Whitehall, July 19, 1920.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 17th instant, to nominate Ernest Barker, Esq., M.A., Fellow, and Tutor and Librarian of New College, Oxford, to be Principal of King's College, London.

Factory Department, Home Office, July 13, 1920.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the death of Dr. H. Blake, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Yarmouth, in the county of Norfolk, is vacant.

Factory Department, Home Office, July 14, 1920

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. W. W. Fyfe to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Johnstone District of the county of Renfrew

Factory Department, Home Office, July 14, 1920

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. T. Bamford to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Uttoxeter District of the county of Stafford

Factory Department, Home Office, July 16, 1920.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. J. W. Flood to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Liverpool (Central) District of the county of Lancaster

Factory Department, Home Office, July 16, 1920.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. C. D. Rogers to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Ellesmere District of the county of Salop.

Factory Department, Home Office, July 19, 1920.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. W. M. Jones to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Llanfair Caereinion District of the county of Montgomery.

Factory Department, Home Office, July 19, 1920.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. E. S. Roberts to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Penygroes District of the county of Carnaryon.

Factory Department, Home Office, July 19, 1920

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. J. A. McLean to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Buckhaven District of the county of Fife

Factory Department, Home Office, July 19, 1920.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. J. Kean to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Forkhill District of the county of Armagh.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

ROPE, TWINE AND NET TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES AS VARIED AND FIXED FOR CERTAIN CLASSES OF MALE AND FEMALE WORKERS IN DORSET AND SOMERSET.

Effective as from 16th July, 1920.*

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 in Great Britain under the Trade Boards Act, 1918, for those branches of the Trade specified in the Trade Boards (Rope, Twine and Net) Order, 1919, having given due notice on the 21st April, 1920, of Proposal, as therein shown, to Vary and Fix Minimum Rates of Wages in respect of certain classes of Male and Female Workers in the area comprising the Administrative Counties of Dorset and Somerset and the City and County Borough of Bristol), HEREBY GIVE NOTICE, as required by Section 3 (5) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, that they HAVE VARIED the General Minimum Time-Rates, Piece-work Basis Time-Rates and Overtime Rates, at present effective and set out in the Schedule to their Notice dated 1st April, 1920. in respect of certain classes of Male and Female Workers in the area comprising the Administrative Counties of Dorset and Somerset and the City and County Borough of Bath (excluding the City and County Borough of Bristol), and have FIXED General Minimum Piece Rates for Male Workers employed in the said area in Hand Hackling, and that the Minimum Rates of Wages as Varied and Fixed are as shown in the Schedule set out below.

And the Trade Board FURTHER GIVE NOTICE that they have received notification from the Minister of Labour that he has made an Order dated the 10th July, 1920, under Section 4 (2) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, confirming the Minimum Rates of Wages as Varied and Fixed by the Trade Board and specifying the 16th July, 1920,* as the date from which such Minimum Rates of

Wages shall become effective.

* Should this date not correspond with the beginning of the period for which wages are paid by an employer who pays wages at intervals not exceeding seven days, the rates shall become effective as from the beginning of the next full-pay period, but in any case not later than 22nd July, 1920.