(Supplementary to the General Regulations respecting Open Competitive Examinations for situations in the Civil Service included in Schedule A of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870.)

N.B.—These Regulations are liable to alteration for future Examinations.

1. The limits of age for this situation are 19 and 22. Candidates must be of the prescribed age on the first day of the month in which the Examination is held.

2. Candidates must be unmarried and without

family.

3. No person who has been previously successful in an Examination for the situation of Assistant of Excise and has passed into actual employment in that capacity will be eligible to

4. The Examination will be in the following

subjects, viz. :-

1. Handwriting	Marks
2. English Composition, includi	
Orthography	600
3. Arithmetic (to Vulgar and Decir	
Fractions) 4. Higher Arithmetic, includi	400
Mensuration, Square and Cu	
Root, &c	400
5. Geography, general	400

No subjects are obligatory, but no Candidate will be regarded as qualified who fails to obtain such an aggregate number of marks as may indicate in the judgment of the Civil Service Commissioners a competent amount of general

proficiency.

5. Service marks for each full period of three calendar months of actual approved service, subject to a maximum of twelve of such periods, may be allowed to candidates attending an examination who are serving or have served as Registered Boy Clerks or Boy Copyists.

6. A fee of £1 will be required from each

Candidate attending the Examination.

7. Application for permission to attend an Examination must be made at such times and in such manner as the Civil Service Commissioners

may appoint.
8. Each Examination will have reference to such number of vacancies as may be specified in any notice of such Examination published, with the approval of the Lords of the Treasury, in the London Gazette.

WILD BIRD (ENGLAND).

The Wild Birds Protection (West Riding of Yorkshire) Order, 1906.

Dated 29th January, 1906.

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 the West Riding of Yorkshire, I hereby make the following Order:-

I. This Order may be cited as "The Wild Birds Protection (West Riding of Yorkshire) Order, 1906."

BIRDS.

Close Time Extended.

II. The time during which the killing or taking of Wild Birds is prohibited by the Act of 1880 shall be extended throughout the Administrative County of the West Riding of Yorkshire so as to be between the last day of February and the 12th day of August in any year.

Additions to the Schedule of the Act of 1880.

III. The Wild Birds Protection Act, 1880, shall apply within the Administrative County of the West Riding of Yorkshire to the following species of Wild Birds in the same manner as if those species were included in the Schedule to the

Bullfinch, Blackheaded Bunting, Cirl Bunting, Corn Bunting, Reed Bunting, Snow Bunting, Yellow Bunting (Yellow Hammer), Buzzard, Honey Buzzard, Chaffinch, Chiffchaff, Crossbill, Dipper or Water Ouzel, Golden Eagle, Peregrine Falcon, Pied Flycatcher, Spotted Flycatcher, Little Grebe (Dabchick), Common Heron, Hobby, Kestrel, Kitch, Linnet, House Martin, Sand Martin, Merlin, Nuthatch, Osprey, Ring Ouzel, Alpine Pipit (Water Pipit), Meadow Pipit, Richard's Pipit, Rock Pipit, Tree Pipit, Lesser Redpole, Mealy Redpole, Redstart, Robin, Great Grey Shrike, Lesser Grey Shrike, Redbacked Shrike, Woodchat Shrike, Siskin, Stonechat, Swallow, Swift, Song Thrush, Bearded Tit (Reedling or Reed Pheasant), Blue Tit, Coal Tit, Crested Tit, Great Tit, Long-tailed Tit, Marsh Tit, Treecreeper, Grey Wagtail, Pied Wagtail, White Wagtail, Yellow Wagtail, Aquatic Warbler, Blackcap Warbler, Dartford Warbler, Garden Warbler, Grasshopper Warbler, Marsh Warbler, Reed Warbler, Sedge Warbler, Willow Warbler, Wood Warbler, Wheatear, Whinchat, Whitethroat, Lesser Whitethroat, Common Wren, Fire-crested Wren, Golden-crested Wren, Wryneck (Cuckoo's Mate or Snakebird).

Exclusion from the operation of the Act of 1880.

IV. The Wild Birds Protection Act, 1880, shall not apply within the Administrative County of the West Riding of Yorkshire to the House Sparrow.

Certain Birds protected during the whole of the Year.

V. During the period between the 11th day of August in any year and the 1st day of March following, the killing or taking of the following species of Wild Birds is prohibited throughout the Administrative County of the West Riding of Yorkshire :-

Bittern, Little Bittern, Bullfinch, Blackheaded Bunting, Cirl Bunting, Corn Bunting, Reed Bunting, Snow Bunting, Yellow Bunting (Yellow Hammer), Buzzard, Honey Buzzard, Chaffinch, Chiffichaff, Crossbill, Cuckoo, Dipper or Water Ouzel, Black-throated Diver, Dunlin (Purre, Ox Bird), Golden Eagle, Peregrine Falcon, Pied Flycatcher, Spotted Flycatcher, Goldfinch, Great Crested Grebe, Little Grebe (Dabchick), Common Heron, Hobby, Hoopoe, Kestrel, Kingfisher, Kite, Lark (Skylark, Woodlark), Linnet, House Martin, Sand Martin, Merlin, Nightingale, Nightjar (Goat Sucker, Night Hawk or Fern Owl) Nuthatch, Oriole, Osprey, Ring Ouzel, Longeared Owl, Short-eared Owl, Tawny or Brown Owl White or Born Owl Alpine Pinit (Wester) Owl, White or Barn Owl, Alpine Pipit (Water Pipit), Meadow Pipit, Richard's Pipit, Rock Pipit, Tree Pipit, Lesser Redpole, Mealy Redpole, Redshank, Redstart, Robin, Roller, Ruff or Reeve, Sanderling, Common Sandpiper (Summer Snipe), Green Sandpiper, Great Grey Shrike, Lesser Grey Shrike, Redbacked Shrike, Woodchat Shrike, Siskin, Stint, Stoneckat, Swallow, Swift, Song Thrush, Beanled Tit (Reedling or Reed Pheasant), Blue Tit, Coal Tit, Crested Tit, Great Tit, Long-tailed Tit, Marsh