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Regulations under the Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1902.

Department of Mines,

Perth, 25th July, 1902.

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HIS Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to make the following Regulations under the powers conferred by the sixty-fifth and seventy-second sections of "The Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1902."

H. GREGORY,

Minister for Mines.

PART I.—REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE COAL MINERS' ACCIDENT RELIEF FUND.

PART II.—REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE GRANTING OF CERTIFICATES TO MANAGERS AND UNDER MANAGERS.

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PART IV.—REGISTRATION OF BOYS AND THE FURNISHING OF MONTHLY RETURNS.

PART I.—ACCIDENT RELIEF FUND.

1. The trustee to be appointed by the mine owners shall be appointed by memorandum under the hand, or, in the case of an incorporated company, the seal, of each owner, and such memorandum shall be transmitted to the Minister.

2. The trustee to be appointed by the miners shall be appointed in manner following:—

An Inspector of Mines, or some other person to be nominated by the Minister, shall, by seven days' notice, in writing, exhibited on each mine in the district, convene a meeting of miners, who, at such meeting, shall appoint a trustee, and the name of the person appointed shall be transmitted by the Inspector or such other person as aforesaid to the Minister.

3. The persons appointed as aforesaid, with the trustee appointed by the Minister, shall constitute the trustees of the fund, and their appointment shall be notified in the *Government Gazette*. Any two trustees shall constitute a quorum, and may operate on the trust account.

4. The Accident Committee shall consist of five members, to be appointed by the miners at the meeting convened under Regulation 2 for the appointment of a trustee, and the names of the persons appointed shall be transmitted by the Inspector of Mines or such other person as aforesaid to the Minister, and notified in the *Government Gazette*. Any three members of the Committee shall constitute a quorum.

5. Every trustee and every member of the Accident Committee shall hold office for one year from the notification of his appointment in the *Government Gazette*, but shall be eligible for re-appointment.

6. In the case of any vacancy in the office of any trustee or member of an Accident Committee by death, resignation, or otherwise, another trustee or member shall be appointed in manner aforesaid.

7. All contributions to the Fund shall be paid to the trustees, and shall be paid by them to the credit of a trust account to be kept in the names of the trustees at a bank approved by the Minister.

8. All moneys withdrawn from the trust account shall be paid by the trustees to any person injured, or to the relatives of any person injured, in accordance with the recommendation and with the approval of the Accident Committee.

9. In making any recommendation the Accident Committee shall be guided by the following rules:—

- (a.) Any workman who meets with an accident which disables him from work shall send, or cause to be sent, within seven days of such accident occurring, a notice, in writing, to the Inspector of Mines for the district, giving full particulars as to date, time, and circumstances attending such accident; and all applications for relief must be made to the Accident Committee within ten days of the date of the accident, or the claim cannot be entertained.
- (b.) When any employee has been off work, through an accident, for one week or more he may receive any sum not exceeding One pound per week, or at the rate of three shillings and fourpence for every working day from the date of the accident; such payments shall only be made and continued on the certificate of a qualified medical practitioner that the employee is unable to work. In the case of any employee permanently disabled he may, on the certificate of a qualified medical practitioner, be granted a fixed sum not exceeding Fifty pounds in satisfaction of all claims.
- (c.) No payment to any employee shall be recommended unless the medical practitioner and the Inspector of Mines for the district certify that, in their opinion, the injuries to the employee were caused, under the circumstances described in the particulars of claim, while following his employment in or about the mine.
- (d.) When any accident resulting in the disablement of any employee occurs in any mine situate in a locality remote from settlement, where the services of a duly qualified medical practitioner are not procurable, payment at the prescribed rate may be made for any period not exceeding thirty days from the date of the accident, on the certificate of the Inspector of Mines for the district alone.

(e.) No employee shall be entitled to relief for an accident caused by drinking intoxicating liquors, fighting, or any kind of athletic sports or game of amusement, or any accident directly attributable to the serious and wilful misconduct of the employee.

(f.) If any employee meets with an accident which proves fatal, a sum not exceeding Ten pounds may be granted to any person towards defraying the funeral expenses of the deceased, and an additional sum not exceeding Fifteen pounds may be granted to the widow or any near relative of such deceased employee, if previously dependent upon the deceased for support, in full satisfaction of all claims upon the Fund.

10. Any employee, while in receipt of relief, must be in his usual place of abode by seven o'clock every evening, unless he can show reasonable cause to the Accident Committee for being abroad after that hour.

11. An employee misconducting himself by fighting, being under the influence of intoxicating liquors, behaving in a riotous or indecent manner, or behaving in any way that constitutes a breach of the public peace, or an offence to morality or common decency, while in receipt of relief on account of any accident, shall cease to receive further relief in respect of such accident from the time that he so misconducts himself.

12. In the event of any member of the Accident Committee obtaining, or being placed in the possession of, information that any employee in receipt of relief has misconducted himself as aforesaid, it shall be incumbent upon him to make a report to the members of the district Accident Committee of the said misconduct.

13. In the event of the employee concerned requiring an inquiry to be held into the nature of, or circumstances attending, the misconduct with which he is charged, the Accident Committee shall hold such inquiry and receive evidence bearing upon the nature and circumstances attending the alleged misconduct, or evidence rebutting the same.

14. In the event of the Accident Committee being satisfied that the employee so charged has exonerated himself, or that a reasonable doubt exists as to his participation in the misconduct with which he is charged, the Committee shall have power to pay any arrears of relief money which have accrued since the charge was made to the employee so charged, or any portion thereof.

15. It shall not be competent for any employee so charged to be represented by any counsel or solicitor at such inquiry.

16. No employee suffering from disablement from an accident received in or about a mine shall be entitled to relief if he is in receipt of relief amounting to the sum of Two pounds per week or over from any Friendly Society, insurance company, or other institution in consequence of such accident.

17. In the event of any employee desirous of obtaining relief, being in receipt of any relief, or entitled to receive relief from any Friendly Society, insurance company, or other institution, he shall give full particulars of such relief, or relief to which he is entitled, to the Accident Committee when making his claim.

18. The Accident Committee shall not allow such employee any relief beyond an amount sufficient to bring up the total relief received by the said employee to Two pounds per week.

19. In the event of any employee misleading an Accident Committee as to any relief received by him, or which he is entitled to receive, from any Friendly Society, insurance company, or other institution, or concealing or neglecting to forward particulars of such relief, it shall be competent for the Accident Committee to cease to afford relief, or any portion thereof, during the period that the employee is incapacitated from work in consequence of the accident which occasioned his disablement, from the time when he so misled the Committee.

20. In the event of any employee subsequently obtaining or becoming entitled to obtain relief during such disablement from any Friendly Society, insurance company, or other institution, he shall forthwith furnish the Committee with particulars thereof, and any omission so to do shall constitute a breach of these Regulations, and the Committee may cease to afford the employee any further relief.

21. If the trustees are of opinion at any time that the scale of relief provided by these Regulations is inadequate, or, having regard to the state of the funds at their disposal, that the scale should be reduced, they shall make a recommendation to the Minister accordingly, with the view to an amendment of Regulation 9: Provided that no recommendation shall be made to increase the rate of relief beyond Twenty-five shillings per week.

22. In the event of the demands for relief being in excess of the funds at the disposal of the trustees, relief shall abate proportionately.

23. The trustees shall keep proper books of accounts showing the various items of receipt and expenditure in relation to the said account, and such books shall at all reasonable times be open to the inspection of the Inspector of Mines or other person appointed by the Minister, who may take such extracts therefrom as he may require.

24. Any actual and necessary disbursements attending the appointment of any trustee or members of the Committee, or incurred by the trustees in the performance of their duties, and approved by the Minister, may be paid out of the Trust Funds.

PART II.—CERTIFICATES TO MINING MANAGERS AND UNDER-MANAGERS.

25. The Board will sit in Perth in the months of April and October in every year for the examination of candidates giving notice of their intention to present themselves for examination, and for the granting of certificates of competency or service, without examination, at such times as the Minister may appoint. Notice of the intention to hold examination shall be advertised in a paper or papers circulating in the coal-mining districts of the State.

26. Any person desirous of presenting himself for examination shall notify the Secretary to the Board of Examiners for Mining Managers, Department of Mines, Perth, of the fact on a form (Schedule I.), which may be obtained from the Secretary. The notice shall be accompanied by the fees prescribed in Regulation 31. This fee shall admit to one examination only.

27. On receipt of the notice and fees, an authorisation to present himself for examination (Schedule II.) shall then be forwarded to the candidate by the Secretary.

28. Candidates shall forward to the Secretary for the Board of Examiners, at least fourteen days before the date of the examination, satisfactory evidence as to sobriety, experience (in conformity with Section 24), ability, and general good conduct, a statement of age and occupation, where and by whom employed during at least the preceding five years. A statutory declaration shall be attached to the effect that all the representations contained in such statement are true.

29. A period of three years apprenticeship may be substituted as an alternative for an equivalent period of practical experience in a mine under the Act, if the apprentice has had, in the discharge of his duties, to go down mines, and obtain practical experience therein.

30. If in any case the Board of Examiners do not deem the evidence of sobriety, experience (in conformity with Section 24), general good conduct, statement of age and occupation, where and by whom employed during at least the preceding five years, satisfactory, they shall refuse to allow such candidate to present himself for examination, his application fee shall be forfeited, and such candidate shall be debarred from again entering for examination for a period of twelve months.

Certificates of Competency.

31. The fees payable by applicants for certificates shall be as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Fee to be paid by an applicant for a First or Second Class Certificate of Competency or Service	2	0	0
Fee to be paid on the granting of a First or Second Class Certificate of Competency or Service	1	0	0
Fee to be paid on the issue of copy of Certificate	1	0	0

32. Applicants for examination for first-class Certificates of Competency shall be examined in the following subjects, or as many of them as the examiners may deem necessary:—

- (1.) ARITHMETIC.—Elementary rules; use of vulgar and decimal fractions, and extract of square and cube root.
- (2.) SURVEYING.—Knowledge of surface and underground surveying; use of level and theodolite, and making of mine plans.
- (3.) GEOLOGY.—The elements; the effects that faults produce in coal measures; how to ascertain the direction of a coal seam when severed by a fault; a knowledge of the composition and character of different classes of coal; also the character of the rocks and formation of the country where coal is likely to be found.
- (4.) MACHINERY.—Theoretical and effective power of winding; hauling and pumping engines; boilers; rudiments of electricity; strength of ropes, chains, and other material.
- (5.) VENTILATION.—Theory and practice of the various methods of ventilation; construction of airways; velocity and division of currents, and the deductions to be made for friction.
- (6.) DANGEROUS GASES.—The nature and composition of explosive and dangerous gases occurring in coal mines; the liability of explosions from coal dust and their prevention; spontaneous combustion.
- (7.) MINING OF COAL.—Sinking of shafts; opening out of mines; various systems of working coal; drainage of mines; underground haulage; use of explosives; tapping water; construction of dams to keep water back in underground workings.
- (8.) COAL MINES REGULATION ACT.—Knowledge of the provisions of "The Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1902."

The subjects of examination for second-class Certificates of Competency shall be:—

- (1.) ARITHMETIC.—Elementary rules.
- (2.) VENTILATION.—Theory and practice of; nature and properties of gases met with in mines.
- (3.) MINING OF COAL.—Sinking of shafts; various methods of hewing and working coal; use of explosives; tapping water; underground haulage.
- (4.) COAL MINES REGULATION ACT.—Knowledge of the provisions of "The Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1902."
- (5.) ROADWAYS.—Making, securing, and maintenance of roadways.

33. The examinations shall be conducted partly by means of printed or written papers, and partly *viva voce*.

34. A minimum aggregate number of marks to qualify for either first or second-class Certificates of Competency shall be 66 per cent.

35. On the examination papers with each question shall be stated the possible number of marks obtainable for the answer.

36. The candidates shall write out their answers to the questions in the presence of the Examiners, or of any person appointed by them, in accordance with rules which shall be laid down from time to time by the Examiners.

Certificates of Service.

37. A person desirous of obtaining a first-class Certificate of Service shall notify the Secretary to the Board of Examiners of the fact on a form (Schedule III.), which may be obtained from the Secretary. The notice shall be accompanied by the fees prescribed in Regulation 31.

38. A candidate for a first-class Certificate of Service shall forward to the Secretary, together with his application, satisfactory evidence that he has acted in the capacity of Inspector of Mines or manager of a coal mine or coal mines for two years within a period of five years immediately prior to the commencement of this Act.

39. A person desirous of obtaining a second-class certificate of service shall notify the Secretary to the Board of Examiners of the fact on a form (Schedule III.), which may be obtained from the Secretary. The notice shall be accompanied by the fees prescribed in Regulation 31.

40. A candidate for a second-class certificate of service shall forward to the Secretary, together with his application, satisfactory evidence either, that before the commencement of this Act he was exercising, and has since that date, exercised or that he has at any time within five years immediately before such commencement, exercised for not less than two years, functions substantially corresponding to those of an under manager or overman.

41. If in any case of an application for a Certificate of Service the Board of Examiners does not deem the evidence of service sufficient or satisfactory the application fee shall be forfeited, and such candidate shall be debarred from making a further application for a period of not less than twelve months.

Copies of Certificates.

42. Whenever any mine manager, under-manager, or overman has lost a certificate granted under the Act, a copy of the certificate may be issued, in accordance with Section 29 of this Act, on payment of the fee prescribed by Regulation 31.

Examiners.

43. If a member of the Board of Examiners becomes incapable of acting or refuses or fails to act, or acts negligently in the performance of his duties as an examiner, he may be removed by the Governor in Council and another examiner appointed in his place.

44. No person shall be eligible for a certificate either of competency or of service as a mine manager, under-manager, or overman unless he is 23 years of age.

Schedule I.

Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1902.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR A * CLASS CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCY AS
MINING MANAGER.

No.....

....., 1902.

To the Secretary of the Board of Examiners for Mining Managers.

Mines Department,
Perth.

SIR,

I hereby make application for a Class Certificate of Competency as Mining Manager, and beg to notify you that it is my intention to present myself for examination, at, by the Board of Examiners.

I enclose † for the sum of as required by the Regulations.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

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* Insert "First" or "Second." † Insert "Cash," "Postal Note," or "Post Office Order," as the case may be.

Schedule II.

Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1902.

AUTHORISATION TO ATTEND BEFORE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR MINING MANAGERS FOR EXAMINATION:

Mines Department,
Perth,

....., 1902.

To.....

SIR,

You are hereby authorised to attend before the Board of Examiners at....., on the.....of....., 1902, at.....a.m., for examination, and you are hereby requested to forward to me, at least fourteen days before the date of the examination, satisfactory evidence, as to sobriety, experience (in conformity with section 24), ability, and general good conduct, a statement of age and occupation, where and by whom employed during at least the last five years, accompanied by a statutory declaration to the effect that all the appended representations are true.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

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Secretary to the Board of Examiners for Mining Managers.

Schedule III.

The Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1902.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR A *.....CLASS CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE.

To the Secretary of the Board of Examiners for Mining Managers.

No.....

....., 1902.

SIR,

I hereby make application for a.....Class Certificate of Service as a Mining Manager, and beg to notify you that it is my intention to present myself for examination as to the *bona fides* of my application at.....by the Board of Examiners.

I enclose †.....for the sum of.....as required by the Regulations.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

* Insert "First" or "Second." † Insert "Cash," "Postal Note," or "Post Office Order," as the case may be.

PART III.—CERTIFICATES TO ENGINE-DRIVERS IN COAL MINES.

Preliminary Requirements.

45. Examinations shall be held at such times and such places as the Minister may appoint. Ample notice of the intention to hold an examination shall be advertised in the paper or papers circulating in any of the Coal-mining districts of the State.

46. Any person desirous of presenting himself for examination for any certificate shall notify the Secretary to the Board of Examiners for Engine-drivers of the fact on a form (Schedules IIIA. and VI. respectively), which may be obtained from the Secretary. The notice shall be accompanied by the fees prescribed by Schedule IV. for the respective certificates.

47. Candidates shall forward to the Secretary, at least 14 days before the date of the examination, satisfactory evidence as to sobriety, experience, and general good conduct, a statement of age and occupation, where and by whom employed during the last two years, to which a statutory declaration shall be by him appended to the effect that all the representations contained in such statement are true. Each candidate for a First or Second Class Certificate of Competency or Service shall also forward to the Secretary, attached to Form (Schedule IIIA.), a Certificate from a duly qualified medical practitioner certifying that he is not subject to any physical infirmity, such as deafness, defective vision, or epilepsy, which would be likely to interfere with the efficient discharge of his duties.

48. If in any case the Board of Examiners does not deem the evidence of sobriety, general good conduct, experience, etc., satisfactory, they shall refuse to allow such candidate to present himself for examination. His application fee shall be forfeited, and such candidate shall be debarred from again entering for examination for a period of six months. In the event of a candidate failing to pass an examination, he shall not again present himself for examination for such period not exceeding six months as the Board may decide.

Certificates of Competency.

49. (a.) An applicant for a first-class Certificate of Competency must produce to the Board satisfactory evidence that he has been the holder of a second-class Certificate under this Act, or under the "Mines

Regulation Act, 1895," with amendments thereto, or a certificate, in the opinion of the Board, equivalent thereto, for a period of not less than twelve months.

(b.) He shall also produce satisfactory evidence from the driver by whom the applicant has been taught that he has had at least six months' experience during that period in assisting to drive a winding engine. A document, signed by the mining manager or engineer by whom the applicant is or has been employed, bearing on this clause, may be considered satisfactory evidence.

(c.) That he is, at the date of examination, not less than nineteen years of age, and not over fifty years of age. This latter age does not apply to persons who have had experience of driving winding engines previous to attaining the age of 50 years.

50. Applicants for examination for a first-class Certificate shall be examined—

(1.) On the different classes of steam engines used in winding, and also all the internal and moving parts, pumps, engines, and other machinery used for mining purposes.

(2.) On the different appliances and indicators used to show the position of the cage in the shaft in which persons are conveyed, also the meaning of the different signals used in mines.

(3.) On the different kinds of boilers used for winding engines, and their mountings and connections, and the effect of impurities in water used in such boilers, and the different remedies adopted to keep them clean.

(4.) On the different kinds of stationary engines and boilers usually used in or about mines.

(5.) On the effective power of steam engines and boilers.

(6.) On the prevention of priming in boilers.

(7.) On the daily duties of an engine-driver, and precautions to be taken against accidents.

(8.) On the Coal Mines Regulation Act and any amendments thereto as far as it applies to steam engines, boilers, and other winding appliances.

51. An applicant for a second-class certificate of competency must produce to the Board satisfactory evidence—

(a.) That within a period of two years prior to the date of examination he has, during not less than 12 months, been assisting in driving engines used for mining or other purposes. A document signed by the mining manager or engineer of the company by whom the applicant is or has been employed, or by the engine-driver by whom the applicant has been taught, bearing on this clause, may be considered satisfactory evidence.

(b.) That he is, at the date of examination, not under the age of 18 years nor over the age of 50 years. This latter age not to apply to persons who have had experience in driving engines previous to their attaining the age of 50 years.

52. Applicants for examination for a second-class Certificate shall be examined—

- (1.) On the different kinds of stationary engines (other than winding engines), and boilers usually used in or about mines, also on the internal and moving parts, pumping engines, and other machinery used for mining purposes.
- (2.) On the effect of impurities in water used in such boilers, and the different remedies adopted to keep them clean.
- (3.) On the prevention of priming in boilers.
- (4.) On the daily duties of an engine-driver, and precautions to be taken against accidents.
- (5.) On the Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1902, and any amendments thereto.

53. The questions, both oral and written, shall be such as to test the intelligence and practical knowledge of the candidate on the broad principles of an engine-driver's duties.

Certificates of Service.

54. A person desirous of obtaining a Certificate of Service shall notify the Secretary to the Board of Examiners for Engine-Drivers of the fact on a form (Schedule IIIA.), which may be obtained from the Secretary. The notice shall be accompanied by the fees as prescribed in Schedule IV., also by a certificate from a duly qualified medical practitioner stating that he is not subject to any physical infirmity, such as deafness, defective vision, or epilepsy, which would be likely to interfere with the efficient discharge of his duties.

55. A candidate for a Certificate of Service shall forward to the Secretary, together with his application, satisfactory evidence that he has been in charge of, and has efficiently managed, upon a mine of any description, machinery worked by steam for a period of 12 months prior to the passing of this Act, and the Board shall grant to such candidate a first-class or a second-class Certificate of Service as they may decide.

Learners' Permits.

56. A Learner's Permit shall entitle the holder to become a learner under a certificated engine-driver employed in driving any engine other than a winding engine, such permit to be held by the holder for a period of 12 months before he is entitled to present himself for examination for a second-class certificate.

57. An applicant for a Learner's Permit shall satisfy the Board—

- (a.) As to his respectability of character.
- (b.) That he is, at the date of examination, not under the age of 17 years.
- (c.) That neither his eyesight nor his hearing is defective, and that he is not subject to any mental or bodily infirmity likely to interfere with the efficient discharge of his duties.
- (d.) That he can read and write and is conversant with the simple rules of arithmetic.

58. Every holder of a Learner's Permit Certificate must surrender the same to the Board prior to his being examined for a second-class Engine-driver's Certificate, and, in the event of his passing the examination, the permit shall be permanently retained by the Board.

Copies of Certificates.

59. Whenever any first or second-class certificated engine-driver has lost a certificate granted under the Act, a copy of the certificate may be issued, in accordance with Section 29 of this Act, on payment of 5s.; or, for a copy of a Learner's Permit, 2s. 6d.

Disqualification of Holders of Certificates.

60. Should the holder of any certificate from the Board of Examiners mutilate, deface, add to, or erase in any manner the certificate issued, the Board may, in its discretion, recommend the cancellation of the certificate, and he shall not be allowed to again present himself before the Board until a period of not less than 12 months has elapsed from the date of the *Government Gazette* containing the Governor's approval of such cancellation.

61. If, at any time, representations, in writing, be made to a Board of Examiners that any engine-driver, holding a Certificate of Competency or Service issued under the Act, is, by reason of incompetency or gross negligence, unfit to discharge his duties, or that he has been convicted of any offence against "The Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1902," or "The Mines Regulation Act, 1895," or that he has been guilty of any offence or misconduct likely to be detrimental to the proper or efficient discharge of his duties, the Board may, if they think fit, inquire into the conduct of such engine-driver; and if he fails to satisfy the Board, he may be disqualified by the Governor for any period from acting as an engine-driver, and notice of such disqualification shall be published in the *Government Gazette*.

62. Any such person shall, after such notice, deliver into the charge of the said Board his Certificate of Competency or Service, which shall be retained by the said Board during the period of his disqualification, and no such person shall, during the period of his disqualification, take charge of any mining machinery in which steam, water, air, gas, oil, or electricity, or any two or more of them are used as motive power.

Complaints.

63. With respect to any inquiry held under Regulation 18, the following provisions shall have effect:—

- (1.) The inquiry shall be held at such time and place as the Board may appoint, and the engine-driver shall have the right to engage counsel to defend him at such inquiry. He shall receive 14 days' notice of the Board's intention to hold an inquiry, and if the engine-driver intends to employ counsel he shall give seven days' notice of such intention to the Secretary of the Board.
- (2.) The Chairman of the Board, before the commencement of the inquiry, shall furnish to the engine-driver a statement of the case upon which the inquiry is instituted.
- (3.) The engine-driver shall attend such inquiry and may produce such evidence as may be considered necessary.
- (4.) The Board shall, upon the conclusion of the inquiry, forward to the Minister of Mines a report containing a full statement of the case, and their opinion thereon.
- (5.) An engine-driver may, in addition to his disqualification, be compelled to defray all or part of the expenses of any inquiry which may be held under the provisions of this clause.

Schedule IIIA,

The Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1902.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR A *.....CLASS CERTIFICATE OF †.....
 No.....

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To the Secretary of the Board of Examiners for Engine-drivers.

Received.....Certificate
 of.....No.....

SIR,

I hereby make application for a certificate as an engine-driver, and beg to notify you that it is my intention to present myself for examination at.....by the Board of Examiners. I enclose ‡.....for the sum of.....shillings, as required by the Regulations.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

1. Name and Address in full of Applicant	1.
2. Place of Birth of Applicant ...	2.
3. Date of Birth	3.
4. Number and Date of previous Certificate granted by any responsible Board, and whether of Service or Competency.	4.
5. Name and Locality of Mine or Mines at which the Applicant is or has been employed as an Engine-driver; also nature and length of service.	5.
6. Name and Address of any person or persons to whom reference may, if considered necessary, be made for verification of above particulars.	6.

* Insert "First" or "Second." † Insert "Competency" or "Service." ‡ Insert "Cash," "Postal Note," or "Post Office Order," as the case may be.

Schedule IV.

	£	s.	d.
Fee to be paid by Applicant for Learner's Permit	0	2	6
Fee to be paid on issue of Learner's Permit	0	2	6
Fee to be paid by Applicant for a Certificate of Competency or of Service ...	0	10	0
Fee to be paid on the granting of a Certificate of Competency or Service ...	1	0	0
Fee to be paid on the granting of Interim Certificate (1° and 2° Edwd. VII., No. 25, Sec. 33)	0	5	0
Fee to be paid on the issue of a copy of a 1st or 2nd class Certificate ...	0	5	0
Fee to be paid on the issue of a copy of a Learner's Permit	0	2	6

Schedule V.

No.....

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.



The Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1902.

LEARNER'S PERMIT CERTIFICATE.

This is to certify that.....has satisfied the Board of Examiners for the.....Goldfield that he is qualified to become a Learner under a Certificated Engine-driver to assist in driving any engine for mining purposes other than a winding engine.

..... Board of Examiners.

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Schedule VI.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR A LEARNER'S PERMIT CERTIFICATE.

The Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1902.

No.....

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To the Secretary of the Board of Examiners for Engine-drivers,

SIR,

I hereby make application for a Learner's Permit Certificate, and beg to notify you that it is my intention to present myself for examination at.....by the Board of Examiners. I enclose *.....for the sum of Two shillings and sixpence, as required by the Regulations.

The particulars hereunder are furnished for the information of the Board :—

Table with 2 columns: Particulars and Reference. Rows include Name and Address, Place of Birth, and Date of Birth.

I am, Sir, Your obedient Servant,

* Insert "Cash," Postal Note," or "Post Office Order," as the case may be.

Received, Learner's Permit Certificate No.....

Signature.....

PART IV.—REGISTRATION OF BOYS AND MONTHLY RETURNS.

64. The registration of boys, in accordance with Section 9, shall be kept at the office of the mine, as per form Schedule VII.

65. The returns to be sent to the Inspector of the District, in accordance with Section 37, shall be in accordance with form Schedule VIII.

Schedule VII.

REGISTRATION OF BOYS UNDER COAL MINES REGULATION ACT, 1902, SECTION 9.

Total number of Boys employed underground					
Total number of Boys employed above ground					
Name.	Age when first employed.	Date when first employed.	Employed above ground or under.	When left employment.	Date of attaining 18 years.	

Schedule VIII.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Mining District.....

“The Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1902.”

Names of { Owner.....
 Mauager.....
 Overmen.....

COLLIERIES.

MONTHLY RETURN, RENDERED PURSUANT TO SECTION 37.

(To be lodged in Duplicate with the Inspector not later than the 5th of each month.)

Year.	Month.	Locality.	Official Number of Lease.	Registered Name of Mine.	Average Number of Men employed.		Area in Acres.	Coal raised.	Estimated Value.	Remarks.
					Above Ground.	Under Ground.				
								*Tons	£	

I hereby certify that the above is a true statement of all the particulars therein set forth.

Dated this.....day of....., 190 .

....., Owner or Manager.

* Hundredweights and quarters should be expressed as decimals of a ton.

NOTE.—If there has been no coal raised during the month insert the word “Nil.”