(21) HEMMING

The Hemming (Maximum Charges) Order, 1948

1948 No. 2531

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The Board of Trade, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by Section 2 and 18 of the Goods and Services (Price Control) Act, 1941(**a**), as amended by the Defence (Price Control) Regulations, 1945(**b**), and all other powers in that behalf enabling them, hereby order as follows:—

Maximum charges.

1.—(1) The maximum charge to be made in the course of the business of a person who performs the service of making up goods by the hemming of cloth (not being utility cloth) which is the property of another person, shall be—

England, Scotland and Wales.

(*a*) in a case in which the process of hemming is carried out in England, Scotland or Wales,

(i) in relation to articles of the descriptions specified in Part I of the First Schedule hereto, the amount calculated at the appropriate rate mentioned therein, together (where applicable) with the appropriate increase specified or referred to in Part II of such Schedule;

(ii) in relation to all other articles, the June 1942, charge, and an amount equal to 25 per cent. thereof;

Northern Ireland.

(*b*) in a case in which the process of hemming is carried out in Northern Ireland,

(i) in relation to articles of the description specified in Part I of the Second Schedule hereto, the amount calculated at the appropriate rate mentioned therein, together (where applicable) with the appropriate increase specified or referred to in Part II of such Schedule;

(ii) in relation to all other articles the March, 1945 charge and an amount equal to 25 per cent. thereof.

(2) The maximum charge in relation to part of a dozen articles shall be calculated pro rata.

Interpretation.

2. In this Order—

(1) " comparable services " means services which are comparable on the basis of type, quality and quantity;

(2) " June, 1942, charge " and " March, 1945, charge ", in relation to the performance in the course of any business of a service to which this Order applies, mean—

(i) if comparable services were being performed in the ordinary course of that business on 30th June, 1942 or 1st March, 1945, as the case may be, the charge being made therefor in the course of that business on such date,

(**a**) 4 & 5 Geo. 6. c. 31.
(**b**) S.R. & O. 1945 (No. 1613) II, p. 81.

(ii) in any other case, the charge being made on such date for the performance of comparable services in the ordinary course of a substantially similar business.

(3) " maximum charge " means the charge exclusive of delivery charges except that with regard to the process of hemming carried out in Northern Ireland in relation to handkerchiefs the maximum charge includes delivery charges.

Revocation. 3. The Hemming (Maximum Charges) (No. 2) Order, 1946(a), is hereby revoked.

Citation and commencement. 4. This Order may be cited as the Hemming (Maximum Charges) Order, 1948, and shall come into operation on the 6th day of December, 1948.

Dated this 23rd day of November, 1948.

Harold Wilson,
President of the Board of Trade.

FIRST SCHEDULE

PART I

Column 1 *Description*	*Column 2* *At the rate of per dozen* s. d.
1. PILLOW SLIPS	
(1) Housewife style—	
plain hemmed	2 3½
punch hemstitched (single hem)	2 9
punch hemstitched (double hem)	3 0
1 row cord (mitre corners)	7 2
2 rows cord (mitre corners)	9 9
3 rows cord (mitre corners)	12 3
1 row cord at end only	2 9
2 rows cord at end only	3 1
punch hemstitched (mitre corners)	6 0
punch hemstitched (Oxford corners)	5 8
hand drawn hemstitched (mitre corners)	15 0
machine drawn hemstitched (mitre corners)	9 11
(2) Pillow-slips—taped	2 6
(3) Pillow-slips—buttoned	2 11
2. BOLSTER CASES	
(1) Housewife style—	
plain	3 0
punch hemstitched one end only	3 6
punch hemstitched two ends	4 0
(2) American style two open ends—punched hemstitched	5 2

(a) S.R. & O. 1946 (No. 1505) I, p. 779.

Column 1 *Description*	*Column 2* *At the rate of per pair* s. d.
3. Sheets	
(1) Plain hemmed (any width)	
loom state	6½
bleached	7
(2) Sheets of the under-mentioned widths—punch hemstitched—	
width not exceeding 54″	10
width exceeding 54″ but not exceeding 60″	11
width exceeding 60″ but not exceeding 70″	1 0
width exceeding 70″ but not exceeding 80″	1 1
width exceeding 80″	1 2
(3) Sheets of the under-mentioned widths—corded—	
width not exceeding 70″—1 row cord	1 1½
width not exceeding 70″—2 rows cord	1 8
width not exceeding 70″—3 rows cord	2 2½
width exceeding 70″ but not exceeding 80″—1 row cord ...	1 3½
width exceeding 70″ but not exceeding 80″—2 rows cord	1 10½
width exceeding 70″ but not exceeding 80″—3 rows cord	2 5½
width exceeding 80″—1 row cord	1 6
width exceeding 80″—2 rows cord	2 1½
width exceeding 80″—3 rows cord	2 9
(4) Sheets of the under-mentioned widths—hemstitched—	
width not exceeding 70″—threads machine drawn ...	1 7
width exceeding 70″ but not exceeding 80″—threads machine drawn	1 9½
width exceeding 80″—threads machine drawn	1 11½
width not exceeding 70″—threads hand drawn	2 0
width exceediug 70″ but not exceeding 80″—threads hand drawn	2 2½
width exceeding 80″—threads hand drawn	2 5

	At the rate of per dozen s. d.
4. Ticks	
(1) Plain bag ticks—	
4′ or 4′ 6″ wide	4 2
any other width	4 6
(2) Boxed tick cases	9 6
(3) Boxed and felled tick cases	21 6
(4) Boxed and piped tick cases—	
corners not piped	27 6
corners piped	29 3
(5) Pillow ticks	1 4
(6) Bolster ticks	2 8
5. Mattress Slips or Covers	
(1) Plain bags	7 0
(2) Boxed covers—	
border not exceeding 6″	12 0
border exceeding 6″	12 9
6. Roller Towels	1 6

	At the rate of per gross s. d.
7. Tea Cloths—	
not exceeding 27″	9 0
exceeding 27″	12 0

	Column 1	*Column* 2	
		Cotton	Rayon
		At the rate of per dozen	*At the rate of per dozen*
		s. d.	s. d.
8. TABLE CLOTHS			
	width not exceeding 50″	2 0	2 4
	width exceeding 50″ but not exceeding 54″...	2 4	2 8
	width exceeding 54″	3 3	3 6

PART II

The charges set out in Part I of this Schedule may, by reason of the matters set out in Column 1 of the following table, be increased by the appropriate amount specified or referred to in Column 2 thereof.

TABLE

Column 1	Column 2
Width of Cloth In relation to pillow and bolster slips, mattress ticks and covers (items (1), (2), (4) and (5) in Part I of this Schedule) made from cloth of a width other than 40″.	An amount equal to the additional cost which it is established was incurred by reason of using a cloth of a width other than 40″.
Special tabbing In relation to the special tabbing of pillow and bolster slips, sheets, mattress ticks and covers (items (1), (2), (3), (4) and (5) in Part I of this Schedule).	An amount at the rate of 3d. per dozen articles so tabbed.
Special stamping In relation to the special stamping of pillow and bolster slips, mattress ticks and covers (items (1), (2), (4) and (5) in Part I of this Schedule).	(*a*) An amount at the rate of 2d. per dozen pillow or bolster slips. (*b*) An amount at the rate of 3d. per dozen mattress ticks or covers.
Loose Flaps, etc. In relation to mattress covers (item (5) in Part I of this Schedule) which have loose flaps, hemmed slots, taped slots or reinforced corners.	(*a*) Loose Flaps, 2d. per article. (*b*) Hemmed Slots, 7d. per article. (*c*) Taped Slots, 1s. 3d. per article. (*d*) Reinforced corners, 7d. per article.

SECOND SCHEDULE

PART I

1. TABLECLOTHS, TRAYCLOTHS, NAPKINS, SHAMS AND SIMILAR ARTICLES, DAMP SMOOTHED

A. The appropriate rate *per dozen* in relation to such goods the perimeter of which exceeds the length shown in subhead (*a*) of column 1 of the following table, but does not exceed the length shown in subhead (*b*) thereof, is as follows :—

(1) goods which are *shire hemstitched* with bias corners—the rate shown in subhead (*a*) of column 2 where the number of stitches per inch is 12, and the rate shown in subhead (*b*) where the number of stitches per inch is 14 ;

(2) goods with *one row cord*, with bias corners—the rate shown in column 3 ;

(3) goods which are *Punch spoke*, with Oxford corners—the rate shown in subhead (*a*) of column 4 where the number of stitches per inch is 12, and the rate shown in subhead (*b*) of such column where the number of stitches per inch is 14 ;

(4) goods which are *Punch spoke*, with bias corners—the rate specified in paragraph (3) above, together with the rate shown in column 5.

Column 1				Column 2		Column 3	Column 4		Column 5
Perimeter				Shire hemstitched		1 row cord	Punch Spoke		
(*a*)	(*b*)			(*a*)	(*b*)		(*a*)	(*b*)	
inches exceeding	not exceeding			s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
—	24	...	...	2 7¼	2 8¼	2 9½	11½	1 0¼	9½
24	32	...	...	2 10½	2 11½	3 2	1 2¾	1 3½	10
32	36	...	...	3 0½	3 1½	3 4	1 3¼	1 4	10¼
36	40	...	...	3 2½	3 3½	3 6½	1 4	1 5	10½
40	48	...	...	3 6½	3 7¾	3 10½	1 5½	1 6½	11¼
48	56	...	...	3 10½	3 11¾	4 3½	1 8½	1 9½	11¾
56	60	...	...	4 1½	4 3	4 5½	1 9½	1 10¾	1 0
60	64	...	...	4 4	4 5½	4 8	1 10½	1 11¾	1 0¼
64	68	...	...	4 6½	4 8	4 10½	1 11½	2 0¾	1 0½
68	72	...	...	4 7¼	4 8¾	5 0½	2 0¾	2 2	1 1
72	80	...	...	4 11½	5 1¼	5 4½	2 3	2 4½	1 1¾
80	90	...	...	5 4½	5 6¼	5 10½	2 5¾	2 7¼	1 2½
90	96	...	...	5 8	5 10	6 2	2 7¼	2 9	1 2¾
96	100	...	...	5 10	6 0	6 4½	2 8½	2 10¼	1 3
100	108	...	...	6 2	6 4¼	6 9	2 10½	3 0¼	1 3½
108	116	...	...	6 8¼	6 10½	7 2½	3 0¾	3 2½	1 4
116	120	...	...	6 9	6 11¼	7 5	3 1½	3 3½	1 4¼
120	126	...	...	7 0½	7 3	7 8½	3 3½	3 5½	1 4½
126	130	...	...	7 2½	7 5	7 11½	3 4½	3 6½	1 4¾
130	136	...	...	7 6	7 8½	8 3½	3 5¾	3 8½	1 5
136	144	...	...	7 8½	7 11¼	8 8½	3 8	3 10¼	1 5½
144	160	...	...	8 7½	8 10½	9 8	4 1	4 3½	1 6¼
160	162	...	...	8 9	9 0	9 9½	4 1½	4 4	1 6½
162	180	...	...	9 6½	9 9¾	10 11½	4 5½	4 8¼	1 7¼
180	216	...	...	11 6	11 10	13 5	5 3¼	5 6½	1 9¾

B. The appropriate rate *per dozen* in relation to damask napkins, *plain hemmed*, is :—

Side of Square	Hemmed on 2 sides	Hemmed on 3 sides
	d.	d.
Not exceeding 22″	9¾	14¾
Exceeding 22″ but not exceeding 24″ ...	11½	17¼
,, 24″	12½	18¾

C. The appropriate rate *per dozen* in relation to damask cloths, *plain hemmed*, is :—

Side of Square	
	d.
Not exceeding 36″	15¾
Exceeding 36″ but not 45″	16
,, 45″ ,, ,, 54″	20¾
,, 54″ ,, ,, 63″	21
,, 63″ ,, ,, 72″	28
,, 72″ ,, ,, 81″	31
,, 81″ ,, ,, 90″	45¼

2. SHEETS

The appropriate rate *per dozen* sheets in relation to sheets not exceeding 3 yards in length :—

(i) which have been damp-smoothed, is the rate shown in subhead (*a*) of the column appropriate to the width in the following table ;

(ii) which have been laundered (other than hand laundered) is the rate shown in subhead (*b*) of such column ;

(iii) which have been hand laundered, is the rate shown in subhead (*c*) of such column.

	Not exceeding 72″ in width			Exceeding 72″ but not exceeding 80″ in width			Exceeding 80″ but not exceeding 90″ in width			Exceeding 80″ but not exceeding 90″ in width / 3½ yards in length		
	(*a*)	(*b*)	(*c*)	(*a*)	(*b*)	(*c*)	(*a*)	(*b*)	(*c*)	(*a*)	(*b*)	(*c*)
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Plain hemmed	5 7½	—	—	5 7½	—	—	6 8½	—	—	6 8½	—	—
Punch spoke	8 6	—	—	9 7½	—	—	10 9	—	—	10 9	—	—
Shire spoke	14 6	21 2	34 5	15 10	23 8	38 6	17 0	25 7	47 8	17 0	25 7	48 3
1 row cord	14 8	22 10	40 6	15 10	24 2	45 5	17 0	27 2	51 6	17 0	27 2	53 9
2 row cord	17 10	26 0	43 11	19 5	28 7	49 4	21 1	31 5	55 11	21 1	31 5	58 9
Spoke × Spoke ...	—	43 10	58 2	—	46 2	63 10	—	50 9	72 7	—	50 9	75 10

3. CUSHION COVERS, PILLOW AND BOLSTER CASES

A. The appropriate rate *per dozen* in relation to cushion covers, 20″ × 20″, damp-smoothed, is :—

	Oxford Corners	Bias Corners
	s. d.	
Plain hemmed—with attached flaps ...	1 6½	
without flaps	1 3	
	s. d.	s. d.
Punch spoke—12st. to inch	3 1¼	4 2½
14st. to inch	3 3½	4 4¾

B. The appropriate rate *per dozen* in relation to plain pillow cases, 20″ × 30″, damp-smoothed, is :—

	s. d.
Plain hemmed—seams felled...	3 3½
seams not felled	2 9½
Punch spoke—through corners	5 3½
bias corners	6 6
overlock on single	7 1

C. The appropriate rate *per dozen* in relation to housewife and American style pillow and bolster cases :—
(i) which have been damp-smoothed, is the rate shown in subhead (*a*) of the column appropriate to the inside measurements of the case in the following table ;
(ii) which have been laundered, is the rate shown in subhead (*b*) of such column.

	20″ × 30″		22″ × 32″		27″ × 27″		25″ × 31″	
	(*a*)	(*b*)	(*a*)	(*b*)	(*a*)	(*b*)	(*a*)	(*b*)
Housewife style pillow cases	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Shire spoke	10 6½	17 6	11 9½	18 10	12 4	19 8	12 7	20 1
1 row cord	9 9½	14 8	10 10	16 5	11 11	18 11	13 5	20 6
2 row cord	12 0	18 7	15 0	20 9	16 3	23 3	17 1½	24 4
Spoke × spoke	—	44 8	—	48 0	—	49 8	—	50 8

	20″ × 30″		21″ × 33″ or 20″ × 36″	
	(*a*)	(*b*)	(*a*)	(*b*)
American style pillow cases	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Punch spoke one end	2 9½	—	3 2	—
1 row cord one end	3 3	—	4 6½	10 7½
2 row cord one end	3 7½	—	6 4	12 6
Shire spoke	—	—	4 7	10 6
Spoke × spoke	—	—	—	21 9

	20″ × 54″		20″ × 60″		20″ × 70″		20″ × 80″	
	(*a*)	(*b*)	(*a*)	(*b*)	(*a*)	(*b*)	(*a*)	(*b*)
Housewife style bolster cases	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Plain hemmed	3 9½	—	4 6½	—	—	—	—	—
American style bolster cases								
Punch spoke both ends	4 0½	—	4 3	—	4 6½	—	4 8½	—
Shire spoke both ends	8 1	—	8 5½	15 8½	9 0	—	9 5	18 5
1 row cord both ends	7 9½	—	8 2½	15 2½	8 8½	—	9 1½	17 11
2 row cord both ends	11 5	—	11 9½	20 8½	12 4	—	12 8½	23 6
Spoke × spoke both ends	—	—	—	33 3	—	—	—	36 1

4. TOWELS

The appropriate rate *per dozen* in relation to towels, which have been damp-smoothed, is the rate shown in the appropriate column of the following table :—

Width	Plain hemmed (cross bordered towels only)	Punch Spoke	Punch Spoke Overseam	Shire Spoke	1 row Cord
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Width not exceeding 15″	7¾	1 3¾	1 8	2 3¾	2 7½
Width exceeding 15″ but not exceeding 18″	7¾	1 8	1 11¼	2 6¾	2 10½
,, ,, 18″ ,, ,, ,, 20″	7¾	1 9	2 0¼	2 9	3 2¾
,, ,, 20″ ,, ,, ,, 22″	8½	2 1¼	2 5½	2 11	—
,, ,, 22″ ,, ,, ,, 24″	8½	2 3¼	2 7½	3 2½	3 6
,, ,, 24″ ,, ,, ,, 27″	9¼	2 6½	2 10¾	3 5½	—
,, ,, 27″ ,, ,, ,, 30″	11	—	—	—	—
,, ,, 30″	11¾	—	—	—	—

5. HANDKERCHIEFS

A. The appropriate rate *per dozen* in relation to Narrow (plain) hemmed handkerchiefs, which have been damp-smoothed and supplied bundlefold in parcels of 10 dozen, is the rate shown in the following table in the column appropriate to the width of cloth used :—

	Not over 13″	Over 13″ but not over 15″	Over 15″ but not over 17″	Over 17″ but not over 19″	Over 19″ but not over 21″	Over 21″ but not over 23″
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
12 stitches to inch	6¼	7	7¾	8¾	9⅝	10⅝
14 ,, ,, ,, ...	6⅝	7½	8⅜	9⅝	10⅜	11⅛
16 ,, ,, ,, ...	7⅛	8	9	10⅛	10⅞	12
18 ,, ,, ,, ...	7⅝	8⅝	9⅝	10⅞	11¾	12¾

B. The appropriate rate *per dozen* in relation to Punch hemstitched handkerchiefs (⅛″ or wider hem) which have been damp-smoothed, supplied bundlefold in parcels of 10 dozen is the rate shown in the following table in the column appropriate to the length of the side of the finished handkerchief :—

	10½″	11″	11½″	12″	12½″	13″	13½″	14″	14½″	15″	15½″	16″	16½″	17″	17½″	18″	18½″	19″	19½″	20″	20½″	21″	21½″	22″
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
12 stitches to inch	8⅛	8⅜	8½	8⅞	9⅛	9½	9⅝	10	10¼	10½	10⅞	11¼	11¾	12	12¼	12½	12¾	13¼	13½	13¾	14⅛	14⅜	14⅝	15
14 „ „ „	8⅞	9	9¼	9⅝	10	10¼	10½	10⅞	11⅛	11⅜	11¾	12¼	12⅞	13⅛	13⅜	13⅝	13⅞	14½	14⅞	15¼	15¾	16⅛	16⅜	16⅝
16 „ „ „	10¼	10½	10⅝	11	11⅜	11⅞	12⅛	12⅜	12⅝	12⅞	13⅜	13⅞	14⅛	14⅝	15	15½	15¾	16⅛	16⅝	16⅞	17¼	17⅞	18⅛	18⅝	18⅞
18 „ „ „	11⅛	11⅜	11½	12	12⅜	12¾	13¼	13½	13⅞	14⅛	14⅝	14⅞	15½	16¼	16¾	17	17⅞	18	18¼	18¾	19⅜	19⅝	20	20½

C. The appropriate rate *per dozen* in relation to Punch spoke handkerchiefs in the state in which they are taken from the machines is the rate shown in the following table in the column appropriate to the length of the side of the finished handkerchief :—

	Over 9″ but not over 10″			Over 10″ but not over 11″			Over 11″ but not over 12″			Over 12″ but not over 13″		
Stitches to inch	14	16	18	14	16	18	14	16	18	14	16	18
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Through corners (⅛″ or wider hem)	11⅝	12¾	13½	12⅛	13⅝	14¼	13½	14⅞	16⅜	14⅞	16⅞	18⅜
French corners (⅜″ or wider hem)	20⅞	22	22¾	22⅜	23½	24¼	23½	24⅞	26¼	24¾	26¾	28¼
Open corners (1/16″ hem)	13	14	14¾	13⅝	14¾	15⅜	14⅝	16	17½	15⅝	17⅞	19⅛

D. The appropriate rate *per dozen* in relation to Shire hemstitched handkerchiefs in the state in which they are taken from the machines is the rate shown in the column appropriate to the number of stitches per inch :—

	Stitches per inch					
	14	16	18	20	22	24
	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Where the width of the cloth used is						
not more than 10½″	18⅞	20½	22½	23⅞	25½	27⅛
over 10½″ but not over 11½″ ...	19⅜	21⅛	23⅛	24½	26¼	27⅞
,, 11½″ ,, ,, ,, 12″ ...	21½	23½	24¾	26¾	28⅞	30⅞
,, 12″ ,, ,, ,, 13″ ...	22	24¼	25½	27½	29¾	32
,, 13″ ,, ,, ,, 14″ ...	23¼	25¼	27⅛	29½	31¾	33⅞
,, 14″ ,, ,, ,, 15″ ...	24⅜	26⅜	28½	30⅞	33⅛	35¼
,, 15″ ,, ,, ,, 16″ ...	25¾	28¼	30⅜	32¾	35¾	37⅞
,, 16″ ,, ,, ,, 17″ ...	26⅝	29⅛	31¼	33½	36½	39⅛
,, 17″ ,, ,, ,, 18″ ...	27⅝	30⅞	33⅛	35⅝	38¾	41⅜
,, 18″ ,, ,, ,, 19½″ ...	29	31⅞	34½	37	40⅛	43⅛
,, 19½″ ,, ,, ,, 20″ ...	30⅜	33¼	36	38⅝	42⅛	45
,, 20″ ,, ,, ,, 21″ ...	31⅜	34⅜	37	39⅝	43½	46½
,, 21″ ,, ,, ,, 22″ ...	32¼	35⅝	38¼	41⅛	44⅞	48⅜
,, 22″ ,, ,, ,, 23″ ...	33¾	36¾	39⅝	43	46⅜	50¼
,, 23″ ,, ,, ,, 24″ ...	35⅜	38⅞	41¾	45⅞	48⅞	52½

PART II

The charges calculated at the rates set out in Part I of this Schedule may, by reason of the matters set out in column 1 of the following table, in relation to the articles set out in that column, be increased by an amount calculated at the appropriate rate *per dozen* articles or rows, as the case may be, specified or referred to in column 2 thereof.

TABLE

Column 1	Column 2 Amount per dozen articles
1. *Width of cloth* Cushion covers, pillow and bolster cases (item 3 in Part I of this Schedule) made from cloth of a width other than 40″.	An amount equal to the additional costs which, it is established, was incurred by reason of using a cloth of a width other than 40″.
2. *Eyelets* Tablecloths, tray cloths, napkins, shams, etc., sheets, cushion covers, pillow and bolster cases (items 1, 2 and 3 in Part I of this Schedule) being shire hemstitched articles supplied with eyelets.	(*a*) 11½d. in the case of sheets. (*b*) 1s. 3d. in all other cases.
3. *Special tabbing* The special tabbing of sheets, cushion covers, pillow and bolster cases (items 2 and 3 in Part I of this Schedule)—	
tabs sewn on 2 sides	3½d.
tabs sewn on 4 sides	6d.

Column 1	Column 2 Amount per dozen articles
4. *Double seams* Cushion covers, pillow and bolster cases (item 3 in Part I of this Schedule) made with double seams.	6d.
5. *Extra hemstitching* Sheets (item 2 in Part I of this Schedule) which are hemstitched at end instead of plain hemmed.	3s. 10d. where the width does not exceed 72″. 4s. 1½d. where the width exceeds 72″ but does not exceed 80″. 4s. 7d. where the width exceeds 80″.
6. *Measuring piece goods* (i) plain hemmed damask cloths ... ... (ii) plain hemmed cross bordered towels	4d. 1¼d.
7. *Small parcels* Cross bordered towels which are supplied in parcels of 5 dozen.	1¼d.
8. *Narrow hems* (1) Punch hemstitched handkerchiefs (i) where the width of the hem is less than ⅜″ but not less than $\frac{3}{16}$″.	⅜d.
(ii) where the width of the hem is less than $\frac{3}{16}$″ but not less than ¼″.	⅞d.
(iii) where the width of the hem is less than ¼″ (with four entries).	1⅜d.
(2) Shire hemstitched handkerchiefs where the hem is $\frac{1}{16}$″ wide (i) where the cloth is not more than 16″ square.	5⅜d.
(ii) where the cloth is more than 16″ square.	7¼d.
(3) Punch spoked handkerchiefs (Through or French Corners) (i) where the width of the hem is less than ⅜″ but not less than $\frac{3}{16}$″.	⅜d.
(ii) where the width of the hem is less than $\frac{3}{16}$″ but not less than ¼″.	⅞d.

	Amount per dozen rows			
	Where the side of the handkerchief is :—			
	over 9″ but not over 10″	over 10″ but not over 11″	over 11″ but not over 12″	over 12″ but not over 13″
9. *Inside Rows of punch spoking* In relation to punch spoke handkerchiefs with inside rows of punch spoking :—	d.	d.	d.	d.
(1) where the rows are turned (*a*) 14 stitches to the inch	11⅛	11⅞	12⅝	14¼
(*b*) 16 stitches to the inch	12⅛	12⅞	14¼	16⅛
(*c*) 18 stitches to the inch	12⅞	13⅝	15½	17⅜
(2) where the rows are stopped at the hem or at another row (*a*) 14 stitches to the inch	13⅞	14⅝	15⅝	17
(*b*) 16 stitches to the inch	14⅞	15⅝	17	19
(*c*) 18 stitches to the inch	15⅝	16⅜	18¼	20½

Column 1	Column 2 Amount per dozen articles
10. *Fancy Cloths* In relation to punch hemstitched handkerchiefs made of the following cloths :—	
(i) white or coloured cord, zephyr, roller print, lenos (all cotton).	$\frac{3}{4}$d.
(ii) mercerised and mull cords and roller prints.	1d.
The following matters (Nos. 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15) relate to punch hemstitched handkerchiefs and narrow plain hemmed handkerchiefs :—	
11. *Linen Goods*	
Not exceeding $15\frac{1}{2}$"	$\frac{3}{4}$d.
Exceeding $15\frac{1}{2}$"	1d.
12. *Ticketing* One ticket per handkerchief (tickets supplied by customer).	$\frac{1}{2}$d.
13. *Hemming with coloured thread*	
(i) punch hemstitched	$\frac{1}{2}$d.
(ii) plain hemmed	$\frac{1}{2}$d.
(iii) punch or shire spoked	$\frac{3}{4}$d.
14. *Folding, tying and boxing* Where the handkerchiefs are not supplied bundle fold in 10 dozen parcels but are :—	
(i) tied with paper bands (supplied by customer)	
in dozens	2d. } Square fold goods $\frac{1}{4}$d. extra.
in half dozens	3d.
in fours	4d.
(ii) tied with rayon ribbon or gold vellum	
in dozens	$3\frac{3}{8}$d. } Square fold goods, $\frac{1}{2}$d. extra.
in half dozens	$5\frac{5}{8}$d.
in fours	$7\frac{7}{8}$d.
(iii) boxed	
in 5 dozens	$\frac{1}{2}$d.
in dozens	$\frac{3}{4}$d.
in half dozens	$1\frac{1}{8}$d.
in fours	2d.
(iv) parcelled in lots of less than 10 dozen ...	$\frac{1}{2}$d.
15. *Paring*	
(1) where one side only is pared	$\frac{5}{8}$d.
(2) where all sides are pared	$2\frac{1}{8}$d.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

This Order re-enacts the Hemming (Maximum Charges) (No. 2) Order, 1946, with amendments.

The changes are:—

1. The maximum charges for hemming carried out in Northern Ireland are increased. Where the increases relate to articles described in the Second Schedule, they are indicated by marginal lines; in relation to other articles, the addition to the March, 1945, charge is increased from 16⅔rds per cent. to 25 per cent.
2. The definition of " maximum charge " is amended.
3. Additions are made to the Second Schedule which are indicated by underlining.

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(22) HOLLOW-WARE

(i) *General Hollow-Ware.*
(ii) *Aluminium Hollow-Ware*, p. 1498.
(iii) *Enamelled Hollow-Ware*, p. 1498.

(i) GENERAL HOLLOW-WARE

The General Hollow-Ware (Maximum Prices) (Consolidation) Order, 1948

1948 No. 2114

Made - - - -	*15th September*, 1948
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The Board of Trade, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by Sections 1, 13 and 18 of the Goods and Services (Price Control) Act, 1941(a), as amended by the Defence (Price Control) Regulations, 1945(b), and all other powers in that behalf enabling them, hereby order as follows:—

Scope of Order.

1.—(1) The maximum prices to be charged in the course of businesses of the following classes, namely, manufacturer, importer, wholesaler and retailer, in respect of hollow-ware to which this Order applies shall be computed in such manner and by reference to such matters as are hereinafter provided.

(2) The hollow-ware to which this Order applies (hereinafter called " goods ") is new hollow-ware of metal of a kind used for domestic purposes except:—

(i) aluminium hollow-ware;
(ii) vitreous enamelled wrought steel hollow-ware;
(iii) tin lids for saucepans, stewpans, stewpan kettles and round pots (other than tin lids for articles which are not enamelled wrought steel hollow-ware when sold with such articles);
(iv) hollow-ware purchased by or on behalf of a Government Department in respect of which the seller shall have notice, before or at the time of supply, that it was being so purchased;

(a) 4 & 5 Geo. 6. c. 31. (b) S.R. & O. 1945 (No. 1613) II, p. 81.