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St. James's Palace, S.W. 1, 30th January 1920.

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Whitehall, January 29, 1920.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United King-

dom of Great Britain and Ireland, to confer the

dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom upon Sir George Allardice Riddell, Baronet, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten,

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LOCOMOTIVE, SCOTLAND.

MOTOR CARS.

THE MOTOR CARS REGULATION (BURGH OF Annan) Order, 1920. Dated 24th January 1920.

In pursuance of the powers vested in me by Section 9, as read with Section 18 of the Motor Car Act, 1903, I, the Right Honourable Robert Munro, His Majesty's Secretary for Scotland, on application of the Town Council of the Burgh of Annan, being the local authority of the said Burgh, do hereby make the following regulations :—

1. This Order may be cited as "The Motor Cars Regulation (Burgh of Annan) Order, 1920," and the regulations hereby prescribed shall take effect within the limits or places referred to therein on and after the respective dates at which, for the purpose of giving effect thereto, the local authority shall, in terms of Section 10 of the Motor Car Act, 1903, place notices in conspicuous places on or near such limits or places.

2. A person shall not drive a motor car at a speed exceeding ten miles per hour within the limits or places specified in the Schedule to this Order.

Given under my hand and seal at Whitehall this 24th day of January 1920.

> (Signed) ROBERT MUNRO, His Majesty's Secretary for Scotland.

SCHEDULE.

L. S.

St. John's Road.—From the Railway Bridge along St. John's Road, Bank Street, Lady Street, Thomas Street, and North Street, to a point 50 yards North of the entrance to Provost -- Mills.

High Street.—From the Burgh Boundary at the Bridge over the River Annan along High Street, Church Street, and Scott's Street, to the Burgh Boundary at Newdyke.

CORN PRODUCTION ACT, 1917.

THE DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL WAGES COM-MITTEE FOR THE BORDER COUNTIES.

(Being District No. 7).

Notice of an Order varying certain minimum rates of wages for Agricultural Workmen in the area comprising the Counties of Roxburgh, Berwick, and Selkirk.

The District Agricultural Wages Committee for the Counties of Roxburgh, Berwick, and Selkirk duly certified by the Board of Agriculture for Scotland under the Second Schedule of the Corn Production Act, 1917, hereby, in terms of Section 5 (4) and (5) of said Act and relative Regulation by the Board of Agriculture for Scotland, give notice to the persons affected that they have varied certain minimum rates of wages payable for time work by workmen in Agriculture as defined in Section 17 (1) of said Act of the classes within the area and subject to the conditions or exceptions (if any) all as set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

- (1) The Minimum Rates presently in force in respect of an able-bodied skilled Ploughman, Cattleman, and Orraman of 18 years of age and over, shall be varied by an increase of 4s., making said minimum rates not less than 39s. per week.
- (2) The Minimum Rate presently in force in respect of a Shepherd of 18 years of age and over in charge of a hirsel of sheep shall be varied by an increase of 4s., making said minimum rate not less than 44s. per week.
- (3) The Minimum Rate presently in force in respect of male. Agricultural Workers of 18 years of age and over, other than those included in Articles (1) and (2) of this Schedule, shall be varied by an increase of 4s., making said minimum rate not less than 34s. per week.
- (4) The Minimum Rate presently in force in respect of a skilled Female Agricultural Worker of 17 years of age and over, shall be varied by an increase of 4s., making said minimum rate not less than 24s. per week.
- (5) The Minimum Rate presently in force in respect of Female Agricultural Workers of 17 years of age and over, other than those included in Article (4) of this Schedule shall be varied by an increase of 4s., making said minimum rate not less than 22s. per week.
- (6) The Minimum Rates as above varied shall come into operation on the 29th day of February 1920.
- (7) Except in so far as the minimum rates of wages of the above special classes have been varied by this Order, all previous. Orders by this Committee shall remain in full force and effect.

JOHN CHISHOLM, Chairman. DAVID M. STURROCK, Secretary.

21st January 1920.

Note.—If the Central Agricultural Wages. Committee do not disallow the above Minimum Rates within three months from this date, the Provisions of this Order will take effect as from the 29th day of February 1920, and will remain in force until cancelled or varied either wholly or in part, by the Committee.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918. HAT, CAP AND MILLINERY TRADE BOARD (ENGLAND AND WALES).

PROPOSAL TO FIX 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 31st October 1918, the Trade Board established under the Trade Boards Act, 1918, and the Trade Boards (Hat, Cap and Millinery) Order, 1919, for the Hat, Cap and Millinery Trade in England and Wales as defined in the Regulations made by the Minister of Labour and dated 20th November 1919 hereby give Notice as required by Section 3 (5) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, that they propose to fix General Minimum Time-Rates, Piece-work Basis Time-Rates and Overtime Rates for Male and Female Workers and to declare the normal number of hours of work in the trade for the purpose of the application of the Overtime Rates, as shown in the Schedule set out below.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.

PROPOSED GENERAL MINIMUM TIME-RATES. FEMALE WORKERS.

SECTION I.—For Female Workers (other than |

Learners, as defined in Section I. of Part IV. of this Schedule) :---

- (a) Workers other than Homeworkers, $8\frac{1}{2}d$. per hour.
- (b) Homeworkers, $8\frac{1}{2}d$. per hour.
- SECTION II.—For Female Learners as defined in Section I. of Part IV. of this Schedule :—
 - (a) Learners employed in any branch of the Wholesale and Retail Cloth Hat and Cap Trade :---

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		LE	ARNERS COMME	•				
	14 and Under 15 Years of Age.	15 and Under 16 Years of Age.	16 and Under 18 Years of Age.	18 and Under 21 Years of Age.	21 Years of Age and Over.			
	Column I.	Column II.	Column III.	Column IV.	Column V.			
	Per week of 48 hours hour	WEEKUII.	Per week of 48 hours hour	Per week of 48 hours hour	Per week Per of 48 hour hours			
During 1st six months of employ- ment after the age of 14 2nd 3rd 4th 5th 7th 8th	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	s. d. d. 14 0 $3\frac{1}{2}$ 17 0 $4\frac{1}{4}$ 20 0 5 24 0 6 Provided that learners commencing at 16 and under 18 years of age shall, on attaining the age of 18 years, be entitled, during the remainder of their learnership period, to receive 5s. 6d. per week of 48 hours in addition to the general mini- cable, as set out in this column.	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	s. d. d. 1st 3 mths. 20 0 5 2nd ,, 24 0 6 3rd ,, 27 0 68 4th ,, 30 0 71 			

The General Minimum Time-Rates for learners under 14 years shall be $2\frac{3}{4}d$. per hour. Such learners shall from the age of 14 be entitled to the amounts shown in Column I. above, all employment prior to that age being disregarded.

(b) Learners other than those specified in Sub-section (a) of this Section :---

		LEARNERS COMMENCING AT										
	14 and under 15 years of age.	15 and under16 and under16 years of age.21 years of age.	21 years of age and over.									
	Column I.	Column II. Column III.	Column IV.									
	Per Week of 48 Hours. Per Hour.	Per Week of 48 Hours. Per Hour. Per Week 48 Hours. Per Hour.	Per Week of 48 Hours. Per Hour.									
During 1st six months of employment after the age of 14 years. During 2nd ,, ,, ,, 3rd ,, ,, ,, 4th ,, ,, ,, 5th ,, ,, ,, 6th ,, ,, ,, 8th ,, ,,	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	s. d. d. 1st 3 months, 14 0 $3\frac{1}{2}$ 2nd ,, 20 0 5 3rd ,, 25 0 $6\frac{1}{4}$ 4th ,, 29 0 $7\frac{1}{4}$ — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —									

The General Minimum Time-Rates for learners under 14 years of age shall be 9s. per week of 48 hours, or 2¹/₄d. per hour, and from the age of 14 years they shall be entitled to the amounts shown i Column I. above as if they had commenced at 14.

(c) The Minimum Rates for Learners set out in Sub-sections (a) and (b) of this Section shall be subject to the following conditions :--

(i) The weekly rates set out above are based on a week of 48 hours, and are subject to a proportionate deduction according as the number of hours actually spent by the learner in the factory or workshop in any week is less than 48.

(ii) The advances to be given to learners commencing at under 21 years of age shall become due as from the first Monday in January and July of each year, the learner being entitled to her first advance from the first Monday in January or July as the case may be, provided that she has been in the trade at least three months.

(iii) A learner shall cease to be a learner and be entitled to the full General Minimum Time-Rate applicable to her under Section I. of Part I. of this Schedule, upon the fulfilment of the following conditions :--

Age of Entering upon Employment and Conditions.

- Under 15 years of age—The completion of not less than 3 years' employment, and the attainment of the age of 18 years.
- Fifteen and under 16 years of age—The completion of not less than 2 years' employment, and the attainment of the age of 18 years.
- Sixteen and under 21 years of age—The completion of 2 years' employment.
- Twenty-one years of age and over-The completion of 1 year's employment.

(iv) No female learner shall be held to be entitled to the full General Minimum Time-Rate under Section I. of Part I. of this Schedule until she has attained the age of 18 years, notwithstanding any employment she may have had. Provided that in determining the age of entry and the length of employment, all service prior to the age of 14 shall be disregarded.

SECTION III.-MALE WORKERS.

- Workers of 22 years of age and upwards, 1s. 2d. per hour.
- Workers of 21 and under 22 years of age, 1s. per hour.
- Workers of 20 and under 21 years of age, 10¹/₅d. per hour.
- Workers of 19 and under 20 years of age, 9d. per hour.
- Workers of 18 and under 19 years of age, $7\frac{1}{2}d$. per hour.
- Workers of 17 and under 18 years of age, 6d. per hour.
- Workers of 16 and under 17 years of age, 5d. per hour.
- Workers of 15 and under 16 years of age, 4d. per hour.

Workers under 15 years of age, 3d. per hour.

Workers commencing employment in the Hat, Cap and Millinery Trade for the first time at and over the age of 19 may serve a period of six months at 7d. per hour, and thereafter a period of six months at $8\frac{3}{4}$ d. per hour. On the expiration of one year's service in the trade, these workers shall receive such rates as their age may entitle them to under the foregoing provisions.

PART II.

PROPOSED PIECE-WORK BASIS TIME-RATES.

SECTION I.-FEMALE WORKERS.

- (a) All Female Workers other than Homeworkers, 9¹/₂d. per hour.
- (b) Homeworkers, 92d. per hour.

In the case of all female workers employed on piece-work, each piece-rate paid must be such as would yield in the circumstances of the case not less than $9\frac{1}{2}d$. per hour to an ordinary worker. Provided that in determining as to whether any piece-rates satisfies the foregoing condition, regard shall be had only to the earnings of workers other than learners.

SECTION II.-MALE WORKERS.

All Male Workers, 1s. 3¹/₂d. per hour.

In the case of all male workers employed on piece-work, each piece-rate paid shall be such as would yield in the circumstances of the case not less than 1s. $3\frac{1}{2}$ d, per hour to an ordinary worker. Provided that in determining as to whether any piece-rate satisfies the foregoing condition, regard shall be had only to the earnings of workers of 22 years of age and upwards.

PART III.

PROPOSED OVERTIME RATES FOR MALE AND FEMALE WORKERS (ALL AGES).

SECTION I.—In accordance with Section 3 (1) (c) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, the Trade Board propose to declare the normal number of hours of work in the trade to be as follows :—

Provided that all hours worked by a worker on Sundays and on Customary Public and Statutory Holidays shall be regarded as overtime to which the Overtime Rates shall apply.

- SECTION II.—The Minimum Rates for Overtime in respect of hours worked by a worker, whether engaged on Time-work or on Piece-work, in excess of the declared normal number of hours, shall be as follows, that is to say :—
 - 1. For the first two hours' overtime on any day, except Saturdays, Sundays, and Customary Public and Statutory Holidays, the Overtime Rates shall be equivalent to time and a quarter, that is to say, one and a quarter times the minimum rate otherwise applicable.
 - 2. For overtime after the first two hours of overtime on any day except Sundays and Customary Public and Statutory Holidays, and for all overtime on Saturdays, the Overtime Rate shall be equivalent to time and a half, that is to say, one and a half times the minimum rate otherwise applicable.

- 3. For all time worked on Sundays and Customary Public and Statutory Holidays, the Overtime Rate shall be equivalent to Double time, that is to say, twice the minimum rate otherwise applicable.
- 4. For all hours worked in any week in excess of 48 the Overtime Rate shall be time and a quarter except in so far as higher overtime rates are payable under the provisions of paragraphs 2 and 3 of this Section. The Overtime Rate shall be payable where on any day (not being a Sunday or a Customary Public or Statutory Holiday), the number of hours worked exceeds 9 or, in the case of Saturday, exceeds 5, notwithstanding that the number of hours worked in the week does not exceed 48.
- Provided—(a) That where it is or may become the established practice of an employer to require attendance only on 5 days a week, the Overtime Rate shall only be payable where on any day the number of hours worked exceeds $9\frac{1}{2}$.
 - (b) That where it is or may become the established practice of an employer to require attendance only on alternate Saturdays, the normal number of hours for the week in which attendance on Saturday is required shall be deemed to be 50.
 - (c) That where a worker who is of the Jewish religion and subject to Section 48 of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, is employed on Sunday instead of Saturday the Minimum Rates for Overtime as set out above shall apply to such worker in like manner as if in the provisions of this Notice as to Overtime the word "Saturday" were substituted for "Sunday" and the word "Sunday" for "Saturday."

But in the application of these Provisos, where the employer requires attendance on any day on which it is not the established practice of the employer to require attendance, all time worked on such day (not being a Sunday or a Customary Public or Statutory Holiday) shall be paid for at time and a quarter for the first two hours and time and a half thereafter.

Note.—The hours of work which female workers and young persons are allowed to work are subject to the provisions of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901.

PART IV.

For the purpose of this Notice the following definitions shall apply :---

SECTION I.---A female learner is a worker who----

- (a) Is employed during the whole or a substantial part of her time in learning any branch or process of the trade specified in Part V. of this Schedule by an employer who provides the learner with reasonable facilities for such learning; and
- (b) Has received a certificate or has been registered in accordance with rules from time to time laid down by the

Trade Board, and held subject to compliance with the conditions contained in this Section, or has made an application for such certificate or registration which has been duly acknowledged and is still under consideration. Provided that the certification or registration of a learner may be cancelled if the other conditions of learnership are not complied with.

Provided that an employer may employ a female learner on her first employment without a certificate or registration for a probation period not exceeding four weeks, but in the event of such learner being continued thereafter at her employment the probation period shall be included in her period of learnership.

Provided that, notwithstanding compliance with the conditions contained in this Section, a person shall not be deemed to be a learner if she works in a room used for dwelling purposes and is not in the employment of ther parent or guardian.

SECTION II.—The expression "Homeworker" shall be held to mean a worker who works in her own home or any other place not under the control or management of the employer.

PART V.

The above Minimum Rates of Wages shall apply, subject to the provisions of the Trade Boards Acts, to all workers in England and Wales who are employed during the whole or any part of their time in any branch of the trade specified in the Trade Boards (Hat, Cap and Millinery) Order, 1919, that is to say—the making from any material of men's, women, or children's headgear, or the trimming thereof;

- Including :---Warehousing, packing, or other operations incidental to or appertaining to the making or trimming of men's, women's or children's headgear;
- But excluding :---1. The casting and making of solid metal helmets ;
 - 2. The making of rubberised or oilskin headgear where carried on in association with or in conjunction with the making of other rubberised or oilskin articles;
 - 3. The making of nurses' or servants' caps, chefs' caps, hospital ward caps, or similar articles;
 - 4. The making of field bonnets, sun-bonnets, boudoir caps, or infants' millinery where carried on in association with or in conjunction with the making of dresses, non-tailored skirts, wraps, blouses, blouse-robes, jumpers, sports coats, neckwear, tea-gowns, dressing gowns, dressing jackets, pyjamas, under-clothing, under-skirts, aprons, overalls, nurses' and servants' caps, juvenile clothing, baby linen or similar articles;
 - 5. The making of fur hats, where made in association with or in conjunction with the manufacture of furs or furriers' skins into garments, rugs, or similar articles;
 - 6. The making of knitted headgear and the making of headgear from knitted fabrics where carried on in association with or

in conjunction with the manufacture | of the knitted fabric;

7. Warehousing and packing of men's, women's, and children's headgear and other similar operations carried on in shops mainly engaged in the retail distribution of articles of any description that are not made or trimmed on. the premises.

PART VI.

- SECTION I.-The above Minimum Rates of Wages shall be paid clear of all deductions other than deductions under the National Insurance Act, 1911, as amended by any subsequent enactments, or deductions authorised by any Act to be made from wages in respect of contributions to any superannuation or other provident fund.
- SECTION II.—The above Minimum Rates of Wages are without prejudice to workers who are earning higher rates of wages, or to agreements made, or that may be made, between employer, and workers for the payment of wages in excess of the Minimum Rates.

The Trade Board will consider any Objections to the above Proposals to fix which may be lodged with them within two months from the 31st January 1920. 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 of the Hat Cap and Millinery Trade Board (England and Wales), 5 Chancery Lane, London, W.C. 2.

It is desirable that the Objections should state precisely, and so far as possible with reasons, what is objected to.

Dated this thirtieth day of January 1920.

Signed by Order of the Trade Board.

F. POPPLEWELL, Secretary.

Office of Trade Boards, 5 Chancery Lane, London, W.C. 2.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918. MACHINE-MADE LACE AND NET FINISHING TRADE.

MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES (AS VARIED) EFFEC-TIVE AS FROM 2ND FEBRUARY 1920.*

In accordance with Regulations made under Section 18 of the Trade Boards Act, 1909, by the Minister of Labour, and dated 31st October 1918, the Lace Finishing Trade Board established under that Act for certain branches of the Machine-made Lace and Net Finishing Trade as defined in the Regulations made by the Board of Trade, and dated 16th March 1914, having given due notice on 7th November 1919, of Proposal to Vary, as therein shown, the General Minimum Time-rates and General

* 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 shall become effective as from the beginning of the next full pay period, but in no case later than 8th February 19ž0.

Minimum Piece-rates then in operation and as set out in the Schedules of their Notices dated 19th June 1919, and 6th November 1919, hereby give notice that they have varied such General Minimum Time-rates and General Minimum Piece-rates, such Variation to remain in operation until 2nd February 1921, and that the Minimum Rates of Wages as Varied are shown in the Schedule set out below, which is incorporated herewith.

And the Trade Board further give notice that they have received notification from the Minister of Labour that he has made an Order dated 29th January 1920, under Section 4 (2) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, confirming the variation of the rates by the Trade Board, and specifying 2nd February 1920* as the date from which the variation of such minimum rates of wages shall become effective.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.

General minimum piece-rates for the following Processes in the Machine-made Lace and Net Finishing other than the Finishing of the Product of Plain Net Machines.

A. Lace other than Warp Lace.

1. Drawing-

(a) For one thread drawing: $6\frac{3}{4}$ d. per gross yards (the tyes on both sides being counted).

Provided that in cases where there are not more than 12 types of the drawthread to the inch (tyes on both sides of the draw-thread being counted) the minimum rate payable shall be $5\frac{1}{4}$ d. per gross yards.

- (b) For two thread drawing, $8\frac{1}{4}d$. per gross yards.
- (c) For drawing three or more threads, 3d. per thread per gross yards. Provided that in Maltese, Honiton, Clunies and similar classes of lace where there are laced out purl effects in the body of the pattern, and where such lacers are of finer count than 80.2,
- the rate shall be $3\frac{3}{4}d$. per thread per gross yards for all such fine threads. 2. Roving-
 - (a) For one Rover, or for two Rovers which come out together, $1\frac{1}{4}d$. per gross vards.
 - (b) For each Rover subsequent to the first, or to the first two which come out together, §d. per thread per gross yards.

When drawing is done, all Rovers lying with the Draw-threads if removed, whether according to instructions or not, to be paid for at the above rates. The expression "Rover" includes The expression "Drop-thread."

- 3. Ripping and Roving-
 - (a) For Ripping and one Rover, 1sd. per gross yards.
 - (b) For Ripping and two Rovers, 2¹/₂d. per gross yards.

4. Clipping other than Frame Clipping-

- (a) For Lace up to and including 8 inches wide, 2⁵/₈d. per 1000 clips. (b) For Lace over 8 inches and under 12
- inches wide, 3d. per 1000 clips.

(c) For Lace of 12 inches wide and over, 3³/₈d. per 1000 clips.

Two cuts shall count as one clip.

5. Scolloping-

- I. Scolloping other than Scolloping which involves more than four cuts to the Scollop—
 - (a) For Scolloping Cross-band laces and for ripping and scolloping in cases where there are no parting or purl threads, and where the scollop is single, 1¹/₂d. per dozen yards.
 - single, $1\frac{1}{2}d$. per dozen yards. In the case of Cross-band laces, the rate for Scolloping does not include the work of separating the breadths, which shall be paid at the rate of $2\frac{3}{4}d$. for 12 breadths, 5 yards long, whether the separation of the breadths involves straight cutting or not.
 - (b) For scolloping lace of 40 inches and over to the double rack, 2d. per dozen yards.
 - (c) For scolloping lace of 24 inches to 40 inches to the double rack, $2\frac{1}{2}d$. per dozen yards.
 - (d) For scolloping lace finer than 24 inches to the double rack, 3¹/₄d. per dozen yards.
- II. Scolloping involving more than four cuts to the Scollop---
 - (a) For lace of 40 inches and over to the double rack, 2[§]d. per dozen yards.
 - (b) For lace of 24 inches to 40 inches to the double rack, 3³/₈d. per dozen yards.
 - (c) For lace finer than 24 inches to the double rack, 4^{*}/₈d. per dozen yards.
 - In the application of the above rates for Scolloping--

(1) The General Minimum Piecerates shall not apply to any scollop more than 1 inch deep from purl edge to the dip of the scollop;

(2) Where the lace has 72 or more scollops to the yard, $\frac{3}{8}d$. per dozen yards extra on the above rates for ordinary scolloping shall be paid;

ordinary scolloping shall be paid; (3) The General Minimum Piecerates shall not apply to the scolloping of vandykes, galons and fancy shapes;

(4) Scolloping shall be held to include all cutting other than straight cutting;

(5) Where one cut clears two edges it shall count as one scollop.

- The above rates for Scolloping include the necessary work of Drawing.
- 6. Cross-band Cutting-
 - (a) For Cutting Cross-band lace up to 50 inches to the double rack, 2_4^3 d. for 12 breadths, 5 yards long.
 - (b) For Cutting Cross-band lace over 50 inches to the double rack, 2¹/₄d. for 12 breadths, 5 yards long.

Breadths of other dimensions to be paid for in proportion. (For Crossband Cutting and Scolloping, see 5 (1) (α) above.)

- 7. Straight Snicking or Slotting-
 - (a) For Slots up to and including 1 inch in width (inside measurement), 4¹/₂d. per 1000 slots.

(b) For slots over 1 inch and not exceeding 11 inches in width (inside measurement), 5gd. per 1000 slots.

B. Lace which is the Product of Warp Machines.

1. Drawing-

- (a) Bar Warps :
 - For widths not exceeding 11 inches, 11d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards.
 - (2) For widths exceeding 1¼ inches:
 (i.) One thread drawing, 1¼d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards.
 (ii.) For drawing two or more threads, 1¼d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards.
 - (b) String Warps:
 - Up to and including 16 gauge:

 (i.) For widths not exceeding 7 inches, 1²/₈d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards.
 - (ii.) For widths exceeding 7 inches, 2d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards.
 - (2) Over 16 gauge : All widths, 2⁷/₄d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards.

2. Plain Cutting-

- (a) Bar Warps: 1¹/₂d. per 12 breadths of 12 yards.
- (b) String Warps :
 - (1) Up to and including 16 gauge, $1\frac{1}{4}d$. per 12 breadths of 12 yards.
 - (2) Over 16 gauge, $1\frac{5}{8}d$. per 12 breadths of 12 yards.

Part II.

General Minimum Piece-rates for the following Processes in the Finishing of Hair Nets, whether they are the Product of Plain Net Machines or not.

1. Threading Hair Nets-

- A. Hair Nets which are the product of Warp Machines.
 - (a) Hair Nets up to and including $12\frac{1}{2}$ inches with 38 holes or less, $8\frac{3}{4}$ d. per gross nets.
 - (b) Hair Nets of over 12½ inches but under 18 inches, with 48 holes or less, 11d. per gross nets.
 (c) All sizes of 18 inches and over with
 - (c) All sizes of 18 inches and over with 50 holes or less, 1s. 1¹/₈d. per grossnets.
 - (d) For every 8 holes additional to those above specified, §d. per gross nets.
- B. Hair Nets which are the product of Levers or Plain Net Machines :
 - The General Minimum Piece-Rates for Threading Hair Nets which are the product of Levers or Plain Net Machines shall be higher by 25 per cent. than the General Minimum Piece-Rates for Threading Hair Nets which are the Product of Warp Machines, as specified above.
- 2. Carding Hair Nets (whether the product of Plain Net Machines or not)---

All sizes of cards, $1\frac{7}{8}d$. per gross Nets.

- The above rate shall apply also to Bundling in dozens without cards.
- When Threading and Carding are done at the same time, the rate shall be the

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sum of the respective rates specified above.

- 3. Ticketing Hair Nets (whether the product of Plain Net Machines or not)—
 - For all Ticketing done at the same time as Threading, 1d. per gross nets.

Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the application of the General Minimum Piece-Rates set out in Parts I. and II. of this Schedule shall be subject to the following conditions :—

- (a) The General Minimum Piece-Rates shall not apply in any case where special difficulty is caused by bad cotton, making or dressing. In all such cases the Piece-Rate paid must be such as will yield, in the circumstances of the case, to an Ordinary worker at least the equivalent of the General Minimum Time-Rate.
- (b) Workers who fetch their own work from the Warehouse, and do not receive it through a Middlewoman or Middleman, shall be entitled to a Minimum Rate not less than 15 per cent. above that otherwise payable.
- (c) The General Minimum Piece-Rates set out above apply to the actual workers

and not to Middlewomen or Middlemen; the practice of good employers is to pay Middlewomen or Middlemen in addition to such rates a commission of 25 per cent.

NOTE.—As regards all work for which no general minimum piece-rates are fixed, the piece-rates paid by the employer must be such as will yield, in the circumstances of the case, to an Ordinary worker at least the equivalent of the general minimum time rate.

PART III.

General Minimum Time-Rates for the Trade of Machine-made Lace and Net Finishing, including the Finishing of those Hair Nets, Veilings and Quillings which are the Product of Plain Net Machines, but excluding the Finishing of all other Products of Plain Net Machines.

- A. Workers other than learners, 7d. per hour.
- B. Learners as defined in Part IV. of this Schedule.
 - 1. Learners not working on Frame Clipping :---
 - 2. Learners working on Frame Clipping :---

	LEARNERS COMMENCING AT								
ι	Under 14 years of age.	14 and under 15 years of age.	15 and under 16 years of age.	1.6 and under 17 years of age.	17 and under 18 years of age.				
During the 1st six months of employment ,, 2nd ,, ,, ,, 3rd ,, ,, ,, 4th ,, ,, ,, 5th ,, ,, ,, 6th ,, ,, ,, 7th ,, ,, ,, 8th ,, ,,	per week. s. d. 10 0 12 0 14 0 16 0 18 0 20 0 22 0 24 0	per week. s. d. 10 0 12 0 14 0 16 0 18 0 20 0 22 0 24 0	per week. s. d. 12 0 14 0 16 0 18 0 21 0 24 0 	per week. s. d. 12 0 16 0 20 0 24 0 	per week. s. d. 12 0 20 0 				

· · · ·	Learners Commencing at								
	Under 15 years of age.	15 and under 16 years of age.	16 and under 17 years of age.	17 and under 18 years of age.					
During the 1st six months of service ,, 2nd ,, ,, ,, 2nd year of service	12 0	per week. s. d. 12 0 16 0 20 0	10 0	per week. s. d. 13 0 20 0					

Casual learners entering the trade after the age of 17 years and 6 months may serve a period not exceeding six months at a minimum rate 2

Casual learners entering the trade after the | of 10s. per week; after that they shall receive the of 17 years and 6 months may serve a period | the full minimum rate.

The above rates for learners are weekly rates

based on a week of 48 hours, but they shall be subject to a proportionate deduction or increase according as the number of hours actually spent in any week by the learner on the employer's premises is less or more than 48.

In reckoning the period of employment for the purpose of determining the minimum rate applicable to a learner, previous experience in any section of the trade covered by this Notice must be included except (1) that experience in finishing Hair Nets. shall be included only in cases where the worker is employed in that section of the trade and (2) in the Hair Net section of the trade no experience except in finishing Hair Nets shall be included.

It shall be optional to the employer to place the learner on piece-rates during this learner period.

PART IV.

For the purpose of this Notice the following definitions of Learners shall apply :--

- I. Learners not working on frame clipping, are persons who:
 - (a) Are definitely and effectively employed in the practical learning of the trade and have not been definitely employed in learning the trade more than four years.
 - (b) Are under 18 years of age or are casual learners as hereinbefore mentioned.
 - (c) Are working in a warehouse and regularly engaged upon work other than Clipping, Scolloping, Drawing or Roving. Provided that this or Roving. Provided that this clause shall not apply in respect of Warp Drawing during the first twelve months of a learner's employment, and provided also that the Trade Board are satisfied that there is an intention to afford the worker reasonable facilities subsequently to learn other processes.
 - (d) Hold \hat{a} certificate from the Trade Board issued on an application made at the commencement of the employment or within such period thereafter as the Trade Board may in any case or class of cases allow. Provided always that in granting or withholding such certificate the Trade Board may take into consideration whether, having regard to the number of learners employed in any factory or workshop or under any journeyman or worker, the learner proposed to be certificated has a reasonable prospect of receiving due instruction. Provided also that any certificate may be withdrawn if the Trade Board consider that the conditions of employment have ceased to be such as would have originally justified the grant thereof.
- II. Learners working on frame clipping are persons who :-
 - (a) Are definitely and effectively employed in the practical learning of this branch of the trade and have not been definitely employed more than two years.
 - (b) Are under 18 years of age.
 - (c) Are working on frame clipping in either a warehouse or a workshop.

(d) Hold a certificate from the Trade Board issued on an application made at the commencement of the employment or within such period thereafter as the Trade Board may in any case or class of cases allow. Provided always that in granting or with-holding such certificate the Trade Board may take into consideration whether, having regard to the number of learners employed in any factory or workshop or under any journeyman or worker, the learner proposed to be certificated has a reasonable prospect of receiving due instruction. Provided also that any certificate may be withdrawn if the Trade Board consider that the conditions of employment have ceased to be such as would have originally justified the grant thereof.

PART V.

The above minimum rates of wages shall be paid clear of all deductions other than deductions under the National Insurance Act, 1911, as amended by any subsequent enactments or deductions authorised by any Act to be made from wages in respect of contributions to any Superannuation or other Provident Fund.

Dated the thirty-first day of January 1920.

Signed by Order of the Trade Board.

F. POPPLEWELL, Secretary.

Office of Trade Boards, 5 Chancery Lane, London, W.C. 2.

Any Communication on the Subject of this Notice should be addressed to the Secretary, Lace Finishing Trade Board, 5 Chancery Lane, London, W.C. 2, or 4 Castle Place, Nottingham.

NOTICE OF INTENDED DISTRIBUTION OF NAVAL SALVAGE MONEY.

Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, S.W. 1, 30th January 1920.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines, and to all persons interested therein, that the distribution of the awards for the salvage of the undermentioned vessels by His Majesty's Ships will commence on Saturday, the 31st instant, in the Prize Branch of the Department of the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty, S.W. 1 :-

- Salvage of s.s. "Venus" by H.M. Tug "Sprite" on the 5th May 1919. Salvage of s.s. "Hermione" by H.M.S.
- " Daffodil " on the 14th April 1917.

All applications from persons entitled to share, who are not now serving, should be addressed "On Prize Business :--- to the Accountant-General of the Navy, Admiralty. London, S.W. 1." Such applications (except in the case of Commissioned Officers) should be accompanied by Certificates of Service.

STATUTORY RULES AND ORDERS.

PATENTS.

THE REGISTER OF PATENT AGENTS RULES, 1920. Dated 30th January 1920.

By virtue of the provisions of the Patents and Designs Acts, 1907 and 1919, hereinafter referred to as the Acts, the Board of Trade, hereinafter referred to as the "Board," do hereby make the following Rules:—

1. These Rules may be cited as the Register of Patent Agents Rules, 1920.

Register to be kept.

2. The Register of Patent Agents hitherto kept by the Chartered Institute of Patent Agents (hereinafter called the Institute), shall continue to be kept by the Institute, subject to the provisions of these Rules and to the Orders of the Board, for the registration of patent agents in pursuance of Section 84 of the Acts.

Contents of Register.

3. The Register shall contain in one list all patent agents who are registered under the Acts and these Rules.

Such list shall be made out according to the surnames of the registered persons, and shall also contain the full name of each registered person, with his address, the date of registration, his qualification for registration, and a mention of any honours, memberships, or other additions to the name of the registered person which the Council of the Institute may consider worthy of mention in the Register. The Register shall be in the Form 1 in Appendix A., with such variations as may be required.

Printed Copies to be published annually, and to be evidence of contents of Register.

4. The Institute shall cause a correct copy of the Register, but with the names arranged alphabetically, to be printed under their direction and published and placed on sale. Such correct copy shall be printed and published not later than the end of February in each year. A copy of the Register for the time being purporting to be so printed and published shall be admissible as evidence of all matters stated therein, and the absence of the name of any person from the Register shall be evidence, until the contrary is made to appear, that such person is not registered in pursuance of the Acts or any Act repealed by the Acts.

Registrar.

5. The Council of the Institute shall continue in office or appoint a Registrar, who shall keep the Register in accordance with the provisions of the Acts and these Rules, and, subject thereto, shall act under the directions of the Council of the Institute, or the Board.

Registration of persons who were patent agents prior to the 1st August 1917.

6. A person who is desirous of being registered in pursuance of the Acts, on the ground that prior to the 1st day of August 1917 he had been *bona fide* practising as a patent agent in accordance with the provisions of the Acts, shall produce or transmit to the Board before the

1st October 1920, or where, in the opinion of the Board, the circumstances justify a later application, the 1st October 1921, a statutory declaration in the Form 2 in Appendix A.; provided that the Board may, in any case in which they shall think fit, require further or other proof that the person had prior to the 1st day of August 1917 been *bona fide* practising as a patent agent as specified. Upon the receipt of such statutory declaration, and, if required, of such further or other proof to their satisfaction, as the case may be, and unless after giving the applicant an opportunity of being heard the Board are satisfied that he has whilst so practising been guilty of such misconduct as would have rendered him liable, if his name had been on the register, to have his name erased therefrom, the Board shall transmit to the Registrar a certificate that the person therein named is entitled to be registered in pursuance of the Acts, and the Registrar shall on the receipt of such certificate cause the name of such person to be entered in the Register.

For the purpose of exercising in any case the power of placing the name of a person on the Register, the Board may appoint a committee consisting of such persons as they shall think fit, and a report of the committee shall be conclusive as to the facts for the purpose of the exercise of the said power by the Board. The committee may require the attendance before them of the person applying for registration.

. Final qualifying examination for Registration.

7. Subject to the provisions of the Acts in favour of persons who prove to the satisfaction of the Board that prior to the 1st day of August 1917 they had been *bona fide* practising as patent agents, no person shall be entitled to be registered as a patent agent unless he has passed, and produces or transmits to the Registrar a certificate under the seal of the Institute that he has passed, such final examination as the Institute shall from time to time prescribe.

Intermediate and final qualifying examinations tobe held by the Institute.

8. The Institute shall hold at least once in every year an intermediate examination and a final qualifying examination, and the Institute shall, subject to these Rules, have the entire management and control of all such examinations, and may from time to time make regulations with respect to all or any of the following matters, that is to say,

- (a) The subjects for and the mode of conducting the examination of candidates;
- (b) The times and places of the examinations, and the notices to be given of such examinations;
- (c) The certificates, if any, to be given to persons of their having passed the examinations;
- (d) The appointment and removal of examiners, and the remuneration, by fees or otherwise, of the examiners so appointed; and
- (e) Any other matter or thing as to which the Institute may think it necessary to make regulations for the purpose of carrying out this Rule.

Qualifications of Persons for Intermediate Examination.

9. Any person must, in order to be entitled to present himself for the intermediate examination, be

A British subject who has passed one of the preliminary examinations which the Institute shall by regulation prescribe and has been engaged as a pupil or technical assistant to one or more registered patent agents for three years; provided always that the Institute may by regulation prescribe conditions under which such term of three years may be reduced; provided also that any British subject for the time being entitled to practise as a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Judicature in England or Ireland, or as a law agent before the Court of Session in Scotland, shall be entitled to present himself for the intermediate examination without passing any of the preliminary examinations referred to above and without having been engaged as a pupil or technical assistant to a registered patent agent.

Qualifications of Persons for Final Examination.

10. Any person must, in order to be entitled to present himself for the final qualifying examination, be

A British subject who has passed the intermediate examination prescribed by Rule 8 and has been engaged as a pupil or technical assistant to one or more registered patent agents for five years; provided that the Institute may by regulation prescribe conditions under which such term of five years may be reduced; provided also that the Institute in circumstances arising from hostilities between His Majesty and any foreign State may dispense with or modify any of the conditions imposed by this or the preceding Rule; and provided also that any British subject for the time being entitled to practise as a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Judicature in England or Ireland, or as : law agent before the Court of Session in Scotland, shall be entitled to present himself for the final qualifying examination if he have passed the intermediate examination referred to in Rule 9.

Corrections of Names and Addresses in Register.

11. The Registrar shall from time to time insert in the Register any alteration which may come to his knowledge in the name and address of any person registered.

Erasure of Names of Deceased Persons.

12. The Registrar shall erase from the Register the name of any registered person who is dead.

Erasure of Names of Persons who have Ceased to Practise.

13. The Registrar may erase from the Register the name of any registered person who has ceased to practise as a patent agent, but not (save as hereinafter provided) without the content of that person. For the purposes of this Rule the Registrar may send by post to a registered person to his registered address a notice inquiring whether or not he has ceased to practise or has changed his residence, and if the Registrar does not within three months

after sending the notice receive an answer thereto from the said person, he may, within fourteen days after the expiration of the three months, send him by post to his registered address another notice referring to the first notice, and stating that no answer has been received by the Registrar; and if the Registrar before the second notice is sent receives the first notice back from the dead letter office of the Postmaster-General, or receives the second notice back from that office, or does not within three months after sending the second notice receive any answer thereto from the said person, that person shall, for the purpose of this Rule, be deemed to have ceased to practise, and his name may be erased accordingly.

Erasure of Name for Non-payment of Fees.

14. If any registered person shall not, within one month from the day on which his annual registration fee becomes payable, pay such fee, the Registrar may send to such registered person to his registered address a notice requiring him, on or before a day to be named in the notice, to pay his annual registration fee; and if such registered patent agent shall not within one month from the day named in such notice pay the registration fee so due from him, the Registrar may erase his name from the Register : Provided that the name of a person erased from the Register under this rule may be restored to the Register by direction of the Institute or the Board on payment by such person of the fee or fees due from him, together with such further sum of money, not exceeding in amount the annual registration fee, as the Institute or the Board (as the case may be) may in each particular case direct.

Registrar to act on Evidence.

15. In the execution of his duties the Registrar shall, subject to these Rules, in each case act on such evidence as appears to him sufficient.

Erasure of Incorrect or Fraudulent Entries.

16. The Board may order the Registrar to erase from the Register any entry therein which is proved to their satisfaction to have been incorrectly or fraudulently inserted.

Erasure of Names of Persons convicted of Crimes, and Persons found guilty of Conduct discreditable to a Patent Agent.

17. If any registered person shall be convicted in His Majesty's dominions or elsewhere of an offence which, if committed in England, would be a felony or misdemeanour, or, after due inquiry, is proved to the satisfaction of the Board to have been guilty of conduct discreditable to a patent agent, or having been entitled to practice as a Solicitor or Law Agent shall have ceased to be so entitled, the Board may suspend such person from acting as agent in respect of any business under the Acts for such time as to the Board may seem fit or may order the Registrar to erase from the Register the name of such person. Provided that no person shall be adjudged by the Board to have been guilty of conduct discreditable to a patent agent unless such person has received notice of, and had an opportunity of defending himself from, any

Restoration by Board of Erased Name.

18. Where the Board direct the erasure from the Register of the name of any person, or of any other matter, the name of the person or the matter shall not be again entered in the Register, except by order of the Board.

The Board may in any case in which they think fit restore to the Register such name or matter erased therefrom either without fee, or on payment of such fee, not exceeding the registration fee, as the Board may from time to time fix, and the Registrar shall restore the name or matter accordingly.

Inquiry by Board of Trade before Erasure of Name from Register.

19. For the purpose of exercising in any case the powers of erasing from and of restoring to the register the name of a person, or an entry, the Board shall appoint a committee consisting of such persons as they shall think fit. Every application to the Board for the erasure from, or restoration to, the Register of the name of any patent agent shall be referred for hearing and inquiry to the committee, who shall report thereon to the Board, and a report of the committee shall be conclusive as to the facts for the purpose of the exercise of the said powers by the Board.

Restoration by Institute of Erased Name.

20. The name of any person erased from the Register at the request or with the consent of such person shall, unless it might, if not so erased, have been erased by order of the Board, be restored to the Register by the Registrar on his application and on payment of such fee, not exceeding the registration fee, as the Institute shall from time to time fix.

Power of Board to issue Orders.

21. The Board may from time to time issue orders regulating the professional conduct of persons whose names are on the Register, and may delegate the power of enforcing such orders to the Institute, subject to appeal to the Board. Any orders of the Board under this Rule shall be published in the "Illustrated Official Journal (Patents)."

Appeal to Board of Trade.

22. Any person aggrieved by any order, direction, or refusal of the Institution or Registrar may appeal to the Board.

Notice of Appeal.

23. A person who intends to appeal to the Board under these Rules (in these Rules referred to as the appellant) shall, within 14 days from the date of the making or giving of the order, direction, or refusal complained of, leave at the office of the Institute a notice in writing signed by him of such his intention.

Case on Appeal.

24. The notice of intention to appeal shall be accompanied by a statement in writing of the grounds of the appeal, and of the case of the appellant in support thereof. 25. The appellant shall also immediately after leaving his notice of appeal at the Institute send by post a copy thereof with a copy of the appellant's case in support thereof addressed to the Comptroller, Industrial Property Department, Board of Trade, 25 Southampton Buildings, London, W.C. 2.

Directions as to Hearing Appeal.

26. The Board may thereupon give such directions (if any) as they may think fit for the purpose of the hearing of the appeal.

Notice of Hearing of Appeal.

27. Seven days' notice, or such shorter notice as the Board may in any particular case direct, of the time and place appointed for the hearing of the appeal shall be given to the appellant and the Institute and the Registrar.

Hearing and Decision of Appeal.

28. The appeal may be heard and decided by the Board, and such decision may be given or order made in reference to the subject-matter of the appeal as the case may require.

Fees.

29. The fees set forth in Appendix B to these Rules shall be paid in respect of the several matters, and at the times and in the manner therein mentioned. The Board may from time to time alter any of, or add to, the fees payable under these Rules.

Alteration of regulations.

30. Any regulation made by the Institute under these Rules may be altered or revoked by a subsequent regulation. Copies of all regulations made by the Institute under these. Rules shall, within twenty-eight days of the date of their being made, be transmitted to the Board, and if, within twenty-eight days after a copy of any regulation has been so transmitted, the Board by an order signify their disapproval thereof, such regulation shall be of no force or effect; and if, after any regulution under these Rules has come into force, the Board signify in manner aforesaid their disapproval thereof, such regulation shall immediately cease to be of any force or effect.

Report to Board of Trade.

31. The Institute shall once every year in the month of March transmit to the Board a report stating the number of applications for registration which have been made in the preceding twelve months, the nature and results of the examinations which have been held, and the amount of fees received by the Institute under these Rules, and such other matters in relation to the provisions of these Rules as the Board may from time to time require.

Commencement.

32. These rules shall come into operation from and immediately after the 30th January 1920, and all general rules relative to the Register of Patent Agents in force on the 30th January 1920 shall be and are hereby repealed as from that date without prejudice nevertheless to anything done under such Rules or to any application or other matter then pending.

Dated the 30th day of January 1920.

A. C. GEDDES, President of the Board of Trade.

APPENDIX A.

FORM 1.

FORM OF REGISTER.

Name.	Date of Registration.	Qualification and Designation.	Address.
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Form 2.

FORM OF STATUTORY DECLARATION.

PATENTS AND DESIGNS ACTS, 1907 AND 1919.

Register of Patent Agents pursuant to Section 84. I, A. B., , of

, in the county of

2. That prior to the 1st August 1917 I had been *bona fide* practising in the United Kingdom as a patent agent as follows :---

[Here state facts as to practice before 1st August 1917.]

3. That I acted as patent agent in obtaining the following patents, the specifications and claims of which were drawn up by me :---

[Give the official numbers and dates of some patents in the obtaining of which the declarant acted as patent agent.]

4. That I desire to be registered as a patent agent in pursuance of the said Acts.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of the Statutory Declarations Act, 1835.

Declared at

APPENDIX B.

FEES.

Nature of Fee.	When to	o be paid.	To whom t	Amount			
For registration of name of patent agent.	On application		To the Regis Institute.	strar at the	5	s. 5	d. 0
Annual fee to be paid by every registered patent agent.	of each yea the year	November 30th ar in respect of commencing t following.		do. '	3	3	0
On entry of a candidate for the intermediate examina- tion.	At time of en	tering name.	Do.	do.	2	2	0
On entry of a candidate for the final qualifying exam- ination.	До.	do.	Do.	do.	3	3	0

Dated the 30th day of January 1920.

A. C. GEDDES, President of the Board of Trade.

Civil Service Commission, January 30, 1920.

Notice is hereby given, that upon a special recommendation from the Board of Inland Revenue, and with the assent of the Treasury, Mr. George Stephen Chuter, having served as a Clerk of the Second Division, has been promoted to a Second Class Clerkship in the Ministry of Pensions, with a special certificate granted by the Civil Service Commissioners.

Civil Service Commission, January 30, 1920.

Notice is hereby given, that upon a special recommendation from the Board of Education, and with the assent of the Treasury, Messrs. David Owens Cochrane and Charles William Woodward, having served as Clerks of the Second Division, have been promoted to the post of Junior Examiner in the Board of Education, with special certificates granted by the Civil Service Commissioners.

FIFE COUNTY COUNCIL.

KIRKCALDY DISTRICT COMMITTEE.

N OTIFICATION is hereby given, in terms of Section 14 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1908, that a Requisition by not fewer than Ten Parish Electors of the Parish of Ballingry, to form into a Special Scavenging District the existing Special Drainage District of Lumphinnans and the Village of North Lumphinnans, will be considered by the Kirkcaldy District Committee of the County Council of Fife at a Meeting to be held in the Sheriff Court Buildings, Kirkcaldy, on Thursday, 26th February 1920, at 3.10 o'clock afternoon.

> DAVID BEVERIDGE, G. LEWIS AITKEN,

> > Joint District Clerks.

220 High Street, Kirkcaldy, 31st January 1920.

FIFE COUNTY COUNCIL. KIRKCALDY DISTRICT COMMITTEE.

N OTIFICATION is hereby given, in terms of Section 14 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1908, that a Requisition by not fewer than Ten Parish Electors of the Parish of Wemyss, for the formation of the Villages of Crossroads and Methilhill into a Special Lighting District, will be considered by the Kirkcaldy District Committee of the County Council of Fife at a Meeting to be held in the Sheriff Court Buildings, Kirkcaldy, on Thursday 26th February 1920, at 3.10 o'clock afternoon.

DAVID BEVERIDGE, G. LEWIS AITKEN, Joint District Clerks.

220 High Street, Kirkcaldy, 31st January 1920.

FIFE COUNTY COUNCIL.

KIRKCALDY DISTRICT COMMITTEE.

N OTIFICATION is hereby given that, at a Meeting of the Kirkcaldy District Committee of the County Council of Fife, to be held in the Sheriff Court Buildings, Kirkcaldy, on Thursday the 26th February 1920, at 3.10 o'clock afternoon, a proposal to enlarge the existing Special Drainage District of East Wemyss by the addition thereto of a portion of the Glebe of the Parish of Wemyss and a small portion of ground to the east thereof, all lying to the south of the Thornton and Buckhaven Railway and to the north of the Leven and Kirkcaldy Road, will be considered, and if so advised, disposed of.

DAVID BEVERIDGE, G. LEWIS AITKEN,

Joint District Clerks.

220 High Street, Kirkcaldy, 31st January 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that a Petition has been presented to the Sheriff of the Lothians and Peebles at Edinburgh by Lillian M'Intosh, Spinster, residing at 1 Wardie Avenue, Edinburgh, for her appointment as Executrix-creditor on the Estate of JUNNER MACKENZIE CROLL. Ship Purser, late of 262 South Fifth Avenue, Mount Vernon, New York, and who died at Porto Rico on 8th February 1916.

> MACKAY & M'INTOSH, Writers, 124 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow.

3rd February 1920.

D. M. WATSON, BULLIONFIELD, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of D. M. Watson, Bullionfield, Limited, incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1900, duly convened, and held within the Registered Office of the Company, 32 Rutland Square, Edinburgh, on the 14th day of January 1920, the following Resolution was duly passed ; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Members of the said Company, also duly convened, and held within the said Registered Office on the 30th day of January 1920, the same was duly confirmed so as to become a Special Resolution of the Company, viz. :--

"That the Company be would up voluntarily, and that Henry Michael Denne Watson, Chartered Accountant, Edinburgh, be, and he is hereby, appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

H. M. D. WATSON, Liquidator.

32 Rutland Square, Edinburgh, 31st January 1920.

D. M. WATSON, BULLIONFIELD, LIMITED (in Liquidation).

THE Company having passed a Special Resolution to wind up voluntarily, in terms of Section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, Notice is hereby given that a Meeting of the Creditors of the Company will be held at 32 Rutland Square, Edinburgh, on Wednesday, 18th February 1920, at twelve o'clock noon. This is merely a formal Meeting.

H. M. D. WATSON, Liquidator.

32 Rutland Square, Edinburgh, 31st January 1920.

D. M. WATSON, BULLIONFIELD, LIMITED (in Liquidation).

A LL persons having claims against the Company are requested to send particulars thereof to the Subscriber on or before Wednesday, 18th February 1920.

H. M. D. WATSON, Liquidator.

32 Rutland Square, Edinburgh, 31st January 1920.

THE COMPANIES ACTS, 1908 TO 1917. ORTHOPÆDIC SUPPLIES LIMITED (in Voluntary Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held at Roehampton House, Roehampton Lane, London, S.W., on Friday the 5th day of March 1920, at 12 o'clock at noon precisely, to receive the Report of the Liquidator, showing how the winding up of the Company has been conducted and its property disposed of, to hear any explanation that may be furnished by the Liquidator, and to pass an Extraordinary Resolution as to the disposal of the books, accounts, and documents of the Company.

Dated this 29th day of January 1920.

A. W. SHAW, Liquidator.

THOS. BAINES, Solicitor, 6 New Burlington Street, London, W. 1.

GEORGE JAMIESON & SON LIMITED (in Voluntary Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of Section 195 of the Companies Consolidation Act. 1908, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held within the Office of Messrs. Davidson & Garden, Advocates, 12 Dee Street, Aberdeen, on Wednesday the third day of March nineteen hundred and twenty, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up has been conducted, and the property of the Company disposed of, and of hearing any explanations that may be given by the Liquidators, and also of determining, by Extraordinary Resolution, the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the Company shall be disposed of.

GEORGE JAMIESON, ANN JAMIESON, MARY A. JAMIESON, Joint Liquidators.

SEQUESTRATION of DAVID STIRTON, Draper, Inverkeithing.

WILLIAM BRODIE GALBRAITH, C.A., 87 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, has been elected Trustee on the Estate; and Ronald Mitchell, Partner of the Firm of G. & R. Mitchell, 33 Virginia Street, Glasgow, John Hunter, Managing Director of Macdonald & Hunter Ltd., 15-21 South Portland Street, Glasgow, and David Arthur, Auctioneer and Valuator, 195 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, have been elected Commissioners. The Examination of the Bankrupt will take place in

the Sheriff Court House, Dunfermline, on Tuesday the

tenth day of February next, at 10.45 o'clock forenoon. The Creditors will meet within the Chambers of John R. Menzies, Solicitor, 7 Bank Street, Inverkeithing, on Friday the 20th day of February next, at eleven o'clock forenoon.

W. B. GALBRAITH, C.A.

Glasgow, 30th January 1920.

SEQUESTRATION of MISS JESSIE FORBES, Draper, sometime of Dryburgh House, No. 181 St. Clair Street, Kirkcaldy, and presently residing at No. 111 East Smeaton Street there.

THE Trustee hereby intimates that a Final Account of his intromissions with the Funds of the Estate A of his intromissions with the Funds of the Estate has been duly audited by the Commissioners, and that a Meeting of Creditors will be held on Tuesday the twenty-fourth day of February 1920, at twelve o'clock noon, within the Chambers of Walter & W. B. Galbraith, C.A., 87 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, to consider an application to be made by the Trustee to the Court for his discharge. discharge.

W. B. GALBRAITH, C.A., Trustee.

Glasgow, 2nd February 1920.

SEQUESTRATION of JOSEPH HENRY CLIFFORD,

Colliery Agent, formerly residing at "Rosslyn,' Rutherglen, Glasgow, now at "Braemar," Kirn, and carrying on business at 52 St. Enoch Square, Glasgow.

S Trustee on above Estate, I hereby intimate As Trustee on above Estate, I hereby intimate that the accounts of my intromissions with the Funds of the Estate, brought down to 18th January, have been made up by me and audited by the Com-missioners in terms of the Statute, and further, that a first and final Dividend will be paid to those Creditors whose claims have been admitted by the Trustee, within his Office, 58 West Regent Street, Glasgow, on the 19th day of March 1920.

JOHN S. GAVIN, F.S.A.A., Trustee. 58 West Regent Street, Glasgow,

31st January 1920.

NOTICE.

THE Firm of DRS. BOAG & SCOTT, carrying on business as Medical Practitioners at 12 Hill Street, Wishaw, and at Drumloch, Glen Road, Wishaw, has been DISSOLVED, as at 31st January 1920, by mutual consent.

The Subscriber Dr. James Boag will carry on business as an Individual at 12 Hill Street aforesaid, and the Subscriber Dr. F. D. Scott will carry on business as an Individual at Drumloch aforesaid.

Either party may uplift any debts due to the Firm.

Dated this thirtieth day of January nineteen hundred and twenty.

JAMES BOAG.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said Dr. James Boag— THOS. S. HARAN, Writer, Wishaw. JEAN WALKER, Clerkess, 14 Hill Street, Wishaw.

FRANK D. SCOTT.

Witnesses to the Signature of the said Dr. F. D. Scott-WM. B. THOMSON, Solicitor, Wishaw.

D. M'LEAN, Solicitor, Wishaw.

NOTICE.

THE Business of ROBERT MACKILL & COMPANY, Shipowners and Shipbrokers, 53 Bothwell Street, Glasgow, carried on by the deceased John Morton, has been transferred by his Trustees, as at 30th November last, to Mr. William Hunter Morton, Shipowner and Shipbroker, Glasgow, who will carry on the Business for his our below. for his own behoof.

ROBT. MORTON.

- W. B. SCOTT VALENTINE, Clerk, 172 St.
- W. B. SCOTT VALSATILE, CIER, 172 St.
 Vincent Street, Glasgow,
 ROBT. OGG, Clerk, 172 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
 Witnesses to the Signature of Robert

Morton.

MATTHEW HUNTER,

JAMES MORTON,

The Trustees of the deceased John Morton.

- R. A. REID, Law-Clerk, 172 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow,
- C. B. SOMFRVILLE, Law-Clerk, 172 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Witnesses to the Signatures of Matthew
 - Hunter and James Morton.

W. H. MORTON.

JAMES M. REID, Writer, Glasgow, R. A. REID, Law-Clerk, 172 St. Vincent Street, Glasgow, Witnesses to the Signature of William

Hunter Morton.

Glasgow, 31st January 1920.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber George Alexander Rae has retired from the Firm of RAE BROTHERS, Manu-facturers and Woolien Merchants, Bank Street, Alloa, as from 1st January 1920. The Business has been transferred to James Gilchrist and W. Taylor Marshall, who will continue to carry on the Business under the same Firm as hitherto. Mr. Rae will discharge all debts due by the Firm to 1st January 1920.

GEO. A. RAE.

ALEX. L. ROXBURGH, 3 Mar Street, Alloa, Solicitor.

GRACE BAXTER. 3 Mar Street, Alloa, Typist.

JAMES GILCHRIST.

GEORGE DAVIDSON, Mill Street, Alloa. ANDREW B. INGLIS, Fairfield, Sauchie, Alloa.

WM. TAYLOR MARSHALL.

ALFRED ARMITAGE, 5 Golden Square,

London, W. 1. Monro S. Orr, Holmdale, Woodridings, Hatch End, Middlesex.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Firm of R. D. NICOL & CO., Yarn, Oil, &c., Merchants and Agents, 166 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, of which the Sub-scribers were sole Partners, has been DISSOLVED, by the retiral therefrom, on the 7th November last, of the Subscriber Robert Douglas Brookholding Nicol. The Subscriber James Marshall Stewart Nicol has

acquired the whole assets of the Firm, and will discharge all the Firm's liabilities, and the business of the Firm will be carried on by him at 51 Buchanan Street, Glasgow, under the old Firm name of R. D. NICOL & Co.

Dated at Glasgow, this twenty-sixth day of January 1920.

JAMES M. S. NICOL.

R. D. B. NICOL.

J. L. HUTCHEON, Witness, Secretary, 26 Lyndhurst Gardens, Glasgow, NORAH COCHRAN, Witness, Typist, 166 Buchanan Street, Glasgow,

Vitnesses to the Signatures of the said James Marshall Stewart Nicol and Robert Douglas Brookholding Nicol.

THE Partnership of CELNIK BROTHERS, Manu-facturers, 16 St. Enoch Square, Glasgow, was this day, 31st January 1920, DISSOLVED by mutual consent, by the sole Partners Percy Sidney Gordon and Zalma Celnik, the Subscribers hereto. The Business will be continued by Zalma Celnik and James Beattie, under the Firm name of CELNIK & BEATTIE, who will discharge all the obligations of the dissolved Firm, and collect all outstanding assets.

P. S. GORDON.

Z. CELNIK.

J. BEATTIE.

Witnesses to all the Signatures — ANDREW LITTLE, Solicitor, Glasgow.

JOHN LOUDON, Clerk, Clydesdale Bank, 2 Moir Street, Glasgow.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

N OTICE is hereby given that the Copartnership be-tween John Hossick Doig and David Doig under the Firm and style of JOHN DOIG & SONS, Plumbers and Tinsmiths, Coupar-Angus, was DISSOLVED, by mutual consent, on 31st January 1920.

The Subscriber John Hossick Doig is to continue the Business for his own behoof under the Firm name of JOHN DOIG & SONS, and will receive payment of all accounts and monies due to, and will pay all debts and liabilities due by, the late Partnership.

JOHN H. DOIG.

DAVID DOIG.

Boyd, Solicitor, CHARLES Coupar Angus, Witness. ANGUS M. STEWART, Solicitor, Coupar-Angus, Witness.

BANKRUPTS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Major Edric Green, late 249 Cromwell Road, in the county of London, and whose present address the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain.

- R. H. Kidd, 15 Dalmeny Court, Duke Street, in the county of London, and the County Life Hotel, Datchet, in the county of Bucks, and formerly the Berkeley Hotel, Piccadilly, in the county of London, a Captain in His Majesty's Army.
- Walter C. A. Lane, whose present residence or place of business the Petitioning Creditor is unable to ascertain, late Officer in His Majesty's Forces, a domiciled Englishman.
- Samuel Levy, 344 Kilburn Lane, Maida Hill, in the county of London, greengrocer.
- George Richard Nicholas, 21 Cousin Lane, E.C. 4, in the city of London, and residing at 2 Ashen Grove, Wim-bledon Park, in the county of Surrey, stationer.
- Thomas Henry Butler, lately residing at 17 Foden Road, Walsall, in the county of Stafford, now residing at Bryn Gwynt, Penrhynside, Llandudno, in the county of Carnarvon, and carrying on business at 4 and 6 Mostyn Street, Llandudno aforesaid, saddlery and lather goods dealor leather goods dealer.
- ishton Gordon Harris (in the proceedings described as Bishton Gordon Harris Brown) (trading as C. Brown and Co.), 113 Coleshill Street, Birmingham, leather manufacturer.
- Chapman Brothers, 53 York Street, Twickenham, in the county of Middlesex, hosiers.
- Albert William Pratt, Orchards, Sarre Road, West Hampstead, London, carrying on business at the Brick Works, Rayleigh, Essex.
- George William Pawson, residing at Denholme Drive, Ossett, in the county of York, and carrying on businessat Dale Street, Ossett aforesaid, cab proprietor.
- Harry William Lee, Wimbotsham, Norfolk, baker and flour and offal dealer.
- Thomas Gumley, 30 Albion Hill, in the city of Leicester, pipe fitter.
- Claude Robinson Lucas, The Borough Mental Hospital, Leicester, in the county of Leicester.
- G. H. Leatherbarrow (Male), 30 Station Road, Ainsdale, Southport, and lately residing at 8 Chesterfield Road, Great Crosby, both in the county of Lancaster, purser.
- Walter Neish, Silver Street, Stainforth, near Doncaster, in the county of York, cycle dealer.

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