

*Factory Department, Home Office,  
January 8, 1917.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice, that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. A. E. L. Gray, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Acts, at Wartle, in the county of Aberdeen, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,  
January 8, 1917.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice, that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. W. E. Burton, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Acts, at Frodsham, in the county of Chester, is vacant.

#### TRADING WITH THE ENEMY AMENDMENT ACT, 1916.

Orders have been made by the Board of Trade requiring the undermentioned businesses to be wound up:—

397. Carl Zeiss (London) Limited, 13/14, Great Castle Street, Oxford Circus, London, W., Opticians and Makers of Field Glasses. *Controller:* Louis H. Weatherley, 14, George Street, Mansion House, London, E.C. 5 January, 1917.

398. The Institute W. Schimmelpfeng, 137, Cheapside, London, E.C., and elsewhere in the United Kingdom, Inquiry Agency. *Controller:* Rowland Evans Smith, 53, New Broad Street, London, E.C. 8 January, 1917.

*Ministry of Munitions of War,  
2nd January, 1917.*

The Minister of Munitions in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Defence of the Realm (Consolidation) Act, 1914, the Defence of the Realm (Amendment) No. 2 Act, 1915, the Defence of the Realm (Consolidation) Regulations, 1914, the Munitions of War Acts, 1915 and 1916, and all other powers thereunto enabling him hereby Orders that all persons engaged in the manufacture, purchase, sale or other dealings in Chemical and Medical glass or glass tubing and rod shall comply with the following Regulations:—

##### *Manufacture.*

(1) No person shall manufacture any Chemical or Medical glass or glass tubing or rod unless the purpose for which the glass is required has been approved. Such approval must be evidenced by one or other of the following which must be quoted by the ordering firm together with the purpose for which the glass is required:—

(a) Reference to and number of an Admiralty, War Office or Ministry of Munitions contract for which the glass is necessary, or

(b) A certificate authorising the supply issued on behalf of the Minister of Munitions by the Director of Optical and Glassware Munitions.

(2) Manufacturers are required to render to the Director of Optical and Glassware Munitions at regular intervals full and accurate returns of their manufacture and output of Chemical and Medical glass and glass tubing and rod in accordance with the directions from time to time given by the said Director.

##### *Purchase and Sale outside the United Kingdom.*

(3) No person shall buy, sell or deal in any Chemical or Medical glass or glass tubing or rod situated or to be manufactured outside the United Kingdom unless a certificate authorising such purchase, sale or dealing has been issued on behalf of the Minister of Munitions by the Director of Optical and Glassware Munitions.

##### *Definition Clause.*

(4) For the purpose of this Order Chemical and Medical glass shall include Resistance, Chemical and Bacteriological Glassware, Carboys, Thermometers, Glass for Miners' Safety Flame Lamps, Glass for X Ray Apparatus, Hospital Glassware and Glass Vessels (graduated or otherwise) manufactured for the purpose of containing Reagents, Drugs, Medicines, Pharmaceutical or Biological Substances, or Preparations and glass tubing and rod shall include all glass tubing and glass rod made by the process of drawing.

(5) All applications in reference to the above Order should be made to the Director of Optical and Glassware Munitions, Ministry of Munitions of War, 117, Piccadilly, London, W:

NOTE.—Certificates will be granted to dealers to order reasonable quantities of Chemical and Medical glass and glass tubing and rod for the purpose of stock and/or export, provided that such orders are not considered by the Minister of Munitions as likely to interfere with the execution of orders required for war purposes. No further authorisation to dispose of such stocks will be required provided that in the case of articles, the export of which is prohibited, the usual permit to export be obtained:

*Ministry of Munitions of War,  
5th January, 1917.*

With reference to the Notice of Modification by the Minister of Munitions of the General Permit, dated January 1st, 1917, relating to dealings in metallurgical coke, pig iron and steel, the Minister of Munitions hereby gives notice that the sum of £13 is substituted for the sum of £13 10s. therein mentioned as the maximum basis price for Mild Steel Diamond Pattern Chequer Plates,  $\frac{1}{4}$ -inch thick on plain and over, and the sum of £21 10s. is substituted for the sum of £21 therein mentioned as the maximum basis price for Higher High Tensile Steel Angles, 7 united inches and over.

*Ministry of Munitions of War,  
6th January, 1917.*

The Minister of Munitions hereby gives notice, that in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Defence of the Realm (Consolidation) Act, 1914; The Defence of the Realm (Amendment) No. 2 Act, 1915; The