

The Goldfinch, the Kingfisher and Owls 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, the Kingfisher and the Owl (all species) 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, Chiffchaff, 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), Red-backed 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, Corn Crane (Land Rail), Tree Creeper, Wild Duck (all species), Pied Flycatcher, Spotted Flycatcher, Goldfinch, Great Crested Grebe, Little Grebe (Dabchick), Hawks, Hobby, Kestrel, Kingfisher, House Martin, Sand Martin, Merlin, Nightingale, Nightjar (Goatsucker, Night Hawk, or Fern Owl), Nuthatch, Osprey, Owls, 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 The Order of the 20th February, 1907, is hereby repealed.

Given under my hand, at Whitehall, this 25th day of May, 1908.

H. J. Gladstone.

One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice, that in consequence of the resignation of Mr. Frederic Victor Milward, F.R.C.S., the appointment held by him of Medical Referee under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, for County Court Circuit No. 21 is vacant.

Whitehall, 23rd May, 1908.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
May 22, 1908.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. E. P. Court, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Horsmonden, in the county of Kent, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
May 22, 1908.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the removal of Dr. S. T. Lewis, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Youlgreave, in the county of Derby, is vacant.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
May 23, 1908.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. W. R. S. Roberts to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, for the Ongar District of the county of Essex.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
May 23, 1908.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. J. J. Kearney to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, for the Rosscarbery District of the county of Cork.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
May 23, 1908.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. R. J. B. Wright to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, for the Inch District of the county of Aberdeen.

*Factory Department, Home Office,
May 23, 1908.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. E. L. Collis, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Act, at Stourbridge, in the county of Worcester, is vacant.

LIGHT RAILWAYS ACT, 1896.

Portmadoc, Beddgelert and South Snowdon Railway (Light Railway) Order.

The Light Railway Commissioners have re-submitted (with additional provisions for reviving and extending the time for the completion of the works authorised by the North Wales Narrow Gauge Railways (Beddgelert Light Railway Extension) Order, 1900), to the Board of Trade for confirmation, under the above-mentioned Act, an Order made by them authorising the Portmadoc, Beddgelert and South Snowdon Railway Company to reconstruct, construct, and work the railways authorised by the Portmadoc, Beddgelert and South Snowdon Railway Acts, 1901 and 1904, as a light railway under the Light Railways Act, 1896, and authorising the construction of a light railway in the county of Carnarvon, from the termination of the railway authorised by the said Act of 1901 near Beddgelert to Bettws-y-Coed, and amending and consolidating the capital and borrowing powers of the Company, and for other purposes.

Any objections to the confirmation of the Order so far as they relate to the aforesaid additional