The provisional list of centres at which the written examination will be held is:—Aberdeen, Ashford (Kent), Belfast, Birmingham, Bournemouth, Bristol, Cardiff, Carlisle, Colwyn Bay, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Hull, Inverness, Leeds, Liverpool, London, Manchester, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Norwich, Nottingham, Plymouth, Portsmouth, Preston, Shrewsbury, and Swansea, but the final list will not be

decided until it is known how many candidates wish to be examined at each centre.

No person will be admitted to the Examination from whom the Secretary, Civil Service Commission, has not received, on or before the 9th March 1950, an application on the prescribed form which may be obtained from the Secretary at once.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR SCOTLAND.

Public Health (Imported Food) (Scotland) Regulations, 1937 to 1948.

The Secretary of State for Scotland gives notice, in pursuance of the above-named Regulations, that he hereby recognizes the Official Certificate, of which particulars are given in the Schedule hereto, as showing (a) that the meat to which it relates was derived from animals inspected ante- and post-mortem and passed in accordance with criteria satisfactory to the Secretary of State, and (b) that all necessary precautions for the prevention of danger to public health were taken in the dressing or preparing and packing of the meat.

The Certificate being in the form of a stamp, the recognition will apply only if the stamp is clearly impressed on the meat.

SCHEDULE.

REPUBLIC OF FRANCE.

For pork and beef carcases, a stamp of the following design:-



The Certificate will be completed by the insertion of the number of the Establishment.

The stamp hereby recognized may be used as an alternative to the label reproduced in Part I of the Schedule to the Notice published in the Edinburgh Gazette of the 5th April 1938.

Given under the Seal of the Secretary of State for Scotland this second day of March nineteen hundred and fifty.

(L.S.)

(Sgd.) R. Howat,

Assistant Secretary.

Department of Health for Scotland, St. Andrew's House, Edinburgh, 1.

Under the provisions of the Mining Industry Act, 1920, the Minister of Fuel and Power has appointed the person named herein to be an Inspector of Mines under the Coal Mines Acts, 1887 to 1932, and also Inspector 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. Lyndhurst Norman John.
Ministry of Fuel and Power,
7 Millbank, London, S.W.1,

27th February 1950.

STATEMENT showing the QUANTITIES SOLD and AVERAGE PRICES of BRITISH CORN per cwt. of 112 Imperial lb.,* computed from returns received by the MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FISHERIES in the week ended 25th February 1950, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, the Corn Sales Act, 1921, and the Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1943.

British Corn.			Quantities Sold.	Average Price per Cwt.	
WHEAT BARLEY OATS			Cwt. 276,214 231,293 39,662	8. 23 26 21	d. 9 0 5

* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, as amended by Section 2 of the Corn Sales Act, 1921, provides that, in the weekly summary of quantities and prices each sort of British Corn shall be computed with reference to the cwt. of 112 Imperial Standard lb.

Nors: The above statement is based on returns received from 108 prescribed towns in England and Wales in the week ended 25th February 1950. The prices represent the average for all sales at these towns, which include transactions

between growers and merchants, and some transactions between merchants, during the week ended 18th February 1950.

G. N. HOWARD.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 36-38 Chester Terrace, London, N.W.1.

WATER (SCOTLAND) ACTS, 1946 AND 1949.

ARBROATH CORPORATION (WATER—ADDITIONAL WORKS) ORDER, 1950.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of paragraph 3 of Part I of the First Schedule to the above Act of 1946, that the Provost, Magistrates, and Councillors of the Royal Burgh of Aberbrothock or Arbroath (hereinafter referred to as "the Corporation") have submitted to the Secretary of State draft of an Order which they desire him to make under the powers conferred on him by Sections 21, 42, and 88 of the Water (Scotland) Act, 1946.

The Order would enable the Corporation to increase the

The Order would enable the Corporation to increase the statutory amount of water which the Corporation are authorised to take from the waters of the stream called the Noran Water and to extract such amount from the Glenogil Reservoir to vary the statutory amount of compensation water to be discharged therefrom and to construct and maintain water works including valve towers, measuring weirs, measuring houses, trunk mains, aqueducts, and ancillary works

A copy of the Draft Order and relevant Plans may be inspected in the offices of the Subscriber at Town House, Arbroath, and a notice explaining the effect of the Order applied for will be found in the issues of the Arbroath Herald and Dundee Courier and Advertiser of dates 3rd and 10th March 1950, and in Arbroath Guide of dates 4th and 11th March 1950.

Dated the twenty-seventh day of February 1950.

WILLIAM D. SMITH, Town Clerk of Arbroath. Beverings & Co., 156 Abbey House, Victoria Street, Westminster, London, S.W.1.