

force and virtue, and that you Our said Commissioners, or any three or more of you, may from time to time proceed in the execution thereof, and of every matter and thing therein contained, although the same be not continued from time to time by adjournment.

And We do further ordain that you, or any three or more of you, have liberty to report your proceedings under this Our Commission from time to time if you shall judge it expedient so to do.

And Our further will and pleasure is that you do, with as little delay as possible, report to Us under your hands and seals, or under the hands and seals of any three or more of you, your opinion upon the matters herein submitted for your consideration.

And for the purpose of aiding you in your inquiries We hereby appoint Our trusty and well-beloved Charles Clive Bigham, Esquire, Companion of our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Captain in Our Reserve of Officers, to be Secretary to this Our Commission.

Given at Our Court at *Saint James's*, the second day of *September*, one thousand nine hundred and five, in the fifth year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command,
St. John Brodrick.

Foreign Office,
July 28, 1905.

The KING has been pleased to approve of—

Mr. L. A. Gallé as Consul of Belgium at Manchester for Lancashire (except the south-west part bounded by the railway line connecting Southport and Warrington, via Wigan) and the whole of the Manchester Ship Canal;

Mr. Gabriel Bie Ravndal as Consul of the United States of America at Dawson City; and Señor Don Joaquim Macias as Consul of Nicaragua at Birmingham.

Foreign Office,
August 21, 1905.

The KING has been pleased to approve of—

Mr. Mark J. Kelly as Consul-General of Salvador for Great Britain and Ireland, to reside at London;

Dr. Carl Westerfield as German Consul at Kimberley for Griqualand West;

Don Nicacio Moral y Cañete as Consul of Spain at Glasgow;

Mr. Frederic MacMaster as Consul of the United States of America at Zanzibar;

Mr. Maxwell K. Moorhead as Consul of the United States of America at St. Thomas, Ontario;

Mr. Charles Jenkins as Consul of the Argentine Republic at Calcutta; and

Mr. T. W. Fladgate as Consul of Liberia at Southampton.

Foreign Office,
August 23, 1905.

The KING has been pleased to approve of—

Don J. Gascon Gonzalez de Bernedo as Consul of Chile at Hong Kong; and Señor Andreas Dacker as Consul of Uruguay at Leith.

WILD BIRD PROTECTION.

The Wild Birds Protection (County of Carnarvon) Order, 1905.

Dated 2nd September, 1905.

In pursuance of the powers conferred on me by the Wild Birds Protection Acts, 1880 to 1904. and upon application by the County Council of the Administrative County of Carnarvon, I hereby make the following Order:—

Title.

I. This Order may be cited as "The Wild Birds Protection (County of Carnarvon) Order, 1905."

BIRDS.

Close Time Extended.

II. The time during which the killing or taking of the following species of Wild Birds is prohibited by the Act of 1880, shall be extended throughout the county of Carnarvon, so as to be between the last day of February and the 1st day of October in each year:—

American Quail, Auk, Avocet, Bee Eater, Bittern, Bonxie, Colin, Cornish Chough, Coulteneb, Cuckoo, D. tterel, Dunlin, Fern Owl, Fulmar, Gannet, Goatsucker, Godwit, Goldfinch, Grebe, Greenshank, Guillemot, Gull (except Blackbacked Gull), Hoopoe, Kingfisher, Kittiwake, Loon, Marrot, Merganser, Murre, Nighthawk, Nightingale, Nightjar, Oriole, Owl, Oxbird, Oyster Catcher, Petrel, Phalarope, Ploverspage, Puffin, Purre, Razorbill, Redshank, Reeve or Ruff, Roller, Sanderling, Sandpiper, Scout, Sealark, Seamew, Sea Parrot, Sea Swallow, Shearwater, Sheldrake, Skua, Smew, Solan Goose, Spoonbill, Stint, Stone Curlew, Stonehatch, Summer Snipe, Tarrock, Tern, Thick Knee, Tystey, Whaup, Whimbrel, Willock, Woodpecker.

Additions to the Schedule of the Act of 1880.

III. The Wild Birds Protection Act, 1880, shall apply within the county of Carnarvon to the following species of Wild Birds in the same manner as if those species were included in the Schedule to the Act:—

Yellow Bunting (Yellow Hammer), Buzzard, Tree Creeper, Peregrine Falcon, Pied Flycatcher, Hedge Sparrow, Linnet, Raven, Redstart, Robin, Redbacked Shrike, Starling, Thrush, Wagtail, Blackcap Warbler, Wheatear, Common Wren, Fire-crested Wren, Golden-crested Wren.

The Goldfinch, Kingfisher and Owl protected during the whole of the Year.

IV. During the period between the 30th day of September in any year and the 1st day of March following the killing or taking of the Goldfinch, the Kingfisher and the Owl (all species) is prohibited throughout the County of Carnarvon.

EGGS.

Certain Eggs protected throughout the County.

V. The taking or destroying of the eggs of the following species of Wild Birds is prohibited throughout the county of Carnarvon:—

Yellow Bunting (Yellow Hammer), Buzzard, Tree Creeper, Peregrine Falcon, Pied Flycatcher, Hedge Sparrow, Kingfisher, Linnet, Owl (all species), Raven, Redstart, Robin, Redbacked Shrike, Starling, Thrush, Wagtail, Blackcap Warbler, Wheatear, Common Wren, Fire-crested Wren, Golden-crested Wren, and (after April 30th in each year) Lapwing, Peewit or Green Plover.

Repeal of Former Order.

VI. The Order of the 22nd day of August, 1905, is hereby repealed.

Given under my hand at Whitehall, this 2nd day of September, 1905.

A. Akers-Douglas,
One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.