changes are those relating to stability (Regulation 5), turning circle (7), electrical equipment (21), number and position of entrances and exits (26), height of emergency exits (28), doors (29), width and height of gangways (32 and 33), seats (35 to 38), guarding of transverse windows (39), wireless apparatus (48), luggage racks (49) and overall length (51). There are also special exemptions for omnibuses seating not more than 12 passengers in Regulations 8 (clearance), 11 (side overhang), 14 (steering), 17 (fuel tanks, carburettors, etc.), 32 (width of gangways), 33 (height of gangways), 35 and 36 (seats), 43 and 44 (drivers' accommodation) and 47 (passengers' communication with driver.)

The position of existing vehicles is safeguarded in Regulation 2.

1960. No. 92 [NC]

WAGES COUNCILS

Wages Regulation (Linen and Cotton Handkerchief and Household Goods and Linen Piece Goods)

ORDER, DATED 7TH JUNE, 1960, MADE BY THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND NATIONAL INSURANCE UNDER SECTION 10 OF THE WAGES COUNCILS ACT (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1945(a), TO GIVE EFFECT TO WAGES REGULATION PROPOSALS RECEIVED FROM THE LINEN AND COTTON HANDKERCHIEF AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND LINEN PIECE GOODS WAGES COUNCIL (NORTHERN IRELAND).

Citation

1. This Order may be cited as the Linen and Cotton Handkerchief and Household Goods and Linen Piece Goods Wages Regulation Order (Northern Ireland), 1960.

Commencement

2. The wages regulation proposals set out in the Schedule shall come into operation on the specified date and on the day immediately preceding that date the Linen and Cotton Handkerchief and Household Goods and Linen Piece Goods Wages Council (Northern Ireland) Wages Regulation Order, 1958(b), the Linen and Cotton Handkerchief and Household Goods and Linen Piece Goods Wages Regulation (Amendment) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland), 1959(c), and the Linen and Cotton Handkerchief and Household Goods and Linen Piece Goods Wages Regulation (Amendment) (No. 3) Order (Northern Ireland), 1959(d), shall cease to have effect.

Interpretation

3. In this Order the expression "the specified date" means the 17th day of June, 1960, provided that where, as respects any worker who is paid wages at intervals not exceeding seven days, that date does not correspond with the beginning of the period for which the wages are paid, the expression "the specified date" means, as respects that worker, the beginning of the next such period following that date.

(a) 1945. c. 21.
(b) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1958, No. 56.
(c) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1959, No. 67.
(d) S.R. & O. (N.I.) 1959, No. 194.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Ministry of Labour and National Insurance for Northern Ireland this 7th day of June, nineteen hundred and sixty.

(L.S.) *J. E. Greeves,*
Assistant Secretary.

SCHEDULE

The following minimum remuneration shall be substituted for the statutory minimum remuneration fixed by the Linen and Cotton Handkerchief and Household Goods and Linen Piece Goods Wages Council (Northern Ireland) Wages Regulation Order, 1958 (Order N.I.H.H.G. (151)) as amended by the Linen and Cotton Handkerchief and Household Goods and Linen Piece Goods Wages Regulation (Amendment) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland), 1959 (Order N.I.H.H.G. (157)) and the Linen and Cotton Handkerchief and Household Goods and Linen Piece Goods Wages Regulation (Amendment) (No. 3) Order (Northern Ireland), 1959 (Order N.I.H.H.G. (159)).

Statutory Minimum Remuneration

GENERAL MINIMUM TIME RATES

MALE WORKERS

	AREA A	AREA B
	The respective areas are defined in paragraph 28	
	Per hour	Per hour
Paragraph 1.		
Measurers and Samplemakers who have served an apprenticeship of five years	s. d. 3 11½	s. d. 3 8¾
Paragraph 2.		
Lappers who have served an apprenticeship of five years	3 10½	3 7¾
Paragraph 3.		
Apprentices to Lapping, Measuring and Samplemaking—		
During 1st year of apprenticeship	1 2¾	1 2
„ 2nd „ „ „	1 5¾	1 4¾
„ 3rd „ „ „	1 10¾	1 9½
„ 4th „ „ „	2 3½	2 2
„ 5th „ „ „	2 10¼	2 8½
Paragraph 4.		
Workers Operating Swiss Embroidery Machines—		
During 1st 6 months of such employment ..	1 7½	1 7½
„ 2nd „ „ „ „	2 3½	2 3½
Thereafter	3 5	3 5
Paragraph 5.		
Warehouse Assistants or Warehouse Clerks, who have served an apprenticeship of five years and who are wholly or mainly employed on warehousing operations, including clerical work incidental to or appertaining to such operations when performed by the same person	3 8	3 5½

	Area A		Area B	
	The respective areas are defined in paragraph 28			
Paragraph 6.	Per hour		Per hour	
	(a)	(b)	(a)	(b)
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
All Male Workers other than workers of the classes specified in paragraphs 1 to 5	—	1 4¼	—	1 3¼
Workers under 16 years of age ..	1 6½	1 5¾	1 5½	1 4¾
„ 16 and under 17 years of age	1 9¼	1 9	1 8	1 7½
„ 17 „ 18 „ ..	2 2½	2 0½	2 1	1 11
„ 18 „ 19 „ ..	2 8¼	2 5¼	2 6½	2 3¾
„ 19 „ 20 „ ..	2 10¾	2 8	2 8¾	2 6¼
„ 20 „ 21 „ ..	3 5	3 2½	3 3	3 0¾
„ 21 years of age and over ..				

Paragraph 7.

The statutory minimum remuneration set out under (a) in paragraph 6 applies to male workers who, within the preceding five years, have had not less than two years' employment in the trade and the statutory minimum remuneration set out under (b) therein applies to all other male workers included in that paragraph.

FEMALE WORKERS

Paragraph 8.

Female Workers other than Learners and other than workers of the classes specified in paragraphs 9 and 10—

2s. 2d. per hour

Paragraph 9.

Female Workers (including Clippers and Menders) assisting at Swiss Embroidery Machines—

2s. 4d. per hour

Paragraph 10.

Female Workers engaged on Stitching Machines (other than Swiss Embroidery Machines), Vice-Folding, or Hand Smoothing—

	Per hour s. d.
(a) Workers commencing employment in the trade at or over 18 years of age:—	
(i) During the first six months of employment	*1 9*
(ii) During subsequent employment on any of the above-mentioned operations	*2 2*
(b) Workers under 18 years of age:—	
(i) During the first six months of employment if commencing at—	
under 16 years of age	*1 6*
16 and under 18 years of age	*1 7½*
(ii) During subsequent employment on any of the above-mentioned operations	*2 2*

PROVIDED THAT—

(1) If a worker is transferred from one of such operations to another during the second six months of employment she must be paid during such second six months a general minimum time rate of *1s. 9d.* per hour and, thereafter, at the general minimum time rate of *2s. 2d.* per hour.

(2) A worker of the classes specified in paragraph 11 who is subsequently employed on Stitching Machines (other than Swiss Embroidery Machines), Vice-folding, or Hand Smoothing, must not, during the first six months on those operations, be paid at a lower general minimum time rate than that

which she would have been entitled to receive if she had continued to be employed on the operations to which the general minimum time rates set out in paragraph 11 are applicable.

The statutory minimum remuneration set out in this paragraph applies only to workers remunerated at time rates of wages. Learners or other juvenile workers may be employed alternatively on piece work in which case they must be paid the appropriate general minimum piece rate or, where no such general minimum piece rate has been fixed, a piece rate calculated to yield to an ordinary worker not less than the piece work basis time rate set out in paragraph 17.

Certificates of Learnership are not applicable to workers employed on the operations specified in this paragraph.

Paragraph 11.

Female Learners engaged at Swiss Embroidery Machines, Machine Smoothing and General Warehouse Work—

Period of Employment	Learners commencing at under 15 years of age	Learners commencing at 15 and under 18 years of age	Learners commencing at 18 years of age and over
	Col. 1	Col. 2	Col. 3
	Per hour		
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
During 1st six months of employment	1 3	1 4	1st 3 months 1 6
„ 2nd „ ..	1 4½	1 6	2nd „ 1 7½
„ 3rd „ ..	1 6	1 8	3rd „ 1 9
„ 4th „ ..	1 7½	1 10½	4th „ 1 10½
„ 5th „ ..	1 9	—	
„ 6th „ ..	1 10½	—	

ADVANCES TO LEARNERS

Paragraph 12.

The advances to be given to learners commencing at under 18 years of age take effect in respect of the first full pay period in January and July of each year, the learner being entitled to her first advance on the first day of the first full pay period in January or July, as the case may be, provided that she has been in the trade at least three months.

COMPLETION OF LEARNERSHIP

Paragraph 13.

A learner ceases to be a learner and becomes entitled to the full general minimum time rate applicable to a worker of her class upon the fulfilment of the appropriate conditions set out below:—

Age of entering employment	Conditions
Under 15 years of age ..	The completion of three years' employment.
15 and under 18 years of age ..	The completion of two years' employment.
18 years of age and over ..	The completion of one year's employment.

Provided that no learner who has left the trade during the period of learnership and subsequently re-enters the trade will, after re-entry, be required to serve a longer period as a learner than would be permissible in the case of a learner of the same age entering the trade for the first time.

CERTIFICATES OF LEARNERSHIP

Paragraph 14.

Application must be made to the Wages Council for a Certificate of Learnership in respect of every worker whom it is desired to employ, at the special lower

rate for learners, on the operations specified in paragraph 11 (which should be quoted in making application). Unless such Certificate has been obtained, or application made therefor, and the other conditions relating to learnership laid down by the Wages Council are complied with, the minimum rate payable in each case is the appropriate rate applicable to a worker other than a learner.

PIECE WORK BASIS TIME RATES

Male Workers

	Area A	Area B
	The respective areas are defined in paragraph 28	
Paragraph 15. Male Workers other than Lappers, Measurers, Sample Makers, Warehouse Assistants, or Warehouse Clerks, and Workers Operating Machines in the Swiss Embroidery Branch of the Trade ..	Per hour s. d. 3 5¼	Per hour s. d. 3 3¼
Paragraph 16. Male Workers Operating Swiss Embroidery Machines—		
(a) Workers employed on single machines having two or three tiers	3 8½	3 8½
(b) Workers employed on single machines having four tiers or on any coupled machines ..	3 10½	3 10½

Female Workers

	Per hour s. d.
Paragraph 17. Female Workers other than Out-Workers	*2 4*
Paragraph 18. Female Out-Workers	*2 4*

Applicability of Piece Work Basis Time Rates

Paragraph 19.

In the case of workers employed on piece work, each piece rate paid must be such as will yield, in the circumstances of the case, to an ordinary worker, at least the same amount of money as the appropriate piece work basis time rate. In determining whether any piece rate satisfies this condition, regard will be had only to the earnings of ordinary workers, i.e., workers of ordinary skill and experience in the class of work in question and not to the earnings of workers of less than ordinary skill and experience, e.g., juvenile and infirm workers.

Provided that in determining any piece rate to be paid to out-workers, the rate payable will be at least the same amount of money as the appropriate piece rate applicable to that class of work in the factory from which the goods are given out.

Employment of Juvenile Workers on Piece Work

Paragraph 20.

An employer will, in any case where a learner or other juvenile worker is employed on piece work during the first six months of his employment in the trade, be deemed to pay remuneration at less than the statutory minimum remuneration unless he shows that such worker has received, in respect of his employment on piece work in each week during that period, at least the same amount of money as such worker would have been entitled to receive if employed on time work.

An employer will, in any case where any such worker is so employed at any time subsequent to the first six months of his employment in the trade, be deemed to pay remuneration at less than the statutory minimum remuneration unless he shows that such worker has, in respect of his employment on piece

work, been paid at piece rates each of which would yield, in the circumstances of the case, to an ordinary worker (not being a juvenile worker) at least the same amount of money as the appropriate piece work basis time rate.

GENERAL MINIMUM PIECE RATES

Paragraph 21. FEMALE WORKERS OF ALL AGES

HANDKERCHIEFS

A.—STITCHING (and preparatory operations)

(1) VICE-FOLDING

		d.	
6″ up to and including	8½″	41	per 10 dozen
9″ „ „	11½″	48⅛	„ „
12″ „ „	14½″	55¼	„ „
15″ „ „	18½″	62⅞	„ „
19″ „ „	22″	70	„ „
22½″ „ „	24½″	77	„ „
25″ and over	.. ..	84⅛	„ „
⅛″ hems	.. ..	11⅜	per 10 doz. extra
1/16″ hems up to 16″	.. ..	92⅜	per 10 dozen
„ over 16″	.. ..	116¼	„ „

(2) PUNCH HEMSTITCHING ON SINGER MACHINES 71W3—

(a) White or Dyed COTTON HANDKERCHIEFS including Gingham-finished Zephyrs

For finished sizes in ⅜″ or wider hems

Finished Size		Number of Stitches per inch				
		12	14	16	18	20
		Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs				
Over	but not over	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
10″	10½″ ..	60⅜	68¼	77	85½	93¾
10½″	11″ ..	63¾	70¼	79⅛	87⅝	96¼
11″	11½″ ..	65⅛	72⅜	81⅛	89⅝	99⅝
11½″	12″ ..	67¼	75¼	83⅞	92¾	102⅝
12″	12½″ ..	69⅞	79⅛	87	95½	106¾
12½″	13″ ..	73⅜	81⅛	91⅛	99⅝	110½
13″	13½″ ..	75¼	83½	94	104¼	114¼
13½″	14″ ..	78¾	86¼	96¼	107⅛	118⅝
14″	14½″ ..	81⅛	90⅛	98⅝	110½	122¾
14½″	15″ ..	83¼	92⅛	100⅞	113½	126½
15″	15½″ ..	85½	94	105	117⅜	129¼
15½″	16″ ..	89⅝	98⅞	109⅞	119⅝	133
16″	16½″ ..	92⅛	102⅝	114	122½	136⅛
16½″	17″ ..	93¾	105⅜	116¼	128⅛	139¾
17″	17½″ ..	96¼	107⅛	120⅜	131¼	143⅞
17½″	18″ ..	98⅞	109⅜	122¾	134¾	147⅝
18″	18½″ ..	100⅝	111½	126⅞	137⅞	150¾
18½″	19″ ..	102⅝	115	128⅞	141¼	154⅞
19″	19½″ ..	105⅜	118⅝	131	143½	159½
19½″	20″ ..	107⅜	121¾	133¾	148	162
20″	20½″ ..	109⅜	124¾	137⅝	150¼	165⅜
20½″	21″ ..	111⅞	127⅞	140⅛	154⅛	169½
21″	21½″ ..	114¼	129⅞	143½	156⅞	173⅝
21½″	22″ ..	116⅝	131	146⅜	160½	178⅜
22″	22½″ ..	119⅜	134⅜	148⅝	164	182¾
22½″	23″ ..	121⅜	136⅛	150⅜	165⅜	184⅞
23″	23½″ ..	123½	138⅛	152½	168½	186½

EXTRAS:—

Punch Hemstitchers as above are entitled to the following rates in addition to the rates set out in the above table when stitching:—

	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs d.
(i) Printed Cotton Handkerchiefs, White and Coloured Corded Handkerchiefs, White or Dyed Mercerised and Mull Handkerchiefs	$3\frac{5}{8}$
(ii) All other Mercerised Cotton and Mull Handkerchiefs	$6\frac{5}{8}$
(iii) $\frac{1}{4}$″ and $\frac{3}{16}$″ hems	$3\frac{5}{8}$
(iv) $\frac{1}{8}$″ hems	$6\frac{5}{8}$
(v) $\frac{1}{16}$″ hems, 4 entries into machine	$9\frac{5}{8}$

"Mull" is a cloth made with yarns finer than 80/80

(b) White or Dyed LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS

For finished sizes in $\frac{3}{8}$″ or wider hems

Finished Size		Number of Stitches per inch				
		12	14	16	18	20
		Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs				
Over	but not over	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
10″	$10\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$63\frac{3}{4}$	$71\frac{5}{8}$	$80\frac{3}{8}$	$90\frac{1}{8}$	$98\frac{5}{8}$
$10\frac{1}{2}$″	11″ ..	$66\frac{1}{2}$	74	$83\frac{1}{2}$	$92\frac{1}{8}$	102
11″	$11\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$68\frac{3}{8}$	$76\frac{1}{2}$	86	94	105
$11\frac{1}{2}$″	12″ ..	$70\frac{5}{8}$	$79\frac{1}{8}$	89	$97\frac{7}{8}$	$108\frac{3}{8}$
12″	$12\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$73\frac{3}{8}$	$83\frac{1}{2}$	$92\frac{1}{8}$	$100\frac{5}{8}$	$111\frac{7}{8}$
$12\frac{1}{2}$″	13″ ..	$77\frac{3}{4}$	86	$95\frac{1}{2}$	105	$116\frac{1}{4}$
13″	$13\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$79\frac{1}{8}$	$87\frac{5}{8}$	$98\frac{5}{8}$	$109\frac{3}{8}$	$120\frac{3}{4}$
$13\frac{1}{2}$″	14″ ..	$82\frac{7}{8}$	$91\frac{1}{8}$	102	$112\frac{7}{8}$	$124\frac{3}{4}$
14″	$14\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$85\frac{1}{2}$	94	103	$116\frac{1}{4}$	$129\frac{1}{4}$
$14\frac{1}{2}$″	15″ ..	$87\frac{1}{4}$	$97\frac{1}{8}$	$106\frac{3}{8}$	$119\frac{3}{8}$	$133\frac{1}{4}$
15″	$15\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$90\frac{1}{8}$	$99\frac{5}{8}$	$109\frac{7}{8}$	$123\frac{1}{2}$	$135\frac{3}{8}$
$15\frac{1}{2}$″	16″ ..	94	$104\frac{3}{4}$	$116\frac{1}{4}$	$125\frac{7}{8}$	$139\frac{1}{8}$
16″	$16\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$96\frac{1}{4}$	$108\frac{3}{8}$	$120\frac{3}{8}$	$129\frac{1}{4}$	$142\frac{7}{8}$
$16\frac{1}{2}$″	17″ ..	$98\frac{5}{8}$	$110\frac{1}{2}$	122	$134\frac{3}{8}$	$147\frac{3}{8}$
17″	$17\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	102	$113\frac{1}{4}$	$126\frac{7}{8}$	$138\frac{3}{8}$	$150\frac{3}{4}$
$17\frac{1}{2}$″	18″ ..	104	$115\frac{1}{4}$	$129\frac{7}{8}$	$141\frac{3}{4}$	$155\frac{1}{8}$
18″	$18\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$105\frac{3}{4}$	$117\frac{5}{8}$	$133\frac{3}{4}$	$145\frac{1}{4}$	$158\frac{1}{4}$
$18\frac{1}{2}$″	19″ ..	$108\frac{3}{8}$	121	$135\frac{3}{8}$	$148\frac{3}{8}$	$162\frac{5}{8}$
19″	$19\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$110\frac{1}{2}$	$124\frac{3}{4}$	$138\frac{1}{8}$	$150\frac{3}{4}$	$167\frac{3}{4}$
$19\frac{1}{2}$″	20″ ..	$113\frac{1}{4}$	$128\frac{5}{8}$	$141\frac{1}{4}$	$155\frac{1}{8}$	$170\frac{1}{4}$
20″	$20\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$115\frac{5}{8}$	$130\frac{5}{8}$	$144\frac{1}{4}$	$158\frac{1}{4}$	$173\frac{7}{8}$
$20\frac{1}{2}$″	21″ ..	$117\frac{5}{8}$	$134\frac{3}{8}$	148	$161\frac{3}{4}$	$178\frac{1}{4}$
21″	$21\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$120\frac{3}{8}$	$137\frac{1}{8}$	$151\frac{3}{4}$	$165\frac{3}{8}$	$182\frac{3}{4}$
$21\frac{1}{2}$″	22″ ..	$122\frac{1}{2}$	$138\frac{1}{8}$	$154\frac{1}{8}$	$168\frac{1}{2}$	$187\frac{1}{2}$
22″	$22\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$125\frac{1}{2}$	$141\frac{3}{4}$	$156\frac{5}{8}$	$172\frac{1}{4}$	192
$22\frac{1}{2}$″	23″ ..	$128\frac{1}{8}$	$142\frac{7}{8}$	$158\frac{5}{8}$	$173\frac{7}{8}$	$194\frac{1}{8}$
23″	$23\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$129\frac{7}{8}$	$145\frac{5}{8}$	$161\frac{1}{4}$	177	$196\frac{1}{8}$

EXTRAS:—

Punch Hemstitchers as above are entitled to the following rates in addition to the rates set out in the above table when stitching:—

	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs
(i) Roller Printed Linen Handkerchiefs	3d.
(ii) Hand Block Printed Linen Handkerchiefs	6d.
(iii) Hand Block Printed Linen Handkerchiefs requiring to be matched at outside of hem	18d. (in lieu of 6d. as shown in (ii))
(iv) $\frac{1}{4}$" and $\frac{3}{16}$" hems	$3\frac{5}{8}$d.
(v) $\frac{1}{8}$" hems	$6\frac{5}{8}$d.
(vi) $\frac{1}{16}$" hems, 4 entries into machine	$9\frac{5}{8}$d.

(3) PUNCH HEMSTITCHING ON SINGER MACHINES 118W4 of White or Dyed COTTON HANDKERCHIEFS

For finished sizes in $\frac{3}{8}$" or wider hems

Finished Size		Number of Stitches per inch				
		12	14	16	18	20
		Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs				
Over	but not over	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
10"	$10\frac{1}{2}$" ..	$51\frac{3}{8}$	$57\frac{5}{8}$	$65\frac{1}{8}$	$72\frac{3}{8}$	$79\frac{1}{8}$
$10\frac{1}{2}$"	11" ..	$53\frac{7}{8}$	$59\frac{5}{8}$	$67\frac{1}{2}$	$74\frac{1}{4}$	$82\frac{1}{2}$
11"	$11\frac{1}{2}$" ..	$55\frac{1}{2}$	$61\frac{5}{8}$	$69\frac{5}{8}$	76	$85\frac{1}{4}$
$11\frac{1}{2}$"	12" ..	$57\frac{1}{4}$	$64\frac{1}{8}$	$71\frac{7}{8}$	$79\frac{1}{8}$	$87\frac{5}{8}$
12"	$12\frac{1}{2}$" ..	$59\frac{3}{8}$	$67\frac{1}{4}$	$74\frac{1}{4}$	$81\frac{1}{8}$	$90\frac{5}{8}$
$12\frac{1}{2}$"	13" ..	$62\frac{3}{8}$	$69\frac{1}{4}$	$77\frac{3}{8}$	$85\frac{1}{4}$	94
13"	$13\frac{1}{2}$" ..	$64\frac{1}{8}$	$70\frac{7}{8}$	$79\frac{3}{8}$	89	$97\frac{7}{8}$
$13\frac{1}{2}$"	14" ..	$66\frac{1}{2}$	$73\frac{3}{8}$	$82\frac{1}{2}$	$91\frac{1}{8}$	$100\frac{7}{8}$
14"	$14\frac{1}{2}$" ..	$68\frac{7}{8}$	76	$83\frac{1}{2}$	94	105
$14\frac{1}{2}$"	15" ..	$70\frac{5}{8}$	$78\frac{3}{8}$	86	$96\frac{7}{8}$	$107\frac{3}{8}$
15"	$15\frac{1}{2}$" ..	$72\frac{3}{8}$	$80\frac{3}{8}$	89	$99\frac{7}{8}$	$109\frac{3}{8}$
$15\frac{1}{2}$"	16" ..	76	$83\frac{7}{8}$	$93\frac{3}{4}$	$101\frac{1}{4}$	$112\frac{7}{8}$
16"	$16\frac{1}{2}$" ..	$78\frac{3}{8}$	$87\frac{1}{4}$	$96\frac{1}{4}$	105	$115\frac{5}{8}$
$16\frac{1}{2}$"	17" ..	$79\frac{1}{8}$	$89\frac{5}{8}$	$98\frac{5}{8}$	$108\frac{7}{8}$	$119\frac{3}{8}$
17"	$17\frac{1}{2}$" ..	$81\frac{7}{8}$	$91\frac{3}{8}$	$102\frac{1}{4}$	$112\frac{1}{4}$	$122\frac{1}{2}$
$17\frac{1}{2}$"	18" ..	$83\frac{7}{8}$	$93\frac{1}{2}$	105	$114\frac{1}{4}$	$125\frac{7}{8}$
18"	$18\frac{1}{2}$" ..	86	$94\frac{3}{4}$	$107\frac{3}{4}$	$117\frac{3}{8}$	$128\frac{1}{8}$
$18\frac{1}{2}$"	19" ..	$87\frac{1}{4}$	$97\frac{7}{8}$	$109\frac{1}{8}$	$120\frac{3}{8}$	131
19"	$19\frac{1}{2}$" ..	$89\frac{5}{8}$	$100\frac{7}{8}$	$111\frac{7}{8}$	$122\frac{1}{2}$	$135\frac{3}{8}$
$19\frac{1}{2}$"	20" ..	$91\frac{3}{8}$	103	$113\frac{1}{2}$	$125\frac{7}{8}$	$137\frac{7}{8}$
20"	$20\frac{1}{2}$" ..	$93\frac{1}{2}$	$106\frac{3}{8}$	$116\frac{5}{8}$	$127\frac{7}{8}$	$141\frac{1}{4}$
$20\frac{1}{2}$"	21" ..	$95\frac{1}{4}$	$108\frac{7}{8}$	$119\frac{3}{8}$	$130\frac{5}{8}$	$143\frac{7}{8}$
21"	$21\frac{1}{2}$" ..	$97\frac{1}{8}$	$110\frac{1}{2}$	$122\frac{1}{2}$	$133\frac{3}{4}$	148
$21\frac{1}{2}$"	22" ..	$99\frac{1}{8}$	$111\frac{7}{8}$	$124\frac{1}{2}$	$136\frac{1}{8}$	$151\frac{3}{4}$
22"	$22\frac{1}{2}$" ..	$100\frac{7}{8}$	$114\frac{1}{4}$	$126\frac{1}{8}$	$138\frac{7}{8}$	$155\frac{1}{8}$
$22\frac{1}{2}$"	23" ..	103	$115\frac{5}{8}$	$128\frac{5}{8}$	$141\frac{1}{4}$	$157\frac{1}{8}$
23"	$23\frac{1}{2}$" ..	105	$117\frac{3}{8}$	$129\frac{7}{8}$	$142\frac{7}{8}$	$158\frac{7}{8}$

EXTRAS:—
Punch Hemstitchers as above are entitled to the following rates in addition to the rates set out in the above table when stitching:—

	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs
	d.
(i) Printed Cotton Handkerchiefs, White or Coloured Corded Handkerchiefs, White or Dyed Mercerised and Mull Handkerchiefs	$3\frac{5}{8}$
(ii) All Other Mercerised Cotton and Mull Handkerchiefs	$6\frac{5}{8}$
(iii) $\frac{1}{4}$″ and $\frac{3}{16}$″ hems	$3\frac{5}{8}$
(iv) $\frac{1}{8}$″ hems	$6\frac{5}{8}$
(v) $\frac{1}{16}$″ hems, 4 entries into machine	$9\frac{5}{8}$

Mull is cloth made with yarns finer than 80/80

(4) PUNCH HEMSTITCHING ON SINGER MACHINES 118W4 of White or Dyed LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS

For finished sizes in $\frac{3}{8}$″ or wider hems

Finished Size		Number of Stitches per inch				
		12	14	16	18	20
		Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs				
Over	but not over	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
10″	$10\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$54\frac{1}{2}$	$61\frac{3}{8}$	$68\frac{1}{2}$	$76\frac{1}{2}$	$83\frac{1}{2}$
$10\frac{1}{2}$″	11″ ..	$57\frac{1}{4}$	$63\frac{7}{8}$	$70\frac{5}{8}$	$78\frac{3}{4}$	$86\frac{5}{8}$
11″	$11\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	58	$65\frac{1}{8}$	$72\frac{5}{8}$	$79\frac{3}{8}$	$89\frac{5}{8}$
$11\frac{1}{2}$″	12″ ..	60	$67\frac{1}{2}$	$75\frac{1}{4}$	$83\frac{1}{4}$	$91\frac{3}{4}$
12″	$12\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$62\frac{3}{8}$	$70\frac{5}{8}$	$78\frac{1}{8}$	$85\frac{1}{2}$	$95\frac{1}{4}$
$12\frac{1}{2}$″	13″ ..	$65\frac{3}{4}$	$72\frac{5}{8}$	$81\frac{1}{2}$	$89\frac{5}{8}$	$98\frac{7}{8}$
13″	$13\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$67\frac{1}{2}$	$74\frac{1}{4}$	$83\frac{7}{8}$	$93\frac{3}{4}$	$102\frac{5}{8}$
$13\frac{1}{2}$″	14″ ..	$70\frac{5}{8}$	$77\frac{3}{8}$	$86\frac{5}{8}$	$95\frac{3}{4}$	$106\frac{3}{4}$
14″	$14\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$72\frac{3}{8}$	$80\frac{1}{8}$	$87\frac{1}{4}$	$98\frac{7}{8}$	$109\frac{7}{8}$
$14\frac{1}{2}$″	15″ ..	$74\frac{1}{4}$	$82\frac{7}{8}$	$90\frac{3}{8}$	$101\frac{1}{4}$	$113\frac{1}{4}$
15″	$15\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	77	85	$93\frac{3}{4}$	105	$115\frac{5}{8}$
$15\frac{1}{2}$″	16″ ..	$79\frac{3}{8}$	88	$98\frac{7}{8}$	$107\frac{1}{8}$	$118\frac{5}{8}$
16″	$16\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$82\frac{1}{2}$	$92\frac{1}{8}$	102	$109\frac{7}{8}$	$121\frac{3}{4}$
$16\frac{1}{2}$″	17″ ..	$83\frac{1}{2}$	94	$103\frac{3}{4}$	$114\frac{1}{4}$	$125\frac{1}{2}$
17″	$17\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$86\frac{5}{8}$	$95\frac{3}{4}$	$107\frac{3}{8}$	$118\frac{3}{8}$	$128\frac{5}{8}$
$17\frac{1}{2}$″	18″ ..	88	$98\frac{5}{8}$	$110\frac{1}{2}$	$120\frac{3}{4}$	$132\frac{3}{4}$
18″	$18\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$90\frac{3}{8}$	$99\frac{7}{8}$	$113\frac{1}{2}$	122	$134\frac{3}{4}$
$18\frac{1}{2}$″	19″ ..	$91\frac{3}{4}$	$102\frac{5}{8}$	115	$126\frac{1}{8}$	$138\frac{1}{8}$
19″	$19\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$94\frac{1}{2}$	$106\frac{3}{8}$	$117\frac{5}{8}$	$128\frac{7}{8}$	$142\frac{1}{2}$
$19\frac{1}{2}$″	20″ ..	$95\frac{3}{4}$	$109\frac{1}{8}$	$119\frac{5}{8}$	$132\frac{3}{4}$	$145\frac{1}{4}$
20″	$20\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$98\frac{5}{8}$	$111\frac{7}{8}$	$122\frac{1}{2}$	$134\frac{3}{4}$	$148\frac{3}{8}$
$20\frac{1}{2}$″	21″ ..	$100\frac{1}{4}$	$114\frac{1}{4}$	$125\frac{7}{8}$	$137\frac{7}{8}$	$151\frac{3}{4}$
21″	$21\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$102\frac{5}{8}$	116	$129\frac{1}{4}$	$141\frac{1}{4}$	$155\frac{7}{8}$
$21\frac{1}{2}$″	22″ ..	$104\frac{3}{4}$	$117\frac{5}{8}$	$130\frac{5}{8}$	$143\frac{1}{4}$	$159\frac{1}{2}$
22″	$22\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$106\frac{3}{4}$	$120\frac{3}{8}$	$133\frac{1}{4}$	$145\frac{7}{8}$	164
$22\frac{1}{2}$″	23″ ..	$108\frac{1}{8}$	$121\frac{3}{4}$	$134\frac{3}{4}$	$148\frac{3}{8}$	$165\frac{3}{8}$
23″	$23\frac{1}{2}$″ ..	$110\frac{1}{2}$	$124\frac{1}{8}$	$137\frac{1}{8}$	$150\frac{3}{4}$	$167\frac{3}{8}$

EXTRAS:—
Punch Hemstitchers as above are entitled to the following rates in addition to the rates set out in the above table when stitching:—

	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs
(i) Roller Printed Linen Handkerchiefs	3d.
(ii) Hand Block Printed Linen Handkerchiefs ..	6d.
(iii) Hand Block Printed Linen Handkerchiefs requiring to be matched at outside of hem	18d. (in lieu of 6d. as shown in (ii))
(iv) $\frac{1}{4}$" and $\frac{3}{16}$" hems	$3\frac{5}{8}$d.
(v) $\frac{1}{8}$" hems	$6\frac{5}{8}$d.
(vi) $\frac{1}{16}$" hems, 4 entries into machine	$9\frac{5}{8}$d.

(5) PUNCH HEMSTITCHING ON SINGER 71W3 and 118W4 MACHINES OF HANDKERCHIEFS ON TWO SIDES ONLY

The general minimum piece rates payable for Punch Hemstitching on Singer 71W3 and 118W4 Machines of handkerchiefs on two sides only (the remaining sides having already been sewn on automatic machines) are 50 per cent. of the appropriate general minimum piece rates for the punch hemstitching of handkerchiefs on four sides and IN ADDITION $3\frac{5}{8}$d. per 10 dozen handkerchiefs.

(6) PUNCH HEMSTITCHING $\frac{1}{16}$" HEMS

Any cloth, by the process of five entries into the machine

Cloth Size	Number of Stitches per Inch				
	14	15	16	17	18
	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs				
and under	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
9" 10" ..	$86\frac{5}{8}$	$92\frac{3}{4}$	$94\frac{1}{2}$	$104\frac{3}{4}$	$108\frac{3}{8}$
10" 11" ..	$94\frac{1}{2}$	$100\frac{5}{8}$	$104\frac{3}{4}$	$112\frac{1}{4}$	116
11" 12" ..	$100\frac{5}{8}$	$108\frac{3}{8}$	$112\frac{1}{4}$	$120\frac{3}{8}$	$129\frac{7}{8}$
12" 13" ..	$108\frac{3}{8}$	$112\frac{1}{4}$	$120\frac{3}{8}$	$129\frac{7}{8}$	$137\frac{7}{8}$
13" 14" ..	$112\frac{1}{4}$	$120\frac{3}{8}$	$129\frac{7}{8}$	$137\frac{7}{8}$	$145\frac{5}{8}$
14" 15" ..	$120\frac{3}{8}$	$129\frac{7}{8}$	$137\frac{7}{8}$	$145\frac{5}{8}$	$153\frac{1}{2}$
15" 16" ..	$124\frac{1}{8}$	134	$141\frac{3}{4}$	$149\frac{3}{4}$	$161\frac{3}{4}$
16" 17" ..	$129\frac{7}{8}$	$141\frac{3}{4}$	$149\frac{3}{4}$	$157\frac{5}{8}$	$169\frac{1}{2}$
17" 18" ..	$137\frac{7}{8}$	$145\frac{5}{8}$	$157\frac{5}{8}$	$165\frac{3}{8}$	$179\frac{1}{4}$
18" 19" ..	$141\frac{3}{4}$	$153\frac{1}{2}$	$165\frac{3}{8}$	$175\frac{5}{8}$	$187\frac{1}{4}$
19" 20" ..	$149\frac{3}{4}$	$161\frac{3}{4}$	$169\frac{1}{2}$	$183\frac{3}{8}$	$194\frac{5}{8}$

(7) SHIRE HEMSTITCHING

Cloth Size		Number of Stitches per Inch					
		14	16	18	20	22	24
		Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs					
	and under	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
8″	9″ ..	72¼	79⅝	83½	95	103	115¼
9″	10″ ..	76¾	83¼	91¼	103	115¼	127⅛
10″	11″ ..	85⅜	91½	99¼	111	122⅞	134⅞
11″	12″ ..	89¼	99½	111	122⅞	134⅞	146⅜
12″	13″ ..	97⅞	107¾	118¾	131	146⅜	158⅝
13″	14″ ..	101¾	116¼	127⅛	138¼	154⅜	170⅛
14″	15″ ..	110½	124½	134⅞	150⅝	166⅝	182¼
15″	16″ ..	115¼	128⅝	142⅞	158⅝	174¼	189⅝
16″	17″ ..	119	137⅛	150⅝	166⅝	186⅛	202
17″	18″ ..	127¾	145¾	158⅝	174¼	193¼	213¾
18″	19″ .	131⅝	153⅞	166⅝	186⅛	205¾	225⅝
19″	20″ ..	140¼	157½	174	193¼	213¾	237¾
20″	21″ ..	144¾	166¼	182¼	202	225⅝	245½
21″	22″ ..	153⅜	174⅝	189⅝	209⅝	234⅛	257¾
22″	23″ ..	157¼	183	198⅜	221¾	245⅝	269⅜
23″	24″ ..	165⅜	187⅛	205¾	229½	253⅝	281⅛
24″	25″ ..	170⅛	195½	213¾	237¾	265¾	293½
25″	26″ ..	178⅜	203⅝	221¾	249¾	273⅛	301⅛
26″	27″ ..	182¾	211⅞	229¾	257¾	285⅜	312¾

EXTRAS:—

Shire Hemstitchers are entitled to the following rates in addition to the rates set out in the above table when stitching:—

⅛″ hems .. .. .. 8¾d. per 10 dozen Handerchiefs
1/16″ hems .. .. .. 17⅛d. „ „ „

(8) ORDINARY NARROW HEMMING ON WILCOX AND GIBBS MACHINE

⅛″ hem, handkerchief hemmed on 3 sides 12 stitches to the inch

Rough Cloth Size	Up to 14″	Over 14″ not over 17½″	Over 17½″ not over 21″	Over 21″ not over 24″
	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs			
	23⅜d.	25⅝d.	31⅜d.	33¾d.

When handkerchiefs are hemmed on four sides, 6⅞d. extra per 10 dozen handkerchiefs is payable.

(9) SPECIAL NARROW HEMMING ON WILCOX and GIBBS and SINGER HIGHSPEED (95K10, 95K40, 95K60, and 95-10) MACHINES

Linen and Cotton Handkerchiefs. All classes.
1/16″ hems, handkerchiefs hemmed on four sides. Cloth to be cut, torn and prepared for worker.

Cloth Size	Number of Stitches per Inch				
	up to and including 12	14	16	18	20 and upwards
	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs				
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Up to and including 13″	31⅜	34⅝	38¼	42	47¼
Over 13″ not over 15″	36	39⅞	44¼	48⅞	54¼
,, 15″ ,, ,, 17″	40¾	45	50⅜	55¼	61¼
,, 17″ ,, ,, 19″	45⅝	50⅜	56⅛	61⅝	68⅛
,, 19″ ,, ,, 21″	50⅜	55½	62⅜	68⅜	76⅛
,, 21″ ,, ,, 23″	55¼	61	68⅛	74¾	83¼
,, 23″ ,, ,, 25″	59⅜	66½	73⅞	81⅛	90½
,, 25″ ,, ,, 27″	63⅞	71½	79⅝	87⅜	97⅝

(10) SPECIAL NARROW HEMMING ON SINGER BULLDOG MACHINE.

Linen and Cotton Handkerchiefs. All classes.
$\frac{1}{16}$″ hems, handkerchiefs hemmed on four sides. Cloth to be cut, torn and prepared for worker.

Cloth Size	Number of Stitches per Inch				
	Up to and including 12	14	16	18	20 and upwards
	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs				
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Up to and including 13″	37⅞	41¾	45⅞	50⅜	56½
Over 13″ not over 15″	43⅛	47⅞	53¼	58½	65⅛
,, 15″ ,, ,, 17″	48⅞	53⅞	60⅜	66⅛	73⅝
,, 17″ ,, ,, 19″	54⅝	60⅜	67⅜	73⅞	81⅝
,, 19″ ,, ,, 21″	60⅜	66¾	74¾	82⅛	91¼
,, 21″ ,, ,, 23″	66⅛	73⅛	81⅝	89⅞	99¾
,, 23″ ,, ,, 25″	71¼	79⅝	88½	97⅝	108½
,, 25″ ,, ,, 27″	76¾	86	95⅜	104⅝	117⅛

(11) OVERLOCKING

Rough Cloth Size	Straight Edge			Scalloped Edge
	Stitches 18/22	23/27	28/32	
	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs			
	d.	d.	d.	d.
Up to 14″	31⅜	33¾	39¼	46½
Over 14″ not over 17½″	39¼	46½	54⅝	Nickelling by Machine 5⅛*d.*
Over 17½″ not over 21″	46½	54⅝	62⅜	

(12) IMITATION REVERING

Inside row on single cloth measuring over 10″ and not over 12″, 63⅞*d.* per 10 dozen handkerchiefs.

Fancy shapes to be calculated at the rate of 4⅛*d.* per 10 yards of revering. In addition, for each separate bar, shape or turn on handkerchiefs, 3⅝d. per 10 dozen is payable.

(13) PUNCH SPOKE STITCHING ON OTHER THAN SINGER HIGH SPEED MACHINE No. 119W2

Spoked hems, ⅜″ or wider

Finished Size		Stitches			
		12	14	16	18
		Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs			
Over	not over	d.	d.	d.	d.
7″	8″ ..	73⅞	78⅜	86⅝	92⅜
8″	9″ ..	78⅞	83½	91¾	101⅜
9″	10″ ..	83¼	90⅛	98⅝	103⅝
10″	11″ ..	85⅜	94⅜	102½	107½
11″	12″ ..	92⅛	102½	113¼	124¼
12″	13″ ..	99¼	113¼	129¾	141¼
13″	14″ ..	106⅝	121¾	137⅜	153⅞
14″	15″ ..	115½	129¾	145⅜	159⅛
15″	16″ ..	123⅞	137⅛	156	168¾
16″	17″ ..	131⅝	145⅜	164⅝	179¾
17″	18″ ..	140⅝	156	172⅝	187¾
18″	19″ ..	149½	164⅝	180¾	195½

In addition to the rates set out in above table, the following rates are payable:—

$\frac{1}{16}$″ hems—

(a) where hems are spoked in one operation on machines fitted with an automatic folder or "curler"—$9\frac{7}{8}$d. per 10 dozen.

(b) where hems are previously prepared either by vice-folding or plain hemming machine—$18\frac{1}{4}$d. per 10 dozen.

	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs
	d.
$\frac{1}{8}$″ hems— if sewn through an automatic folder	$6\frac{5}{8}$
$\frac{1}{4}$″ or $\frac{3}{16}$″ hems— if sewn through an automatic folder	$3\frac{5}{8}$
Mercerised cotton or mull handkerchiefs	$6\frac{5}{8}$

(14) PUNCH SPOKE STITCHING ON SINGER HIGHSPEED MACHINE No. 119W2

Spoked hems, $\frac{3}{8}$″ or wider

Finished Size		Stitches			
		12	14	16	18
		Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs			
Over	not over	d.	d.	d.	d.
7″	8″ ..	$64\frac{1}{4}$	$67\frac{5}{8}$	$74\frac{3}{4}$	80
8″	9″ ..	$68\frac{1}{8}$	$72\frac{1}{4}$	$78\frac{7}{8}$	$87\frac{3}{8}$
9″	10″ ..	$71\frac{1}{2}$	$77\frac{3}{4}$	$84\frac{1}{8}$	89
10″	11″ ..	$72\frac{7}{8}$	$80\frac{1}{4}$	$87\frac{3}{8}$	$91\frac{3}{4}$
11″	12″ ..	$78\frac{5}{8}$	$87\frac{3}{8}$	$96\frac{1}{4}$	$105\frac{7}{8}$
12″	13″ ..	$84\frac{3}{8}$	$96\frac{1}{4}$	$110\frac{1}{2}$	$120\frac{3}{8}$
13″	14″ ..	$90\frac{1}{2}$	$103\frac{3}{8}$	$116\frac{7}{8}$	$130\frac{5}{8}$
14″	15″ ..	$98\frac{5}{8}$	$110\frac{1}{2}$	$123\frac{5}{8}$	$135\frac{1}{2}$
15″	16″ ..	$105\frac{5}{8}$	$116\frac{7}{8}$	133	$143\frac{3}{4}$
16″	17″ ..	$112\frac{1}{8}$	$123\frac{5}{8}$	$140\frac{1}{4}$	$153\frac{1}{8}$
17″	18″ ..	$119\frac{3}{4}$	133	147	$159\frac{7}{8}$
18″	19″ ..	$127\frac{1}{2}$	$140\frac{1}{4}$	$153\frac{7}{8}$	$166\frac{1}{4}$

In addition to the rates set out in above table, the following rates are payable:—

$\frac{1}{16}$″ hems—

(a) where hems are spoked in one operation on machines fitted with an automatic folder or "curler"—$9\frac{7}{8}$d. per 10 dozen.

(b) where hems are previously prepared either by vice-folding or plain hemming machine—$18\frac{1}{4}$d. per 10 dozen.

	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs
	d.
$\frac{1}{8}$″ hems— if sewn through an automatic folder	$6\frac{5}{8}$
$\frac{1}{4}$″ or $\frac{3}{16}$″ hems— if sewn through an automatic folder	$3\frac{5}{8}$
Mercerised cotton or mull handkerchiefs	$6\frac{5}{8}$

(15) SHIRE SPOKE STITCHING ON OTHER THAN SINGER HIGH-SPEED MACHINE No. 119W2

Spoked hems, $\frac{1}{8}$" or wider, any cloth

Finished Size		Stitches			
		12	14	16	18
		Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs			
Over	not over	d.	d.	d.	d.
7"	8" ..	$65\frac{3}{4}$	70	$78\frac{3}{8}$	$84\frac{3}{8}$
8"	9" ..	$73\frac{5}{8}$	$78\frac{3}{8}$	$86\frac{3}{8}$	96
9"	10" ..	$78\frac{5}{8}$	$86\frac{3}{8}$	$94\frac{1}{8}$	$99\frac{3}{4}$
10"	11" ..	$85\frac{3}{8}$	$94\frac{5}{8}$	$102\frac{1}{2}$	$107\frac{1}{2}$
11"	12" ..	$92\frac{1}{8}$	$102\frac{1}{2}$	$113\frac{1}{4}$	$124\frac{1}{4}$
12"	13" ..	$99\frac{1}{4}$	$113\frac{1}{4}$	$129\frac{3}{4}$	$141\frac{1}{4}$
13"	14" ..	$106\frac{5}{8}$	$121\frac{1}{4}$	$137\frac{1}{8}$	$153\frac{7}{8}$
14"	15" ..	$115\frac{1}{2}$	$129\frac{3}{4}$	$145\frac{1}{8}$	$159\frac{1}{8}$
15"	16" ..	$123\frac{7}{8}$	$137\frac{3}{8}$	156	$169\frac{1}{4}$
16"	17" ..	$131\frac{5}{8}$	$145\frac{3}{8}$	$164\frac{5}{8}$	$179\frac{3}{4}$
17"	18" ..	$140\frac{5}{8}$	156	$172\frac{5}{8}$	$187\frac{3}{4}$
18"	19" ..	$149\frac{1}{2}$	$164\frac{5}{8}$	$180\frac{3}{4}$	$195\frac{1}{2}$

$\frac{1}{16}$" hems, any cloth—$18\frac{1}{4}$d. per 10 dozen is payable in addition to the rates set out in above table.

(16) SHIRE SPOKE STITCHING ON SINGER HIGH-SPEED MACHINE No. 119W2

Spoked hems, $\frac{1}{8}$" or wider, any cloth

Finished Size		Stitches			
		12	14	16	18
		Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs			
Over	not over	d.	d.	d.	d.
7"	8" ..	$55\frac{7}{8}$	$59\frac{5}{8}$	$66\frac{3}{4}$	72
8"	9" ..	$62\frac{5}{8}$	$66\frac{3}{4}$	$73\frac{5}{8}$	$81\frac{7}{8}$
9"	10" ..	$67\frac{3}{8}$	$73\frac{5}{8}$	$80\frac{1}{4}$	$85\frac{1}{8}$
10"	11" ..	$72\frac{7}{8}$	$80\frac{1}{4}$	$87\frac{3}{8}$	$91\frac{3}{4}$
11"	12" ..	$78\frac{5}{8}$	$87\frac{3}{8}$	$96\frac{1}{4}$	$105\frac{7}{8}$
12"	13" ..	$84\frac{3}{8}$	$96\frac{1}{4}$	$110\frac{1}{2}$	$120\frac{3}{8}$
13"	14" ..	$90\frac{1}{2}$	$103\frac{3}{8}$	$116\frac{7}{8}$	$130\frac{5}{8}$
14"	15" ..	$98\frac{5}{8}$	$110\frac{1}{2}$	$123\frac{5}{8}$	$135\frac{1}{2}$
15"	16" ..	$105\frac{5}{8}$	$116\frac{7}{8}$	133	$143\frac{3}{4}$
16"	17" ..	$112\frac{1}{8}$	$123\frac{5}{8}$	$140\frac{1}{4}$	$153\frac{1}{8}$
17"	18" ..	$119\frac{3}{4}$	133	147	$159\frac{7}{8}$
18"	19" ..	$127\frac{1}{2}$	$140\frac{1}{4}$	$153\frac{7}{8}$	$166\frac{1}{4}$

$\frac{1}{16}$" hems, any cloth—$18\frac{1}{4}$d. per 10 dozen is payable in addition to the rates set out in above table.

(17) EXTRAS payable in addition to the rates set out in sub-paragraphs (13) to (16) for INSIDE ROWS AND FANCY DESIGNS of PUNCH or SHIRE SPOKE STITCHING

(i) Inside Rows

(a) Turned and through inside rows should be calculated at the piece rates specified in the tables set out in sub-paragraphs (13) and (14) for $\frac{3}{8}$" or wider hems, and in sub-paragraphs (15) and (16) for $\frac{1}{8}$" or wider hems, according to the measurements of spoking.

(b) Broken or stopped inside rows should be calculated in the same manner as turned and through rows, but, in addition, $3\frac{1}{8}$d. per 10 dozen handkerchiefs is payable for each point in spoking where threads have to be clipped on both sides of handkerchief.

In the case of all inside rows where the spoking is sewn on four sides of handkerchief the relevant size in the table is one quarter of the total measurement of spoking on inside row.

Where rows of spoke on each side of handkerchief are even in length but are sewn on only one, two or three sides, a proportionate rate (i.e., $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$ or $\frac{3}{4}$ (as the case may be) of the rate fixed for the relevant size in the table) is payable.

Where rows of spoke on sides of handkerchief vary in length and are sewn only on one, two or three sides, measurements should not be averaged, but each side should be taken separately for the purpose of ascertaining the proportionate rate payable.

A proportionate rate is payable only when each straight run of spoking measures not less than six inches, and when the definitions (a), (b) and (c) below are applicable either singly or in combination.

(ii) Fancy Designs

Fancy Designs of spoking are to be calculated at the rate of $7\frac{1}{4}$d. per 10 yards of spoking. In addition, $7\frac{1}{4}$d. per 10 dozen handkerchiefs is payable for each point in spoking, where threads have to be clipped on both sides or at edge of handkerchief, and $4\frac{3}{4}$d. per 10 dozen handkerchiefs for each stop and turn where design is not broken.

Where a fancy design is attached to an inside row by a "stop and turn" join, the fancy design "Extra" becomes payable at this point, i.e., the stop and turn "Extra" of $4\frac{3}{4}$d. per 10 dozen handkerchiefs, but no "Extra" is payable at this point for what would otherwise have been paid as a break in spoking.

DEFINITIONS

For the purposes of the application of the "Extras" set out in sub-paragraph (17), the following definitions apply:—

(a) TURNED ROW:

A row of spoking is "turned" when at any point it is continued at right angles without a break and each straight run of spoking measures not less than 6 inches and is sewn parallel to the hem.

(b) THROUGH ROW:

A row of spoking is "through" when it is commenced at outside edge of handkerchief and sewn through to outside edge of handkerchief on opposite side.

(c) BROKEN OR STOPPED ROW:

A row of spoking inside handkerchief is "broken" or "stopped" where the continuity of the row is incomplete round the handkerchief, the spoking being discontinued at one or more points, provided that there shall not be more than eight points where threads have to be clipped on both sides of handkerchief.

(d) FANCY DESIGNS:

Any design of spoking inside handkerchief which is not provided for in sub-paragraph (17) (i) is a "Fancy Design" and is payable as such.

CALCULATION OF FINISHED SIZES OF HANDKERCHIEFS

The finished sizes of handkerchiefs should be calculated as follows:— For $\frac{1}{4}$" or narrower hems—deduct from the cloth size four times the width of hem. For $\frac{3}{8}$" or wider hems—deduct from the cloth size twice the width of hem, plus $\frac{1}{2}$" for turn in.

(18) MACHINE TOP SEWING or OVERSEAMING

	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs d.
Up to $\frac{1}{2}$"	*16*$\frac{1}{4}$
Over $\frac{1}{2}$" to 1"	*19*$\frac{7}{8}$
Over 1"	*23*$\frac{3}{8}$

If corner turned in by Overseamer, 12$\frac{1}{4}$d. per 10 dozen extra.

(19) LACE STITCHING ON LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS

Finished Sizes exceeding 10", but not exceeding 12$\frac{1}{2}$", 16 stitches to the inch.

Attaching Lace Edging to hem with Singer Zig-Zag Machine:—

Pleats in each corner ..	1	2	3
Total Pleats on handkerchief ..	4	8	12
	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs		
	78$\frac{7}{8}$*d.*	*93*$\frac{3}{4}$*d.*	*111d.*

Attaching Lace Edging to hem or raw edge cloth with hemstitching machine:—

Pleats in each corner ..	1	2	3	4	5	6
Total Pleats on handkerchief	4	8	12	16	20	24
	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs					
	86$\frac{3}{8}$*d.*	*103*$\frac{5}{8}$*d.*	*118*$\frac{1}{2}$*d.*	*133*$\frac{1}{2}$*d.*	*150*$\frac{5}{8}$*d.*	*165*$\frac{3}{8}$*d.*

Stitching of Fancy or Mitred Lace Edges to be paid at above rates. In addition 6$\frac{7}{8}$d. per 10 dozen handkerchiefs is payable for each mitre on handkerchief, and 4$\frac{1}{2}$d. per 10 dozen handkerchiefs is payable for each additional pleat on handkerchief.

(20) STRAIGHT ROWS OF LACE INSERTION

Measurement of side							
over	5"	6"	7"	8"	9"	10"	11"
not over	6"	7"	8"	9"	10"	11"	12"
	Per 10 dozen handkerchiefs						
	124$\frac{1}{2}$*d.*	*132*$\frac{1}{4}$*d.*	*140*$\frac{1}{4}$*d.*	*150*$\frac{5}{8}$*d.*	*158*$\frac{5}{8}$*d.*	*166*$\frac{1}{4}$*d.*	*174d.*

Straps, Bars and Fancy Shapes of insertion to be calculated at the rate of *12*$\frac{1}{2}$d. per 10 yards of insertion.

In addition, 6$\frac{7}{8}$d. per 10 dozen handkerchiefs is payable for each separate piece, bar, or shape on handkerchief, and 4$\frac{1}{2}$d. per 10 dozen handkerchiefs is payable for each separate stop or turn on handkerchief where stitching crosses the insertion.

	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs	
	1 Corner d.	4 Corners d.
Inserting triangular motif, stitched one side only ..	*15*$\frac{1}{8}$	*67*$\frac{3}{8}$
Inserting triangular motif, stitched three sides ..	*25*$\frac{5}{8}$	*98*$\frac{5}{8}$
Inserting square motif, stiched two sides only ..	*20*$\frac{7}{8}$	*83*$\frac{1}{4}$
Inserting square motif, stitched four sides ..	*33*$\frac{3}{4}$	*132*$\frac{1}{4}$

B.—SMOOTHING

(1) HAND DRY SMOOTHING

Men's (i.e., over 17$\frac{1}{2}$" cloth size) Prints. *15*$\frac{1}{8}$d. per 10 dozen handkerchiefs.

(2) HAND DAMP SMOOTHING

The Cloth size of handkerchiefs to be calculated as follows:—

For $\frac{1}{4}''$ or narrower hems—add to finished size four times the width of the hem.

For $\frac{3}{8}''$ or wider hems—add to finished size twice the width of the hems, plus $\frac{1}{2}''$.

Cloth Size	Ladies' Sizes: Up to 13″	Ladies' Sizes: Over 13″ not over 17½″	Men's Sizes: Over 17½″ not over 21″	Men's Sizes: Over 21″ not over 23″	Over 23″
	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs				
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Ordinary Cotton, Fine Cotton, Mull and Bordered Handkerchiefs	14⅛	17⅝	28¼	35¼	42⅜
Printed Cottons and Printed Mulls	17⅝	21⅛	31⅞	38¾	45⅞
Linen Handkerchiefs and Initials	21⅛	24¾	35¼	42⅜	49½

EMBROIDERED AND FANCY HANDKERCHIEFS

	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs d.
Embroidery, Fancy Stitching, or Insertion, in one corner	21⅛
Spoking or Fancy Stitching all round	28¼
Embroidery or Insertion all round	31⅞

LACE TRIMMED HANDKERCHIEFS

	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs d.
Plain or Printed with straight Lace Edge	21⅛
One Corner Embroidered	24¾
Plain or One Corner Embroidered, with Spoking or Fancy Stitching all round and straight Lace Edge	28¼
Embroidery or Insertion all round and straight Lace Edge	35¼

Embroidery in Four Corners to be paid at the same rate as all round Embroidery.

EXTRAS:—

	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs d.
If lace is Mitred in One Corner	3
„ „ „ Four Corners or all round	6

(3) HAND SMOOTHING WASHED GOODS WHICH ARE STRETCHED AND PREPARED FOR SMOOTHING

Cloth Size	Up to 11½″	Over 11½″ not over 13″	Over 13″ not over 15″	Over 15″ not over 17″	Over 17″ not over 19″	Over 19″ not over 21″	Over 21″ not over 23″	Over 23″ not over 25″	Over 25″
	Per 10 dozen Handkerchiefs								
Plain Border and Printed—	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Linen	36⅝	42⅜	48⅞	54¼	63½	72⅞	81⅞	100⅛	118¾
Cotton	36⅝	45⅞	51⅝	63½	72⅞	84¾	99½	127¾	145⅜
Initials and one Corner Embroidery—									
Linen	45¼	50¾	50¾	56½	64⅞	73⅝	84¼	101¾	118¾
Cotton	45¼	50¾	53⅝	64⅞	73⅝	84¾	101¼	130	147

All round or four Corner Embroidery—

Linen	50¾	56½	56½	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cotton	50¾	56½	56½	—	—	—	—	—	—

If handkerchiefs are not stretched and prepared for smoothers after coming from wringer or extractor, 2⅜d. extra per 10 dozen is payable for all sizes.

If handkerchiefs are embroidered on raw edge cloth, 2⅜d. less per 10 dozen is payable.

(4) MACHINE DRY SMOOTHING—FEEDERS ONLY

	Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs One run through machine
	d.
Sizes up to 13″	24⅜
Over 13″ up to 17½″	27
„ 17½″ „ 21″	30¾
„ 21″ „ 23″	33½
„ 23″	38½

(5) MACHINE DAMP SMOOTHING—FEEDERS ONLY

Work damped before given to smoothers

	Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs One run through machine
All classes of handkerchiefs	d.
Sizes up to 13″	30¾
Over 13″ up to 17½″	34⅝
„ 17½″ „ 21″	41
„ 21″ „ 23″	46¼
„ 23″	51⅜

If two runs through machine, second run to be paid at Machine Dry Smoothing rate.

For 80″ and 108″ machines the rates set out in this paragraph should be increased by 20 per cent.

C.—GENERAL WAREHOUSE WORK

(1) HOOKING

	Cottons. Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs	Mulls and Linens Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs
Splitting and Hooking only—	d.	d.
Up to 16½″	16¾	19¼
Over 16½″ up to 20″	18⅝	21⅞
„ 20″	23⅛	24⅜
Nicking and Tearing Off—		
Up to 16½″	19⅞	24⅜
Over 16½″ up to 20″	23⅛	28¼
„ 20″	25⅝	32⅛

(2) CUTTING AND TEARING PRINTS AND WOVEN CORDS INTO SINGLE HANDKERCHIEFS

	Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs
	d.
Ordinary Cotton Roller Prints and Cords, Ladies' Sizes (i.e., up to 17½″ Cloth Size)	32⅜
Ordinary Cotton Roller Prints and Cords, Men's Sizes (i.e., over 17½″ Cloth Size)	43⅜

If cloth cannot be torn lengthways, and each handkerchief has to be cut out singly, 19¼d. extra per 100 dozen handkerchiefs is payable.

	Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs
	d.
Roller Printed Mulls, Block Prints and Printed Linens, Ladies' Sizes (cut singly)	55⅞
Roller Printed Mulls, Block Prints and Printed Linens, Men's Sizes (cut singly)	65⅛

The above rates are payable exclusive of the operation of Paring.

(3) CREASING HANDKERCHIEFS

Creasing handkerchiefs with iron after being smoothed—*46⅞*d. per 100 dozen handkerchiefs.

(4) BOXFOLDING

Ordinary Plain and Printed Cottons, Printed Mercerised and Bordered Cottons and Mulls, Dry or Damp Smoothed; Plain and Printed Linens and Washed Cottons; Initials and Embroidered Handkerchiefs.

	Ladies' Sizes (up to 17½" cloth size) Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs d.	Men's Sizes (over 17½" cloth size) Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs d.
Quarter fold, that is handkerchiefs folded in four	*50⅜*	*63¼*
Small and oblong folds to mark, oblong folds in 3 operations, i.e., 3 folds	*75⅜*	*88¼*
Square fold, 11"×11", etc., in 2 operations, i.e., 2 folds, when creased by smoother	*95*	*108⅞*
Oblong folds in more than 3 operations or square fold in more than 2 operations	*80¼*	*94¾*
Men's handkerchiefs, folds smaller than 5¾×5¾	—	*104*

EXTRAS:—

	Ladies' Sizes Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs	Men's Sizes Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs
When handkerchiefs for square fold are not creased by smoother the following extras are payable	9⅞d.	12⅝d.

Hemmed Bordered Handkerchiefs:—

	Cotton Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs d.	Linen Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs d.
Large oblong folds, 13"×5½", etc	*91¾*	*102¾*
Small folds, 7½"×3½", 8"×4", etc	*102¾*	*113¼*

(5) BUNDLE FOLDING IN DOZENS OR TWO DOZENS

	Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs
Where the worker is required to examine each handkerchief separately over a dark surface before placing it in bundle	*20⅝d.*

(6) MAKING-UP AND TYING

	Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs
Bundle fold in 5 or 10 dozens, tied with two tapes or cords	*10¼d.*

(7) BUNDLE FOLDING IN DOZENS OR TWO DOZENS AND MAKING-UP AND TYING IN 5 OR 10 DOZENS TIED WITH TWO TAPES OR CORDS

	Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs
Where the handkerchiefs are placed directly into bundle without an intermediate process of examination over a dark surface, and the operations of folding, making-up and tying are done by the same worker	*21¾d.*

(8) PRESSING

	Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs d.
Plain and Ordinary Cotton Prints	*31⅛*
Initials Embroidery and Fine Prints	*37⅞*

(9) MAKING-UP

	Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs		
	Dozens	½ Dozens	¼ Dozens
Plain or Printed Cottons or Linens, Initials, Embroidery and lace, etc. ..	*19⅞d.*	*23½d.*	*26d.*

EXTRAS:—

Clipping loose threads on Fancy Handkerchiefs .. .. 7¼d. per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs

Putting in Tissues (Fancy Handkerchiefs) .. .. .. 7¼d. per 100 Tissues

Clipping Corners on Washed Shire Hemstitched Handkerchiefs:—

One Corner .. .. .. 7¼d. per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs

Four Corners .. .. 28¾d. „ „ „

(10) TYING WITH RIBBON OR TINSEL

	Per 100 Packets or Tyings
	d.
One Band, knotted	*10¼*
One Band, with bow	*12⅞*
Two Bands, both knotted	*19¼*
Two Bands, one knotted, one with bow ..	*20⅝*
Two Bands, with two bows	*23⅛*
Cross tied with one bow	*19¼*
Cross tied with one bow, sizes over 7″×7″ square fold	*20⅝*

(11) BANDING WITH PAPER BANDS

One Band	*10¼d.* per 100 packets or bandings
Two Bands	*19¼d.* „ „ „

(12) PINNING HANDKERCHIEFS ON CARDS

	Per 100 cards
	d.
One handkerchief on each card	*9⅞*
Two handkerchiefs „ „	*17⅜*
Three „ „ „	*26*
Four „ „ „	*32¾*
Six „ „ „	*50¾*

(13) TICKETING

	Per 100 dozen Handkerchiefs		
	Dozens	½ Dozens	¼ Dozens
	d.	d.	d.
One Ticket or Label attached ..	*3*	*6⅛*	*12⅛*
Two Tickets or Labels attached ..	*6⅛*	*12⅛*	*24⅛*
Three Tickets or Labels attached ..	*9⅜*	*17¼*	*36*

(14) BOXING, PARCELLING AND LABELLING (INCLUDING TICKETING WITH ONE TICKET)

	Boxed not Papered	Boxed and Papered	Boxed and in Shells
	Per 100 dozen handkerchiefs		
	d.	d.	d.
Boxes of 5 dozen	*12⅞*	*16*	—
„ 1 „	—	*26*	*22¼*
„ ½ „	—	*44⅝*	*38¾*
„ ¼ „	—	*89*	*76¾*

For Initial Handkerchiefs, 2¾d. extra per 100 dozen is payable.

	Ladies' Sizes Per 100 dozen	Men's Sizes Handkerchiefs
	d.	d.
Square fold, papered in 10 dozens (no boxes)	$12\frac{7}{8}$	$14\frac{3}{4}$
Square fold, papered in 5 dozens (no boxes)	$14\frac{3}{4}$	16
Bundle fold, papered in 10 or 12 dozens (no boxes)	8	$9\frac{7}{8}$
Bundle fold, put in Shells, not papered ..	$6\frac{3}{4}$	$6\frac{3}{4}$

Paragraph 22.

FANCY LINENS

A.—VICE-FOLDING AND MACHINE STITCHING

Finished Size or Description	Vice Folding Thread Drawn Work	Punch Hem Stitching	Punch Spoke Stitching	Shire Spoke Stitching	Plain Scalloping	
			12 stitches per inch		Round	Square
	Per dozen Articles					
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
6×6″	$4\frac{1}{2}$	$3\frac{3}{4}$	5	7	6	$6\frac{1}{2}$
8×8″	$4\frac{1}{2}$	$4\frac{1}{2}$	6	$7\frac{3}{4}$	$6\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{3}{4}$
9×9″	$4\frac{1}{2}$	$4\frac{1}{2}$	6	$8\frac{1}{4}$	$7\frac{3}{4}$	$8\frac{1}{4}$
10×10″	$4\frac{1}{2}$	5	7	9	$8\frac{1}{4}$	9
12×12″	5	5	$8\frac{1}{4}$	$11\frac{1}{2}$	$9\frac{3}{4}$	11
14×14″	5	5	9	$12\frac{1}{4}$	$10\frac{1}{4}$	$14\frac{1}{4}$
15×15″	5	5	9	$12\frac{1}{4}$	$10\frac{1}{4}$	$14\frac{1}{4}$
16×16″	$6\frac{1}{2}$	$6\frac{1}{2}$	$9\frac{3}{4}$	$12\frac{3}{4}$	11	$15\frac{1}{2}$
18×18″	$6\frac{1}{2}$	7	$11\frac{1}{2}$	$14\frac{3}{4}$	$13\frac{1}{4}$	18
20×20″	$6\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{3}{4}$	$12\frac{3}{4}$	$15\frac{1}{2}$	$14\frac{3}{4}$	$19\frac{1}{4}$
22×22″	$6\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{3}{4}$	$14\frac{1}{4}$	$16\frac{1}{2}$	16	$21\frac{1}{4}$
24×24″	7	9	$15\frac{1}{2}$	$18\frac{3}{4}$	18	$22\frac{1}{2}$
27×27″	7	$10\frac{1}{4}$	$16\frac{1}{2}$	$20\frac{1}{2}$	$19\frac{1}{4}$	$25\frac{3}{4}$
30×30″	$7\frac{3}{4}$	$11\frac{1}{2}$	$18\frac{3}{4}$	23	22	29
32×32″	$9\frac{3}{4}$	$12\frac{3}{4}$	$19\frac{3}{4}$	$24\frac{1}{4}$	23	$30\frac{3}{4}$
36×36″	$10\frac{1}{4}$	$14\frac{1}{4}$	$22\frac{1}{2}$	27	27	$33\frac{1}{2}$
40×40″	$11\frac{1}{2}$	$15\frac{1}{2}$	$25\frac{3}{4}$	$30\frac{3}{4}$	$29\frac{1}{2}$	$37\frac{1}{4}$
45×45″	$12\frac{1}{4}$	18	$28\frac{1}{4}$	34	32	$42\frac{1}{4}$
54×54″	$14\frac{1}{4}$	$21\frac{1}{4}$	34	$41\frac{1}{4}$	$38\frac{1}{2}$	$51\frac{1}{4}$
63×63″	$17\frac{1}{2}$	$25\frac{3}{4}$	$39\frac{3}{4}$	$48\frac{1}{4}$	$46\frac{1}{4}$	$60\frac{1}{2}$
72×72″	$21\frac{1}{4}$	$28\frac{1}{4}$	45	54	54	$69\frac{1}{4}$
7×9″	$4\frac{1}{2}$	$4\frac{1}{2}$	6	$7\frac{3}{4}$	$6\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{3}{4}$
9×14″	$4\frac{1}{2}$	5	$8\frac{1}{4}$	$11\frac{1}{2}$	$9\frac{3}{4}$	11
12×16″	5	6	9	$12\frac{3}{4}$	11	$12\frac{3}{4}$
14×18″	5	7	$9\frac{3}{4}$	$13\frac{1}{4}$	$11\frac{1}{2}$	$14\frac{3}{4}$
14×20″	$6\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{3}{4}$	$11\frac{1}{2}$	$14\frac{3}{4}$	$13\frac{1}{4}$	16
16×24″	$6\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{3}{4}$	$13\frac{1}{2}$	$15\frac{1}{2}$	$14\frac{3}{4}$	$19\frac{1}{4}$
18×27″	7	9	$14\frac{3}{4}$	$16\frac{1}{2}$	16	$21\frac{1}{4}$
20×30″	7	$9\frac{3}{4}$	$15\frac{1}{2}$	$18\frac{3}{4}$	18	23
22×32″	7	$10\frac{1}{4}$	$16\frac{1}{2}$	$20\frac{1}{2}$	$19\frac{1}{4}$	$25\frac{3}{4}$
24×34″	$7\frac{3}{4}$	$11\frac{1}{2}$	$18\frac{3}{4}$	23	22	27
25×40″	$9\frac{3}{4}$	$12\frac{3}{4}$	$19\frac{3}{4}$	$24\frac{1}{4}$	23	$29\frac{1}{2}$
27×45″	$10\frac{1}{4}$	$14\frac{1}{4}$	$22\frac{1}{2}$	27	27	$34\frac{3}{4}$
27×54″	$11\frac{1}{2}$	$15\frac{1}{2}$	$25\frac{3}{4}$	$30\frac{3}{4}$	$29\frac{1}{2}$	$38\frac{1}{2}$
27×60″	$12\frac{1}{4}$	18	$28\frac{1}{4}$	34	32	$41\frac{1}{4}$
9×36″	$6\frac{1}{2}$	$8\frac{1}{4}$	$14\frac{1}{4}$	$16\frac{1}{2}$	16	$21\frac{1}{4}$
10×42″	7	$10\frac{1}{4}$	$16\frac{1}{2}$	$20\frac{1}{2}$	$19\frac{1}{4}$	$25\frac{3}{4}$

Finished Size or Description	Vice Folding Thread Drawn Work	Punch Hem Stitching	Punch Spoke Stitching	Shire Spoke Stitching	Plain Scalloping	
			12 stitches per inch		Round	Square
	Per dozen Articles					
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
12×45″	7¾	11½	18¾	23	22	27½
14×54″	9¾	12¾	21¼	25¾	24¼	29½
14×60″	10¼	14¼	22½	27½	27	34¾
15×68″	11½	15½	25¾	30¾	29½	38½
16×72″	11½	18	28¼	34	32	41¼
16×90″	14¼	20½	34	41¼	38½	51¼
18×36″	7¾	10¼	16½	20½	19¼	25¾
18×45″	9¾	12¾	19¾	24¼	22½	29½
17×50″	9¾	12¾	21¼	25¼	23¾	32
18×54″	10¼	13¼	22	27	27	34¾
18×63″	11½	15½	25¾	30¾	29½	41¼
18×72″	12¼	18	28¼	34	32	42¼
N.D. Cases ..	6½	7¾	11½	14¼	10¼	12¾
Pyjama Cases ..	6½	7¾	14¾	16½	12¾	15½
Cosy Covers ..	3¾	3¾	6½	7¾	11½	—
Pram Covers with Flap						
Canopy Covers, 35×50″ ..	11½	18	28¼	34	32	41¼
Sheets, 72″ ..	11½	16½	25¾	34	31½	39¾
„ 80″ ..	8¼	7¾	12¼	13½	—	20½
„ 90″ ..	8¼	7¾	14¼	16	—	23
„ 100″ ..	9¾	9	15½	20½	—	25¾
„ 108″ ..	10¼	10¼	16½	24¼	—	30¾
Spreads, 72×90″ ..	12¾	10¼	18¾	27½	—	35¾
„ 72×100″ ..	15½	30¾	56½	61	—	77
„ 80×100″ ..	15½	33½	61	64¾	—	77
„ 90×100″ ..	15½	35¾	62¼	70	—	84¾
„ 90×108″ ..	15½	38½	63¾	74¼	—	92½
„ 100×108″ ..	16½	41¼	66	80¾	—	92½
Bag Tops, 20×40″, 1 half end ..	18¾	46¼	68	86¾	—	107¾
Bag Tops, 20×40″, 1 whole end ..	3¾	—	4½	6	—	6
Bag Tops, 20×80″, 2 half ends ..	4½	—	8¼	10¼	—	11½
Bag Tops, 20×80″, 2 whole ends ..	7	—	8¼	10¼	—	11½
Bag Tops, 22½×36″, 1 whole end ..	8¼	—	16½	21¼	—	23
Bag Tops, 22½×80″, 2 whole ends ..	4½	—	8¼	10¼	—	11½
Bag Tops, 25×36″, 1 whole end ..	8¼	—	16½	21¼	—	23
Bag Tops, 25×80″, 2 whole ends ..	4½	—	9	11½	—	14¼
	8¼	—	18¾	22½	—	28¼
	Per 100 yards					
Frilling	—	17¼	23	—	—	—

In the case of workers operating the Singer Highspeed Spoking Machine, No. 119W2. the general minimum piece rates for Shire Spoke Stitching of Fancy Linens are the appropriate piece rates set out above less 15 per cent.

When Punch Spoke and Shire Spoke Stitching are sewn at over 12 stitches per inch, 10 per cent. extra is payable.

For Vice-Folding French Corners, 1¼d. extra for 4 Corners per dozen articles is payable.

BIAS OR FRENCH CORNERS

Making of Bias or French Corners where articles have been vice-folded previous to the process of cornering, but corners have not been shaped by the vice-folder

	Per dozen Articles d.
Hems up to 1″	5
Hems over 1″ but under 2″	6½
Hems 2″ and over	7¾

In cases where Bias or French corners are made in any manner other than that specified, the piece rates paid must be such as will yield, in the circumstances of the case, to an ordinary worker, at least the same amount of money as the piece work basis time rate applicable.

EXTRAS payable in addition to the rates set out in this sub-paragraph for INSIDE ROWS AND FANCY DESIGNS of PUNCH OR SHIRE SPOKE STITCHING

(i) Inside Rows

(a) Turned and through inside rows to be calculated at the piece rates specified in the table set out in this sub-paragraph according to the measurements of spoking.

(b) Broken or stopped inside rows to be calculated in the same manner as turned and through rows, but, in addition, 3⅝d. per 10 dozen articles is payable for each point in spoking where threads have to be clipped on both sides.

In the case of all inside rows where the spoking is sewn on four sides the relevant size in the table shall be one quarter of the total measurement of spoking on inside row.

Where rows of spoke on each side are even in length but are sewn on only one, two or three sides, a proportionate rate (i.e., ¼, ½ or ¾ (as the case may be) of the rate fixed for the relevant size in the table) is payable.

Where rows of spoke on sides of article vary in length and are sewn only on one, two or three sides, measurements should not be averaged, but each side should be taken separately for the purpose of ascertaining the proportionate rate payable.

A proportionate rate is payable only when each straight run of spoking measures not less than six inches, and when the definitions (a), (b) and (c) below are applicable either singly or in combination.

(ii) Fancy Designs

Fancy Designs of Spoking to be calculated at the rate of 7¼d. per 10 yards of spoking. In addition, 7¼d. per 10 dozen articles is payable for each point in spoking, where threads have to be clipped on both sides or at edge of article, and 4¾d. per 10 dozen articles for each stop and turn where design is not broken.

Where a fancy design is attached to an inside row by a "stop and turn" join, the fancy design "Extra" becomes payable at this point, i.e., the stop and turn "Extra" of 4¾d. per 10 dozen articles, but no "Extra" is payable at this point for what would otherwise have been paid as a break in spoking.

DEFINITIONS

For the purpose of the application of the "Extras" the following definitions apply:—

(a) TURNED ROW:
A row of spoking is "turned" when at any point it is continued at right angles without a break and each straight run of spoking measures not less than 6 inches and is sewn parallel to the hem.

(b) THROUGH ROW:
A row of spoking is "through" when it is commenced at outside edge of article and sewn through to outside edge on opposite side.

(c) BROKEN OR STOPPED ROW:
A row of spoking inside article is "broken" or "stopped" where the continuity of the row is incomplete round the article, the spoking being discontinued at one or more points, provided that there shall not be more than eight points where threads have to be clipped on both sides of article.

(d) FANCY DESIGNS:
Any design of spoking inside article which is not provided for in (i) above is a "Fancy Design" and is payable as such.

B.—MAKING-UP

(1) PLAIN SEWING

Pillow Cases, plain

Finished Size	Per dozen Articles: Single Seams (side and bottom) d.	Single Seams (side) and double seam (bottom) d.	Double Seams (side and bottom) d.
17″×27″ to 18″×28″ ..	9	10¼	11½
19″×29″ to 20″×30″ ..	11½	12¾	14¼
21″×31″ to 22″×32″ ..	12¾	14¼	15½

The above general minimum piece rates do not include folding, attaching buttons or making button-holes. Prices are for 12 stitches; over 12 stitches, 1¼d. extra per dozen articles.
Folding flaps, 1¾d. per dozen extra.

	Per dozen Articles: Frilled d.	Backed d.
Pillow Cases, 18×28″	22	15½
„ „ 20×30″	23	17¼
„ „ 22×32″	23¾	18¾

In making up Frilled Pillow Cases, if frills have to be gathered by Stitcher, 3⅜d. extra per dozen articles is payable.

	Per dozen Articles d.
Bolster Cases, 20×54″	18
„ „ 20×60″	19¼

For Vice-Folding Pillow and Bolster Cases, 1¾d. extra per dozen articles is payable. Prices are for 12 stitches; over 12 stitches, 2⅜d. extra per dozen articles.

	Per dozen Articles: With Flaps d.	Attached Backs d.
N.D. Cases, 13×17″	8¼	8¼
„ „ 14×18″	10¼	10¼
„ „ 15×19″	10¼	10¼

When N.D. Cases are made with Gussets 6d. extra per dozen articles is payable.

	Per dozen Articles With Flaps	Attached Backs
	d.	d.
Pyjama Cases 16×20″	12¾	12¾
B. and C. Bags	10¼	10¼
Handkerchief Cases	7¾	—
Glove Cases	7¾	—

	Making Per dozen Articles		Extras Per dozen Articles
	d.		d.
S.L. Bags, complete, Plain, 18×28″ ..	14¼	Vice-Folding	2⅜
„ „ „ 20×30″ ..	15½	„	2⅜
B. & C. Bags with Drawing String ..	14¼		
Cosy Covers, Frilled	10¼	Gathering Frill	2⅜
„ „ Piped	11		
„ „ Corded (handlooping not included)	5	Cording	6⅝
Cushion Covers, Corded (handlooping not included)	6½	„	9⅝
Cushion Covers, Frilled, no Flaps ..	19¼		
Cushion Covers, Frilled, with Flaps ..	21¼	Gathering Frill	2⅜
Cushion Covers, Attached Back, no Flaps	9		
Cushion Covers, Attached Back, with Flaps	12¼		
Pram Covers, with Flap, attaching Flap only	5		

	Per dozen Articles			
	20×40″	22½×36″	25×36″	27×36″
Bag tops without Vents, stitched one side and one end	7¾d.	7¾d.	7¾d.	7¾d.

Bolsters without Vents, stitched one side only, 20×80″ 7¾d. per dozen articles.

	Per dozen Articles Plain Sewing	Button Stitching
	d.	d.
Extra for Vents—4 Vents	6	4¾
Extra for Vents—8 Vents	12	9⅝

	Per dozen Sheets				
	72″	80″	90″	100″	108″
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Sheets hemmed with 1″ to 2″ hem, one end only	6½	7¼	7¾	9	9¾
Sheets hemmed with 1″ to 2″ hem, two ends	12¾	15½	15½	18	19¼

(2) SPOKING

Hem spoked and back and flap attached in one operation

(a) Punch Spoking

Pillow Cases Finished Size	Stitches per inch	Per dozen Articles French or Bias Corners	Through Corners
		d.	d.
17×27″ to 18×28″	8 to 9½	19¼	21¼
	10 to 12	21¼	23
19×29″ to 20×30″	8 to 9½	21¼	23
	10 to 12	23	24¼

The above general minimum piece rates do not include vice-folding or plain sewing for which operations the following general minimum piece rates are payable:—

Pillow Cases	Per dozen Articles Vice-Folding	Plain Sewing
Finished Size	d.	d.
18×28″	6	2¾
20×30″	6	2¾
Cushion Covers		
Finished Size		
20×20″	6	2¾

(b) Shire Spoking

Pillow Cases	Per dozen Articles Plain Sewing	Spoking
Finished Size	d.	s. d.
20×30″	2¾	2 10¾
Cushion Covers		
Finished Size		
20×20″	2¾	2 6¾

(3) HAND HEMMING OF DAMASK

NAPKINS Size	Per dozen s.	d.
20×20″	4	8
22×22″	5	4¼
24×24″	5	9¼
TABLECLOTHS		
Size, 72″	17	4

Goods hemmed on two sides

EXTRAS

When hems are not folded the following extras are payable:—

	Per dozen s.	d.
Napkins	0	10¼
Tablecloths	1	3

C.—HAND SMOOTHING

(1) HAND SMOOTHING CLOTHS, MATS, SPREADS, ETC.

Plain or Embroidered Goods	Plain Goods			Embroidered Goods		
	Dry Smoothing	Damp Smoothing	Wet Smoothing	Dry Smoothing	Damp Smoothing	Wet Smoothing
	Per Dozen Articles					
Size or Description	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
6×6″ ..	0 1¼	0 2¾	0 4½	—	0 2¾	0 6
7×7″ ..	0 1¼	0 2¾	0 4½	—	0 2¾	0 6
8×8″ ..	0 1¼	0 2¾	0 4½	—	0 2¾	0 6
9×9″ ..	0 1¼	0 2¾	0 4½	—	0 2¾	0 6
10×10″ ..	0 1¼	0 2¾	0 4½	—	0 2¾	0 6
12×12″ ..	0 1¼	0 2¾	0 6½	—	0 2¾	0 7
14×14″ ..	0 1¾	0 3¼	0 7	—	0 3¾	0 7¾
15×15″ ..	0 1¾	0 3¼	0 7	—	0 3¾	0 8¼
16×16″ ..	0 2¾	0 3¾	0 7¾	—	0 4½	0 8¼
18×18″ ..	0 3¼	0 4½	0 9¾	—	0 6	0 11½
20×20″ ..	0 3¼	0 4½	1 0¼	—	0 6	1 2¼
22×22″ ..	0 4½	0 6	1 0¾	—	0 7	1 3½
24×24″ ..	0 4½	0 6	1 2¼	—	0 7	1 4½
27×27″ ..	0 5	0 6½	1 4½	—	0 7¾	1 7¾

Plain or Embroidered Goods	Plain Goods			Embroidered Goods		
	Dry Smoothing	Damp Smoothing	Wet Smoothing	Dry Smoothing	Damp Smoothing	Wet Smoothing
	Per Dozen Articles					
Size or Description	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
30×30″ ..	0 6	0 7	1 7¾	—	0 9	2 1¾
32×32″ ..	0 6½	0 8¼	1 10½	—	0 9¾	2 4¼
36×36″ ..	0 7	0 9	2 4¼	—	0 11½	2 10
40×40″ ..	0 7¾	0 9¾	2 10	—	1 0¼	3 6¼
45×45″ ..	0 9	0 11½	3 6¼	—	1 2¼	4 8½
54×54″ ..	0 10¼	1 0¾	4 11	—	1 4½	6 4½
63×63″ ..	1 0¾	1 3½	7 0¾	—	1 7¾	9 10¾
72×72″ ..	1 3½	1 6¾	10 7	—	1 10½	14 1½
7×9″ ..	0 1¼	0 2¾	0 4½	—	0 2¾	0 6
9×14″ ..	0 1¼	0 2¾	0 6	—	0 2¾	0 7
10×14″ ..	0 1¼	0 2¾	0 6	—	0 2¾	0 7
12×16″ ..	0 2¾	0 3¾	0 7	—	0 3¼	0 7
14×18″ ..	0 2¾	0 3¾	0 7	—	0 4½	0 8¼
14×20″ ..	0 2¾	0 4½	0 9	—	0 5	0 11½
16×24″ ..	0 3¼	0 5	1 0¼	—	0 6½	1 2¼
18×27″ ..	0 4½	0 6	1 0¾	—	0 6½	1 2¾
20×30″ ..	0 4½	0 6½	1 3½	—	0 7	1 6¾
22×32″ ..	0 5	0 6½	1 6¾	—	0 7¾	1 8½
24×34″ ..	0 5	0 7	1 8½	—	0 7¾	1 11¾
25×40″ ..	0 6½	0 7¾	2 1¾	—	0 9	2 5½
27×45″ ..	0 7	0 9	2 3½	—	0 11½	2 10
27×54″ ..	0 7¾	0 9¾	2 6¾	—	1 0¾	3 3¾
27×60″ ..	0 9	0 11½	3 0¾	—	1 2¼	3 6¼
9×36″ ..	0 4½	0 6	1 0¾	—	0 6½	1 2¾
10×42″ ..	0 4½	0 6½	1 2¼	—	0 7	1 4½
12×45″ ..	0 5	0 7	1 4½	—	0 7¾	1 9¼
14×54″ ..	0 6½	0 7¾	1 9¼	—	0 9	2 1¾
14×60″ ..	0 7	0 9	1 11¾	—	0 9¾	2 5
15×68″ ..	0 8¼	0 9¾	2 3½	—	0 11½	2 10
16×72″ ..	—	—	2 6¾	—	1 0¾	3 2
16×90″ ..	—	—	3 3¾	—	1 2¼	4 2¾
18×36″ ..	—	—	1 4½	—	0 7¾	1 7¾
18×45″ ..	—	—	1 9¼	—	0 8¼	2 1¾
17×50″ ..	—	—	1 11¾	—	0 8¼	2 4¼
18×54″ ..	—	—	2 1¾	—	0 9¾	2 5½
18×63″ ..	—	—	2 5½	—	1 0¼	2 10
18×72″ ..	—	—	2 10	—	1 3½	3 3¾
72×90″ Spreads and Sheets	1 11	3 2½	13 5	2 6¾	3 10¼	16 11½
72×100″ „	1 11	3 10¼	14 10	2 6¾	4 6	18 4¼
80×100″ „	2 6¾	4 2	16 3¼	3 2½	4 9¾	19 9½
90×100″ „	3 2½	4 6	17 7¾	3 10¼	5 1½	21 2¼
90×108″ „	3 10¼	4 9¾	19 0½	4 6	5 5½	22 7
100×108″ „	3 10¼	5 1½	21 10¾	4 6	5 9¼	25 5
(2) Hand Smoothing Made-Up Articles						
18×28″ Pillow Cases, Plain ..	d. 3¼	d. 5	s. d. —	s. d. —	s. d. —	s. d. —
20×30″ Pillow Cases, Plain ..	3¼	5	—	—	—	—

Plain or Embroidered Goods	Plain Goods			Embroidered Goods		
	Dry Smoothing	Damp Smoothing	Wet Smoothing	Dry Smoothing	Damp Smoothing	Wet Smoothing
	Per Dozen Articles					
Size or Description	d.	d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
18×28″ Pillow Cases, Frilled ..	5	7¾	—	—	0 8¼	3 10¼
20×30″ Pillow Cases, Frilled ..	5	7¾	—	—	0 8¼	3 10¼
18×28″ Pillow Cases, Hemstitched or Scalloped ..	5	7¾	2 6¾	—	0 8¼	3 2½
20×30″ „	5	9	2 11¼	—	0 9¾	3 5¼
22×32″ „	5	9	3 2½	—	0 9¾	3 10¼
27×27″ „	6½	10¼	3 10¼	—	0 11	4 6
12×16″ Baby Slips	3¼	6	1 2¼	—	0 6½	1 4
12×18″ „	3¼	6	1 4	—	0 6½	1 5½
14×18″ „	3¼	6	1 6	—	0 6½	1 7¼
15×19″ „	3¼	6	1 9¼	—	0 6½	1 11
16×16″ „	3¼	6	1 9¼	—	0 6½	1 11
20×36″ Bag Tops	3¾	6½	2 11¾	—	0 7¾	3 2½
22×36″ „	3¾	6½	2 11¾	—	0 7¾	3 2½
20×42″ Bolsters	4½	7¾	3 3¾	—	0 8¼	3 10¼
20×54″ „	5	8¼	3 10¼	—	0 10¼	4 6
20×60″ „	6½	9¾	4 3¼	—	0 11	4 8½
20×80″ „	9	11½	5 1½	—	1 1¼	5 9¼
Cushion Covers, Corded	2¾	5	—	—	0 6½	—
„ Frilled	3¾	6½	3 2½	—	0 7¾	3 5¼
Cushion Covers, Scalloped or Hemstitched	3¾	6½	2 6¾	—	0 7¾	2 11¾
Cosy Covers, Corded	2¾	4½	—	—	0 5	—
„ Frilled	2¾	4½	1 7¼	—	0 5	1 11
Cosy Covers, Scalloped or Hemstitched	2¾	4½	1 3½	—	0 5	1 6
S.L. Bags ..	2¾	5	1 11	—	0 6½	2 1¾
Chair Backs ..	3¾	4½	0 11½	—	0 5	1 2¼
N.D. Cases with Flaps	3¼	5	1 6	—	0 6	1 9¼
Pyjama Cases ..	3¾	6	1 7¼	—	0 6½	1 11
B. & C. Bags ..	2¾	3¾	1 2¼	—	0 4½	1 6
Pram Covers ..	3¾	5	1 9¼	—	0 7¾	2 3
Canopy Covers, Hemstitched	5	7¼	3 2½	—	0 9	3 10¼
„ Frilled	9	11½	—	—	1 0¾	—

For Wet Smoothing N.D. Cases and Pyjama Cases with Gussets, 3⅝d. extra per dozen articles is payable.

Prices for Damp Smoothing include Damping by Worker.

(3) HAND WET SMOOTHING UNMADE ARTICLES EMBROIDERED ON RAW EDGE CLOTH

	Per dozen Articles s.	d.
Pillow Cases, 33×40″, one side embroidered	2	1¾
,, both sides embroidered	2	6¾
Cushion Covers, 20×40″, one side embroidered	1	8½
,, both sides embroidered	2	1¾
Cushion Tops, 20×23″	0	11½
N.D. Cases, 19×45″	1	7¼
B. & C. Bags, 9×40″	1	2¼
Cosy Covers, 12×36″	1	2¼
,, 24×36″	1	7¼
American Pillow Tops, 20×36″	1	6
,, 20×40″	1	7¼
,, Cases, 40×36″	2	3
American Bolster Tops, 20×80″	2	6¾
,, Cases, 40×80″	4	6
S.L. Bags, 33×36″	1	11
,, 36×40″	2	3
Pram Covers, 20×36″	1	7¼
Pram Pillow Cases, 18×36″ one side embroidered	1	4½
,, ,, ,, two sides embroidered	1	7¼

For the purposes of paragraph 22 the general minimum piece rates for INTERMEDIATE SIZES apply as follows:—

The rate payable for an article which is intermediate in size in relation to similar articles for which general minimum piece rates are fixed as shown in the relevant tables is the general minimum piece rate for that article which is the nearer in size to the actual size of the article for which no general minimum piece rate has been fixed. In the case of an article the size of which is exactly half-way between the sizes of any two such articles of consecutive sizes the rate payable is half the aggregate general minimum piece rates payable as shown in the relevant tables for those two sizes.

OVERTIME FOR ALL MALE AND FEMALE WORKERS

Paragraph 23.

Overtime rates are payable as follows:—

(A) WORKERS EMPLOYED ON TIME WORK:—

(1) For all time worked in any week in excess of 45 hours—One-and-a-half times the general minimum time rate otherwise applicable, i.e., TIME-AND-A-HALF except in so far as a higher rate is payable under the provisions of sub-paragraph (3).

(2) For overtime on any day other than Sunday or a customary holiday—One-and-a-half times the general minimum time rate otherwise applicable, i.e., TIME-AND-A-HALF.

(3) For all time worked on Sunday or a customary holiday—Twice the general minimum time rate otherwise applicable, i.e., DOUBLE TIME.

(B) WORKERS EMPLOYED ON PIECE WORK:—

(1) For all time worked in any week in excess of 45 hours—The rates as set out in sub-paragraph (2) below, except in so far as a higher rate is payable under the provisions of sub-paragraph (3) below.

(2) Each worker employed on piece work must receive, in respect of each hour of overtime worked on any day, other than Sunday or a customary holiday, in addition to piece rates each of which would yield, in the

circumstances of the case, to an ordinary worker, at least the same amount of money as the piece work basis time rate applicable, AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO ONE-QUARTER OF THE APPROPRIATE PIECE WORK BASIS TIME RATE.

(3) Each worker employed on piece work must receive, in respect of each hour of overtime worked on Sunday or a customary holiday, in addition to piece rates each of which would yield, in the circumstances of the case, to an ordinary worker, at least the same amount of money as the piece work basis time rate applicable, AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE APPROPRIATE PIECE WORK BASIS TIME RATE.

In the case of female workers employed on operations for which general minimum piece rates have been fixed piece rates calculated to yield, in the circumstances of the case, to an ordinary worker, not less than the piece work basis time rate applicable will be held to include all such general minimum piece rates.

Paragraph 24.

Overtime rates are payable where on any day (not being a Sunday or a customary holiday), the number of hours worked exceeds $8\frac{1}{4}$, or, in the case of Saturday exceeds $3\frac{3}{4}$, notwitshtanding that the number of hours worked in the week does not exceed 45.

Provided that where it is the established practice of an employer to require attendance on five days a week only, overtime rates are payable where on any day the number of hours worked exceeds 9.

Paragraph 25.

The provisions of paragraphs 23 and 24 are without prejudice to the payment of overtime rates after a lesser number of hours of work than therein mentioned where such lesser number of hours constitutes the number customarily worked in the establishment.

Paragraph 26.

The expression "customary holiday" means—

Christmas Day (or, if Christmas Day falls on a Sunday, such other weekday as may be appointed by national proclamation or, if none is so appointed, the next following Tuesday), Boxing Day, Easter Monday, Easter Tuesday and two other days (being days on which the worker normally works) in the course of a calendar year to be fixed by the employer, after consultation with the worker or his representative, and notified to the worker not less than twenty-eight days before the customary holiday.

DEFINITIONS

FEMALE LEARNER

Paragraph 27.

For the purpose of the application of the statutory minimum remuneration set out in paragraph 11, the following definition applies:—

A Female Learner is a worker who:—

(a) is employed during the whole or a substantial part of her time in learning any branch or process of the trade connected with Swiss Embroidery Machines, Machine Smoothing or General Warehouse Work by an employer who provides the learner with reasonable facilities for such learning; and

(b) has received a Certificate, or has been registered in accordance with the rules from time to time laid down by the Wages Council, or has made application for such Certificate or Registration which has been duly acknowledged and is still under consideration.

Provided that the certification or registration of a learner will become invalid if at any time during learnership the provisions set out in this Schedule relating thereto are not complied with.

Provided also that an employer may employ a female learner on her first employment without a Certificate or Registration for a probation period not exceeding four weeks, but, in the event of such learner being continued thereafter at her employment, the probation period will be included in her period of learnership.

Provided further that, notwithstanding compliance with the conditions contained in this paragraph, a person will not be deemed to be a learner if she works in a room used for dwelling purposes and is not in the employment of her parent or guardian.

AREAS

Paragraph 28.

The statutory minimum remuneration set out under the respective Areas A and B applies as follows:—

AREA A—To workers employed in the County of the City of Belfast and in districts situated within a radius of 25 statute miles therefrom.

AREA B—To workers employed in all areas other than A.

GENERAL

WAITING TIME

Paragraph 29.

(1) A worker is entitled to payment of statutory minimum remuneration during all the time during which he is present on the premises of his employer unless he is so present either without his employer's consent express or implied, or for some purpose unconnected with his work and other than that of waiting for work to be given to him to perform.

(2) When a piece worker is present as aforesaid and his normal work is not available to him his employer must provide him with alternative employment for which payment will be made at the piece work basis time rate normally appropriate to him; or, if such alternative employment is not available, the worker will, in respect of all time during which he is so present, be entitled to payment of the general minimum time rate applicable to workers of the class to which he belongs.

(3) Provisions (1) and (2) above do not apply when—

(a) a worker is present on his employer's premises by reason only of the fact that he is resident thereon, or

(b) a worker is present on his employer's premises during normal meal times in a room or place in which no work is being done and is not waiting for work to be given to him to perform.

APPLICABILITY OF STATUTORY MINIMUM REMUNERATION

Paragraph 30.

The statutory minimum remuneration aforesaid applies (subject to the provisions of the Wages Councils Act (Northern Ireland), 1945) to workers in relation to whom the Linen and Cotton Handkerchief and Household Goods and Linen Piece Goods Wages Council (Northern Ireland) operates, that is to say, workers employed in Northern Ireland in the trade specified in the Schedule to the Trade Boards (Linen and Cotton Handkerchief and Household Goods and Linen Piece Goods Trade, Northern Ireland) (Constitution, Proceedings and Meetings) Regulations, 1924(a), dated 17th November, 1924, namely:—

(1) The making of such articles as are specified in (a) and (b) below, from linen or cotton or mixed linen and cotton fabrics (excepting knitted fabrics),

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or from other textile fabrics when the work is carried on in establishments mainly engaged in the making of such articles from the before-mentioned fabrics, viz.:—

(a) Handkerchiefs (including mufflers or flags when made in association or conjunction with handkerchiefs).

(b) Bed linen, towels, dusters, table napery, bed-spreads, tea-cloths, table-centres, sideboard-covers, cushion-covers, or similar household articles.

INCLUDING all or any of the following operations:—

(i) Hooking, cutting, or tearing the material.

(ii) Vice-folding.

(iii) Machine hemming, hem-stitching, spoking, over-locking, tambouring, button-holing, and other plain or fancy machine stitching.

(iv) All processes of embroidery or decorative needlework done by machine, whether before or after the making of the articles of the description specified above.

(v) The following processes, if done by machine:—Thread-drawing, thread-clipping, top-sewing, scalloping, nickelling and paring.

(vi) All processes of laundering, smoothing, folding, ornamenting, boxing, finishing, warehousing, packing and other similar operations incidental to or appertaining to the making of the articles of the description specified above.

(2) The making up in linen warehouses, or in establishments mainly engaged in linen lapping, of linen or mixed linen and cotton or other textile fabrics in the piece, or of linen or mixed linen and cotton or other textile articles cut from the piece, including:—

Measuring, cutting, lapping, ornamenting, boxing, warehousing, packing and similar operations.

Paragraph 31.

The statutory minimum remuneration set out in this Schedule is without prejudice to workers earning higher rates of wages, or to agreements made, or that may be made, between employers and workers for the payment of wages in excess of the statutory minimum remuneration.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order, which comes into operation on 17th June, 1960, sets out the statutory minimum remuneration payable in substitution for that fixed by the Linen and Cotton Handkerchief and Household Goods and Linen Piece Goods Wages Council (Northern Ireland) Wages Regulation Order, 1958 (Order N.I.H.H.G. (151)) as amended by the Linen and Cotton Handkerchief and Household Goods and Linen Piece Goods Wages Regulation (Amendment) (No. 2) Order (Northern Ireland), 1959 (Order N.I.H.H.G. (157)). The amendment to Order N.I.H.H.G. (151) contained in the Linen and Cotton Handkerchief and Household Goods and Linen Piece Goods Wages Regulation (Amendment) (No. 3) Order (Northern Ireland), 1959 (Order N.I.H.H.G. (159)) is repeated without alteration.

Orders N.I.H.H.G. (151), N.I.H.H.G. (157) and N.I.H.H.G. (159) are revoked.

New provisions in the Schedule are printed in italics.