in stoving artificial silk at the works of Messrs. Kirklees Limited, Tottington, Bury, Lancashire, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks; that suitable cloakroom and messroom accommodation, washing facilities and facilities for sitting shall be provided and that the Secretary of State may at any time require the occupiers to make such special arrangements for the conveyance of workers living at a distance or otherwise for the welfare of such workers as may be necessary to prevent hardship.

Whitehall, 23rd 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 Silk and Cotton Covering Department at the works of the Pirelli General Cable Works Limited, Western Shore, Southampton, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable cloakroom and messroom accommodation and facilities for sitting shall be provided.

Whitehall, 23rd September, 1929.

Whitehall, September 9, 1929.

IMPERIAL SERVICE MEDAL.

His Majesty The KING has been pleased to award the Imperial Service Medal to the following officers:-

Home Civil Service.

Abraham, William James, Skilled Labourer, H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth.

Ambrose, Frank, Assistant Head Attendant, National Gallery.

Overseer, Austin, John, Post Office, Birmingham.

Ayling, Harry, Assistant Superintendent of Area Examiners, Control Division, Ordnance Survey, Southampton.

Bache, Francis George, Postman, Wellington, Shropshire.

 \mathbf{James} Daniel. Skilled Workman, Bales, Class II, Engineering Department, Post Office.

Barnett, Robert, Postman, Wolverhampton. Bastable, Harry Walter, Telegraphist, Central Telegraph Office.

Battersby, Rose Amelia, Telegraphist, Central Telegraph Office.

Beveridge, Robert Henry, Overseer, London Postal Service.

Bird, Archibald Philip, Sorter, London Postal Service.

Bishop, Albert Edward, Assistant Inspector, Post Office, Loughborough.

Bond, Leonard, Assistant Storekeeper, Stores Department, Post Office.

Bowen, Charles Edward, Postman, Birmingham.

Bristow, William Harold, Overseer, London Postal Service.

Brown, David Soutar, Postman, Forfar.

Bryan, William Sharples, Assistant Superintendent, Class II, Post Office, Leicester. urrows, James William, Overseer, F

Burrows, Office, Manchester.

William Frederick, Sorting Clerk Buttress, and Telegraphist, Windsor.

Calkin, Thomas William, Overseer, London Postal Service.

Came, Henry Edward, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Bristol.

Canaway, Alfred John, Assistant Painter (Chargeman), H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth. Chappell, John William, Postman, Manchester. Clancy, Daniel, Storeholder, Army Ordnance Services, Woolwich.

Clarke, George, Sorter, London Postal Service. Corlett, Frederick, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Liverpool.

Cooke, James, Sorter, London Postal Service. Orichton, Robert Martin, Postman, Kirkcaldy.

Crossley, Arthur, Postman, Manchester.
Curnow, Ernest Alfred John, Inspector, Post
Office, Exeter.

Dayer, Henry James, Postman, Ramsgate. Dicker, James Joseph, Mason, H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.

Dickson, Bonner, Foreman, Royal Ammunition Factories, Woolwich.

Eaglestone, Arthur, Postman, Gloucester. Evans, Richard Thomas, Postman, Newport, Mon.

Fletcher, John Cave, Fitter, H.M. Dockyard, Chatham.

French, John Richard, Postman, Birmingham. Gale, Walter, Overseer, Post Office, Cardiff.

Gardner, William, Postman, Birmingham. Gentry, Thomas Henry, Principal Officer, H.M. Prison, Durham.

Goldsmith, Frank Thomas, Postman, London Postal Service.

Gray, Sidney Harold, Skilled Labourer, H.M. Dockyard, Portsmouth.

Harding, William, Postman, Orpington Sub-Office, Bromley and Beckenham. Hardy, William John, Sorting Clark and Tele-

graphist, Newcastle-on-Tyne.

Harkin, Robert, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Nottingham.

Harrison, John Edwin, Postman, Leeds.

Percy, Overseer, London Postal Hawkes, Service.

Hayter, James, Operative, Royal Naval Tor-pedo Factory, Greenock. Hayward, Montague Malcolm, Sorting Clerk

and Telegraphist, Bournemouth.

Healey, Robert, Postman, London Postal Service.

Hendry, John Postal Service. John Douglas, Overseer, London

Higman, John Purdy, Examiner of Drawings Tracings, and 2nd Division, Ordnance

Survey, Bristol.

Higman, William John, Skilled Labourer,
Royal Naval Hospital, Haslar.

Hill, Edwin Ashmore, Postman, Sheffield.

Hill, Herbert William Cyril, Sorter, London Postal Service.

Hincks, James. Postman, London

Hobby, Edward Henry, Draftsman, Group I, Control Division, Ordnance Survey, Southampton.