

Examination will be filled (provided there be Candidates duly qualified):—

(a) All the vacancies in the Junior Grade of the Administrative Class which may have been reported to the Civil Service Commissioners up to the date of the announcement of the result of the Examination;

(b) Any additional vacancies occurring within six months from the date of the announcement of the result of the Examination, which the Head of the Department may desire to have so filled.

The assignment by the Civil Service Commissioners of successful Candidates will be made with due regard to the requirements of the situation to be filled. Subject to this condition, Candidates will be allowed to choose, according to their place on the list, among the vacancies (a) for which they are duly qualified; or they may elect to wait for the chance of a vacancy (b). When vacancies (b) occur, they will be offered in rotation to the qualified Candidates then on the list, who will be free to decline them without forfeiting their claim to subsequent vacancies (b).

The Civil Service Commissioners further give notice that an Open Competitive Examination will be held in London in 1930, under the foregoing Regulations. The viva voce test will take place in July, the written examination in Section B subjects will begin on the 25th July, and that in Section A subjects on the 1st August.

No person will be admitted to Examination from whom the Secretary of the Civil Service Commission has not received, on or before the 8th May, 1930, an application, in the Candidate's own handwriting, on a prescribed form, which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

ORDER DEFINING THE EMPLOYMENT WHICH IS TO BE TREATED AS OVERTIME EMPLOYMENT.

The Berkshire Agricultural Wages Committee in pursuance of the powers vested in them by the Agricultural Wages (Regulation) Act, 1924, and the Regulations made thereunder, do by this Order vary as from 23rd December, 1929, their Order of 19th January, 1925, defining the employment which is to be treated as overtime employment for the purpose of the application of any differential rate of wages for overtime employment fixed by the said Committee for the area comprising the administrative county of Berks, which for the purposes of the said Act shall be deemed to include the county borough of Reading, so as to provide that such employment shall be as follows:—

(a) All employment in excess of 5 hours (exclusive of meal times) on a Saturday or on such other day (not being Sunday, Christmas Day or Good Friday) in every week as may be agreed between the employer and the worker.

(b) All employment on a Sunday, Christmas Day and Good Friday.

(c) All employment in excess of 41 hours (excluding all hours which are to be treated

as hours of overtime employment) in the weeks in which Christmas Day and Good Friday fall.

(d) All employment in excess of 50 hours (excluding all hours which are to be treated as hours of overtime employment) in any other week.

By Order of the Berkshire Agricultural Wages Committee.

E. G. S. Ravenscroft,
Secretary.

29, London Street,
Reading, Berks.
23rd December, 1929.

Copies of the above Order may be obtained from the Secretary of the Committee at the above address.

AGRICULTURAL WAGES (REGULATION) ACT, 1924.

Whereas the Agricultural Wages Committee for the area comprising the administrative county of Derby, which for the purposes of the Agricultural Wages (Regulation) Act, 1924, shall be deemed to include the county borough of Derby, have, in pursuance of the above Act, duly fixed minimum and overtime rates of wages for workers employed in agriculture for time work in that area, and the said rates are set out in the Schedule to this Order. Now the Agricultural Wages Board, in pursuance of the said Act and for the purpose of carrying out the decision of the said Committee, hereby order that the provisions contained in the Schedule to this Order shall become effective from the 26th day of December, 1929.

SCHEDULE.

1. The wages payable for employment of workers shall be not less than wages at the following minimum and overtime rates:—

		General Overtime minimum rates rates for Sun- per hour. day work per hour.	
(a) Male Workers.		d.	d.
21 years of age and over		8	10
20 and under 21 years		6½	8
19	20	6	7
18	19	5½	6
17	18	4	5
16	17	3½	5
15	16	3	4
14	15	2½	3
(b) Female Workers.			
18 years of age and over		5	8
17 and under 18 years		4½	7
16	17	3½	6
15	16	3	5½
14	15	2½	5

2. Where a whole-time male worker is employed by the week or any longer period and the hours of work agreed between the worker and the employer in any week (excluding hours of overtime employment) are less than 54, the rate of wages applicable to that worker shall