

Copies of the new Order (S.R. & O., 1934, No. 1346), which will come into force on the 1st January, 1935, may be purchased (price 8d.) directly from H.M. Stationery Office, Adastral House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh 2; York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; or through any bookseller.

Whitehall,
12th December, 1934.

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 laundry of the Co-operative Ideal Laundries Limited, Maidstone Road, Chatham, subject to compliance with the Laundries Welfare Order, 1920, and to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks, 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 or such workers as may be necessary to prevent hardship.

Whitehall,
12th December, 1934.

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 running-on in the Full Fashioned Silk Department at the Hosiery Factory of The Co-operative Wholesale Society Limited, Huthwaite, Notts, 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, messroom accommodation and washing facilities shall be provided.

Whitehall,
13th December, 1934.

Downing Street,
22nd November, 1934.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Sir William Henry Clark, K.C.S.I., K.C.M.G., to be His Majesty's High Commissioner for Basutoland, the Bechuanaland Protectorate, and Swaziland.

Downing Street,
10th December, 1934.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Brigadier-General the Honourable Sir Alexander Gore Arkwright Hore-Ruthven, V.C., K.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O., to be Governor of the State of New South Wales and its Dependencies in the Commonwealth of Australia.

Downing Street,
8th December, 1934.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Wilfrid Murray Wigley, Esq., O.B.E. (Magistrate and Crown Attorney, St. Kitts-Nevis), to be Puisne Judge of the Leeward Islands.

IMPORT DUTIES ACT, 1932, AND FINANCE ACT, 1933.

Whereas it is provided by sub-section (1) of Section 9 of the Import Duties Act, 1932 (22 Geo. 5, ch. 8), that, with a view to obtaining information as to the condition and progress of trades and industries engaged in the manufacture in the United Kingdom of goods of a class or description which, if they were imported into the United Kingdom, would be chargeable with a duty of customs under Part I of that Act, the Board of Trade may, before the commencement of the year nineteen hundred and thirty-three and any subsequent year, publish in the Gazette notice that they will require returns in relation to that year in accordance with the provisions of the said section:

And whereas it is provided by sub-section (7) of Section 9 and by sub-section (2) of Section 20 of the Finance Act, 1933, that Section 9 of the Import Duties Act, 1932, shall have effect as if references to a duty of customs chargeable under Part I of that Act included references to a duty of customs chargeable under Section 9 of the Finance Act, 1933, a duty of customs chargeable under Section 3 of the Finance Act, 1925, and a duty of customs chargeable under the Safeguarding of Industries Act, 1921:

Now therefore the Board of Trade in exercise of the powers conferred on them by Section 9 of the Import Duties Act, 1932, as extended by Sections 9 and 20 of the Finance Act, 1933, hereby give notice that they will require returns in relation to the year 1935 to be delivered to them in accordance with the provisions of the first above-mentioned Section in respect of the manufacture in the United Kingdom of goods of any class or description which, if they were imported into the United Kingdom, would be chargeable with a duty of customs under any of the enactments following, namely:—

The Safeguarding of Industries Act, 1921;
The Finance Act, 1925, Section 3;
The Import Duties Act, 1932—Part I;
The Finance Act, 1933, Section 9.

Dated the eleventh day of December, 1934.

Walter Runciman.

RULES PUBLICATION ACT, 1893. UNEMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE ACT, 1934.

Notice is hereby given under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that it is proposed by the Unemployment Assistance Board after the expiry of at least forty days from this date in pursuance of the power conferred upon it by Section 52 (1) of the Unemployment Assistance Act, 1934, to make Rules with regard to the