

In virtue of Section 1 of the Tribunals of Inquiry (Evidence) Act, 1921, I hereby declare that that Act shall apply to the Commission and that the said Commission is constituted as a Tribunal within the meaning of the said section of the said Act.

W. Joynson-Hicks,

One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Whitehall,

28th June, 1926.

NOTICE.

DANGEROUS DRUGS ACTS, 1920 to 1925.

SUSPENSION OF WITHDRAWAL OF AUTHORISATIONS.

(WILLIAM ROBERT WATCHAM BULL.)

Whereas in pursuance of the power conferred upon the Secretary of State by No. 6 of the Raw Opium Regulations, 1921, and by No. 10 of the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1921, the authorisations granted by the Raw Opium Regulations, 1921, and the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1921, to persons who lawfully keep open shop for the retailing of poisons in accordance with the provisions of the Pharmacy Act, 1868, as amended by the Poisons and Pharmacy Act, 1908, to be in possession of and supply Raw Opium and to carry on the business of manufacturing, selling or distributing the drugs to which Part III of the Dangerous Drugs Act, 1920, applies, were, by Notice dated the 24th August, 1923, and published in the London Gazette on the 24th August, 1923, withdrawn from William Robert Watcham Bull of 12, Hyde Park Terrace, Plymouth, who had been convicted of an offence against the Dangerous Drugs Act, 1920;

And whereas the said William Robert Watcham Bull has applied and the Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain has recommended that the said authorisations may now be restored to him;

Now therefore I hereby suspend until further order the operation of the Notice of withdrawal of the said authorisations from the said William Robert Watcham Bull.

W. Joynson-Hicks,

One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Whitehall.

2nd July, 1926.

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 wire winding, cotton winding, cotton lapping, twinning, cabling, examination, and braiding, at the

works of Messrs. Connollys (Blackley) Limited, Blackley Vale Mills, Blackley, Manchester, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks; that suitable cloakroom and messroom accommodation and facilities for sitting shall be provided; and that the Secretary of State may at any time require the occupiers to make such special arrangements for the conveyance of workers living at a distance or otherwise for the welfare of such workers as may be necessary to prevent hardship.

Whitehall,

1st July, 1926.

Scottish Office,
Whitehall,

30th June, 1926.

The KING has been pleased to approve the appointment of Edwin Bolton, Esquire, to be Vice-Lieutenant of the County of Stirling and a Commission in his favour bearing date the 28th June, 1926, has been signed by the Lord Lieutenant.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

MINIMUM RATES FIXED IN THE BUTTON MANUFACTURING TRADE.

The Button Manufacturing Trade Board (Great Britain) have issued a Notice dated 30th June, 1926, specifying the minimum rates of wages in operation in those branches of the trade brought within the scope of the Trade Board for the first time by the Trade Boards (Button Manufacturing) Order, 1925, which become effective under an Order of the Minister of Labour as from 2nd July, 1926.

Information with regard to the minimum rates of wages operative in the trade under the Trade Boards Acts may be obtained on application to the Secretary, Button Manufacturing Trade Board (Great Britain), 1, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W. 1.

F. Popplewell,

Secretary.

2nd July, 1926.

Board of Trade,
Great George Street,
London, S.W. 1,
1st July, 1926.

His Majesty the KING has been pleased, upon the recommendation of the President of the Board of Trade, to award the Bronze Medal for Gallantry in Saving Life at Sea to Arthur Hugh Dyer, Fifth Officer, and Joseph Black. Frank Robert Stannard, William Wilson and Ledlie Maynard Clark, Seamen, of the s.s. "Orvieta," of Belfast, in recognition of their gallantry in saving life at sea on the 14th February last.