LONDON TRAFFIC ACT, 1924. SECTION 7.

Notice is hereby given that the Minister of Transport by virtue and in exercise of the powers given to him by Section 7 of the London Traffic Act, 1924, and the Regulations from time to time made by him thereunder, after consulting the London and Home Counties Traffic Advisory Committee, has generally dispensed with the restrictions and limitations imposed by the said Regulations upon the occasion of New Year's Eve between the hours of 11 p.m. on the 31st December, 1931 and 2 a.m. on the 1st January, 1932.

> J. S. Pool Godsell, An Assistant Secretary.

15th December, 1931.

AGRICULTURAL WAGES (REGULATION) ACT, 1924.

Whereas the Agricultural Wages Committee for the area comprising the administrative counties of Cornwall and Isles of Scilly 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 on 20th December, 1931.

SCHEDULE.

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

	J				Per	week.
					s.	d.
21 y	ears of	age a	nd over		32	0
20 a	nd und	er 21	years		28	0
19	"	20	,,	•••	25	0
18	"	19	,,		22	0
17	"	18	,,		19	0
16	12	17	**	•••	16	0
15	,,	16	"		13	0
14	"	15	,,	•••	10	0

For the purpose of this clause the expression "week" shall be deemed to mean a week consisting of the following number of hours:

(a) During the week in which Christmas

Day and Boxing Day fall, 33.

(b) During the weeks in which Good Friday and Whit Monday fall, 42.

(c) During any other week, 51.

- 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 the full number of hours mentioned above in respect of that week, the rate of wages applicable to that worker shall be such as to secure to the worker the wages which would have been payable if the agreed hours had been the full number of hours mentioned above in respect of that week.
- 3. The wages payable for employment of female workers shall be not less than wages at the following minimum rates:-

					Pe	r hour. d.
20 yea	rs of a	ge a	nd over	•••		5
19 an	d under	20	years	•••		$4\frac{1}{2}$
18	"	19	,,	•••	•••	4
17	,,	18	"	•••		$3^{1\over4}$
16	,,	17	,,	•••	•••	3 ้
15	"	16	,,	•••	•••	21
14	**	15	,, .	•••	•••	2

4. For the purpose of the above rates the hours of work shall not include meal times, but shall include any time during which by reason of weather conditions, an employer has prevented from working a worker who was present at the place of employment and ready to work.

5. The differential rates of wages for overtime employment of male workers shall be not less than the following minimum rates:

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				_	•	On ·	On		
					We	ekdays.	Sundays		
					Pe	r hour.	Per hour		
						d.	d.		
	21	years	of age	and	over	9	10		
	20	and	under	21	years	8 1	81		
	19		,,	20	,,	71	7 1		
	18		,,	19	,,	6 1	$6\frac{1}{2}$		
	17		,,	18	"	5 1	5 1		
	16		,,	17	,,	41/2	41		
	15		,,	16	"	4 .	4		
	14		,,	15	,,	3	3		
			,,		••				

6. These rates shall continue in operation until 24th December, 1932.

7. For the purpose of the application of the above differential rates of wages for overtime employment, the Cornwall and Isles of Scilly Agricultural Wages Committee have by Order dated 10th December, 1929, defined the following employment as the employment which is to be treated as overtime employment:

(a) All employment in excess of 6 hours on a Saturday or on such day (not being Sunday) in every week as may be agreed between the employer and the worker.

(b) All employment on a Sunday.

(c) All employment on Christmas Day, Boxing Day, Good Friday and Whit Monday.

(d) All employment in excess of 33 hours (excluding all hours which are to be treated as overtime employment) in the week in which Christmas Day and Boxing Day fall.

(e) All employment in excess of 42 hours (excluding all hours which are to be treated as overtime employment) in the weeks in which Good Friday and Whit Monday fall.

(f) All employment in excess of 51 hours (excluding all hours which are to be treated as overtime employment) in any other week. By Order of the Agricultural Wages Board.

> E. C. Ixer, Secretary.

7, Whitehall Place, London, S.W. 1. 15th December, 1931.

Notes.—1. Applications for Permits Exemption (which may be obtained in cases where a worker is affected by physical injury or mental deficiency or any infirmity due to age or to any other cause) should be addressed to the Secretary, Cornwall and Isles of Scilly Agricultural Wages Committee, 21, Bedford Circus, Exeter.

2. Complaints as to non-payment of the prescribed rates of wages should be addressed to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 7, Whitehall Place, London, S.W. 1.