,
18th November, 1924.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

F.H. (19).

FLAX AND HEMP TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES FOR CERTAIN CLASSES OF MALE APPRENTICES AND IMPROVERS IN TENTING AND DRESSING.

This Notice takes the place of the Notice F.H. (10) issued by the Trade Board and dated 23rd February, 1922.

The Minimum Rates of Wages set out in the Schedule below are effective as from the following dates:—

- (a) The General Minimum Time-Rates (and the Overtime Rates based thereon) set out in Part II are effective as from 27th February, 1922.
- (b) The General Minimum Time-Rates (and the Overtime Rates based thereon) set out in Part I are effective—
 - (i) as respects male apprentices indentured prior to 24th November, 1924, whose indentures are in the form set out in Part VI of the Schedule to the Trade Board's Notice F.H. (10) as from 27th February, 1922;
 - (ii) as respects male apprentices whose indentures are in the form set out in Part VI of the Schedule to this Notice or in any other form approved by the Trade Board as from 24th November, 1924.*

* Should this date not correspond with the beginning of the period for which wages are paid by an employer who pays wages at intervals not exceeding seven days, the rates become effective as from the beginning of the next full pay period, but in any case not later than 30th November, 1924.