

Whitehall, September 18, 1929.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 17th instant, to confer the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom upon Lieutenant-General Sir Robert Stephenson Smyth Baden-Powell, Baronet, G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., K.C.B., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of Baron Baden-Powell, of Gilwell in the County of Essex.

Whitehall, September 19, 1929.

The KING has been pleased by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 16th instant, to appoint the Reverend Francis William Probert to the Living of Saint Cuthbert, Marley Hill, in the County and Diocese of Durham.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1925.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. E. G. B. Adams of Newbury, one of the Medical Referees under the Workmen's Compensation Act for the Districts of the Bath, Calne, Chippenham, Devizes, Frome, Hungerford, Malmesbury, Marlborough, Melksham, Newbury, Swindon, Trowbridge and Warminster County Courts (Circuit No. 52), the appointment held by him is vacant. Applications for the post should be addressed to the Private Secretary, Home Office, Whitehall, London, S.W. 1, and should reach him not later than 14th October.

Whitehall,
20th September, 1929.

The Home Secretary gives notice that in pursuance of Section 2 (1) of the Employment of Women, Young Persons and Children Act, 1920, he has made an Order authorising the employment on two day-shifts, of women of 18 years of age and over in winding and twisting artificial silk at the works of Messrs. Atlas Artificial Silk Processes Limited, Littleborough, near Manchester, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable accommodation for clothing put off during working hours, messroom accommodation, washing facilities and facilities for sitting shall be provided.

Whitehall,
17th September, 1929.

The Home Secretary gives notice that in pursuance of Section 2 (1) of the Employment of Women, Young Persons and Children Act, 1920, he has made an Order authorising the employment on two day-shifts, of women of

18 and young persons of 16 years of age and over in the manufacture of mica insulating tape at the works of The British Thomson-Houston Company Limited, Rugby, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable cloakroom and mess-room accommodation and washing facilities shall be provided.

Whitehall,
18th September, 1929.

*Downing Street,
17th September, 1929.*

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Leonard William Hamilton Young, Esq., to be a member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of the Falkland Islands.

*Scottish Office,
Whitehall, S.W. 1.
19th September, 1929.*

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 18th September, 1929, to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal appointed by the Treaty of Union to be kept and made use of in place of the Great Seal of Scotland appointing His Royal Highness The Duke of York, K.G., P.C., K.T., G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., to be His Majesty's High Commissioner to the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, which is to meet on the 2nd October, 1929, consequent upon the Union of the Church of Scotland with the United Free Church of Scotland.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

RETAIL BESPOKE TAILORING TRADE BOARD (ENGLAND AND WALES).

PROPOSAL TO VARY MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES IN CERTAIN AREAS AND TO CANCEL THE MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES FOR CERTAIN CLASSES OF WORKERS IN SUCH AREAS.

In accordance with Regulations made under Section 18 of the Trade Boards Act, 1909, by the Minister of Labour, and dated 21st April, 1927, the Retail Bespoke Tailoring Trade Board (England and Wales) HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that they PROPOSE TO VARY Minimum Rates of Wages for Male and Female Workers in the Area comprising the Counties of Cheshire, Lancashire (Western part), and Shropshire, and in the Area comprising the Counties of Derbyshire, Leicestershire, Lincolnshire, Nottinghamshire and Rutlandshire, and TO CANCEL the Minimum