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 on two day shifts of women of 18 years of age and over on circular knitting machines at the works of Messrs. Barnadier & Squire, Gamble's Factory, Newdigate Street, Nottingham, subject to the conditions that a woman shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks, and that there shall be provided (a) adequate arrangements for the workers to obtain meals at the works, and (b) facilities for sitting.

Whitehall.

29th June, 1925.

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 on two day shifts of women of 18 years of age and over in inspecting and packing glass bulbs at the works of The British Thomson Houston Company Limited, Sheffield Road, Chesterfield, subject to the conditions that a woman shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks, and that suitable cloakroom and messroom accommodation shall be provided.

Whitehall.

26th June, 1925.

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 on two day shifts of women of 18 and young persons of 16 years of age and over in the manufacture and finishing of lemon cheese at the works of Messrs. Sutcliffe and Bingham Limited, Ogden Street, Cormbrook, Manchester, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable cloakroom and messroom accommodation and washing facilities shall be provided.

Whitehall,

29th June, 1925.

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 on two day shifts of women of 18 and young persons of 16 years of age and over in the Inlaid Parquet Department at the Caledonia Works of Messrs. Barry, Ostlere & Shepherd Limited, Station Road, Kirkcaldy, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift for more than

two consecutive weeks and that suitable cloakroom and messroom accommodation and washing facilities shall be provided.

Whitehall,

29th June. 1925.

Factory Department, Home Office, June 24, 1925.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. F. Y. Pratt, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts, at Horncastle, in the County of Lincoln is vacant.

J. (40).

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918. JUTE TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

Proposal to Vary Minimum Rates of Wagesfor Male and Female Workers as from 8th October, 1925.

In accordance with Regulations made under-Section 18 of the Trade Boards Act, 1909, by the Minister of Labour, and dated 31st October, 1918 and 1st August, 1922, the Trade Board established in Great Britain, under the Trade Boards Acts, 1909 and 1918, for the-Jute Trade as specified in the Trade Boards (Jute) Order, 1919, HEREBY GIVE NOTICE, as required by Section 3 (5) of the Trade-Boards Act, 1918, that, seeing that the speci-fied period of operation of the Minimum Rates of Wages set out in the Trade Board's Notice J. (39), dated 6th June, 1925, will expire on 7th October, 1925, THEY AGAIN PROPOSE TO VARY the General Minimum Time Rates, General Minimum Piece Rates, Piece-Work Basis Time Rates, Guaranteed Time Rates and Overtime Rates for Male and Female Workers set out in their Notices J. (35) and J. (37) dated respectively 26th September, 1924 and 12th February, 1925, by providing that the Minimum Rates of Wages set out in the Notice J. (39), dated 6th June, 1925, shall be continued in operation after the 7th October, 1925.

This Notice is issued with the consent of the Minister of Labour.

The Trade Board will consider any OBJEC-TIONS to the above PROPOSAL TO VARY which may be lodged with them within two months from 30th June, 1925. Such Objections should be in writing and signed by the person making the same (adding his or her full name and address), and should be sent to the Secretary of the Jute Trade Board (Great Britain), 1, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W. 1.

It is desirable that the Objections should state precisely, and, so far as possible, with reasons, what is objected to.

Dated this 30th day of June, 1925.

Signed by Order of the Trade Board,

F. Popplewell,

Secretary.

Office of Trade Boards, 1, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W. 1.