

fit for the reception of children over the age of five years sent to an Industrial School in pursuance of the provisions of the Children Act, 1908, or of the Elementary Education Act, 1876.

The certificate, which bears date the 20th April, 1918, provides that the number of children resident in the School at any one time, whether sent thereto in pursuance of the said provisions or not, shall not exceed seventy-three boys and forty-six girls.

Whitehall.

20th April, 1918.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
April 19, 1918.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. A. Dick to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Birstal District of the County of Yorks, West Riding.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
April 22, 1918.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. J. Fotheringham an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Motherwell, in the County of Lanark, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
April 22, 1918.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the death of Dr. R. H. Grimby an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Newton Abbot, in the County of Devon, is vacant.

*Board of Trade,
7, Whitehall Gardens.*

**THE RAW COTTON (FOURTH CENSUS) ORDER,
1918.**

Dated 19th day of April, 1918, made by the Board of Trade under Regulations 2 G and 2 JJ of the Defence of the Realm Regulations.

The Board of Trade, deeming it desirable to make further exercise of their powers under Regulations 2 G and 2 JJ of the Defence of the Realm Regulations, hereby order as follows:—

1. Every person who spins and every person who spins and manufactures raw cotton shall, on or before the 27th day of April, 1918, make a return to the Cotton Control Board in the form contained in the first schedule to this Order, giving such particulars of his business as are required by such form.

2. Every person who deals in raw cotton other than a member of the Liverpool or Manchester Cotton Associations shall, on or before the 27th day of April, 1918, make a return to the Cotton Control Board in the form contained in the second schedule to this Order, giving such particulars of his business as are required by such form.

3. Every person who deals in cotton who is a member of the Liverpool or Manchester Cotton Associations shall, if and when required by the Cotton Control Board, make a return to them, giving such particulars of his business in such form as the Cotton Control Board may direct.

4. This Order may be cited as the Raw Cotton (Fourth Census) Order, 1918.

Signed on behalf of the Board of Trade.

W. F. Marwood,

A Secretary to the Board of Trade.

NOTE.—Copies of the Order, with schedules, can be obtained from the Cotton Control Board, Victoria Hotel, Manchester.

**DEFENCE OF THE REALM
REGULATIONS.**

**RULES FOR NAVAL ORDNANCE MAGAZINE
DEPÔTS, &C., UNDER THE CHARGE OF
THE ADMIRALTY.**

In pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by Defence of the Realm Regulation 35A, the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, after consultation with a Secretary of State, hereby make the following rules:—

1. *Application.*

These rules shall apply to every person employed in the Naval Ordnance Magazine Depôts, and shall have effect over the whole area within the Depôt except only such areas or buildings (if any) as are expressly excepted by the order of the Officer in Charge of the Depôt. The posting of these Rules conspicuously in or at the entrance to the Depôt shall be deemed to be notice of their contents to all persons concerned.

For the purposes of these Rules Naval Ordnance Magazine Depôt shall include any hulk under the charge of the Admiralty which is used for the storage of explosives.

2. *Smoking, Tobacco, etc.*

No person shall smoke anywhere within the Depôt, or bring into or have in his possession while within the Depôt any cigar, cigarette, tobacco, pipe, or contrivance for smoking, except as authorised by the Officer in Charge of the Depôt or the Depôt Rules.

3. *Matches, Lights, etc.*

No person shall bring within the Depôt or have in his possession whilst within the Depôt any match or apparatus for producing light, or any lamp, light or fire of any description or any article of iron or steel, except as authorised by the Officer in Charge of the Depôt or by the Depôt Rules.

4. *Searching.*

The Police and anyone authorised by the Officer in Charge of the Depôt may search at any time any person entering or being within the Depôt, and may examine such person's clothing and any bag, basket, parcel or other article being carried, and any person entering or being within the Depôt shall, if so required by any such authorised person, submit to being searched and comply with any reasonable directions or regulations given or made with the object of enabling the same to be carried