## WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1925.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has appointed H. Percy Bennett, Esq., M.B., C.M., 12, Victoria Square, Newcastleupon-Tyne, and Alexander MacRae, Esq., M.D., Ch.B., 6, Jesmond Road, Newcastleupon-Tyne, to be Medical Referees under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1925, with a view to their being employed in ophthalmic cases arising in the districts of the Alnwick, Berwick, Consett, Gateshead, Hexham and Bellingham, Morpeth and Blyth, Newcastleupon-Tyne, North Shields, South Shields and Jarrow County Courts (Circuit No. 1).

Whitehall,

14th October, 1930.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1925.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has appointed Alexander MacRae, Esq., M.D., Ch.B., 6, Jesmond Road, Newcastleupon-Tyne, to be a Medical Referee under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1925, and has extended the appointment as Medical Referee of J. P. Higham, Esq., M.B., B.S., of Middlesbrough, with a view to their being employed in ophthalmic cases arising in the districts of the Barnard Castle, Bishop Auckland, Durham, Seaham Harbour and Sunderland County Courts (Circuit No. 2).

Whitehall,

14th October, 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 fabric knitting and winding at the Linden Street Works of Messrs. Α. E. Rossiter Limited, Leicester, on condition that suitable cloakroom and messroom accommodation are provided; and that, subject to any arrangements made to suit the convenience of individual workers, no worker shall be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks.

Whitehall, 13th October, 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 all processes incidental to the making of sweets at the "Milady" Toffee Works of Messrs. Waller and Hartley (1927) Limited, Devonshire Road, Blackpool, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks; that suitable protective clothing, 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,

16th October, 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 years of age and over in glass silk spinning at the works of Messrs. Chance Brothers and Company Limited, 99, Murano Street, Glasgow, N.W., subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable cloakroom and messroom accommodation, washing facilities and facilities for sitting shall be provided.

Whitehall,

16th October, 1930.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

HOLLOW-WARE TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

VARIATION AND FIXING OF PIECE-WORK BASIS TIME-RATES AND VARIATION OF OVERTIME RATES FOR FEMALE PIECE-WORKERS.

The Hollow-ware Trade Board (Great Britain) have issued a Notice H. (20) dated 16th October, 1930, setting out Piece-Work Basis Time-Rates as varied and fixed and Overtime rates as varied for Female Piece-Workers and confirmed by Order of the Minister of Labour, to take effect as from 20th October, 1930, together with all Minimum Rates of Wages previously in operation which are unaffected by the present variation.

Information with regard to the Minimum Rates of Wages operative in the Trade under the Trade Boards Acts may be obtained on application to the Secretary, Hollow-ware Trade Board (Great Britain), 1, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W.1.

> F. Popplewell, Secretary.

17th October, 1930.

Board of Trade, Great George Street, London, S.W. 1.

16th October, 1930.

His Majesty The KING has been graciously pleased to confer the Decoration of the Albert Medal for Gallantry in Saving Life at Sea on Robert Murray Kavanaugh, of Darlinghurst,