

Whitehall, July 16, 1914.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Captain Henry Eric Dumbell, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of the Third Class of the Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

WILD BIRD (ENGLAND).

The Wild Birds Protection (City of Leeds) Order, 1914.

Dated 15th July, 1914.

In pursuance of the powers conferred on me by the Wild Birds Protection Acts, 1880 to 1908, and upon application by the Council of the city of Leeds, I hereby make the following Order:—

Title.

I. This Order may be cited as "The Wild Birds Protection (City of Leeds) Order, 1914."

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 area comprised within the boundaries of the city of Leeds, so far as concerns all Wild Birds except Woodcock, so as to be between the last day of February and the 12th day of August in any year.

The close time for Woodcock is hereby extended so as to be between the 1st 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 area comprised within the boundaries of the city of Leeds to the following species of Wild Birds in the same manner as if those species were included in the Schedule to the Act:—

Hedge Accentor (Hedge Sparrow), Bullfinch, Black-headed 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 Crane, 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), 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, 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, 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, White-throat, Lesser Whitethroat, Common Wren, Fire-crested Wren, Golden-crested Wren, Wryneck (Cuckoo's Mate or Snakebird).

The House Sparrow deprived of protection.

IV. The area comprised within the boundaries of the city of Leeds is hereby exempted from the operation of the Wild Birds Protection Act, 1880, so far as the House Sparrow is concerned.

Certain Birds protected during the whole of the Year.

V. During those periods of the year to which the protection afforded by the Wild Birds Protection Act, 1880, as extended by Clause II of this Order, does not apply, the killing or taking of the following species of Wild Birds is prohibited throughout the area comprised within the boundaries of the city of Leeds:—

Hedge Accentor (Hedge Sparrow), Bee-eater, Bittern, Little Bittern, Bullfinch, Black-headed 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 Crane, Tree Creeper, Crossbill, Cuckoo, Stone Curlew (Thick-knee), Dipper or Water Ouzel, Black-throated Diver, Dotterel, Turtle Dove, Dunlin (Purre, Ox Bird), Golden Eagle, Sea Eagle, Peregrine Falcon, Pied Flycatcher, Spotted Flycatcher, Goldfinch, Great Crested Grebe, Little Grebe (Dabchick), Black-headed Gull, Common Heron, 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,