

Scottish Home Department, St. Andrew's House,  
Edinburgh 1.

11th April, 1946.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 9th April, 1946, to direct letters patent to be passed under the seal appointed by the Treaty of Union to be kept and made use of in place of the Great Seal of Scotland appointing Mr. George Mathers, M.P., to be His Majesty's High Commissioner to the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, which is to meet on the 21st May next.

Board of Trade, Millbank, London, S.W.1.

9th April, 1946.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have made Orders which have been published as S.R. & O. 1946, price 1d.:-

No. 465—The Laundry (Maximum Charges) Order, 1946, dated March 28, 1946.

No. 468—The Board of Trade Control Orders (Exemptions) Order, 1946, dated March 28, 1946.

No. 478—The Consumer Rationing (Amendment) (No. 2) Order, 1946, dated March 30, 1946.

No. 488—The General Apparel and Textiles (Manufacturers' Maximum Prices and Charges) Order, 1946, dated April 3, 1946.

No. 489—The Control of Wool (No. 28) Order, 1946, dated April 2, 1946.

These Orders can be purchased through any bookseller, agents or direct from His Majesty's Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13a, Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39-41, King Street, Manchester 2; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast.

In pursuance of Section 1 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, the Minister of Labour and National Service hereby gives notice that he proposes at the expiration of 40 days from the publication of this notice to make Regulations under Section 90 of the Factories Act, 1937, entitled "The Factories Act Holidays (Different Days for Different Sets) Regulations, 1946."

The object of the Regulations is to bring up to date and supersede Orders which were made under earlier Factory and Workshop Acts on 20th December, 1882, and 13th October, 1908, and authorise, in the case of factories falling within classes or descriptions specified in a Schedule to the Regulations all or any of the whole holidays prescribed by the Factories Act for women and young persons to be given on different days to any of the women and young persons employed in the factory, or to any sets of them, instead of on the same days.

Copies of the proposed Regulations may be purchased directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13a, Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39-41, King Street, Manchester 2; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; or through any bookseller.

#### SUPPLIES AND SERVICES (TRANSITIONAL POWERS) ACT, 1945.

The Minister of Fuel and Power hereby gives notice that in pursuance of Regulations 56 and 98 of the Defence (General) Regulations 1939 he has made a Revocation entitled The Electricity Commissioners Special Orders, Etc., Rules, 1930, Relaxation (Revocation) Order, 1946.

The Revocation will shortly be published as S.R. & O. No. 518 and copies may be purchased directly from York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2, 13a Castle Street, Edinburgh, 39-41, King Street Manchester 2, 80, Chichester Street, Belfast, 1, St. Andrews Crescent, Cardiff, or through any bookseller.

The Ministry of Fuel and Power,  
7, Millbank, S.W.1.

#### WOMEN'S ROYAL NAVAL SERVICE.

4th April, 1946.

The following Acting Chief Officer W.R.N.S. is confirmed in the rank of Chief Officer with seny. of date shown:—

Miss Eileen Margaret WILLIAMS. 1st Jan. 1946.

The following First Officer W.R.N.S. is promoted to the rank of Acting Chief Officers with seny. of dates shown:—

Miss Eileen Margaret WILLIAMS. 11th Nov. 1945.

Miss Thelma ZIMAN. 7th Mar. 1946.

The following Acting First Officers W.R.N.S. are confirmed in the rank of First Officers with seny. of dates shown:—

Mrs. Agnes Millar Knapp TRAYNOR. Miss Letitia STURDÉE. 1st Jan. 1946.

The following Second Officer W.R.N.S. is promoted to the rank of Acting First Officer:—

Miss Jean Muriel NUTTALL. 7th Mar. 1946.

The following Second Officers W.R.N.S. are promoted in rank to First Officers with seny. of dates shown:—

Miss Ursula Featherstonehaugh MARTINDALE, Miss Eileen Frances SILVESTER, Miss Margaret Elizabeth COWIE, Miss Joan Sutherland RAE, Miss Alison Sylvia BALL, Miss Alicia Francis MUSPRATT, Mrs. Gladys Lucy MARTIN. 1st Jan. 1946.

The following Acting Second Officers are confirmed in the rank of Second Officer with seny. of dates shown:—

Miss Honor Bridget Carlisle THYNNE. 1st April 1945.

Miss Margaret Kathleen ALDERSON. 1st Jan. 1946.

The following Third Officers are promoted in rank to Second Officers with seny. of dates shown:—

Mrs. Sheila Julyan BOWLES. 1st April 1945.

Miss Barbara WINTRINGHAM. 17th June 1945.

Miss Delia Helen WATSON, Miss Alison June BREBNER, Miss Nellie Marion WESTBROOK. 1st July 1945.

Miss Nora May WYATT. 16th July 1945.

Miss Joan Gertrude SWANN. 29th July 1945.

Miss Pamela Mary LYON. 28th August 1945.

Miss Maud Evelyn MASSALL, Miss Marion Fanja BIEBER. 1st Oct. 1945.

Mrs. Nancy Brereton SMYTH. 16th Oct. 1945.

Miss Evelyn Joan EDGECUMBE. 23rd Nov. 1945.

Miss Vera Maria HALL. 17th Dec. 1945.

Miss Merrial Pauline REYNOLDS. 2nd Dec. 1945.

Miss Margaret Vernon SMITH, Miss Mary Catherine CAWTE, Miss Joan Marston WOODWARD, Miss Christina MACKINNON, Miss Winifred Emily SINGER, Miss Ethel Mary DEE, Miss Eileen O'NEIL, Miss Mary SIMPSON, Miss Valerie Freeman TATES, Miss Beryl Irma Welsby WILLIAMS, Miss Joan Elizabeth MORTIMER, Mrs. Betty Margaret COWREY, Miss Sheila Clementine JACKSON WALLACE, Miss Patricia Mary HURST, Mrs. Natalie Angela SWAINSON, Miss Elmiere Marie-Louise WHATLEY, Mrs. Jane Ann DOYLE, Miss Irene Vera HUNT. 1st Jan. 1946.

The following Third Officers W.R.N.S. are promoted in rank to Second Officers seny. of dates shown:—

Miss Dorothy Stannard PITT, Mrs. Madge Kathleen Ross, Miss Mildred Mary STAUNTON, Miss Margaret Nancy STEVENSON, Miss Marjorie BARRON, Miss Sibyl Mary TUFNELL, Mrs. Louise RYAN, Miss Coralie Veta COLLETT, Miss Patricia Dorothy Elliott SQUARE, Miss Maud Abigail BRIGGS, Miss Pamela Mary BIRD, Miss Mary Elizabeth COMYN, Miss Helen Margaret BLEASDALE, Miss Gertrude Marion YOUNG. 1st Jan. 1946.

The following Acting Third Officers W.R.N.S. are confirmed in the rank of Third Officers seny. of dates shown:—

Miss Aileen Brenda VINCENT. 30th April 1945.

Miss Ursula Eva JEWELL. 12th May 1945.

Miss Pamela Mary WOOSNAM. 14th May 1945.

Miss Sheila McCLOY. 16th May 1945.

Miss Kathleen Lillian CARROLL, Miss Rhoda MOORE. 26th May 1945.

Mrs. Mary Kathleen TUPLIN, Miss Sheila Clemin-tine Jackson WALLACE, Miss Christine Anne PODMORE. 10th June 1945.

Mrs. Agnes Muriel CARTER. 22nd June 1945.

Miss Helen Maule Drysdale McLAREN. 1st July 1945.

Miss Doris Joan ELLIOTT. 14th July 1945.

Mrs. Margaret Copeland WHITELAW. 21st July 1945.

Miss Alexandra Gordon DOBBIE, Miss Phyllis Josephine ROYSTON. 28th July 1945.

Miss Joyce Winifred DAVIS. 4th Aug. 1945.