STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1962 No. 2627

FACTORIES

The Baking and Sausage Making (Christmas and New Year) Order 1962

Made - - - - *29th November* 1962
Coming into Operation *7th December* 1962

The Minister of Labour by virtue of the powers conferred on him by section 117 of the Factories Act 1961(a) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following special exemption order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Baking and Sausage Making (Christmas and New Year) Order 1962 and shall come into operation on 7th December 1962.

2.—(1) The Interpretation Act 1889(b) shall apply to the interpretation of this Order as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

(2) In this Order "women" means women who have attained the age of eighteen.

3. The employment of women in England and Wales—

(*a*) on Saturdays, 15th and 22nd December 1962, and on Sundays, 16th and 23rd December 1962, in the manufacture of meat pies, sausages or cooked meats, or in the pre-packing of bacon; and

(*b*) on Sundays, 16th and 23rd December 1962, in the manufacture of bread or flour confectionery (including fruit pies but not biscuits),

or in work incidental or ancillary to such work, is hereby exempted from the provisions of section 86 (*b*) of the Factories Act 1961 (so far as that paragraph prohibits the employment of women after one o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday) and from the provisions of section 93 of that Act (which relates to the prohibition of Sunday employment).

4. The employment of women in Scotland—

(*a*) on Saturdays, 22nd and 29th December 1962, and on Sundays, 23rd and 30th December 1962, in the manufacture of meat pies, sausages or cooked meats, or in the pre-packing of bacon; and

(*b*) on Sundays, 23rd and 30th December 1962, in the manufacture of bread or flour confectionery (including fruit pies but not biscuits),

or in work incidental or ancillary to such work, is hereby exempted from the provisions of the said section 86 (*b*) (so far as that paragraph prohibits the employment of women after one o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday) and from the provisions of the said section 93.

Dated 29th November 1962.

John Hare,
Minister of Labour.

(a) 9 & 10 Eliz. 2. c. 34. (b) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order enables women, who have attained the age of eighteen, to be employed in England and Wales on the afternoons of Saturdays, 15th and 22nd December 1962, and on Sundays, 16th and 23rd December 1962, in the manufacture of meat pies, sausages, or cooked meats, or in the pre-packing of bacon, and on Sundays, 16th and 23rd December 1962, in the manufacture of bread or flour confectionery (including fruit pies but not biscuits).

The Order also enables women, who have attained the age of eighteen, to be employed in Scotland on the afternoons of Saturdays, the 22nd and 29th December 1962, and on Sundays, 23rd and 30th December 1962, in the manufacture of meat pies, sausages, or cooked meats, or in the pre-packing of bacon, and on Sundays, 23rd and 30th December 1962, in the manufacture of bread or flour confectionery (including fruit pies but not biscuits).