WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1906.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has appointed Charles Hamilton Whiteford, Esq., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., of 5, Sussex Terrace, Plymouth, to be one of the Medical Referees under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, for County Court Circuit No. 58, and to be attached more particularly to the Plymouth, Kingsbridge, and Totnes and Paignton County Courts.

Whitehall, 9th April, 1918.

#### WILD BIRDS PROTECTION ACTS.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that an Order has this day been made suspending, until the 1st day of June next, the Wild Birds Protection (County Borough of Barrow-in-Furness) Order of the 26th March, 1913, in so far as it prohibits the taking of the eggs of the Black-headed Guli throughout the Borough of Barrow-in-Furness.

Whitehall, 11th April, 1918.

Whitehall, April 10, 1918.

The KING has been pleased to appoint the Very Reverend John Brookes Vernon Penfold, B.D., Dean of Guernsey, to the Rectory of St. Peter Port, Guernsey, void by the resignation of the Reverend John Percy de Putron, M.A.

## Whitehall, April 10, 1918.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 27th ultimo, to appoint the Reverend Frederick Walter Chambers, B.A., to the Living of Saint Stephen, Birmingham, in the County of Warwick and Diocese of Birmingham, void by the death of the Reverend Harry Dickinson, M.A., the last Incumbent.

### Whitehall, April 11, 1918.

The KING has been pleased, in pursuance of the provisions of the Second Schedule to the Military Service Act, 1916 (5 & 6 Geo. V., cap. 104), to appoint Mr. George Milligan. M.B.E., of 94, Makin Street, Walton, Liverpool, to be a Member of the Appeal Tribunal for the County of Lancaster, including the County Boroughs of Barrow-in-Furness, Blackburn, Blackpool, Bolton, Bootle, Burnley, Bury, Liverpool, Manchester, Oldham, Preston, Rochdale, St. Helens, Salford, Southport, Warrington and Wigan.

#### Whitehall, April 12, 1918.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 11th instant, to appoint

Charles Edward Dyer, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be Recorder of the Borough of Northampton, in the room of James John Parfitt, Esq., K.C., who resigned on his appointment as a County Court Judge.

Downing Street, 10th April, 1918.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Andrew Agnew, Esq., C.B.E., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Straits Settlements.

Downing Street, 11th April, 1918.

The KING has been pleased to approve of the nomination of Robert Peebles Brash, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Federal Council of the Federated Malay States.

> Downing Street, 11th April, 1918.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Henry Cowper Gollan, Esq., C.B.E. (Attorney-General, Trinidad), to be Attorney-General of the Island of Ceylon.

# ORDER OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD.

Prevention of Plague: Destruction of Rats.

#### COUNTY OF EAST SUFFOLK.

To the County Council of the Administrative County of East Suffolk;—

To the Councils of the several Municipal Boroughs and other Urban Districts, and of the several Rural Districts in the said Administrative County;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

Whereas in relation to the Administrative County of East Suffolk it is expedient that the Regulations hereinafter set forth should be made by Us, the Local Government Board, with a view to preventing the spread of Plague, and the County Council of the Administrative County of East Suffolk have consented to execute and enforce such Regulations.

Now therefore We do, by this Our Order, and in the exercise of the powers conferred on Us by the Public Health Act, 1875, the Public Health Act, 1896, and the Public Health (Prevention and Treatment of Disease) Act, 1913, and every other power enabling Us in that behalf, make the following Regulations, and also Declare and Direct as follows:

ARTICLE I.—In these Regulations:—

The expression "County Council" means the County Council of the Administrative County of East Suffolk;