

Now therefore I hereby suspend until further order the operation of the Notice of withdrawal of the said authorisations from the said John James Burnby.

*W. Joynson-Hicks,*  
One of His Majesty's Principal  
Secretaries of State.

Whitehall.

23rd July, 1926.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice, in pursuance of Section 80 of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, that he proposes to make a Regulation, under Section 79 of the Act, amending the Woodworking Machinery Regulations, 1922, made under the said Section on the 2nd November, 1922.

Copies of the Regulation proposed to be made may be obtained on application to the Chief Inspector of Factories, Home Office, London, S.W. 1.

Objections to the draft Regulation, by or on behalf of any persons affected thereby must be sent to the Secretary of State, within 30 days from the date of this notice. Every such objection must be in writing and must state (a) the specific grounds of objection; and (b) the omissions, additions or modifications asked for.

Whitehall,

23rd July, 1926.

#### WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1925.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has appointed Harold Clapham, Esq., M.B.C.S., L.R.C.P., of Madeley House, Park Road, Peterborough, to be one of the Medical Referees under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1925, for the Districts of the County Courts of Biggleswade, Huntingdon, Peterborough, St. Neots, and Thrapston and Oundle (Circuit No. 35) in place of Mr. W. Mackirdy (deceased).

Whitehall.

22nd July, 1926.

#### WILD BIRDS PROTECTION ACTS.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that, on the 17th instant he made an Order under the Wild Birds Protection Acts, 1880 to 1908, for the County Borough of St. Helens.

Copies of the Order may be purchased through any bookseller or directly from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses:—

Adastral House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2; and 28, Abingdon Street, London, S.W. 1; York Street, Manchester; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; and 120, George Street Edinburgh.

Whitehall,

20th July, 1926.

*Scottish Office,*  
*Whitehall,*  
21st July, 1926.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual bearing date the 17th instant, to direct a Commission to be passed under the Seal appointed to be kept and made use of in place of the Great Seal of Scotland, appointing Sir James Balfour Paul, K.C.V.O., LL.D., to be Secretary to the Most Ancient and Most Noble Order of the Thistle in the room of Sir Duncan Campbell, Bart., of Barcaldine, deceased.

*Board of Trade,*  
*Great George Street,*  
*London, S.W. 1,*  
22nd July, 1926.

His Majesty the KING has been pleased, upon the recommendation of the President of the Board of Trade, to award the Gold Medal for Gallantry in Saving Life at Sea (Foreign Services) to Olaf Bernhard Christiansen; the Silver Medal for Gallantry in Saving Life at Sea (Foreign Services) to Arthur Johnsen and Hans Hansen; and the Silver Medal for Saving the Lives of British Subjects (Foreign Services) to Johan B. Johansen, in recognition of their services in saving the lives of the members of the crew of the s.t. "Cardinal," of Hull, when that vessel stranded near Rølfshøhavn on the 11th December, 1925.

*Admiralty, 19th July, 1926.*

*R.N.*

Eng. Lieut. J. Howard placed on Retired List.  
18th July 1926.

Cd. Mech. A. Rowe to be Lieut. (E). 18th  
July 1926.

*Admiralty, 20th July, 1926.*

*R.N.*

Eng. Lieut. H. Paltridge placed on Ret. List.  
20th July 1926.

Cd. Eng. A. Brown, M.B.E., to be Lieut. (E).  
20th July 1926.

Cd. Eng. H. J. R. Gould placed on Retd. List  
with rank of Lieut (E). 20th July 1926.

Eng. Lieut. (Spec. Res.) J. Lewis to be Eng.  
Lieut. Com. (Spec. Res.). 27th Mar. 1926.

Sub-Lieuts. to be Lieuts. :—

A. H. Wallis.

W. L. Brodrick.

E. A. N. Gardiner.

15th July 1926.

Paym. Lieut. C. Bevis placed on Retd. List.  
18th July 1926.

Cd. Writer R. C. Cunningham to be Paym.  
Lieut. 18th July 1926.

Wt. Writer H. W. Lambert to be Cd. Writer.  
18th July 1926.