

PROCEEDINGS BEFORE BRITISH PRIZE COURTS OVERSEA.

In continuation of the notification on page 9010 of the London Gazette of September 15th, 1916, information has been received that proceedings have been instituted in the Prize Court at Gibraltar in respect of certain cargo ex the following vessel:—

Prize Court.	Name of Ship.	Date of Appearance.
Supreme Court of Gibraltar ...	Navigator ... ..	September 20th.

Colonial Office,  
18th September, 1916.

TRADE BOARDS ACT, 1909.

TAILORING TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

Proposal to vary certain Minimum Rates of Wages for Female Workers in certain branches of the Tailoring Trade in Great Britain which are engaged in making garments to be worn by male persons.

In accordance with Regulations made under Section 18 of the above Act by the Board of Trade and dated the 27th of April, 1910, the Trade Board established under the above Act for certain branches of the Tailoring Trade in Great Britain which are engaged in making

garments to be worn by male persons, as defined in the Regulations made by the Board of Trade and dated the 10th January, 1914, hereby give notice as required by Section 4 of the above Act that the Trade Board propose to vary the Minimum Rates of Wages for female workers fixed by them on 19th August, 1912, and 19th July, 1915, and made obligatory under Orders of the Board of Trade dated the 20th February, 1913, and the 20th January, 1916, as follows, that is to say:—

- I. (a) For female workers other than homeworkers, from 3½d. an hour to 4d. an hour.
- (b) For female homeworkers, from 3½d. an hour to 4d. an hour.

II. LEARNERS.

	LEARNERS COMMENCING AT			
	14 and under 15 years of age.	15 and under 16 years of age.	16 and under 21 years of age	21 years of age and over.
	Column I.	Column II.	Column III.	Column IV.
During 1st 6 months of employment ...	per week. No variation proposed	per week. No variation proposed.	per week. No variation proposed.	1st 3 months..... per week. No variation proposed
	s. d. s. d.	s. d. s. d.	s. d. s. d.	s. d. s. d.
" 2nd , ..	From 4/6 to 5/2	From 5/2 to 5/11	From 6/9 to 7/9	2nd 3 months... From 8/4 to 9/6
" 3rd " ...	" 6/0 to 6/10	" 7/3 to 8/3	" 9/5 to 10/9	3rd 3 months... " 10/11 to 12/6
" 4th " ...	" 7/3 to 8/3	" 8/10 to 10/1	" 12/6 to 14/3	4th 3 months... " 12/6 to 14/3
" 5th " ...	" 8/4 to 9/6	" 10/11 to 12/6	...	...
" 6th " ...	" 9/5 to 10/9	" 12/6 to 14/3	...	...
" 7th " ...	" 11/5 to 13/1	...	...	...
" 8th " ...	" 12/6 to 14/3	...	...	...

The Trade Board will consider any objections to the above proposal to vary which may be lodged with them within three months from 18th September, 1916. Such objections should be in writing and signed by the person making the same (adding his or her full name and address), and should be sent to the Secretary of the Tailoring Trade Board (Great Britain), 5, Chancery Lane, London, W.C.

It is desirable that the objections should state precisely, and so far as possible with reasons, what is objected to.

Dated this sixteenth day of September, 1916.

Signed by Order of the Trade Board,

*Ernest Aves,*  
Chairman.

Ministry of Munitions,  
13th September, 1916.

With reference to the Order made by the Minister of Munitions on 7th July, 1916, bringing metallurgical coke, pig iron and certain classes of steel under the provisions of

Defence of the Realm Regulation 30a, the Minister of Munitions hereby gives notice that the general permit under the above Order, dated 7th July, 1916, is modified by the insertion in the Schedule thereto of the following revised maximum prices for the articles specified, in substitution for the maximum