

respect to the places where and the conditions under which persons may collect money in any street for charitable or other purposes have been made by the Commissioner.

(1) No collection shall be made in any part of the carriage-way of any street without special permission from the Commissioner; nor shall any collection be made on the footway so as to cause any obstruction thereof or any annoyance to foot passengers.

(2) Not more than two persons shall act as collectors at the same collecting place, and they shall occupy a stationary position on the footway unless special exception is granted by the Commissioner.

(3) No collecting place shall be within 30 yards from any other collecting place.

(4) No person under the age of 18 shall act as a collector.

(5) No collector shall use a table for the purpose of any collection so as to cause actual or possible obstruction. No table used shall exceed 30 inches in length and 20 inches in width.

(6) No collector shall use a box at the end of a pole intended to reach upper windows or the roofs of conveyances.

(7) No collector shall be accompanied by any animal.

(8) No collector shall importune any person to the annoyance of such person.

(9) No collection shall be made for any charitable purpose without a permit from the Commissioner of Police, which permit shall be granted by the Commissioner if he be satisfied by the certificate of an Advisory Committee (appointed by him and approved by the Secretary of State) or otherwise that the collection is made in good faith, and solely for the purposes of the charity. Application for a permit should be made not later than the first day of the month preceding that month in which it is proposed that the collection shall be held. Provided that in the Commissioner's discretion the period of notice may be reduced in any particular case or class of cases if he is satisfied that there are special reasons for this course.

(10) No collection shall be made by any paid collector.

Any person wilfully disregarding or refusing to conform to these Regulations is liable to a penalty not exceeding forty shillings for each offence.

The general limits referred to are such parts of the Metropolis as are enclosed in a circle of which the centre is Charing Cross, and the radii are six miles in length as measured in a straight line from Charing Cross.

Compliance with the above Regulations shall not exempt a person from proceedings under the Vagrancy Acts or other statutory provisions, or any bye-laws made by any Local Authorities.

*W. Horwood,*

Commissioner of Police of the  
Metropolis.

I approve the foregoing Regulations, and the Regulations dated 5th August, 1915, are hereby cancelled.

*E. Shortt,*

One of His Majesty's Principal  
Secretaries of State.

Home Office,  
22nd February, 1921.

#### EXPLOSIVES ACT, 1875.

The Right Honourable Edward Shortt, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, in virtue of the powers conferred on him by Section 53 of the Explosives Act, 1875, has appointed Sergeant Patrick Fitzpatrick (No. 60765), of the Royal Irish Constabulary, to be an Inspector for Ireland under the said Act.

Whitehall,  
22nd February, 1921.

The Home Secretary gives notice that in pursuance of Section 2 (1) of the Employment of Women, Young Persons and Children Act, 1920, he has made an Order authorising the employment of women engaged in dusting down machinery and cleaning floors in the Flour Mill of The Co-operative Wholesale Society, Limited, Silvertown, E., on two day-shifts, subject to the conditions that no woman shall be employed in Shift II in consecutive weeks and that suitable cloakroom and messroom accommodation shall be provided.

Whitehall,  
22nd February, 1921.

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The eighth edition of the Roll of the Baronetage has now been issued as revised to the 15th December, 1920, and may be obtained at a cost of three shillings through any bookseller, or directly from H.M. Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—Imperial House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2, and 28, Abingdon Street, London, S.W. 1; 37, Peter Street, Manchester; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 23, Forth Street, Edinburgh; or from E. Ponsonby, Limited, 116, Grafton Street, Dublin.

*Whitehall, February 24, 1921.*

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date the 23rd instant, to declare that Elizabeth Frances, Viscountess St. Davids (wife of the Right Honourable John Wynford, Viscount St. Davids) is and shall be Baroness Hungerford and Baroness de Moleyns; and to give, grant and confirm the Baronies of Hungerford and de Moleyns which fell into abeyance on the death of Charles Edward Hastings, Earl of Loudoun, on the 17th day of May, 1920, to the said Elizabeth Frances, Viscountess St. Davids: To have and to hold the said Baronies, together with all the rights, privileges, pre-eminences, immunities and advantages, and the place and precedence due and belonging thereto to her and to the heirs of her body lawfully begotten and to be begotten in as full and ample a manner as the said Charles Edward Hastings, Earl of Loudoun, or any of his ancestors held and enjoyed the same.

And also to declare that the said Elizabeth Frances, Viscountess St. Davids, is and shall be Baroness Strange of Knokin; and to give, grant and confirm the Barony of Strange of Knokin which fell into abeyance on the death of Ferdinando, 5th Earl of Derby, in the year 1594, to the said Elizabeth Frances,