

tion with or in conjunction with the altering, repairing, renovating, or re-making of such garments;

(4) All processes of embroidery or decorative needlework where carried on in association with or in conjunction with the making, altering, repairing, renovating or re-making of such articles, other than hand embroidery or hand drawn-thread work on articles made of linen or cotton or of mixed linen and cotton;

(5) The following processes if done by machine: thread-drawing, thread-clipping, top-sewing, scalloping, nickelling and paring;

(6) Laundering, smoothing, folding, ornamenting, boxing, packing, warehousing or other operations incidental to or appertaining to the making, altering, repairing, renovating or re-making of any of the above-mentioned articles;

but excluding:—

(a) The making of knitted articles; the making of underclothing, socks and stockings, from knitted fabrics; and the making from knitted fabrics of articles mentioned in paragraphs (1) and (2) above, where carried on in association with or in conjunction with the manufacture of the knitted fabrics;

(b) The making of gloves, spats, gaiters, boots, shoes and slippers;

(c) The making of headgear, other than the articles mentioned in paragraph (2) above;

(d) The branches of trade covered by the Trade Boards (Corset) Order, 1919;

(e) The making of rubberised or oilskin garments;

(f) The making of women's collars and cuffs and of nurses' stiff washing belts where carried on in association with or in conjunction with the making of men's or boys' shirts or collars;

(g) Warehousing, packing and other similar operations carried on in shops mainly engaged in the retail distribution of articles of any description that are not made on the premises;

and excluding also:—

(h) Any processes or operations included in the Appendix to the Trade Boards (Shirt-making) Order, 1920.

The Trade Board will consider any Objections to the above Proposals which may be lodged with them within two months from the 23rd day of December 1921. 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 Dress-making and Women's Light Clothing Trade Board (England and Wales), 7-11 Old Bailey, London, E.C. 4.

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

Dated this twenty-second day of December 1921.

Signed by Order of the Trade Board,

F. POPPLEWELL, Secretary.

Office of Trade Boards,
7-11 Old Bailey, London, E.C. 4.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACTS, 1920-1921.

DECISIONS OF THE HIGH COURT ON REFERENCES
MADE UNDER SECTION 10 (1) OF 1920 ACT.

Contributions Payable.

On the 20th December the Minister referred to the High Court for decision the questions whether persons employed as

Second hand on a private yacht.

Housemaid waitress and housemaid in a seaside Boarding House, which though not closed to visitors at any time of the year is occupied to its full capacity only at certain holiday seasons,

were or were not employed persons within the meaning of the Act of 1920.

The Judge held that the employment of the second hand on the yacht was not employment in domestic service, and was accordingly not excepted under paragraph (b) of Part II. of the First Schedule to Act of 1920. The employment of the housemaid-waitress was held to be employment in domestic service, but in a business carried on for the purposes of gain, and accordingly not excepted under the paragraph (b) referred to above. They were therefore required to be insured.

Consequently contributions under the Act are payable in respect of persons so employed.

Admiralty, 23rd December 1921.

The following decoration has been conferred by the President of the French Republic upon the undermentioned British Naval Officer in recognition of his services during the War:—

His Majesty the KING has given unrestricted permission to the Officer concerned to wear the decoration in question.

LEGION OF HONOUR.

Chevalier.

Cdr. Kenneth M. Bruce, D.S.O., R.N.

Civil Service Commission, December 23, 1921.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice, that Open Competitive Examinations of candidates for entry as Apprentices in His Majesty's Dockyards and as Artificer Apprentices in the Royal Navy will commence in London, Edinburgh, Dublin, Aberdeen, Glasgow, Portsmouth, Devonport, Chatham, Leeds, Pembroke, and Sheerness on the 11th April 1922.

No person will be admitted to compete from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 1st March 1922, an application, in the handwriting of the candidate, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.