for an aggregate period of less than 12 months and cannot suitably be engaged on piece-work, and to whom the Trade Board shall have issued a certificate on the ground that the employment is not merely temporary or seasonal, from 19s. 6d. to 26s. 0d. per week.

3. For female workers of 17 and under 18 years of age, from 18s. to 23s. 6d. per week.

4. For female workers of 16 and under 17 years of age, from 14s. 6d. to 18s. 9d. per week.

5. For female workers of 15 and under 16 years of age, from 11s. to 14s. 3d. per week.

6. For female workers under 15 years of age, from 7s. 6d. to 9s. 9d. per week.

Male Workers.

- 1. For male workers of 24 years of age and upwards (and those to whose employment the minimum rate of 34s. 8d. per week is applicable under the terms of Section 1 of the schedule of the notice issued by the Trade Board dated 6th October, 1917), from 34s. 8d. to 47s. 8d. per
- 2. For male workers of 22 years of age and upwards who have been employed in the trade for an aggregate period of less than 12 months and who cannot suitably be engaged on piece work, and to whom the Trade Board shall have issued a certificate on the ground that the employment is not merely temporary or seasonal. The Trade Board propose to cancel the rate for this special class of workers for whom the proposed rates will be those applicable according

3. For male workers of 23 and under 24 years of age, from 31s. to 44s. per week.

4. For male workers of 22 and under 25 years of age, from 31s. to 42s. per week.

5. For male workers of 21 and under 22 years of age, from 28s. to 40s. per week.

6. For male workers of 20 and under 21 years of age, from 25s. to 34s. 6d. per week.

7. For male workers of 19 and under 20 years of age, from 22s. to 30s. 3d. per week.

8. For male workers of 18 and under 19

years of age, from 19s. to 26s. per week.
9. For male workers of 17 and under 18 years of age, from 16s. to 23s. 6d. per week.

10. For male workers of 16 and under 17 years of age, from 13s. to 18s. 9d. per week.
11. For male workers of 15 and under 16

years of age, from 10s, to 14s, 3d, per week,

12. For male workers under 15 years of age, from 7s. to 9s. 9d. per week.

The above proposals are on the basis of a week of 52 hours.

The Trade Board will consider any objections to the above proposals to vary which may be lodged with them within two months from 18th November, 1918. Such objections should be in writing and signed by the person making the same (adding his or her full name and address), and should be sent to the Secretary of the Sugar, Confectionery and Food Preserving Trade Board (Great Britain), 5, Chancery Lane, London, W.C. 2. It is desirable that objections should state precisely, and so far as possible with reasons, what is objected to.

Further particulars in regard to the notices issued by the Trade Board will be forwarded to any persons affected thereby on application to the Secretary of the Trade Board at the address

given below.

G. T. Reid,

Secretary.

Office of Trade Boards, 5, Chancery Lane London, W.C. 2. TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 and 1918.

In accordance with Regulations made under Section 18 of the Trade Boards Act, 1909, by the Minister of Labour, and dated 31st October, 1918, the Trade Board established under this Act and the Trade Boards Provisional Orders Confirmation Act, 1913, for the Shirtmaking Trade in Great Britain, defined in the Regulations made by the Board of Trade, and dated 26th December, 1913, have given notice that they have varied the General Minimum Time Rates of Wages for Female Workers other than Homeworkers to 6d. an hour and for Female Homeworkers to 6d. an hour, and have also varied the General Minimum Time Rates for Learners correspondingly. They have also given notice that the Minister of Labour has made an Order dated 9th November, 1918, under Section 4 (2) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, confirming the rates as varied by the Trade Board, and specifying the 22nd of November, 1918, as the date from which such minimum rates shall become effective.

The rates payable to Learners are set out in the Notices issued by the Trade Board. These Notices will be furnished to any persons affected on application to the Secretary of the Trade Board at the address given below.

> G. T. Reid, Secretary.

Office of Trade Boards, 5, Chancery Lane, London, W.C. 2.

DEFENCE OF THE REALM (LIQUOR CONTROL).

GENERAL ORDER OF THE CENTRAL CONTROL BOARD (LIQUOR TRAFFIC) REGULATING THE Sale and Supply of Intoxicating Liquor ON CHEISTMAS DAY IN ENGLAND AND WALES.

We, the Central Control Board (Liquor Traffic), in pursuance of the powers conferred upon us by the Acts and Regulations relating to the Defence of the Realm hereby make the following General Order:-

Areas to which the Order applies.

1. This Order applies to all areas or parts of areas situate in England or Wales to which the Defence of the Realm (Liquor Control) Regulations, 1915, have been applied.

Hours During Which Intoxicating Liquor may be sold on Christmas Day.

- 2. The hours during which intoxicating liquor may (subject to the provisions of Article 3 hereof) be sold and supplied on Christmas Day in licensed premises and clubs whether for consumption on or off the premises shall be as follows:
 - (a) In such part of the Western Border Area as is situate in England, the hours between 12.30 p.m. and 2.30 p.m. and 6.30 p.m. and 9 p.m. for consumption on the premises, and the hours between 12.30 p.m. and 2.30 p.m. and 6.30 p.m. and 8 p.m. for consumption off the premises.