accommodation for clothing put off during working hours and messroom accommodation 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, 23rd November, 1931.

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 of hosiery and in all processes incidental thereto at the works of Mr. J. W. Raper, Grange Street, Keighley, Yorkshire, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable accommodation for clothing put off during working hours and messroom accommodation shall be provided.

Whitehall, 23rd November, 1931.

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 cutting, embroidering, hemming, finishing and packing cloth bed-spreads at the Ord-nance Mill of the Ordnance Manufacturing Company, Blackburn, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable cloakroom accommodation and messing facilities shall be provided.

Whitehall, November, 1931.

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 eighteen and young persons of sixteen years of age and over in winding of yarn in the Hosiery Underwear Department at the Newdigate Factory of Messrs. Thos. A. Hill and Company Limited, Russell Street, Nottingham, 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, 23rd November, 1931. Whitehall, November 6, 1931.

## IMPERIAL SERVICE MEDAL.

His Majesty The KING has been pleased to award the Imperial Service Medal to the following officers:-

## HOME CIVIL SERVICE.

Allatt, Fred. Postman, Honley Sub-Office, Huddersfield.

Bailey, Frederic Postal Service. Frederick John, Postman, London

Bailey, Godfrey Charles, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Manchester.

Balding, Herbert, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Manchester.

Ballard, William John, Skilled Labourer, H.M.

Dockyard, Sheerness. Banfield, Samuel, Sorter, London Postal Ser-

Barnes, William Henry, Skilled Workman, Class II, Engineering Department, Post Office.

Bastable, Albert Victor, Overseer, London Postal Service.

George, Skilled Labourer, Royal Naval Armament Depot, Priddy's Hard,

Bennett, Frederick, Postman, Cardiff.

William John, Skilled Labourer (Pavior), H.M. Dockyard, Chatham.

William, H.M. Blackman, Senior Pilot, Dockyard, Chatham.

Blick, George, Postman, Marlow Sub-Office, Maidenhead.

Boden, Samuel, Overseer, Post Office, Birmingham.

Boothman, William John James, Overseer, London Postal Service.

Boswell, Ernest William Gooch, Neatishead Sub-Office, Norwich.

Boulden, James, First Class Draughtsman, Admiralty.

Bull, William Alfred, Viewer, Royal Clarence Yard, Gosport.

Frank Ernest, Postman, London Burgess, Postal Service.

Burley, Harry, Postman, Huddersfield.

Burnett, Thomas, Postman, Swindon.
Bushby, Robert, Postman, Worthing.
Campbell, Alfred John, Skilled Labourer,
H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.
Carbis, Silvanus George, Skilled Labourer,

H.M. Dockyard, Devonport.

Cardno, John, Overseer, Post Office, Fraserburgh.

Carson, John Dobson, Postman, Dumfries.

Carter, Alexander Charles, Skilled Workman, Class II, Engineering Department, Post Office.

Carter, William Charles, Postman, London Postal Service.

Frederick, Skilled Work-Clark, Charles man, Class I, Engineering Department, Post Office.

Clarkson, Charles, Principal Officer, H.M. Prison, Wakefield.

Clayton, Arthur William, Overseer, London Postal Service.

Clough, Joseph, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Preston.

Codd, Walter James, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Lincoln.

Joseph Henry, Postman, Cooke, London Postal Service.

Cooper, Henry, Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist, Stafford.