force shall be postponed as hereinafter provided, and that the said Order shall be varied

accordingly.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by Section 1, Sub-section 2, of the Price of Coal (Limitation) Act, 1915, and by Regulations 2F, 2J, and 2JJ of the Defence of the Realm Regulations and of all other powers them hereunto enabling, the Board of Trade hereby order as follows:

Notwithstanding the provisions of Article 4 of the Coal (Pit's Mouth) Prices Order, 1919, the said Order shall not come into force until a date to be determined hereafter and to be

specified in a subsequent Order.

W. F. Marwood, A Secretary of the Board of Trade. July 15th, 1919.

> Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens, S.W. 1. 14th July, 1919.

TRADING WITH GERMANY.

GENERAL LICENCE.

The Board of Trade, on behalf of His Majesty, and in pursuance of the powers reserved in the Trading with the Enemy Proclamations and all other powers thereunto them enabling, do hereby give and grant licence to all persons and bodies of persons resident carrying on business or being in the United Kingdom to trade and have commercial and financial transactions with persons or bodies of persons resident or carrying on business in Germany:

Provided always that any licence which may be necessary in respect of any transaction under any prohibition of export or prohibition of import for the time being in force in the United Kingdom or in respect of any remittance of money out of the United Kingdom covered by Regulation 41D of the Defence of the Realm Regulations is first obtained:

Provided also that this licence shall not permit any person or body of persons to pay to or for the benefit of any person or body of persons resident or carrying on business in Germany any sum of money which by the terms of the Trading with the Enemy Amendment Acts, 1914 and 1915, or either of them, is required to be paid to the Custodian appointed under the Trading with the Enemy Amendment Act, 1914, but such sums of money must be paid

to the said Custodian:

Provided further that this licence shall not permit any person or body of persons to pay or deliver any sum of money or property which is or but for the war would have been due or deliverable to any person or body of persons resident or carrying on business in Germany in respect of a transaction entered into before the outbreak of war.

Dated this 12th day of July, 1919.

W. F. Marwood, A Secretary to the Board of Trade.

Board of Trade, 7, Whitehall Gardens, S.W. 1, 14th July, 1919.

TRADING WITH GERMAN AUSTRIA. GENERAL LICENCE.

The Board of Trade, on behalf of His Majesty, and in pursuance of the powers reserved in the Trading with the Enemy Proclamations and all other powers thereunto them enabling, do hereby give and grant licence to all persons and bodies of persons resident, carrying on business, or being in the United Kingdom, to trade and have commercial and financial transactions with persons or bodies of persons resident or carrying on business in German Austria:

Provided always that any licence which may be necessary in respect of any transaction under any prohibition of export or prohibition of import for the time being in force in the United Kingdom or in respect of any remittance of money out of the United Kingdom covered by Regulation 41D of the Defence of the Realm Regulations, is first obtained. Provided also that this licence shall not

permit any person or body of persons to pay to or for the benefit of any person or body of persons resident or carrying on business in German Austria any sum of money which by the terms of the Trading with the Enemy Amendment Acts, 1914 and 1915, or either of them, is required to be paid to the Custodian appointed under the Trading with the Enemy Amendment Act, 1914, but such sums of money must be paid to the said Custodian:

Provided further, that this licence shall not permit any person or body of persons to pay or deliver any sum of money or property which is or but for the war would have been due or deliverable to any person or body of persons resident or carrying on business in German Austria in respect of a transaction entered into

before the outbreak of war.

Dated this 12th day of July, 1919. W. F. Marwood, A Secretary to the Board of Trade.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918. SPECIAL ORDER MADE IN PURSUANCE OF SEC-

TION ONE OF THE TRADE BOARDS ACT, 1918, WITH RESPECT TO THE ROPE, TWINE AND Whereas the Trade Boards Acts, 1909 and

1918, apply to the trades specified in the schedule to the Trade Boards Act, 1909, and to the trades specified in the schedule to the Trade Boards Provisional Orders Confirmation Act, 1913, and the Minister of Labour is empowered under and by virtue of Section One of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, to make a Special Order applying the Trade Boards Acts, 1909 and 1918, to any specified trade to which they do not at the time apply, if he is of opinion that no adequate machinery exists for the effective regulation of wages throughout the trade, and that accordingly, having regard to the rates of wages prevailing in the trade, or any part of the trade, it is expedient that the Trade Boards Acts, 1909 and 1918, should apply to that trade;

And whereas the Trade Boards Acts, 1909 and 1918, do not apply to the trade specified in the appendix to this Order, and the Minister of Labour as respects that trade is of the

opinion aforesaid:

Now, therefore, I, the Minister of Labour, in pursuance of the powers given to me by Section One of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, and by any other statute in that behalf do hereby make a Special Order that from and after the 18th day of July, 1919, the following provision shall have effect (that is to say):—

Article 1.—The Trade Boards Acts, 1909