

varnishing, sizing, rolling and similar operations when performed in the process of the manufacture of whips;

(2) the braiding of lashes when carried on in association with or in conjunction with the manufacture of whips;

*Including:—*

(a) the making of handles for bags, or the covering of walking sticks with leather, or the making of umbrellas or walking sticks, or the braiding of silver wire collars for whip handles, when carried on by workers mainly engaged in any of the operations specified in paragraphs (1) and (2) above;

(b) the sale of any goods when carried on by workers mainly engaged in any of the operations specified in paragraphs (1) and (2) above;

(c) the warehousing of, the packing of, and similar operations in regard to any of the articles specified above, when carried on in or in association with or in conjunction with a business or establishment or branch or department or workroom mainly engaged in any of the operations specified in paragraphs (1) and (2) above;

*But excluding:—*

(a) any of the operations specified in paragraphs (1) and (2) above when carried on by workers mainly engaged in the manufacture of umbrellas or walking sticks;

(b) the manufacture of whip thongs or mounts;

(c) all operations covered by the Trade Boards (Toy) Order, 1920.

## UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACT, 1920.

### PROPOSED DECISION BY THE MINISTER.

Pursuant to paragraph (2) of the Unemployment Insurance (Determination of Questions) (Provisional) Regulations, the Minister of Labour hereby gives notice of his intention to give a decision on or after the 16th day of November, 1920, on a question that has arisen in an application made to him for his decision under Section 10 of the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1920, namely, whether the employment of a person as a butler or cook in a School Boarding House at Rugby School is such employment as to make the person an employed person within the meaning of the Act, and especially whether such employment is employment in domestic service, and whether the person is employed in a trade or business carried on for the purposes of gain.

Any person or body claiming to be interested may, before the date specified, make, or cause to be made, representations in writing to the Minister with reference to this question, or may apply to the Minister to be heard orally. All such representations or applications should be addressed to the Principal Assistant Secretary, Ministry of Labour, Employment Department, Queen Anne's Chambers, Westminster, S.W. 1.

The Minister may himself require the attendance of any person appearing to him to be interested to give oral information on the subject of the above question.

## UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACT, 1920.

### THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE (COLLECTION OF CONTRIBUTIONS) REGULATIONS, 1920.\*

The Minister of Labour, by virtue of the powers conferred on him by the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1920, and of all other powers in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:—

#### PART I.

##### GENERAL.

##### *Short Title and Commencement.*

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Unemployment Insurance (Collection of Contributions) Regulations, 1920, and shall come into operation on the eighth day of November, 1920.

##### *Interpretation and General.*

2. (1) In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires or admits—

The expression "the Act" means the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1920.

The expression "the repealed Acts" means the National Insurance (Unemployment) Acts, 1911 to 1919.

The expression "the Minister" means the Minister of Labour.

The expression "unemployment book" or "book" means any book or card issued in accordance with these Regulations to or upon which stamps are to be affixed or impressed for the purpose of the payment of contributions under the general provisions of the Act.

The expression "unemployment insurance stamp" or "stamp" means a stamp to be affixed to or impressed upon an unemployment book for the purpose of payment of contributions under the general provisions of the Act.

The expression "Local Office" means an Employment Exchange or other Office appointed by the Minister as a Local Office for the purposes of the Act and of these Regulations.

The expression "calendar week" means the period from midnight on one Sunday to midnight on the following Sunday.

The expressions "employed person" and "insured contributor" shall have the same meanings as in the Act.

The expression "termination of employment" means the day on which the employment is actually terminated either by the employer dismissing the insured contributor or by the insured contributor leaving his work, whether such termination is in accordance with the terms of the contract of service or not.

The expression "general provisions of the Act" means the provisions of the Act other than those relating to Special Schemes and Supplementary Schemes.

The expression "special scheme" means any scheme that has been approved or made by the Minister under Section 18 of the Act.

(2) Except where the context otherwise requires, any reference in these Regulations to an insured contributor shall be deemed to include a reference to a person required by the Act to be or to become insured under the general provisions of the Act, provided that nothing in these Regulations shall apply to a person to whom a special scheme applies unless