

*Ministry of Labour and National Service,  
Factory Department,  
8, St. James's Square, London, S.W.1.  
17th April, 1950.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of the under-mentioned Doctors for the following districts, appointments as Appointed Factory Doctors under the Factories Acts, 1937 and 1948 are vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications: 27th May, 1950.

Dr. W. Shirkey for the district of Carnwath in the County of Lanark.

Dr. J. Hale for the district of Cobham in the County of Surrey.

Dr. R. H. Watt for the district of Langholm in the County of Dumfries.

Dr. T. E. Saxby for the district of Unst in the County of Shetland.

Dr. E. M. Stone for the district of Saddleworth in the County of York.

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17th April, 1950.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that an appointment as Appointed Factory Doctor under the Factories Acts, 1937, and 1948 for the District of Farnworth in the County of Lancaster is vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications: 27th May, 1950.

*Ministry of Labour and National Service,  
8, St. James's Square, London, S.W.1.  
20th April, 1950.*

In pursuance of Section 122 of the Factories Act, 1937 and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, The Right Honourable George Isaacs, Minister of Labour and National Service, has been pleased to appoint Miss S. M. McBean to be His Majesty's Inspector of Factories.

Under the provisions of the Mining Industry Act, 1920, the Minister of Fuel and Power has appointed the persons named herein to be Inspectors of Mines under the Coal Mines Acts, 1887 to 1932, and also Inspectors for the purposes of (1) the Metalliferous Mines Regulation Acts, 1872 and 1875, (2) the Quarries Act, 1894, and (3) the Factories Act, 1937, so far as it applies to any premises or place in or adjacent to a quarry or mine.

Mr. George Douglas Edwin Rowland.

Mr. Lionel Dennis Rhydderch.

Ministry of Fuel and Power,  
7, Millbank, London, S.W.1.  
20th April, 1950.

**SUPPLIES AND SERVICES.**

**COAL DISTRIBUTION.**

The Minister of Fuel and Power hereby gives notice that he has made the Coal Distribution (Restriction) Direction, 1950—S.I. 1950 No. 644, copies of which may be purchased from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—429, Oxford Street, W.1; York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13a, Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39, King Street, Manchester 2; 2, Edmund Street, Birmingham 3; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol 1; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast, or through any bookseller.

Ministry of Fuel and Power,  
7, Millbank, London, S.W.1.  
22nd April, 1950.

*Civil Service Commission,*

25th April, 1950.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury, viz.:—

**RECRUITMENT UNDER NORMAL REGULATIONS OF SECOND AND THIRD CLASS VALUERS IN THE INLAND REVENUE.**

1. Candidates must (save as provided below) be at least 25 and under 35 years of age on the 1st May, 1950.

But, exceptionally for the year 1950, candidates who are 35 years of age or over on that date will

be eligible, without any upper age limit. In general, however, Government Departments require a reasonable period of service from persons newly appointed to the Civil Service, and accordingly the Commissioners reserve the right to give weight to this factor in considering candidates for these posts who are over 50 years of age.

2. (i) Both men and women may compete under these Regulations.

(ii) Married women who have formerly been established civil servants and have drawn marriage gratuity (other than those who resigned compulsorily on marriage and whose resignation took effect before 15th October, 1946, or who are widows or divorced, or who are separated from their husbands, or whose husbands suffer without hope of recovery from total physical or mental incapacity) will not be eligible unless they undertake to refund on appointment the marriage gratuity paid.

3. Candidates must be British subjects. They must also satisfy one of the following conditions:—

(a) If natural-born British subjects, they must either

(i) have at least one parent who is or was at death a British subject; or

(ii) have resided in His Majesty's dominions and/or been employed elsewhere in the service of the Crown for at least five years out of the last eight years preceding the date of their appointment.

(b) If naturalised British subjects, they must have resided in His Majesty's dominions and/or been employed elsewhere in the service of the Crown for at least five years out of the last eight years preceding the date of their appointment.

(c) If not qualified under (a) or (b) of this paragraph they must satisfy the Commissioners that they are so closely connected with His Majesty's dominions either by ancestry, upbringing or residence, or by reason of national service, that an exception may properly be made in their favour.

4. Candidates must have passed the Final Examination of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors, or of the Chartered Auctioneers' and Estate Agents' Institute, or of the Land Agents' Society, or hold a University Degree (e.g., B.Sc. (Estate Management) London, or B.A. (Estate Management) Cambridge) which gives exemption from the examinations of any one of these bodies. Candidates who are sitting their final examination in Spring or Summer, 1950, may submit provisional applications on the understanding that they will be declared ineligible if they fail to pass the examination. All candidates must, on the closing date for the receipt of applications, have had at least four years' professional experience before or after qualifying in:—

(a) the office of a F.R.I.C.S., F.A.I., F.L.A.S., or any Government or municipal service; or

(b) the office of any other surveyor, estate agent, or land agent which in the opinion of the Commissioners and the Department gives an adequate experience.

Time spent on agricultural subjects at a University or approved Agricultural College and followed by the obtaining of a degree or diploma may count up to two out of the required four years.

For posts involving the valuation of minerals, four years' mining experience will be required in place of the professional experience specified above, and for these posts possession of a First Class Certificate of Competency (Mine Managers) or the passing of the Final Examination of the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors in the Mining subdivision will be accepted as professional qualifications.

Candidates for vacancies in Scotland should preferably have had Scottish experience.

5. Successful candidates must satisfy the Commissioners as to their health and character.

6. Every candidate must apply on the appropriate form within the time and in the manner of which notice is given by the Commissioners.

7. Those candidates who appear from their application forms to have the best qualifications will be summoned to an interview before a Selection Board which will recommend to the Commissioners for appointment the candidates who appear to them to be most suitable. The Board will take into consideration the candidates' record of education and experience, any recommendations that they may receive from persons named by the candidates as having direct knowledge of their work in the past, and the