

*Crown Office,  
February 20, 1907.*

MEMBER returned to serve in the present  
PARLIAMENT.

*County of Monmouth. Northern Division.*

The Right Honourable Reginald McKenna, who  
has accepted the Office of President of the  
Board of Education.

*India Office,  
February 22, 1907.*

The KING has approved of the substitution of  
the designation "3rd The Queen's Own Gurkha  
Rifles" for the present designation of the 3rd  
Gurkha Rifles, and has graciously permitted the  
regiment to bear on its appointments The Royal  
and Imperial Cypher ensigned with the Imperial  
Crown.

*Downing Street,  
February 21, 1907.*

The KING has been pleased to approve of  
the appointment of Theodore Barcroft Lewis  
Moonemalle, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member  
of the Legislative Council of the Island of  
Ceylon.

#### WILD BIRD (ENGLAND).

The Wild Birds Protection (County of  
Leicester) Order, 1907.

Dated 20th February, 1907.

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 Leicester, I hereby  
make the following Order:—

##### *Title.*

I. This Order may be cited as "The Wild  
Birds Protection (County of Leicester) Order,  
1907."

##### BIRDS.

*Additions to the Schedule of the Act of 1880.*

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

Tree Creeper, Pied Flycatcher, Spotted Fly-  
catcher, Hedge Accentor (Hedge Sparrow),  
House Martin, Sand Martin, Swallow, Swift,  
Wagtail (all species).

*The Goldfinch and the Kingfisher protected during  
the whole of the Year.*

III. During the period between the 31st day of  
July in any year, and the 2nd day of March

following, the killing or taking of the Goldfinch  
and the Kingfisher is prohibited throughout the  
County of Leicester.

*Certain Birds protected on Sunday throughout the  
County.*

IV. During the period between the 31st day  
of July in any year and the 2nd day of March  
following, the killing or taking on Sunday of the  
following species of Wild Birds is prohibited  
throughout the County of Leicester:—

Bittern, Blackbird, Bullfinch, Chaffinch, Chiff-  
chaff, Tree Creeper, Crossbill, Cuckoo, Dipper or  
Water Ouzel, Tufted Duck, Flycatcher, Goldcrest,  
Great Crested Grebe, Little Grebe (Dabchick),  
Greenfinch (Green Linnet), Hawfinch, Hedge  
Accentor (Hedge Sparrow), Heron, Hobby,  
Kestrel, Linnet, House Martin, Sand Martin,  
Nightingale, Nightjar (Goatsucker, Night Hawk  
or Fern Owl), Nuthatch, Osprey, Owl (all species),  
Lesser Redpole, Redshank, Robin, Redstart,  
Sandpiper (Summer Snipe), Redbacked Shrike,  
Siskin, Swallow, Swift, Thrush (all species), Tit  
(all species), Pied Wagtail, Yellow Wagtail,  
Warbler (all species), Waxwing, Woodpecker  
(all species), Wren, Wryneck.

##### 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 Leicester for a period  
of five years from the date of this Order:—

Buntings, Buzzard, Honey Buzzard, Chiffchaff,  
Tree Creeper, Wild Duck (all species), Pied Fly-  
catcher, Spotted Flycatcher, Goldfinch, Great  
Crested Grebe, Little Grebe (Dabchick), Hawks,  
Hobby, Kestrel, Kingfisher, House Martin, Sand  
Martin, Merlin, Nightingale, Nightjar (Goat-  
sucker, Night Hawk, or Fern Owl), Nuthatch,  
Osprey, Owls, Land Rail, Water Rail, Redstart,  
Sandpiper (Summer Snipe), Shrike (Butcher  
Bird), Swallow, Swift, Cole Tit, Long-  
tailed Tit (Bottle Tit, Jack-o'-Bo-peep), Marsh  
Tit, Wagtails, Blackcap Warbler, Reed  
Warbler, Sedge Warbler, Whitethroat, Lesser  
Whitethroat, Woodpecker (all species), Common  
Wren, Fire-crested Wren, Golden-crested Wren,  
Willow Wren, Wryneck (Cuckoo's Mate or  
Snake Bird).

*Repeal of Former Order.*

VI. The Order of the 28th February, 1905, is  
hereby repealed.

Given under my hand, at Whitehall, this 20th  
day of February, 1907.

*H. J. Gladstone.*

One of His Majesty's Principal  
Secretaries of State.

#### ORDER OF THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL IN ENGLAND.

*(Dated 21st February, 1907.)*

Whereas by the twenty-first section of the  
Births and Deaths Registration Act, 1874, it is  
enacted that the Registrar-General, with the  
sanction of the Local Government Board, may