WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1906.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has made the following appointments of Medical Referees under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, in place of Dr. Hammond Şmith (deceased):—

(a) For the District of the West London (Brompton) County Court (Circuit No. 37)—Sir Gould May, M.D., of 59, Cadogan Place,

(b) For the District of the Marylebone County Court (Circuit No. 43)—Ceeil John Read MacFadden, Esq., O.B.E., M D., of 11, Frognal, Hampstead, N.W. 3.

Whitehall,

26th May, 1924.

Factory Department, Home Office, May 26, 1924.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. S. B. White an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Lyndhurst in the County of Southampton is vacant.

Factory Department, Home Office, May 26, 1924.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. F. R. Cripps to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Patrington District of the County of York, East Riding.

Downing Street, 26th May, 1924.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Willoughby Bullock, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Bahama Islands.

Downing Street, 26th May, 1924.

The KING has been pleased to re-appoint Burchell Marshall, Esq., to be a Member of the Executive Council of the Presidency of Saint Christopher and Nevis.

Ministry of Labour, Whitehall, S. W. 1. 26th May, 1924.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE ACTS, 1920 to 1924.

Notice of Intention to make a Special Order approving a Special Scheme of Unemployment Insurance for the Banking Industry.

The Minister of Labour hereby gives notice that he intends, pursuant to the powers conferred upon him by Section 18 of the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1920, to make a Special Order approving a Special Scheme of Unemployment Insurance for the Banking Industry as defined in the Appendix to this Notice.

Copies of the Draft Special Order and of the Special Scheme may be obtained on application in writing to the Principal Assistant Secretary (Employment and Insurance Department), Ministry of Labour, Queen Anne's Chambers, Westminster, S.W. 1.

Objections to the Draft Special Order must be sent to the above address within twentyone days from the twenty-seventh May, 1924.

Every objection must be in writing and must state:—

(a) the portions of the Draft Order objected to;

(b) the specific grounds for objection; and

(c) the omissions, additions or modifications asked for.

Given under the Official Seal of the Minister of Labour this twenty-sixth day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

(L.S.) H. J. Wilson,

Secretary to the Ministry of Labour.

APPENDIX.

INDUSTRY.

The Banking Industry shall consist of the undertakings of all persons or bodies of persons, whether corporate or unincorporate, and whether established within or without England or Wales, engaged in England or Wales in carrying on as their principal business a banking, financial, or other similar business, provided that a substantial part of such business consists of the receipt of money on current account to be drawn upon by cheques.

The Scheme shall not apply to any persons who come within any of the following classes:—

(a) Persons who are ordinarily engaged whether under a single employer or under two or more employers, partly in the Banking Industry and partly outside that Industry, in some occupation employment in which makes them employed persons within the meaning of the Act as amended by any subsequent enactment, if such persons are ordinarily and mainly dependent for their livelihood on their earnings in the occupation outside the Banking Industry.

(b) Persons employed by or under the Crown or under any local or other public authority

authority.

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TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

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(GREAT BRITAIN).

GENERAL MINIMUM PIECE-RATES AND OVERTIME RATES (AS VARIED) FOR FEMALE WORKERS EMPLOYED ON HESSIAN WEAVING AS DOUBLE LOOM WEAVERS IN THE AREAS OF ABERDEEN, BARROW-IN-FURNESS, DUNDEE AND TAYPORT.

Effective as from 26th May, 1924.

* 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 1st June, 1924.