

therefrom of operations falling within the trade specified in the Appendix hereto.

3. (1) This Order may be cited as the Trade Boards (Rubber Manufacturing) Order, 1938.

(2) The Interpretation Act, 1889, applies to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(3) This Order shall come into force on the third day of October 1938.

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Labour, this twenty-first day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-eight.

(L.S.) T. W. PHILLIPS,  
Secretary of the Ministry of Labour.

#### APPENDIX.

##### THE RUBBER MANUFACTURING TRADE.

Subject to the provisions of this Appendix the Rubber Manufacturing Trade consists of the following operations:—

1. (a) the preparation and manufacture of rubber materials and the manufacture and repair of rubber articles in an establishment wholly or mainly so engaged, or in a branch or department of an establishment being a branch or department wholly or mainly engaged as aforesaid;
- (b) the rubberising of fabrics;
- (c) the regeneration of used or waste rubber;
- (d) all work incidental to the operations specified in sub-paragraphs (a) to (c) of this paragraph.

2. Notwithstanding anything in this Appendix the following operations are not operations in the Rubber Manufacturing Trade:—

- (a) the preparation or manufacture of rubber materials and the manufacture or repair of rubber articles, including work incidental thereto, in a department of a factory, if the factory as a whole is mainly engaged on operations other than those specified in paragraph 1 hereof and the materials and articles are used in the manufacture or repair of articles made or repaired in the factory, not being rubber articles;
  - (b) the making up from rubberised fabrics of articles other than vulcanised articles;
  - (c) work performed by dental mechanics;
  - (d) the manufacture of articles made from asbestos;
  - (e) the manufacture of electric cables.
3. For the purpose of this Appendix:—

“ rubber materials ” includes materials wholly or mainly composed of one or more of the following substances or substitutes, that is to say, rubber, gutta percha, balata, rubber compounds and dispersions commonly known in the rubber manufacturing trade as rubber, and substitutes for any of the aforementioned substances if such substitutes are processed on

machinery of the kind normally used for processing rubber;

“ rubber articles ” includes articles commonly known in the said trade as rubber articles, gutta percha articles or balata articles;

“ work incidental ” includes the work of general factory labourers and storemen.

Civil Service Commission,  
September 20, 1938.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that an Open Competitive Examination for situations as Female Sorting Assistant in the General Post Office, London, will be held in London, commencing on the 30th December 1938, under the Regulations dated the 11th February 1938 and published in the London Gazette of the same date and in the Edinburgh Gazette of 15th February 1938.

Appointments will be offered to not fewer than 120 of the candidates highest on the list, provided they obtain the necessary aggregate of marks and are duly qualified in other respects.

No person will be admitted to examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 10th November 1938, an application in the candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

##### WIDOWS', ORPHANS', AND OLD AGE CONTRIBUTORY PENSIONS ACTS, 1936 AND 1937.

Notice is hereby given under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that it is proposed by the National Health Insurance Joint Committee and the Minister of Health, acting jointly in conjunction with the Treasury, after the expiration of at least forty days from this date, in exercise of the powers conferred by the Widows', Orphans', and Old Age Contributory Pensions Acts, 1936 and 1937, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, to make regulations to be entitled the Contributory Pensions (Determination of Income) Amendment Regulations (No. 2), 1938;

And that on account of urgency the National Health Insurance Joint Committee and the Minister of Health, acting jointly in conjunction with the Treasury, under section 2 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, made regulations entitled the Contributory Pensions (Determination of Income) Amendment Regulations (No. 2), 1938, to come into operation immediately as provisional regulations, and to continue in operation until regulations have been made in accordance with the provisions of section 1 of that Act.

Copies of the provisional regulations so made, which constitute the draft of regulations to be made as aforesaid, can be purchased directly from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Astral House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120 George Street,