Belgian and Serbian Decorations which have been conferred in recognition of valuable services rendered during the War: --

Decoration conferred by

HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF THE BELGIANS.

Order of the Crown.

Officer. Hubert Walter, Esq., "Times" Correspondent in Belgium.

Decorations conferred by

HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF SERBIA.

Order of Saint Sava.

First Class.

His Grace the Duke of Portland, K.G., G.C.V.O

The Most Honourable the Marquess of Crewe,

Third Class.

The Right Honourable the Earl of Northbrook. Professor Charles William Chadwick Oman, M.A.

Fourth Class.

Charles Robert Whorwood Adeane, Esq., C.B. The Reverend John Clifford, D.D. Arthur Maquarie, Esq. William Ward, Esq.

Fifth Class.

, Miss Lily Florence Waring. Frank Farningham Euren, Esq. William Heal, Esq. William George Hooper, Esq.

BRITISH NATIONALITY AND STATUS OF ALIENS ACTS, 1914 AND 1918.

In the Matter of Henry Goedecker.

Revocation of Certificate of Naturalization.

Whereas I am satisfied that Henry Goedecker, to whom a Certificate of Naturalization numbered 1902 was granted on the 9th June, 1876, has shown himself by act to be disaffected

and disloyal to His Majesty,

Now, therefore, by this Order, made in pur-suance of the powers conferred upon me by Section 7 of the British Nationality and Status of Aliens Act, 1914, I revoke the said certificate and I direct such revocation to have effect from the date hereof, and I further order the said certificate to be given up and to be cancelled.

And I further direct that the wife of the said Henry Goedecker shall cease to be a British

subject.

Edward Shortt, One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Whitehall, 8th April, 1919.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1906.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Mr. R. J. Pye-Smith, one of the Medical Referees under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, for County Court Circuit No. 13, the appointment held by him is vacant. Mr. Pye-Smith was attached more particularly to the Rotherham and Sheffield County Courts. Applications for the post should be addressed to the Private Secretary, Home Office, and should reach him not later than the 21st May, 1919.

Whitehall,

28th April, 1919.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1906.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Mr. R. J. Pye-Smith, one of the Medical Referees under the Workmen's Compensation Acti, 1906, for County Court Circuit No. 18, the appointment held by him is vacant. Mr. Pye-Smith was attached more particularly to the East Retford, Doncaster, and Thorne County Courts. Applications for the post should be addressed to the Private Secretary, Home Office, and should reach him not later than the 21st May, 1919.

Whitehall,

28th April, 1919.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1901.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice, pursuant to Section 86 (1) of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, that on the 26th April, 1919, he made Regulations under Section 79 of the said Act in respect of the processes of crushing, grinding, and sieving of refractory materials containing not less than 80 per cent. of silica (SiO2), and processes involving the manipulation of such materials in the manufacture of bricks or other articles containing not less than 80 per cent. of silica (SiO_2). The Regulations apply to all factories and workshops, or parts thereof, in which any of the said processes is carried on.

Copies of the Regulations can be purchased, either directly or through any bookseller, from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Imperial House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2, and 28, Abingdon Street, London, S.W. 1; 37, Peter Street, Manchester; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 23, Forth Street, Edinburgh; or from Messrs. E. Ponsonby, Ltd., 116, Grafton Street, Dublin.

Home Office, Whitehall, 28th April, 1919.

> Factory Department, Home Office, April 17, 1919.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. R. N. Farrer to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Denby Dale District of the County of Yorks. (West Riding).

> Factory Department, Home Office, April 17, 1919.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. C. C. Smith to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Woburn Sands District of the County of Bedford.

> Factory Department, Home Office, April 17, 1919.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. A. W. Allan to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Skegness District of the County of Lincoln.

> Factory Department, Home Office, April 19, 1919.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. L. E. Dickson to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Bridgnorth District of the County of Salop.