- (f) We then assayed separately the last mentioned sovereigns and we found the millesimal fineness of such sovereigns respectively to be, the first 916.62, the second 916.69, the third 916.71, the fourth 916.61 and the fifth 916.70, and that therefore the first of such sovereigns was four hundred-thousandth parts (-0.00004) below, the second three hundred-thousandth parts (+0.00003) above, the third five hundred-thousandth parts (+0.00005) above, the fourth five hundred-thousandth parts (-0.00005) below and the fifth four hundred-thousandth parts (+0.00004) above standard fineness.
- 3. (a) We found that the silver coins in the said pyx weighed in all not more than twelve ounces troy.
- (b) We weighed in bulk such silver coins and we ascertained that they were on the whole within the variation allowed under the Acts from the standard weight thereby prescribed, being one thousandth part of an ounce (-0.001) below standard weight.
- (c) We then assayed such silver coins comparing them with the silver trial plate produced by the Board of Trade, and we found that they were on the whole within the variation allowed under the Acts from the standard fineness thereby prescribed, the amount of variation from standard fineness being plus five ten-thousandth parts (+0.00005).
- 4 (a) We found that the cupro-nickel coins in the said pyx weighed in all more than twelve ounces troy and we took one or more coins from each packet of cupro-nickel coins.
- (b) We weighed each twelve ounces troy (at standard weight) of cupro-nickel coins so taken out and ascertained that the amount of its variation (if any) from standard weight was the amount recorded in respect thereof in the schedule hereto, and that each twelve ounces trov was therefore within the variation from standard weight allowed under the Acts.
- (c) We then assayed separately cupro-nickel coins weighing in all twelve ounces troy (at standard weight) comparing them with the copper trial plate and the ni kel trial plate produced by the Board of Trade, and we found that the coins assayed were on the whole within the variation allowed under the Acts from the standard composition thereby prescribed, the amount of the only variation from standard composition being minus one tenth of one per centum (-0.1°) of copper.
- (d) We weighed in bulk the residue of the coins remaining in the packets of cupro-nickel coins and we ascertained that they were on the whole within the variation from standard weight allowed under the Acts, being two ounces and four hundred and forty-seven thousandth parts of an ounce (+2.447) above standard weight.

Dated the 13th day of May 1960.

THE SCHEDULE

One weighing of twelve ounces troy showed no variation from standard weight; four such weighings showed variations of two, nine, fifteen and twenty-two thousandth parts of an ounce (+0.002, +0.009; +0.015 and +0.022) respectively above standard weight; one such weighing showed a variation of two thousandth parts of an ounce (-0.002) below standard weight.

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R. S. Hutton, Foreman.

A. H. King, Queen's Remembrancer.

Ministry of Labour, 19 St. James's Square, London, S.W.1. 27th May 1960.

IN pursuance of Section 122 of the Factories Act, 1937 and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, The Right Honourable Edward Heath, Minister of Labour, has been pleased to appoint:—

Fife, James Gordon Newnham, James Montague Sextone, Arthur

to be Her Majesty's Inspectors of Factories.

K. CRUNDWELL.

NATIONAL INSURANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE Notice of submission of Preliminary Draft Regulations entitled

THE NATIONAL INSURANCE (GRADUATED CONTRIBUTIONS AND NON-PARTICIPATING EMPLOYMENTS—MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) REGULATIONS, 1960

IN accordance with Section 77 of the National Insurance Act, 1946, the National Insurance Advisory Committee give notice that they have received from the Joint Authority (comprising the Minister of Pensions and National Insurance and the Minister of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland) for consideration and report thereon the preliminary draft of regulations entitled the National Insurance (Graduated Contributions and Non-participating Employments—Miscellaneous Provisions) Regulations, 1960.

A short explanatory note on these regulations is appended to this notice.

Copies of the preliminary draft of these regulations may be purchased directly (price 9d.) from Her Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses: York House, Kingsway, London W.C.2; 13a Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39-41 King Street, Manchester 2; 109 St. Mary Street, Cardiff; 80 Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

The Committee will take into consideration any objection, made by or on behalf of persons affected, received by them not later than 28th June 1960. Objections should be addressed to the Secretary, National Insurance Advisory Committee, 10 John Adam Street, London W.C.2.

IFOR EVANS, Chairman.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

These Regulations contain in Part II provisions as to the payment of graduated and weekly contributions in the case of persons employed in both participating and non-participating employments and as to the calculation in such cases of the excess graduated contributions which, under the National Insurance Act, 1959, are refundable and do not count for benefit.

Parts III to V contain miscellaneous amendments of various Regulations made under the National Insurance Acts, in order to adapt them to the new graduated scheme.

NATIONAL INSURANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Notice of submission of Preliminary Draft Regulations entitled

THE NATIONAL INSURANCE (MARRIED WOMEN) AMENDMENT REGULATIONS, 1960

IN accordance with Section 77 of the National Insurance Act, 1946, the National Insurance Advisory Committee give notice that they have received from the Minister of Pensions and National Insurance for consideration and report thereon the preliminary draft of regulations entitled the National Insurance (Married Women) Amendment Regulations, 1960, under which married women will be treated in the same way as other persons for graduated contribution purposes.

Copies of the preliminary draft of these regulations may be purchased directly (price 2d.) from Her Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses: York House, Kingsway, London W.C.2; 13a Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39-41 King Street, Manchester 2; 109 St. Mary Street, Cardiff; 80 Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

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IFOR EVANS, Chairman.

COUNCIL OF THE COUNTY OF ABERDEEN

NOTICE is Hereby Given in accordance with the terms of Section 147(5) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1947 that the County Council of the County of Aberdeen have resolved to alter, by extending, the boundaries of Bridge of Don Special Drainage District.

The full terms of the Resolution and plan showing the boundary of the said Special District as extended may be inspected at the County Buildings, Aberdeen during ordinary business hours from 1st until 22nd June 1960.

JAMES L. CRAIG, County Clerk.

County Buildings, 22 Union Terrace, Aberdeen. 27th May 1960.