

Sir William James Tatem, Baronet, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of Baron Glanely, of St. Fagans, in the county of Glamorgan;

The Right Honourable Sir Walter George Frank Phillimore, Baronet, late a Lord Justice of Appeal, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of Baron Phillimore, of Shiplake, in the county of Oxford.

Whitehall, July 5, 1918.

Letters Patent have passed the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland conferring the dignity of a Baronet of the said United Kingdom upon Thomas Edward Watson, of Newport, in the county of Monmouth, Esquire, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

WELFARE OF WORKERS IN FACTORIES AND WORKSHOPS.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that, with the concurrence of the Minister of Munitions, he made an Order on the 3rd July 1918, under Section 7 of the Police, Factories, &c. (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1916, requiring the provision of sitting facilities for all female workers employed in any process in turning or machining shells or shell bodies.

The Order comes into force on the 1st August 1918.

Copies of the Order can be purchased through any bookseller or directly from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Imperial House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2, and 28 Abingdon Street, London, S.W. 1; 37 Peter Street, Manchester; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 23 Forth Street, Edinburgh; or from E. Ponsonby Ltd., 116 Grafton Street, Dublin.

Home Office, Whitehall,
4th July 1918.

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with Section 1, subsection 7 of the Non-Ferrous Metal Industry Act, 1918, and No. 11 of the Statutory Rules and Orders No. 265 of 1918 (Non-Ferrous Metal Industry), that Licenses under the Non-Ferrous Metal Industry Act have been granted by the Board of Trade to the undermentioned companies, firms, or individuals:—

William Borland & Co., 148 Howard Street, Glasgow.

John M'Robie & Sons, 94-96 Elliot Street, Cranstonhill, Glasgow.

Stewarts & Lloyds Ltd., 41 Oswald Street, Glasgow.

*Board of Trade,
7 Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W.*

The Coal Mines (War Wage Payment) Directions 1918 issued by the Board of Trade, pursuant to Regulation 9G of the Defence of the Realm Regulations, dated the 5th day of July 1918.

Whereas by two Orders of the Board of Trade, dated respectively 29th November 1916 and 22nd February 1917, Regulation 9G of the Defence of the Realm Regulations was applied to all the Coal Mines in the United Kingdom.

And whereas the Board of Trade have power under the said Regulation to give directions as to the management and user of mines to which the said Regulation is applied.

Now therefore, in pursuance of their said power, the Board of Trade direct that

(1) The owner of every coal mine to which the said Regulation is applied for the time being shall pay to the Controller of Coal Mines the sum of 4s. per ton on all saleable coal sold, delivered or otherwise disposed of on or after 30th June 1918 (excluding coal consumed at collieries and workmen's customary allowance coal), and in preparing and keeping the accounts of the mine this payment shall be treated as an expense of the business.

(2) In respect of any work performed on or after 30th June 1918 the owner of every coal mine shall pay for account of the Board of Trade to all classes of colliery workers who were before that date with the consent of the Controller of Coal Mines in receipt of a war wage of 1s. 6d. and 9d. a day respectively a war wage of 3s. and 1s. 6d. a day respectively as authorised by His Majesty's Government, and shall charge the same to the Board of Trade, and in preparing and keeping the accounts of the mine this payment shall not be treated as an expense of the business.

(3) Accounts with reference to the aforesaid payments shall be stated and settled on 30th September, 31st December, 31st March, and 30th June in every year, and the Controller of Coal Mines shall thereupon issue his certificate as to the balance due by or to the Board of Trade, and payment shall be made accordingly within seven days of the date of such certificate.

(4) Failure to obey these directions is a summary offence against the Defence of the Realm Regulations.

A. H. STANLEY,
President of the Board of Trade.

*Board of Trade, Marine Department,
Whitehall Gardens,
30th June 1918.*

The Board of Trade hereby give notice under the General Rules for Formal Investigations into Shipping Casualties and Appeals and Rehearings, 1907, that they have received during the month of June 1918 the following Reports of Formal Investigations into Shipping Casualties held by Courts in British Possessions abroad:—

"Polaria."

"Ayuthia."