

crossing the River Neath) to a point in the middle of the old course of such river upon the boundary which divides the said parish of Llantwit-juxta-Neath from the said parish of Cadoxton-juxta-Neath."

And whereas drafts of the said scheme have, in accordance with the provisions of the secondly hereinbefore mentioned Act, been transmitted to the Patron and to the Incumbent of the parish out of which it is intended that the district recommended in such scheme to be constituted shall be taken, and such Patron and Incumbent have respectively signified their assent to such scheme.

And whereas the said scheme has been approved by His Majesty in Council: now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said scheme, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts; and His Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said diocese of Llandaff.

A. W. FitzRoy.

WILD BIRD (ENGLAND).

The Wild Birds Protection (West Riding of Yorkshire) Order, 1908.

Dated 25th January, 1908.

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:—

Title.

I. This Order may be cited as "The Wild Birds Protection (West Riding of Yorkshire) Order, 1908."

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 Act:—

Bullfinch, Blackheaded Bunting, Cirl Bunting, Corn Bunting, Reed Bunting, Snow Bunting, Yellow Bunting (Yellow Hammer), Buzzard, Honey Buzzard, Rough-legged Buzzard, Chaffinch, Chiffchaff, Corn Crake (Landrail), Spotted Crake, Tree Creeper, Crossbill, Dipper or Water Ouzel, Turtle Dove, Pintail Duck, Scoter Duck, Tufted Duck, Golden Eagle, Sea Eagle, Peregrine Falcon, Pied Flycatcher, Spotted Flycatcher, Gadwall, Goosander, Little Grebe (Dabchick), Hedge Sparrow, Hen Harrier,

Marsh Harrier, Montagu's Harrier, Common Heron, Hobby, Kestrel, Kite, Linnet, House Martin, Sand Martin, Merlin, Nuthatch, Osprey, Ring Ouzel, Alpine Pipit (Water Pipit), Meadow Pipit, Richard's Pipit, Rock Pipit, Tree Pipit, Golden Plover, Kentish Plover, Quail, Water Rail, Raven, Lesser Redpole, Mealy Redpole, Redstart, Robin, Pallas' Sand-grouse, Great Grey Shrike, Lesser Grey Shrike, Red-backed Shrike, Woodchat Shrike, Siskin, Tree Sparrow, Stonechat, Swallow, Swift, Arctic Tern, Black Tern, Common Tern, Lesser Tern, Roseate Tern, Sandwich Tern, Song Thrush, Bearded Tit (Reedling or Reed Pheasant), Blue Tit, Coal Tit, Crested Tit, Great Tit, Long-tailed Tit, Marsh Tit, Twite, 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:—

Bee-eater, Bittern, Little Bittern, Bullfinch, Blackheaded Bunting, Cirl Bunting, Corn Bunting, Reed Bunting, Snow Bunting, Yellow Bunting (Yellow Hammer), Buzzard, Honey Buzzard, Rough-legged Buzzard, Chaffinch, Chiffchaff, Corn Crake (Landrail), Spotted Crake, Crossbill, Cuckoo, Stoue Curlew (Thick-knee), Dipper or Water Ouzel, Black-throated Diver, Dotterel, Turtle Dove, Dunalin (Purle, Ox Bird), Golden Eagle, Sea Eagle, Peregrine Falcon, Pied Flycatcher, Spotted Flycatcher, Goldfinch, Great Crested Grebe, Little Grebe (Dabchick), Black-headed Gull, Common Heron, Hedge Sparrow, Hen Harrier, Marsh Harrier, Montagu's Harrier, Hobby, Hoopoe, Kestrel, Kingfisher, Kite, Kittiwake, Lark (Skylark, Woodlark), Linnet, House Martin, Sand Martin, Merlin, Nightingale, Nightjar (Goat Sucker, Night Hawk or Fern Owl), Nuthatch, Oriole, Osprey, Ring Ouzel, Long-eared Owl, Short-eared Owl, Tawny or Brown Owl, White or Barn Owl, Alpine Pipit (Water Pipit), Meadow Pipit, Richard's Pipit, Rock Pipit, Tree Pipit, Water Rail, Raven, Lesser Redpole, Mealy Redpole, Redshank, Redstart, Robin, Roller, Ruff or Reeve, Sanderling, Pallas' Sand-grouse, Common Sandpiper (Summer Snipe), Green Sandpiper, Great Grey Shrike, Lesser Grey Shrike, Red-backed Shrike, Woodchat Shrike, Siskin, Tree Sparrow, Stint, Stonechat, Swallow, Swift, Arctic Tern, Black Tern, Common Tern, Lesser Tern, Roseate Tern, Sandwich Tern, Song Thrush, Bearded Tit (Reedling or Reed Pheasant), Blue Tit, Coal Tit, Crested Tit, Great Tit, Long-tailed Tit, Marsh Tit, Treecreeper, Twite, 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,