

PART I—*continued* †

- (1) The above proposed Minimum Rates for Mackerel Nets only are subject to an addition of 6d. in respect of each net which is required to be turned by the worker.
- (2) The above proposed Minimum Rates are on the basis that the necessary materials are provided by or at the expense of the employer, and that the collection and delivery of the nets are performed by or at the expense of the employer.
- (3) For the purpose of the above proposed General Minimum Piece-Rates :
A Mackerel Net is a Net made of Twine thicker than 45s/12 ply cotton.

PART II.

The proposed Minimum Rates of Wages set out above shall apply, subject to the provisions of the Trade Boards Acts, to all Female Home-Workers in Great Britain in respect of all time during which they are employed in that branch of work in the Rope, Twine and Net Trade specified in the Trade Boards (Drift Nets Mending Trade, Great Britain) (Constitution and Proceedings) Regulations, 1925, as set out in Part V of the Schedule to the Trade Board's Notice E. (4) dated 1st October, 1926.

PART III.

- (1) The above proposed Minimum Rates of Wages shall be paid clear of all deductions other than deductions under the National Insurance Act, 1911, as amended by any subsequent enactments, or deductions authorised by any Act to be made from wages in respect of contributions to any Superannuation or other Provident Fund.
- (2) The above proposed Minimum Rates of Wages are without prejudice to workers who are earning higher rates.

Pursuant to Section 3 (5) of the Trade Boards Act, 1918, the Trade Board will consider any Objections to the above Proposals which may be lodged with them within two months from the 7th day of October, 1927. 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, Drift Nets Mending 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.

F. POPPLEWELL,

Secretary.

7th October, 1927.

*Board of Trade,
Great George Street,
London, S.W. 1.
5th October, 1927.*

MERCHANDISE MARKS ACT, 1926.

REPORTS OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE.

With reference to the notice which was published in the issue of the London, Edinburgh and Belfast Gazettes of the 13th May and the 24th June, 1927, respectively, regarding a reference made by the Board of Trade to the Standing Committee under the Merchandise Marks Act, 1926, in respect of the following classes and descriptions of goods:—

(1) imported Felt Hats and Felt Hat Hoods; and

(2) imported Iron and Steel Wire and Wire Nails and Staples,

the Board of Trade hereby give notice, in accordance with the provisions of Section 2, Sub-section (7), that Reports have been made by the Committee in respect of the aforesaid classes and descriptions of goods.

The Reports may be obtained directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Adastral House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh; York Street, Manchester; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 15, Donegall Square West, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

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of Hungarian Property,
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London, S.E. 1.*

Under and by virtue of the powers conferred upon the Clearing Office and the Administrator by Article 1 (xiv) of the Treaty of Peace (Hungary) Orders, 1921-23, I hereby prescribe the 31st day of October, 1927, as the final date by which

(a) Proofs by British nationals to whom an extension of time may be granted under the second paragraph of the Rule issued by me dated the 7th March, 1923, in respect of debts due to them by Hungarian nationals or of pecuniary obligations of the Hungarian Government under Article 231 of the Treaty of Trianon,

(b) Claims by British nationals against the Hungarian Government with the payment of which the property rights and interests within His Majesty's Dominions or Protectorates belonging to nationals of the former Kingdom of Hungary at the date when the said Treaty came into force (not being property rights or interests acquired under any general licence issued by or on behalf of His Majesty) and the net proceeds of their sale, liquidation or other dealings therewith are charged by Article 1 (ix) of the above-mentioned Orders in Council,