

INTEREST ON PREPAID EXCESS
PROFITS DUTY.

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that under the powers conferred on them by Section 54 of the Finance Act, 1916, they have determined that as from the 28th July 1921 until further notice the rate of interest to be allowed under the provisions of that Section on sums deposited by any person with the Commissioners of Inland Revenue for the purpose of satisfying any Excess Profits Duty shall be Four per cent. per annum.

Treasury Chambers, Whitehall.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE (No. 2)
ACT, 1921.

THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE (TRANSI-
TIONAL) REGULATIONS, 1921.

The Minister of Labour by virtue of the powers conferred on him by sub-section (4) of section 3 of the Unemployment Insurance (No. 2) Act, 1921, and of all other powers in that behalf hereby makes the following Regulations:—

1. In the case of any persons who were insured at the commencement of the Unemployment Insurance (No. 2) Act, 1921, the following provisions shall have effect for the transition from the provisions of the Unemployment Insurance Acts, 1920 and 1921, to the provisions of those Acts as amended by the first mentioned Act:—

(a) Where a continuous period of unemployment commenced before the 30th day of June, 1921, and the first three days of unemployment had expired before that date the remainder of that period of unemployment after those three days shall

notwithstanding the passing of the Unemployment Insurance (No. 2) Act, 1921, be regarded so long as it continues as a period of unemployment in respect of which unemployment benefit is payable.

(b) Where a period of unemployment of not less than three days the third day of which occurs before the 30th day of June 1921, is followed after an interval not exceeding six weeks from the last day of that period of unemployment by another period of unemployment of not less than six days of which some occur on or after the 30th day of June 1921, these two periods shall be treated as a continuous period of unemployment and the expression "continuously unemployed" shall have a corresponding meaning.

2. These Regulations may be cited as the Unemployment Insurance (Transitional) Regulations 1921, and shall have effect as from the 30th day of June 1921.

Signed by Order of the Minister of Labour.

This sixteenth day of July 1921.

J. E. MASTERTON SMITH,
Secretary of the Ministry of Labour.

Admiralty, 22nd July 1921.

R.N.R.

His Majesty the KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Royal Naval Reserve Officers' Decoration to the following Officers:—

Lieut.-Cdr. Edmund Aikman.
Lieut.-Cdr. Thomas E. Coombs, O.B.E.
Lieut.-Cdr. William G. B. Jones.

J. F. THOMSON & CO. LIMITED.

At an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, held on 30th June 1921, the following Resolution was passed; and at a subsequent Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company, held on 22nd July 1921, the said Resolution was duly confirmed as a Special Resolution of the Company, viz.:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily."

At the latter Meeting James Winning, Chartered Accountant, Glasgow, was appointed Liquidator.

In accordance with Section 188 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, notice is hereby given that a Meeting of the Creditors of the Company will be held within the Office of Wilson, Stirling, & Co., C.A., 93 West George Street, Glasgow, on 10th August 1921, at 12 o'clock noon.

JAMES WINNING, C.A., Liquidator.

NOTE.—The Creditors will be paid in the ordinary course of business.

THE B.B. PICTURES LTD. (in Liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of Sections 195 and 222 of the Companies (Consolidation) Act, 1908, that a General Meeting of the Members of the above-named Company will be held in the Office of The B.B. Pictures (1920) Ltd., 81 Dunlop Street, Glasgow, on Monday, 29th day of August 1921, at 12.15 o'clock afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them, showing the manner in which the winding up of the Company has been conducted and its property

disposed of, and hearing any explanations 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 and of the Liquidator.

HENRY C. STEWART, Liquidator.

102 Hope Street, Glasgow,
22nd July 1921.

R. B. LAIRD, DICKSON, & SONS LIMITED
(in Liquidation).

A NOTE having been presented to the Court (First Division, Lord Blackburn, Ordinary,—Mr. Saunders, Clerk) by J. Stuart Gowans, C.A., Edinburgh, the Liquidator of R. B. Laird, Dickson, & Sons Ltd., incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1862 to 1898, and having their Registered Office at 17A South Frederick Street, Edinburgh, craving the Court, *inter alia*, (1) to approve of the accounts of the Liquidator's intromissions from 23rd January 1919 to the close of the Liquidation, (2) to fix the remuneration of the Liquidator for the period from said 23rd January 1919, and to authorise him to take credit for the amount thereof, and also to take credit for any expenses incurred or to be incurred by him in connection with the Liquidation subsequent to the date of his final account in so far as not already paid, (3) to remit the Law Agents' final account to the Auditor of the Court of Session for taxation, (4) to authorise the Liquidator to pay such final Dividends to the ordinary Creditors ranked in the Liquidation as the balance in his hands will permit,