(Emergency) Order, 1920, and the Coal (Emergency) Order, 1920.

(3) (a) Any expenses incurred by a Local Authority in the execution of this Order shall be defrayed out of the public health general assessment provided that such expenses shall not be reckoned in any calculation as to the statutory limit of that assessment.

(b) Where any Local Authorities have combined for any of the purposes of this Order, any expenses incurred by these Local Authorities under this Order shall be defrayed in such proportions as may be agreed upon, or in delault of agreement as may be determined by me.

(4) A District Committee, Parish Council, Education Authority or other local body may make available without charge, or on such terms as may be agreed, to a Local Authority or to any Committee appointed by the Authority, any of their premises and the services of any of their officers for the purposes of the Gas and Coal (Emergency) Order, 1920, the Lighting, Heating and Power (Emergency) Order, 1920, and the Coal (Emergency) Order, 1920.

(5) This Order may be cited as the Local Authorities (Gas and Coal) (Scotland) Order, 1920.

Robert Munro,

(L. 8.) His Majesty's Secretary for Scotland. Scottish Office, Whitehall,

16th October, 1920.

Board of Trade, Great George Street. London, S.W. 1.

18th October, 1920.

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with Section 1 Sub-section 7 of the Non-Ferrous Metal Industry Act, 1918 (7 and 8 Geo. 5, ch. 67) and No. 11 of the Statutory Rules and Orders No. 265 of 1918 (Non-Ferrous Metal Industry) that licences under the Non-Ferrous Metal Industry Act have been granted by the Board of Trade to the undermentioned com-panies, firms or individuals :--Crew, William Maxwell, 18, Ettington-road,

Aston, Birmingham.

Parkinson, John, Mansion House Chambers, 11, Queen Victoria-street, E.C. Roberts, Son and Clarke, T. R:, 59/60, Ex-change-buildings, New-street, Birmingham.

Smith, Sidney, trading as S. Smith and Com-pany, 36, Cannon-street, Birmingham.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918. AERATED WATERS TRADE BOARD (SCOTLAND).

GENERAL MINIMUM TIME-RATES AND OVERTIME RATES (AS FIXED AND AS VARIED) FOR MALE AND FEMALE WORKERS. EFFECTIVE AS FROM 18TH OCTOBER, 1920.*

In accordance with Regulations made under Section 18 of the Trade Boards Act, 1909, by

the Minister of Labour, and dated 31st October, 1918, the Trade Board established in Scotland under the Trade Boards Act, 1918, for the Aerated Waters Trade, as specified in the Trade Boards (Aerated Waters) Order, 1919, having given due notice on 5th July, 1920, of proposal to vary the General Minimum Time-Rates and Overtime Rates for certain classes of Male and Female Workers, hereby give notice, as required by Section 3 (5) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, that they have varied the General Minimum Time-Rates and Overtime Rates as set out in their notice dated 11th June, 1920, in their application to certain classes of Male and Female Workers specified in the Schedule hereto, and that the Minimum Rates of Wages as varied, together with the Minimum Rates of Wages which remain unaffected by the variation, are shown in the Schedule set out below, which is incorporated herewith.

The Trade Board further give notice, that they have received notification from the Minister of Labour that he has made an Order dated 14th October, 1920, under Section 4 (2) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, confirming the variation of the Minimum Rates by the Trade Board, and specifying 18th October, 1920,* as the date from which the variation of such Minimum Rates shall become effective.

*Note.-Should this date not correspond with the beginning of the period for which wages are paid by an employer who pays wages at intervals not exceeding seven days, the rates shall become effective as from the beginning of the next full pay period, but in any case not later than 24th October, 1920.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.

General Minimum Time-Rates.

SECTION I.

Male Workers.

(A) Minimum Rates, effective as from 14th June, 1920, which are unaffected by the variation :-

For Workers under 16 years of age, 4¹/₂d. per hour.

For Workers of 16 years and under 17 years of age, 5¹/₂d. per hour.

For Workers of 17 years and under 18 years of age, 6¹/₂d. per hour. For Workers 18 years and under 19 years

of age, 7¹/₂d. per hour. For Workers 19 years and under 20 years

of age, $9\frac{1}{2}d$. per hour. For Workers of 20 years and under 21 years of age, $11\frac{1}{2}d$. per hour.

(B) Minimum Rates as varied, effective as from 18th October, 1920:-

For Workers of 21 years of age and over, 1s. 3d. per hour.

SECTION II.—Female Workers.

(A) Minimum Rates, effective as from 14th June, 1920, which are unaffected by the Variation:

For Workers under 16 years of age, $4\frac{1}{2}d$. per hour.

For Workers of 16 years and under 17 years of age, 5¹/₂d. per hour. For Workers of 17 years and under 18

years of age, $6\frac{1}{2}$ d. per hour.