respect of the Merchandise Marks (Imported Goods) Exemption Direction (No. 1), 1933, regarding rubber boots, shoes and slippers, the Board of Trade hereby give notice that a Report has been made by the Committee in respect of the aforesaid Direction.

The Report is being published and may shortly be obtained either directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Adastral House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120, George Street, Edin-burgh 2; York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 15, Donegall Square West, Belfast; or through any book-

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

SACK AND BAG TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

PROPOSAL TO VARY MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES FOR MALE AND FEMALE WORKERS.

In accordance with Regulations made under Section 18 of the Trade Boards Act, 1909, by the Minister of Labour, and dated 21st April, 1927, the Sack and Bag Trade Board (Great Britain) HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that they PROPOSE TO VARY the Minimum Rates of Wages for Male and Female workers set out in the Notice S.B. (9), issued by the Sack and Bag Trade Board (Great Britain) and dated 6th September, 1927.

Full particulars of the proposed variations may be obtained on application to the Secre-

tary of the Trade Board.

In accordance with Section 3 (5) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, the Trade Board WILL CONSIDER ANY OBJECTIONS to the above Proposal to Vary which may be lodged with them within two months from the 25th July, 1933. Such Objections should be in writing and signed by the person making the same (adding his or her full name and address), and should be sent to the Secretary, The Sack and Bag Trade Board (Great Britain), 1, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W.1. It is desirable that Objections should state precisely, and, so far as possible, with reasons, what is objected to.

F. Popplewell,

Secretary.

25th July, 1933.

Admiralty, 20th July, 1933. R.N.

Lieut.-Comdr. R. B. Martin placed on Retd. List at own request with rank of Comdr. 10th July 1933.

Admiralty, 21st July, 1933. R.N.

Lieuts. (Retd.) to be Lieut.-Comdrs. (Retd.) with seny. as shown:-

R. C. Kelly. 7th July 1933.

W. B. Rendle. 12th July 1933.

R. W. Martin. 16th July 1933.

Lieuts, to be Lieut.-Comdrs. with seny. of 15th July 1933:-

E. O. F. Price. (Flight Lieut. R.A.F.)

C. M. Sarsfield-Hall.

A. J. E. Brown.

G. H. Bolus.

G. V. M. Dolphin.

K. W. Beard.
J. R. Westmacott.
G. W. D. Duncan.

G. B. Hodgkinson.

R.N.R.

Sub-Lieut. H. F. Partridge to be Lieut. with seny. of 4th July 1933.

Lieut F. T. Bisley placed on Retd. List. 13th July 1933.

Proby. Sub-Lieut. C. R. Purse to be Sub-Lieut.

with orig. seny. of 30th Sept. 1932. Engr.-Lieut. J. E. Newton (Retd.) to be Engr. Lieut.-Comdr. (Retd.) with seny. of 30th June 1933.

Admiralty, 22nd July, 1933. R.N.R.

Lieut.-Comdr. G. F. Strickland, R.D., placed on Retd. List with rank of Comdr. 22nd July 1933.

Admiralty, 24th July 1933. R.N.

Engr. Capt. G. W. Bodell placed on Retd. List. 23rd July 1933.

War Office,

25th July, 1933.

REGULAR ARMY.

Col. D. E. Robertson, C.B., D.S.O., A.D.C. to The King, is granted the temp. rank of Brigadier, whilst Dir. of Personal E. Robertson, C.B., D.S.O., Servs., and Pay & Pensions, India. June 1933.

Col. E. Hewlett, C.M.G., D.S.O., O.B.E., retires on ret. pay, 23rd July 1933, and is granted the hon. rank of Brig.-Gen.

Col. L. Chenevix-Trench, C.M.G., D.S.O., h.p., is restd. to full pay whilst officiating in an appt. in India. 5th Mar. 1933.

Commands and Staff.

Col. E. Hewlett, C.M.G., D.S.O., O.B.E., relinquishes the appt. of G.S.O., 1st Grade, 2nd Div. 23rd July 1933.

K.D.G.-Lt. L. R. Warton is secd. for serv. with the Sudan Def. Force. 2nd July 1933.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.

The undermentioned are apptd. Cols. Comdt.:-

Lt.-Gen. B. R. Kirwan, C.B., C.M.G., vice Gen. Sir Webb Gillman, K.C.B., K.C.M.G.,

D.S.O. (decd.). 21st Apr. 1933.

Maj.-Gen. E. H. Willis, C.B., C.M.G., vice Maj.-Gen. Hon. Sir Francis R. Bingham, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., ret. pay (who has attained the age limit for the appt.). July 1933.

Maj. W. A. S. Turner, M.C., is secd. for serv. on the Staff. 1st July 1933.

Capt. M. D. Gibbon is seed. for serv. with the T.A. 4th July 1933.