Ministry of Labour and National Service, Factory Department,

8, St. James's Square, London, S.W.1. 7th June, 1950.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. M. E. M. Herford, to be appointed Factory Doctor under the Factories Acts, 1937 and 1948, for the Windsor and Slough District of the county of Berks and Bucks.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. L. Carmichael to be appointed Factory Doctor under the Factories Acts, 1937 and 1948, for the Saltcoats District of the county of Ayr.

GAS ACT, 1948.

The Minister of Fuel and Power hereby gives notice that he has made the Gas (Conversion Date) (No. 17) Order, 1950—S.I. 1950 No. 933, copies of which may be purchased from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses or through any book-seller:—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.

Ministry of Fuel and Power, 7, Milibank, London, S.W.1.

9th June, 1950.

COAL MINES ACT, 1911.

COAL MINES ACI, 1911. The Minister of Fuel and Power hereby gives notice that he has made the Ironstone and Shale Mines (Locomotives) General Regulations, 1950, S.I. 1950 No. 923, copies of which may be purchased from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses or through any bookseller:— 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. Ministry of Eucl and Power

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

13th June, 1950.

Commissions signed by the former Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lincoln.

Lieutenant-Colonel eutenant-Colonel John Eric William Graves Sandars, O.B.E., T.D., of Gate Burton Hall, Gains-bargenet William borough

Lieutenant-Colonel Harold Bertram Riggall, of North

Place, Lincoln; Major the Right Honourable the Earl of Yarborough, of Brocklesby Park, Haborough; Major John Richard Chaplin Rawnsley, M.C., of Well

Major John Richard Chapin Rawnsley, M.C., of Well Vale, Alford; Captain (Acting Major) Roger Sutton Nelthorpe, M.B.E., T.D., of Scawby Brigg; Flight-Lieutenant George Arthur Worth, M.B.E., of Hovenden House, Fleet, Spalding; and Lieutenant-Colonel William Reeve, of Leadenham

to be Deputy Lieutenants.—Dated the 1st day of . May 1950. (132)

Civil Service Commission.

13th June, 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:-

REGULATIONS FOR RECRUITMENT AMONG MEMBERS OF THE MINOR AND MANIPULATIVE GRADES OF THE CIVIL SERVICE TO THE CLERICAL CLASSES (GENERAL AND DEPARTMENTAL) OF THE HOME CIVIL SERVICE AND TO GRADE 6 POSTS IN BRANCH B OF THE FOREIGN SERVICE.

1. Age

Candidates must be under 30 years of age on the 1st September, 1950.

2. Grades eligible.

Candidates must at the time of the examination be either

(a) members of the established minor and manipulative grades of the Civil Service within the scope of the National Whitley Council (that is, non-industrial grades other than the General and Departmental Clerical Classes, on scales of salary fising to not more than £450 per annum (men) or £360 per annum (women)); or

(b) members of an unestablished grade corresponding to an established grade covered by (a).

sponding to an established grade covered by (a). Clerical Assistants and members of the typing grades will not be eligible to compete. In the case of an officer who on 1st May, 1950, is substantively an established member of one of the Minor and Manipulative Grades of the Civil Service within the scope of the National Whitley Council, but who has received acting promotion, it is the substantive grade on the 1st May, 1950, which determines eligibility under this Regulation.

3. Length of Service.

(a) Candidates whose full-time adult service began on or after 1st June, 1946, must be at least 25 years of age and must have had not less than three years'

of age and must have had not less than three years' full-time service on duties proper to an adult class. These conditions apply also to candidates who entered the Post Office as Boy Messengers or Girl Probationers on or after the 2nd April, 1945. (b) Candidates whose full-time adult service began on or before 31st May, 1946 (and also all candidates who entered the Post Office as Boy Messengers or Girl Probationers before the 2nd April, 1945, includ-ing those who may not have entered upon full-time adult service until after 31st May 1946) must either

(i) have had not less than three years' full-time.

(i) have had not less than three years inn-three service on duties proper to an adult class (without any minimum age limit); or (ii) have reached the age of 22 and have had not less than one year's full-time service on such duties.

In all cases the conditions must be satisfied by the first day of the examination, and the service must have been continuous.

4. Sex and Marriage.

(i) Both men and women are eligible.
(ii) Married women are not eligible for appointment to Branch B of the Foreign Service; a woman member of Branch B must resign her appointment. on marriage.

(iii) Married women who have formerly been established civil servants and have drawn marriage: gratuity (other than those who retired compulsorily gratuity (other than those who retired compulsorily on marriage and whose resignation took effect before the 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 for appointment to the Home Civil Service unless they undertake to refund on appointment the marriage gratity paid marriage gratuity paid.

5. Nationality.

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.

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 (d) or (b) of this para-graph, 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.

6. Health and Character.

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

(Note.—The fee for medical examination, if any, will be paid by the Commissioners.) . . **.** .