

*Board of Trade,
Mercantile Marine Department,
Great George Street, S.W. 1.
1st December, 1930.*

The Board of Trade hereby give notice under the General Rules for Formal Investigations into Shipping Casualties and Appeals and Rehearings, 1923, that they have received during the month of November, 1930, the following Reports of Formal Investigations into Shipping Casualties held by Courts in British Self-Governing Dominions, Crown Colonies and Possessions Abroad:—

- (1) s.s. "Malmesbury."
- (2) s.s. "River Police Launch No. 19" and a country boat.
- (3) s.s. "Millimumul" and s.s. "Stassfurt."
- (4) m.v. "Jedmoor."
- (5) s.s. "Ozarda."

U.I. 49780/2/1930.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACTS, 1920 TO 1930.

REFERENCES TO THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE UNDER SECTION 10 (1) (PROVISO II) OF THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACT, 1920.

Pursuant to paragraph 6 of the Unemployment Insurance (Determination of Questions) Regulations, 1920, the Minister of Labour hereby gives notice of her intention to refer to the High Court for decision the following questions that have arisen in applications made to her for her decision under Section 10 of the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1920, namely, whether the employment of persons in the following circumstances is or is not employment within the meaning of the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1920:—

Employment by an undertaking not carried on for the purposes of gain (School Stores):—

- as (1) foreman baker
- (2) bread roundsman and bakery assistant
- (3) ironer in a laundry
- (4) Carman engaged in laundry delivery.

Employment by an undertaking not carried on for the purposes of gain (Institution):—

- as (5) foreman baker
- (6) ironer in a laundry.

Under the Rules of the Supreme Court, Order LV B. Rule 28, any person who claims to be interested in or affected by the decisions to be given in the above mentioned cases may apply to the Judge for leave to intervene.

The cases have been set down in the High Court, and will be heard in the near future.

In the event of any person desiring to intervene, all the necessary information and documents can be obtained by applying to the Solicitor to the Minister of Labour, 6, Richmond Terrace, Whitehall, S.W. 1.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

JUTE TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

VARIATION OF GENERAL MINIMUM PIECE-RATES (AND THE OVERTIME RATES BASED THEREON) FOR CERTAIN CLASSES OF HESSIAN WEAVERS.

The Jute Trade Board (Great Britain) have issued a Notice J(51) dated 5th December, 1930, setting out a variation in the General Minimum Piece-Rates (and the Overtime Rates based thereon) for certain classes of Hessian Weavers made by the Trade Board and confirmed by an Order of the Minister of Labour, to take effect as from 8th December, 1930, together with all the Minimum Rates of Wages previously in operation which are unaffected by the present variation.

Information with regard to the Minimum Rates of Wages operative in the Trade under the Trade Boards Acts may be obtained on application to the Secretary, Jute Trade Board (Great Britain), 1, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W. 1.

*F. Popplewell,
Secretary.*

5th December, 1930.

Admiralty, 1st December, 1930.

R.N.R.

Proby. Payr. Sub-Lieut. S. A. Nicholls to be Payr. Sub-Lieut. with original seny. of 1st Sept. 1930.

R.N.V.R.

Payr. Lieut. A. B. Peattie to be Payr. Lieut.-Comdr. with seny. of 15th Nov. 1930.

Admiralty, 3rd December, 1930.

R.N.V.R.

Lieut. R. K. Spencer to be Lieut.-Comdr. with seny. of 1st Nov. 1930.

Sub-Lieut. A. B. Westmacott to be Lieut. with seny. of 25th Nov. 1930.

Admiralty, 4th December, 1930.

R.N.

Lieut. F. J. Pearse placed on Retd. List. 4th Dec. 1930.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S ROYAL NAVAL NURSING SERVICE.

Miss Norah Evelyn James has been promoted from the rank of Sister to that of Superintending Sister in Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service, to date the 9th December, 1930.