

Factory Department, Ministry of Labour and National Service,

28th December, 1940.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. J. R. Higson an appointment as Examining Surgeon under the Factories Act, 1937, for the District of Lewisham, in the County of London, is vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications, 14th January, 1941.

Factory Department, Ministry of Labour and National Service,

28th December, 1940.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. W. R. H. Pooler to be Examining Surgeon under the Factories Act, 1937, for the Wellington District of the County of Salop.

Downing Street,

24th December, 1940.

The KING has been pleased to appoint John Hathorn Hall, Esq., C.M.G., D.S.O., O.B.E., M.C., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony and Protectorate of Aden.

Downing Street,

30th November, 1940.

The KING has been pleased to confirm the appointment of Dahyabhai Kalyanbhai Patel, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Tanganyika Territory.

TRADING WITH THE ENEMY ACT, 1939,
AND DEFENCE (TRADING WITH THE
ENEMY) REGULATIONS, 1940.

An Order has been made by the Board of Trade appointing Herbert James Paterson as Controller of the undermentioned business in the place of William Henry Cork (Deceased) who was appointed Controller under the Winding-up Order made on 23rd August, 1940.

Mattia Locatelli, 12, Clerkenwell Green,
E.C.1. 31st December, 1940.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918, AND
TRADE BOARDS AND ROAD HAULAGE
WAGES (EMERGENCY PROVISIONS)
ACT, 1940.

FURNITURE MANUFACTURING TRADE BOARD
(GREAT BRITAIN).

*Proposal to fix and to vary minimum
rates of wages.*

The Furniture Manufacturing Trade Board (Great Britain) hereby give notice that they propose to fix minimum rates of wages for certain classes of workers and to vary certain of the minimum rates of wages at present effective and set out in the Notice F.M.(2).

Particulars of the proposals may be obtained on application to the Secretary of the Trade Board at the address given below.

The Trade Board will consider any objections to the above mentioned proposals which may be lodged with them within fifteen days from 3rd January, 1941. Any such objection should be

in writing, signed by the person making the same (adding his or her address) and sent to the Secretary, Furniture Manufacturing Trade Board, Gordon Hotel, Leicester Street, Southport, Lancashire. It is desirable that persons making objections should state the precise grounds of their objections.

G. H. Tregear,

Secretary.

2nd January, 1941.

*Amendments of Scheme approved on
24th December, 1940.*

COAL MINES ACT, 1930.

CENTRAL (COAL MINES) SCHEME, 1930.

Whereas by sub-section (5) of Section 1 of the Coal Mines Act, 1930, it is provided that any scheme may be amended with the approval of the Board of Trade in manner provided by the scheme;

And whereas in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by sub-section (4) of Section 2 of the said Act, the Board of Trade have made the Central (Coal Mines) Scheme (Amendment) Order, 1940, which provides that the Central (Coal Mines) Scheme, 1930, may be amended so as to provide for certain matters specified in the schedule thereto in addition to the matters mentioned in sub-sections (2) and (3) of Section 2 of the said Act;

And whereas the amendments of the said scheme set out in the schedule hereto have been submitted to the Board of Trade by the Central Council for approval:

Now therefore the Board of Trade, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by sub-section (5) of Section 1 of the said Act, hereby approve the amendments of the Central (Coal Mines) Scheme, 1930, set out in the schedule hereto and approve the first day of January, 1941, as the date on which the said amendments shall come into force.

Dated this twenty-fourth day of December, 1940.

D. R. Grenfell,

Secretary for Mines.

Board of Trade,
Mines Department,
Dean Stanley Street,
Millbank,
London, S.W.1.

SCHEDULE.

The Central (Coal Mines) Scheme, 1930, shall be amended by the insertion of the following clause, that is to say:—

(1) If the owner of any coal mine situated in Great Britain has on application made by him to the Council satisfied the Council that the production, supply or sale of coal from his undertaking during any impairment quarter which has commenced on a date subsequent to the 30th day of September, 1940, and prior to that on which either (a) the Emergency Powers (Defence) Act, 1939, as originally enacted or subsequently amended or extended shall expire, or (b) a period of twelve months after the termination of actual hostilities in every war which has commenced since the 2nd day of September, 1939, in which His Majesty may