

expired on the 4th September, 1939, owing to the non-payment of the prescribed renewal fee.

Any person may give notice of opposition to the Restoration by lodging Patents Form No. 17 at the Patent Office, 25, Southampton Buildings, London, W.C.2, on or before the 14th October, 1940.

*M. F. Lindley,*

Comptroller-General.

The Patent Office.

#### PATENTS AND DESIGNS ACTS, 1907 TO 1939.

Proceedings under Section 24 of the Acts.

Application has been made for the cancellation of the indorsement "Licences of Right" on Letters Patent No. 338,405 dated the 14th December, 1929, and granted to Martin Eichelgrun for an invention entitled "Portable switch for field railways".

Any person may give notice of opposition to this Application by lodging Patents Form No. 24 at the Patent Office, 25, Southampton Buildings, London, W.C.2, on or before the 14th September, 1940.

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#### SPECIAL ENACTMENTS (EXTENSION OF TIME) ACT, 1940.

WEST HAM CORPORATION ACTS, 1930 AND 1937.

THE Council of the County Borough of West Ham are applying to the Minister of Transport for an Order under the Special Enactments (Extension of Time) Act, 1940, in respect of powers conferred by the West Ham Corporation Act, 1930, as extended by the National Economy (Road Services) Order, 1931, and Section 40 of the West Ham Corporation Act, 1937.

A copy of the draft application may be inspected at the offices of the Council of the County Borough of West Ham, Town Hall, Stratford, E.15.

Any representations against the grant of this application must be submitted to the Council of the County Borough of West Ham not later than Saturday, the 17th day of August, 1940.

Dated 31st July, 1940.

CHARLES ERNEST CRANFIELD,

Town Clerk.

Town Hall,  
(026) Stratford, E.15.

#### SPECIAL ENACTMENTS (EXTENSION OF TIME) ACT, 1940.

THE London Midland and Scottish Railway Company are applying to the Minister of Transport for an Order under the Special Enactments (Extension of Time) Act, 1940, extending by three years from the 1st day of October, 1940, the time now limited by:—

(1) Section 29 of the London Midland and Scottish Railway Act, 1937, for the acquisition of lands—

(a) in the city and county borough of Birmingham, in the parish of Elstree in the rural district of Barnet in the county of Hertford, and in the former parish of Edgware in the rural district of Hendon (now the Borough of Hendon) in the county of Middlesex, authorised to be acquired by Section 32 of the London Midland and Scottish Railway Act, 1937;

(b) in the parishes of Dunton, Little Burstead, Lee Chapel, Basildon, Vange and Pitsea (rural district of Billericay) and Fobbing (rural district of Orsett) all in the county of Essex, authorised to be acquired by Section 13 of the London Midland and Scottish Railway Act, 1934.

(2) Section 12 of the London Midland and Scottish Railway Act, 1937, for the acquisition of lands in the city and county borough of Birmingham, in the city and county borough of Coventry, in the county borough of Wallasey, in the county borough of Burton-upon-Trent, in the parish of Branston in the rural district of Tutbury in the county of Stafford, and in the parishes of Berkswell, Balsall, Hampton-in-Arden and Bickenhill in the rural district of Meriden in the county of Warwick, authorised to be acquired by Section 8 of the said Act of 1937.

(3) Section 4 of the London Midland and Scottish Railway Order, 1937, for the completion of Railway (No. 3) authorised by the Caledonian Railway (General Powers) Act, 1899.

A copy of the draft Application may be inspected at the office of the undersigned Chief Legal Adviser and Solicitor to the Applicants from whom copies may be obtained at the price of sixpence for each copy and to whom any representations against the Application must be submitted not later than the sixth day of September, 1940. A copy of the said draft Application may also be inspected and copies obtained at the said price at the Office of Mr. James Wilson, Solicitor (Scotland), London Midland and Scottish Railway Company, 302, Buchanan Street, Glasgow, C.2.

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