

Ministry of Labour and National Service.
19 St. James's Square, London, S.W.1.
14th January, 1958.

IN pursuance of Section 122 of the Factories Acts, 1937, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, The Right Honourable Iain Macleod, Minister of Labour and National Service has been pleased to appoint:—

Miss V. E. Hurford
Mr F. B. Greenwood
Mr A. M. Hill
Mr M. A. Hood
Mr D. B. Jones
Mr A. R. MacDonald
Mr H. R. Williams

to be Her Majesty's Inspectors of Factories.

Civil Service Commission, 14th January, 1958.

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.:—

REGULATIONS FOR THE RECRUITMENT OF H.M. INSPECTORS OF FACTORIES (CLASS II) UNDER THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND NATIONAL SERVICE.

1. Both men and women may compete under these Regulations.

2. Age.

Candidates must be at least 23 and under 30 years of age on 1st June of the year in which they apply. But (a) a candidate who has served or is serving on a regular (including a regular short-service) engagement in H.M. Forces or has served or is serving in Her Majesty's Overseas Civil Service may deduct from his actual age the period of such service rendered before 1st June of the year in which he applies; (b) older candidates having exceptionally suitable qualifications may be considered.

3. Nationality.

To be eligible for appointment a candidate must be a British subject, a British protected person or a citizen of the Irish Republic and in addition satisfy one of the following conditions:—

(a) if he was a British subject, a British protected person or a citizen of the Irish Republic at birth—

(i) at least one of his parents must be, or have been at death, a British subject, a British protected person or a citizen of the Irish Republic, or

(ii) the candidate must have resided in a country or territory within the Commonwealth or in the Irish Republic or been employed elsewhere in the service of the Crown or partly have so resided and partly been so employed for at least five years out of the last eight years preceding the date of his appointment;

(b) if he was not a British subject, a British protected person or a citizen of the Irish Republic at birth, he must have resided in a country or territory within the Commonwealth or in the Irish Republic or been employed elsewhere in the service of the Crown or partly have so resided and partly been so employed for at least five years out of the last eight years preceding the date of his appointment;

(c) if not qualified under sub-paragraph (a) or sub-paragraph (b) of this paragraph, he must satisfy the Commissioners that he is so closely connected with a country or territory within the Commonwealth either by ancestry, upbringing or residence, or by reason of national service, that an exception may properly be made in his favour.

4. Qualifications.

Candidates should normally have a university degree (which may be either in science or in arts subjects) or technical qualifications of comparable standard (e.g., A.M.I.Mech.E.). Experience in works or other practical spheres is an advantage.

Candidates without degrees or similar technical qualifications will be considered if they have had at least 7 years' works or other practical industrial experience including supervision or other responsible positions and if they have good general or technical qualifications.

5. Competition.

The candidates who appear from their applications to have the best qualifications and experience will be invited to interview in London before a Selection Board, which will recommend to the Civil Service Commissioners those considered most suitable for appointment. The Board will take into consideration the candidates' record of education

and experience, recommendations from referees named by the candidates, and the personal qualities of the candidates as shown at the interview.

6. Health and Character.

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

7. Candidates Trained as Teachers.

Persons who have been trained as teachers in Northern Ireland or in the Irish Republic, and upon whose training public money has been spent cannot be appointed until the consent of the appropriate central education authority has been notified to the Commissioners.

8. Refund of Marriage Gratuity.

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 widowed 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. Provided that this undertaking will not be required if the break between the first period of service (including any period of unestablished service immediately following the period in respect of which the gratuity was paid) and the date of re-establishment is more than seven years.

9. Convassing.

Any attempt on the part of candidates to enlist support for their applications through Members of Parliament or other influential persons, except as referees to be named by them in their application forms, will disqualify them for appointment.

10. Fee.

Every successful candidate will be required to pay a fee of £3 before the issue of a certificate of qualification for appointment.

11. The Commissioners' decision will be final in all matters concerning this competition.

EDUCATION (SCOTLAND) ACTS, 1939 to 1956

THE Secretary of State hereby gives notice in terms of section 123 of the Education (Scotland) Act, 1946, that he has prepared the draft of a scheme entitled

THE SCOTTISH WOOLLEN TECHNICAL COLLEGE EDUCATIONAL

ENDOWMENTS SCHEME, 1958

for the future government and management of the after-mentioned endowments:—

Archibald Cochrane Fund

The Craig Scholarship in Chemistry and Dyeing Fund

James Sanderson Fund for Technical Education.

South of Scotland Central Technical College Bursary and

Hostel Trust.

The Secretary of State will receive and consider any objections made to him in writing by any public body or persons interested respecting such Scheme, and any amendments proposed thereon, which are delivered at the Offices of the Scottish Education Department, St. Andrew's House, Edinburgh, 1, within one calendar month from the date hereof.

Copies of the Scheme, price 4d. (by post 6d.), may be obtained from H.M. Stationery Office, 13a Castle Street, Edinburgh, 2.

W. F. ARBUCKLE, Secretary,
Scottish Education Department.

17th January, 1958.

STATEMENTS ISSUED PURSUANT TO THE CORN RETURNS ACT, 1882, THE CORN SALES ACT, 1921, AND THE AGRICULTURE (MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT, 1943.

STATEMENT showing the QUANTITIES SOLD and AVERAGE PRICES of BRITISH CORN per cwt. of 112 Imperial pounds computed from returns received by the MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, FISHERIES AND FOOD in the week ended 11th January, 1958, and based on sales during the week ended 4th January, 1958.