

Whitehall, January 14, 1941.

The KING has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Colonel The Honourable Sir George Sidney Herbert, Bt., T.D., J.P., D.L., to be Vice-Lieutenant of the County of Wilts, to act for His Majesty's Lieutenant during his absence from the County, sickness or other inability to act.

**WILD BIRDS PROTECTION ACTS.
COUNTY OF SURREY: MOORHEN.**

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that on the 8th instant he made an Order under the Wild Birds Protection Acts, 1880 to 1939, exempting the Administrative County of Surrey from the operation of the Act of 1880 so far as the moorhen is concerned.

Copies of the Order may be purchased directly from H.M. Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh 2; 26, York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; or through any bookseller.

Whitehall,
10th January, 1941.

*Factory Department, Ministry of Labour
and National Service,
9th January, 1941.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. D. A. Richards to be Examining Surgeon under the Factories Act, 1937, for the Appleby District of the County of Westmorland.

*Factory Department, Ministry of Labour
and National Service,
10th January, 1941.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. E. R. Risien an appointment as Examining Surgeon under the Factories Act, 1937, for the District of East Ilsley, in the County of Berks, is vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications: 28th January, 1941.

*Factory Department, Ministry of Labour
and National Service,
10th January, 1941.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the death of Dr. H. E. Bower an appointment as Examining Surgeon under the Factories Act, 1937, for the District of Stretton, in the County of Chester, is vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications: 28th January, 1941.

*Factory Department, Ministry of Labour
and National Service,
10th January, 1941.*

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. T. J. Oakey an appointment as Examining Surgeon under the Factories Act, 1937, for the District of Darlaston, in the County of Stafford, is vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications: 28th January, 1941.

*Ministry of Shipping,
Marine A Division,
Empire Hotel Group,
Lansdowne Crescent,
Blackpool, Lancs.
10th January, 1941.*

The Ministry of Shipping hereby give notice under the General Rules for Formal Investigations into Shipping Casualties and Appeals and Rehearings, 1923, that they have received during the month of December, 1940, a Report of a Formal Investigation held by a Court at Durban into the circumstances attending a collision between the motor vessels "Arend" and "Border".

*Admiralty, December, 1940.
R.N.*

Sub-Lieuts. to be Lieuts. with seny. as stated:—

The Hon. T. V. Stopford. 16th Nov. 1940.

J. W. Main.
R. M. Marshall.
J. P. S. Cundell.
A. H. C. Booth.
W. Duckett.
P. C. Chapman.
T. G. Ridgeway.
B. D. Cambell.
C. Minchin.
F. Bedford.
A. I. Merritt.

1st Dec. 1940.

Comd. Engr. J. W. Barber to be Lieut. (E). 23rd Nov. 1940.

Proby. Tempy. Sub-Lieut. (E) J. L. Adams, R.N.V.R., transferred to R.N. in rank of Tempy. Lieut. (E) with seny. of 10th Sept. 1940.

Proby. Tempy. Sub-Lieut. (E) W. S. Livsey, R.N.V.R., transferred to R.N. in rank of Tempy. Lieut. (E) with seny. of 20th Nov. 1940.

Sub-Lieuts. to be Lieuts. with seny. as stated:—

A. B. Henley. 1st Sept. 1940.
D. M. H. Stobie. 16th Nov. 1940.
E. V. Speakman. 1st Dec. 1940.
A. M. Wickham.
D. H. C. Streatfield.
E. J. Cornish-Bowden.
P. A. Whitehead.
J. N. Elliott.
J. G. Baldwin.
D. R. S. Abbott.

16th Dec. 1940.

R.N.R.

Tempy. Sub-Lieuts. to be Tempy. Lieuts:—
S. Gorrell.

J. R. Brown.
21st Dec. 1940.

To be Tempy. Paymr. Sub-Lieut.:—
E. C. M. Armstrong. 10th Dec. 1940.

To be Tempy. Lieuts.:—
H. Binham. 27th Dec. 1940.
A. P. Robinson. 3rd Jan. 1941.

To be Tempy. Paymr. Sub-Lieut.:—
P. F. Cooper. 6th Nov. 1940.