will not be confirmed unless and until they have passed the prescribed period of probation to the satisfaction of the Mines Department.

10. Any attempt on the part of candidates to enlist support for their applications through Members of Parliament or other influential persons will disqualify them for appointment. The Selection Board will disregard spontaneous recommendations from persons who are not personally acquainted with the candidate's work, whether at school, at the University, in the Forces, or otherwise.

II. A selected candidate will be required to pay a fee of £1 10s. before the issue of the certificate of qualification for appointment.

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT.

TRUNK ROADS ACT, 1936.

Notice is hereby given that the Minister of Transport has made an Order under Sub-section 3 of Section 1 of the Trunk Roads Act, 1936, whereby the route specified in Part I of the Schedule to the Order becomes a Trunk Road.

Copies of the Order, the short title of which is "The London-Fishguard Trunk Road (Carmarthen Town Bridge (Southern approach) Diversion) Order, 1937," can be purchased from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Adastral House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 26, York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; and 120, George Street, Edinburgh 2.

Dated this second day of December, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven.

Robert H. Tolerton,

Assistant Secretary.

Metropole Buildings, Northumberland Avenue, London, W.C.2.

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 TO 1937.

Notice is hereby given, in pursuance of Section 49 (3) of the Diseases of Animals Act, 1894, that the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries has made the following Orders:—

Order No. 5568.

(Dated 2nd December, 1937.)

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE (INFECTED AREAS) ORDER OF 1937 (No. 61).

SUBJECT.

- (i) Releases as from the 11th December, 1937, the Norfolk and West Suffolk Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Area from restrictions.
- (ii) Releases, as from the 8th December, 1937, the East Suffolk Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Area from restrictions.

(iii) Revokes Orders No. 5560 and No. 5566 as from the 11th December, 1937.

Order No. 5569.

(Dated 2nd December, 1937.)

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE (INFECTED AREAS) ORDER OF 1937 (No. 62).

SUBJECT.

Releases the Essex (Nazeing) Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Area from restrictions as from the 8th December, 1937.

Order No. 5570.

(Dated 2nd December, 1937.)

FOOT-AND-MOUTH DISEASE (INFECTED AREAS) ORDER OF 1937 (No. 63).

SUBJECT.

Declares the Area described in the Schedule to be a Foot-and-Mouth Disease Infected Area for the purposes of the Foot-and-Mouth Disease (Infected Areas Restrictions) Order of 1925.

SCHEDULE.

An Area comprising:—
In the county of Dorset.

The boroughs of Weymouth and Melcombe Regis, Poole, Blandford Forum, Dorchester, Shaftesbury, and Wareham.

The petty sessional divisions of Sturminster, Blandford, Wareham, Shaftesbury (except the parishes of Bourton, Silton, Buckhorn Weston and so much of the parishes of Gillingham and Motcombe as lies to the north of the railway line running from Sherborne via Gillingham to Semley Station and excluding the said railway line) Dorchester (except the parishes of Melbury Sampford, Evershot, Rampisham, Wraxall, Toller Porcorum, Chilfrome, Toller Fratrum, Frome Vauchurch, Wynford-Eagle, Compton Abbas, Compton Valence, Litton Cheney, Long Bredy, Kingston Russell, Winterborne Abbas, Swyre, Puncknowle, Little Bredy, Winterborne Steepleton, Abbotsbury and Portesham) and Wimborne (except the parishes of Pentridge, Cranborne, Alderholt, Edmondsham, Verwood and West Parley).

The parishes of Chetnole, Leigh, Lillington, Holnest, Leweston, Long Burton, Folke, Holwell, Bishops Caundle, Caundle Marsh, Haydon, North Wootton, Purse Caundle, Goathill and so much of the parishes of Castleton and Oborne as lies to the south-east of the railway line running from Milborne Port Station to Sherborne and Yeovil Junction.

In the county of Somerset.

The parish of Henstridge and so much of the parish of Milborne Port as lies to the south-east of the railway line running from Sherborne to Gillingham.

In the county of Wiltshire.

The parishes of Donhead St. Mary, Tollard Royal, and so much of the parishes of Donhead St. Andrew and Berwick St. John as lies to the south of the road running from Semley via East End Farm, Donhead St. Andrew Church, Whitesand Cross, Berwick St. John Church and Samways Farm to Ebbesborne Wake.