

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 and young persons over 16 years of age in yarn examining, winding, parcelling and packing in the Winding and Packing Departments at the works of Messrs. Irvinebank Dyeworks Limited, New Mill Road, Kilmarnock, subject to conditions as to weekly alternation of shifts, accommodation for clothing and facilities for washing and for taking meals.

Whitehall,  
7th December, 1936.

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 and young persons over 16 years of age in the knitting department at the works of Messrs. Vita-tex Ltd., Gresham Road, Trading Estate, Slough, subject to conditions as to weekly alternation of shifts, accommodation for clothing and facilities for washing and for taking meals.

Whitehall,  
8th December, 1936.

*Factory Department, Home Office,*  
7th December, 1936.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. J. J. Coulthard to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Edenbridge District of the County of Kent.

*Factory Department, Home Office,*  
7th December, 1936.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. H. C. Bourke to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Allendale District of the County of Northumberland.

*Factory Department, Home Office,*  
7th December, 1936.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. D. H. Le Good to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Lavenham District of the County of Suffolk.

*Factory Department, Home Office,*  
London, S.W.1.  
12th December, 1936.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. E. P. Macfarlane an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and

Workshop Acts for the District of East Kilbride in the County of Lanark is vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications, 29th December, 1936.

*Downing Street,*  
14th December, 1936.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Neil Stuart Stevenson, Esq. (Conservator of Forests), to be an Official Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of British Honduras.

*Board of Trade,*  
Great George Street,  
London, S.W.1.

#### IMPORT DUTIES ACT, 1932, and FINANCE ACT, 1933.

Whereas it is provided by sub-section (1) of Section 9 of the Import Duties Act, 1932 (22 Geo. 5, ch. 8), that, with a view to obtaining information as to the condition and progress of trades and industries engaged in the manufacture in the United Kingdom of goods of a class or description which, if they were imported into the United Kingdom, would be chargeable with a duty of customs under Part I of that Act, the Board of Trade may, before the commencement of the year nineteen hundred and thirty-three, and any subsequent year, publish in the Gazette notice that they will require returns in relation to that year in accordance with the provisions of the said section:

And whereas it is provided by sub-section (7) of Section 9 and by sub-section (2) of Section 20 of the Finance Act, 1933, that Section 9 of the Import Duties Act, 1932, shall have effect as if references to a duty of customs chargeable under Part I of that Act included references to a duty of customs chargeable under Section 9 of the Finance Act, 1933, a duty of customs chargeable under Section 3 of the Finance Act, 1925, and a duty of customs chargeable under the Safeguarding of Industries Act, 1921:

Now therefore the Board of Trade in exercise of the powers conferred on them by Section 9 of the Import Duties Act, 1932, as extended by Sections 9 and 20 of the Finance Act, 1933, hereby give notice that they will require returns in relation to the year 1937 to be delivered to them in accordance with the provisions of the first above-mentioned Section in respect of the manufacture in the United Kingdom of goods of any class or description which, if they were imported into the United Kingdom, would be chargeable with a duty of customs under any of the enactments following, namely:—

The Safeguarding of Industries Act, 1921;  
The Finance Act, 1925, Section 3;  
The Import Duties Act, 1932—Part I;  
The Finance Act, 1933, Section 9.

Dated the tenth day of December, 1936.

*Walter Runciman.*