WELFARE OF WORKERS IN FACTORIES AND WORKSHOPS.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that on the 2nd May, 1930, he made an Order under Section 7 of the Police, Factories, etc. (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1916, for securing the welfare of the workers employed in all factories and workshops, or parts thereof, in which are carried on the processes of liming and tanning of raw hides and skins (including the re-tanning of tanned or partly tanned hides and skins) and processes incidental thereto.

A draft of this Order was issued in August last, and certain objections lodged against the draft were referred, in pursuance of the statutory procedure, to Sir Harold Morris, K.C., as Referee, for settlement. The Report of the Referee has now been received and the Order as finally made by the Secretary of State is based on that Report.

This Order, which may be cited as the Tanning Welfare Order, 1930, will come into force on 1st July, 1930, from which date the Order made by the Secretary of State on the 22nd March, 1918, for factories or parts of factories in which bichromate of potassium or sodium is used in tanning by the "two bath" process, will be revoked in so far as it affects factories or parts of factories to which the new Order applies.

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

Whitehall,

21st May, 1930.

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 the processes of winding, pirning and warping of artificial silk at the Victoria Mills of Messrs. Victoria Textiles Ltd., Honley, Yorks, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks; that suitable cloakroom and messroom accommodation and washing facilities shall be provided, and that the Secretary of State may at any time require the occupiers to make such special arrangements for the conveyance of workers living at a distance or otherwise for the welfare of such workers as may be necessary to prevent hardship.

Whitehall,

20th May, 1930.

CANCELLATION OF STANDINGS FOR HACKNEY CARRIAGES.

By virtue of the Act 13 and 14 Victoria, chapter 7, intituled "An Act for Consolidating the Office of the Registrar of Metropolitan Public Carriages with the Office of Commissioners of Police of the Metropolis, and making other provisions in regard to the Consolidated Offices."

	3rd May, 1930.	CANCELLATIONS.
Ат	Henrietta Street, Vere Street.	Three Hackney Carriages: In the centre of Henrietta Street, East of refuge at the corner of Vere Street, extending Eastward as far as necessary. Front of vehicles facing West.
	3rd May, 1930.	
А т	Montpelier Street, and Brompton Road. In two portions.	Six Hackney Carriages: First Portion.—Two carriages to stand West of the refuge at Brompton Road in centre of roadway opposite No. 125. Horses' heads facing Eastward. Second Portion.—Four carriages in Montpelier Street commencing from the crossing and extending Northward along centre of street as far as necessary. Horses' heads facing South. The first portion to be fed exclusively by carriages from the second portion.
	5th May, 1930.	
At	Hyde Park Mansions, Chapel Street.	One Hackney Carriage: On East side of Hyde Park Mansions at its junction with Chapel Street. Front of vehicle facing North.

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