

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918, HOLIDAYS WITH PAY ACT, 1938, AND TRADE BOARDS AND ROAD HAULAGE WAGES (EMERGENCY PROVISIONS) ACT, 1940.

SUGAR CONFECTIONERY AND FOOD PRESERVING TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

PROPOSAL TO VARY MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES (INCLUDING HOLIDAY REMUNERATION).

The Sugar Confectionery and Food Preserving Trade Board (Great Britain) hereby give notice that they propose to vary minimum rates of wages with corresponding variation of holiday remuneration.

Particulars of the proposed variations may be obtained on application to the Secretary of the Trade Board at the address given below.

The Trade Board will consider any objections to the above-mentioned proposals which may be lodged with them within seventeen days from 6th December 1940. Any such objection should be in writing, signed by the person making the same (adding his or her address), and sent to the Secretary, Sugar Confectionery and Food Preserving Trade Board (Great Britain), Gordon Hotel, Leicester Street, Southport, Lancs. It is desirable that persons making objections should state the precise grounds of their objections.

G. H. TREGEAR, Secretary.

5th December 1940.

AGRICULTURAL WAGES (REGULATION) (SCOTLAND) ACTS, 1937 AND 1940.

The Secretary of State has made Regulations, dated 27th November 1940, under the above Acts, governing the proceedings of any meeting of the representative members of an Agricultural Wages Committee convened for the purpose of electing a chairman or vice-chairman. The Regulations, entitled The Agricultural Wages Committees (Scotland) Regulations, 1940, have been printed in the Statutory Rules and Orders Series. Copies of the Order may be obtained either directly or through any bookseller from H.M. Stationery Office, 120 George Street, Edinburgh, 2 (price 1d. net).

Department of Agriculture for Scotland,
St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh, 1.

4th December 1940.

PATENTS AND DESIGNS ACTS,
1907 to 1939.

Proceedings under Section 24 of the Acts.

Notice is hereby given that the indorsement "Licences of Right" upon Letters Patent No. 448,933 dated the 17th December 1934 and granted to Joseph Harry Greenwood and others for an invention entitled "Improvements in and relating to armoured hose" was cancelled on the 28th November 1940.

M. F. LINDLEY,
Comptroller-General.

The Patent Office.

STATEMENT showing the QUANTITIES SOLD and AVERAGE PRICE of BRITISH CORN per Hundred-weight of 112 Imperial Pounds,* as received from the INSPECTORS of CORN RETURNS in the week ended 30th November 1940, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, and the Corn Sales Act, 1921.

British Corn.	Quantities Sold.	Average Price per Cwt.	
		s.	d.
WHEAT	Cwt. 188,599	14	8
BARLEY	681,396	20	11
OATS	68,578	14	5

* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, as amended by Section 2 of the Corn Sales Act, 1921, provides that, in the weekly summary of quantities and prices, each sort of British corn shall be computed with reference to the hundredweight of one hundred and twelve imperial standard pounds.

NOTE.—The prices in the statement above are based on returns received from Inspectors during the week ending 30th November 1940, and represent on the whole the average prices ruling in the week ending 23rd November 1940.

C. NATHAN,
Principal Assistant Secretary.

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