

Minimum Rates of Wages for Foremen and Managers are applicable.

SECTION I.—FOREMEN AND MANAGERS as defined in Section II. of this Part of this Schedule :—

General Minimum Time-Rate, 80s. per week of 48 hours.

Guaranteed Time-Rate, 80s. per week of 48 hours.

A FOREMAN OR MANAGER employed on Piece-work shall be entitled to be paid not less than the Guaranteed Time-Rate, notwithstanding that his earnings on Piece-work are less than such sum.

SECTION II.—In substitution for the definitions of a "FOREMAN" and a "MANAGER" set out in Section II. of Part II. of the Notice D (6) issued by the Trade Board and dated 13th May 1920, the following definition shall apply :—

A FOREMAN OR MANAGER shall be deemed to be a male person of 21 years of age and over who is employed in any branch of the trade specified in the Trade Boards (Boot and Shoe Repairing) Order, 1919, and

- (a) Who exercises sole supervising authority over all journeymen exceeding three in number (excluding the foreman) working in the same shop or department; or
- (b) Who continuously exercises supervising authority and is held responsible for the output and the general conduct of the workshop, even although the total number of journeymen employed does not exceed three; or
- (c) Who is the only worker (apart from apprentices and learners) employed on the employer's workplace and who is ordinarily left with sole control of, and responsibility for, the work and output thereof, and whose work is not removed to other premises for distribution to customers, and who has no workers to supervise other than outworkers, apprentices or learners or any journeymen who occasionally may be employed at the workplace

But excluding a worker employed in any branch of the trade specified in the Trade Boards (Boot and Shoe Repairing) Order, 1919, in an establishment, the principal business of which is the distribution of leather footwear.

SECTION III.—The General Minimum Time-Rates for all workers, to whom the minimum rates of wages for Foremen and Managers as defined in Section II. of Part II. of the Trade Board's Notice D (6), dated 13th May 1920, are applicable and who are not included within the classes of Foremen and Managers as defined in Section II. of this Part of this Schedule, shall be the General Minimum Time-Rates set out in Part I. of the Trade Board's Notice D (1), dated 16th November 1919.

PART III.

Proposed Variation of Overtime Rates.

Overtime rates, calculated on the proposed minimum rates of wages specified in Parts I. and II. of this Schedule in the manner specified in Part II. of the Schedule to the Notice D

(13) issued by the Trade Board and dated 31st September 1921, shall apply in substitution for the proposed minimum rates set out in Parts I. and II. of this Schedule, in respect of all hours worked in excess of the number of hours declared by the Trade Board in the Schedule to the above-mentioned Notice D (13) to be the normal number of hours of work in the trade.

PART IV.

SECTION I.—The proposed minimum rates of wages set out in this Schedule shall apply, subject to the provisions of the Trade Boards Acts, to all workers in Great Britain in respect of all time during which they are employed in any branch of the trade specified in the Trade Boards (Boot and Shoe Repairing) Order, 1919, that is to say, the repairing, wherever carried on, of boots, shoes, slippers, and all kinds of leather footwear, INCLUDING the making of bespoke hand-sewn, riveted, or pegged leather footwear, but EXCLUDING the manufacture of leather footwear on a large scale, the repairing of saddlery and leather goods other than leather footwear, and the retailing of leather footwear.

SECTION II.—The proposed minimum rates of wages set out in this Schedule are without prejudice to workers who are earning higher rates of wages.

The Trade Board will consider any Objections to the above Proposal to Vary which may be lodged with them within two months from the 30th 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, Boot and Shoe Repairing Trade Board (Great Britain), 7-11 Old Bailey, London E.C. 4.

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

Dated this twenty-ninth 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.

PATENTS AND DESIGNS ACTS, 1907 AND 1919.

Restoration of Lapsed Patent under Section 20.

Notice is hereby given, that an Order was made on the 22nd day of December 1921, restoring Letters Patent No. 3777 of 1908, bearing date the 10th day of January 1908, and the Patent of Addition thereto, No. 5964 of 2908, bearing date the 17th day of March 1908, both granted to Albert Goubeaut, for inventions entitled "Improvements in turnstile doors."

W. TEMPLE FRANKS,
Comptroller-General.

The Patent Office.