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spector, Main Drainage Department. Thomas Harold Smith, Esq., Chief Mechanical Engineer, Main Drainage Department.

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Whitehall, April 4, 1921.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrants under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, to grant permission to wear the undermentioned Decorations of the Order of the Striped Tiger which have been conferred by the President of the Republic of China in recognition of valuable services rendered in connection with the Chinese Labour Corps in France:-

ORDER OF THE STRIPED TIGER.

Third Class.

Sir Arthur Keysall Yapp, K.B.E., National Secretary, Young Men's Christian Associa-

Rev. William Edward Soothill.

Fourth Class.

Oliver Hill McCowen, Esq., C.B.E. Rev. James Webster, D.D.

Fifth Class.

Rudolph Consterdine, Esq.

Rev. Frederick William Scott O'Neill. Rev. Ernest Whitby Burt, M.A.

Rev. William Hewitt Gillespie.

Rev. William Moore Cargin.

Rev. Joseph Wharton.

Rev. David Cruden Davidson.

Rev. Archibald Ewing.

Harold Chatterton Wilcox, Esq. James Graham, Esq.

Rev. John Hedley.

Whitehall, April 4, 1921.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Walter Percy Wright, Esq., of the Ministry of Health, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Cross of Chevalier of the Order of the Crown, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of the Belgians, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him during the late War.

WILD BIRDS PROTECTION ACTS.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that, on the 2nd instant, he made an Order under the Wild Birds Protection Acts, 1880 to 1908, for the Administrative

County of Carnarvon.

Copies of the Order may be purchased, through any bookseller, or directly 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 E. Ponsonby, Ltd., 116, Grafton Street, Dublin.

Whitehall, 4th April, 1921.

The Home Secretary gives notice that in pursuance of Section 2 (1) of the Employment of Women, Young Persons and Children Act, 1920, he has made an Order authorising the employment of women of 18 years of age and over at the New Mills of Messrs. Tubbs, Lewis and Co., Ltd., Wotton-under-Edge, Gloucestershire, on two-day shifts.

Whitehall 1st April, 1921.

Factory Department, Home Office, April 1, 1921.

The Chief Inspector of Factories appointed Dr. W. W. Wells to be Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts for the Bromyard District of the county of Hereford.

Factory Department, Home Office, A pril 2, 1921.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. N. Wilson, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Sherborne, in the county of Dorset, is vacant.

Factory Department, Home Office, April 2, 1921.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the death of Dr. C. S. Rigby, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Sedgeley, in the county of Stafford, is vacant.

Factory Department, Home Office, A pril 2, 1921.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr. T. C. Halley, an appointment as Certifying Surgeon under the Factory and Workshop Acts at Stanford-le-Hope, in the county of Essex, is vacant.

Factory Department, Home Office, April 2, 1921.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that, in consequence of the resignation of Dr