

PART III—*continued.*

any other day, not being Sunday, may be by agreement in writing between an employer and a worker substituted in place of Saturday as the weekly short day, and in such case the provisions of Sections I and II above shall apply in like manner as if in such provisions "Saturday" were substituted for such short day, and such short day were substituted for "Saturday."

NOTE.—The hours which Female Workers, Young Persons and Children, are allowed to work are subject to the provisions of the Factory and Workshop Acts, and of the Employment of Women, Young Persons and Children Act, 1920.

PART IV.

SECTION I.

For the purpose of this Notice a FEMALE LEARNER is a Worker who:—

- (a) Is employed during the whole or a substantial part of her time in learning any branch or process of the trade by an employer who provides the Learner with reasonable facilities for such learning; and
- (b) Has received a certificate or has been registered in accordance with rules from time to time laid down by the Trade Board, and held subject to compliance with the conditions contained in this Section, or has made an application for such certificate or registration which has been duly acknowledged and is still under consideration. Provided that the certification or registration of a Learner may be cancelled if the other conditions of learnership are not complied with.

Provided that an employer may employ a Female Learner on her first employment without a certificate or registration for a probation period not exceeding four weeks, but in the event of such Learner being continued thereafter at her employment the probation period shall be included in her period of learnership.

SECTION II.

Notwithstanding compliance with the conditions contained in Section I of this Part of this Schedule, a person shall not be deemed to be a Learner if she works in a room used for dwelling purposes and is not in the employment of her parent or guardian.

SECTION III.

In the application of the General Minimum Time-Rates for Learners the following provisions apply:—

- (a) The advances to be given to Learners commencing at under 21 years of age shall become due as from the first Monday in January and July of each year, the Learner being entitled to her first advance from the first Monday in January or July as the case may be provided that she has been in the trade at least three months.
- (b) A Learner shall cease to be a Learner and be entitled to the full General Minimum Time-Rate applicable to her under Section I (A) of Part I of this Schedule, upon the fulfilment of the conditions appropriate to her as set out below:—

Age of Entering upon Employment.	Conditions.
Under 15 years of age	The completion of not less than three years' employment AND the attainment of the age of 18 years.
15 and under 16 years of age	The completion of not less than two years' employment AND the attainment of the age of 18 years.
16 and under 21 years of age	The completion of two years' employment.
21 years of age and over	The completion of one years' employment.

- (c) No Female Learner shall be entitled to the full General Minimum Time-Rate under Section I (A) of Part I of this Schedule until she has attained the age of 18 years, notwithstanding any employment she may have had. Provided that, in determining the age of entry and the length of employment, all service prior to the age of 14 shall be disregarded.

SECTION IV.

For the purpose of this Notice a "Home-Worker" is a worker who works in her own home or any other place not under the control or management of the employer.

PART V.

SECTION I.

The Minimum Rates of Wages set out in this Schedule apply, subject to the provisions of the Trade Boards Acts, to all Workers in the United Kingdom in respect of all time during which they are employed in any branch of the trade specified in the Trade Boards (Corset) Order, 1919.

SECTION II.

The Trade as specified in the above-mentioned Order is as follows:—

- (a) The manufacture of Corsets, Stays, Children's Corset Bodices, Infants' Stay Bands, Bust Confiners, such as Brassières, and Bandeaux when boned or with elastic webbing in their construction.
- (b) The manufacture of Support or Abdominal Belts and similar articles, except where made in association with or in conjunction with the manufacture of Surgical Instruments.
- (c) The assembling of Stocking Suspenders in conjunction with or in association with the manufacture of any of the above-mentioned articles.
- (d) All Warehousing, Packing or other operations incidental to or appertaining to the manufacture of any of the above-mentioned articles.