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 machine knitting and weaving of artificial silk at the works of Messrs. Recenia R. Shaerf Limited, Recenia Mills, Gt. Horton, Bradford, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks; that suitable cloakroom and messroom accommodation, washing facilities and facilities for sitting shall be provided; that additional daily thermometer readings shall be taken and recorded if atmospheric humidity is artificially produced and that the Secretary of State may at any time require the occupiers to make 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, 23rd October, 1928.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918.

VARYING AND FIXING OF MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES IN THE CHAIN MAKING TRADE.

The Chain Trade Board (Great Britain) have issued a Notice dated 26th October, 1928, setting out all the minimum rates of wages in operation under the Trade Boards Acts for workers engaged in the making of Hand Hammered Chain from iron up to and including \frac{1}{3\frac{1}{2}}\text{-inch}, including the minimum rates which have now been varied or fixed to take effect under an Order of the Minister of Labour as from 5th November, 1928.

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, Chain Trade Board (Great Britain), 1, Whitehall Gardens, London, S.W. 1.

F. Popplewell, Secretary.

October, 1928.

Admiralty, 22nd October, 1928.

R.N.

Lieuts. to be Lieut.-Comdrs.:-

P. L. Gunn, D.S.M.

C. V. Green.

22nd Oct. 1928.

Gunr. P. A. Fitt to be Comd. Gnr. 14th Oct. 1928.

Surg.-Lieut. P. J. Maguire, M.B., to be Surg.

Lieut.-Comdr. 19th Oct. 1928. Cd. Gunr. W. J. Bell placed on Retd. List at own request with rank of Lieut. 19th Oct. 1928.

Surg.-Comdr. F. E. Bolton placed on Retd. List with rank of Surg.-Capt. 24th Oct. 1928.

Surg. Lieut.-Comdr. S. R. Johnston to be Surg.-Comdr. 24th Oct. 1928.

Lieut. E. W. E. Seal placed on Retd. List. 24th Oct. 1928.

Admiralty, 23rd October, 1928.

R.N.R.

Act. Sub-Lieut. A. T. H. Weatherall to be Sub-Lieut. 13th Oct. 1928.

Admiralty, 24th October, 1928.

R.N.

Cd. Gunr. W. S. Porter placed on Retd. List at own request, with rank of Lieut. 22nd Oct. 1928.

Cd. Gunr. G. W. Bowden placed on Retd. List at own request, with rank of Lieut. 22nd ° Oct. 1928.

R.N.R.

Proby. Sub-Lieut. R. S. Hawker to be Sub-Lieut. with seny. of 7th Oct. 1927.

Admiralty, 25th October, 1928.

R.N.

Surg.-Lieut. A. G. L. Brown, D.S.C., to be Surg. Lieut.-Comdr. 25th Oct. 1928.

War Office,

26th October, 1928.

REGULAR ARMY.

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

The undermentioned relinquish their appts. :—

Col. C. V. Edwards, C.M.G., D.S.O., Prov. Marshal, Comdt., & Offr. i/c. Records (Cl. Y), Corps of Mil. Police. 18th Oct.

Maj. G. Cheetham, D.S.O., M.C., R.E., G.S.O., 2nd Grade, War Office. 20th Oct. 1928.

The undermentioned appts. are made: -

Gen. Sir A. J. Godley, G.C.B., K.C.M.G., A.D.C.-Gen. to the King, to be G.O.C.-in-C., Gibraltar. 12th Oct. 1928.

Col. G. T. Brierley, C.M.G., D.S.O., to be Prov. Marshal, Comdt., & Offr. i/c. Records (Cl. Y), Corps of Mil. Police. 18th Oct. 1928.

Capt. E. H. M. Clifford, M.C., R.E., to be G.S.O., 2nd Grade, War Office. 20th Oct. 1928.

Lt. G. H. W. Baird, Seaforth, to be A.D.C. to the Govr. & G.O.C.-in-C., Gibraltar. 12th Oct. 1928.