

NEILSON; Roger Kjortsholtzen; 15, Hyndland Street, Glasgow.

RENE & JEANNE; Dieudonne Alfred Portmans; Ladies' Hairdresser; 68, High Street, Notting Hill Gate, W.11.

SEABOARD STEEL COMPANY OF GREAT BRITAIN; partners, Robert C. T. Heimann and John M. Heyman; Birmingham.

THE LEA VALLEY AZALEA NURSERY; Remy Sonnevile; Nurseryman; Windmill Lane, Cheshunt, Herts.

THE VIBRANOISE COMPANY; William Gerb; Manufacture of Anti-vibration Materials; 132, Western Road, Mitcham.

Home Office,  
Whitehall.

1st January, 1935.

*Downing Street,*

17th November, 1934.

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17th November, 1934.

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*Board of Trade,*

*Great George Street,  
London, S.W.1.*

2nd January, 1935.

#### MERCHANDISE MARKS ACT, 1926.

##### REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE.

##### *Flooring Blocks and Strips.*

With reference to the notices which were published in certain issues of the London, Edinburgh and Belfast Gazettes regarding references made by the Board of Trade to the Standing Committee under the Merchandise Marks Act, 1926, namely:—

(1) in the issue of the said Gazettes of the 27th April, 1934, in respect of the following classes and descriptions of imported goods:—

(a) Planed and tongued and grooved or planed and otherwise manufactured hardwood flooring blocks or strips;

(b) Hardwood parquet flooring in sections composed of blocks or strips glued or otherwise joined together.

(2) in the issue of the London Gazette of the 21st August, 1934, and in the Edinburgh

and Belfast Gazettes of the 24th August, 1934, in respect of the following classes and descriptions of imported goods:—

Planed and tongued and grooved, or planed and otherwise manufactured softwood flooring blocks,

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

The Report is being published and may be obtained shortly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Austral House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh 2; York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

*Board of Trade,*

*Mercantile Marine Department,  
Great George Street, S.W.1.*

2nd January, 1935.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice under the General Rules for Formal Investigations into Shipping Casualties and Appeals and Rehearings, 1923, that they have received during the Month of December, 1934, Reports of Formal Investigations, held by Courts in His Majesty's dominions, into the circumstances attending casualties to the following vessels:—

- (1) M.V. "Vypeen."
- (2) I.S.V. "Alice" and I.S.V. "Wind."
- (3) S.S. "Holmdene."
- (4) S.S. "Talana."
- (5) S.S. "Seven Seas Trader."
- (6) S.S. "Clan Mackay."
- (7) I.S.V. "Rajput" and a country boat.

GAS.

#### APPEAL PROCEDURE.

THE GAS (APPEAL PROCEDURE RULES), 1934, DATED 31ST DECEMBER, 1934, MADE BY THE BOARD OF TRADE UNDER SECTION 16 OF THE GAS REGULATION ACT, 1920, AND SECTION 28 OF THE GAS UNDERTAKINGS ACT, 1934.

The Board of Trade in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by Section 16 of the Gas Regulation Act, 1920, and Section 28 of the Gas Undertakings Act, 1934, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf hereby make the following Rules:—

1.—(1) These Rules may be cited as the Gas (Appeal Procedure Rules), 1934, and shall come into force on the first day of January, 1935.

(2) The Gas Regulation Act (Appeal Procedure Rules), 1922, are hereby revoked.

(3) The Interpretation Act, 1889, shall apply to the interpretation of these Rules as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. These Rules shall apply to all Appeals in pursuance of the provisions of Section 6 of