Workshop Acts for the Salvation Army Home, Thorndale House, Antrim Road, Belfast.

> J. A. DALE, Secretary, Ministry of Labour.

MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS FOR NORTHERN IRELAND.

31st January, 1924.

Their Excellencies, the Lords Justices of Northern Ireland have been pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to the Office of High Sheriff for the following County Boroughs in Northern Ireland:—

COUNTY BOROUGH OF BELFAST.

Councillor Hugh McLaurin, J.P., Richview House, 343 Donegall Road, Belfast.

COUNTY BOROUGH OF LONDONDERRY.

John Burns, Esq., J.P., Coolkeragh, Londonderry.

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THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS FOR NORTHERN IRELAND.

GENERAL ORDER.

The Ministry of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland in pursuance of the powers vested in it by the Local Government Acts (Northern Ireland), 1898 to 1923, and of all other powers in this behalf enabling the Ministry, hereby orders and directs as follows, that is to say:—

1. The following paragraph shall be added to and be read with Article 82 of the Public Bodies Order, 1904.

Every Collection District within a Rural District shall be so formed so that in no case shall a district electoral division be divided.

2. This Order shall come into operation and have effect for the purpose of the collection of Poor Rate in every County in Northern Ireland for the financial year ending the 31st day of March, 1925, and may be cited as the Public Bodies Order, 1924, and shall be construed as one with the Public Bodies Order, 1904.

Given under the Seal of the Ministry [L.S.] of Home Affairs for Northern Ireland this Thirtieth day of January, 1924.

(Signed),

GEO. A. HARRIS,
Assistant Secretary.

BY THE LORDS JUSTICES OF NORTHERN IRELAND.

DENIS S. HENRY.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred upon Us by The Wild Birds Protection Act, 1894, the Government of Ireland Act, 1920, and the several Statutes and Orders in that behalf, and upon application by the County Council of the County of Down, We do hereby make the following Order:—

The taking or destroying of the Eggs of the following species of Wild Birds is prohibited throughout the Administrative County of Down, between the 1st day of March, 1924, and the 1st day of August, and between the

1st day of March and the 1st day of August in the four subsequent years:

Buzzard, Chough, Crossbill, Goldfinch, Harrier (all species), Kingfisher, Peregrine Falcon, Raven, Siskin, Swan, Tern (all species), Gull (all species), Owl (all species), Kestrel.

And the taking or destroying of the Eggs of all species of Wild Birds is prohibited throughout the Islands forming part of the said Administrative County between the same dates, during the same period.

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The Order of His Grace the Governor of Northern Ireland dated 10th January, 1924,

is hereby cancelled.

Given at Belfast this 30th day of January, 1924.

By Their Excellencies' Command,

R. DAWSON BATES.

Department for the Administration of Austrian Property,

Cornwall House, Stamford Street, London, S.E.1

Under and by virtue of the powers conferred upon the Clearing Office and the Administrator by Article 1 (XIV) of the Treaty of Peace (Austria) Orders, 1920-23, I hereby prescribe the 7th day of February, 1924, as the final date by which

(a) Proofs by British nationals to whom an extension of time may be granted under the second paragraph of the rule issued by me, dated the 5th (fifth) February, 1923, in respect of debts due to them by Austrian nationals or of pecuniary obligations of the Austrian Government under Article 248 of the Treaty of Saint Germain-en-Laye.

(b) Claims by British nationals against the Austrian Government, with the payment of which the property, rights and interests within His Majesty's Dominions or Protectorates belonging to nationals of the former Austrian Empire at the date when the said Treaty came into force (not being property, rights, or interests acquired under any general licence issued by or on behalf of His Majesty) and the net proceeds of their sale, liquidation, or other dealings therewith are charged by Article 1 (IX) of the above-mentioned Orders in Council

must be made upon the prescribed Forms, and lodged with this Department in order to rank for payment of the third dividend to be declared by me out of the funds in my hands arising from the liquidation of the abovementioned property, rights, and interests belonging to nationals of the former Austrian Empire, or received by me from the Austrian Clearing Office under paragraph 11 of the Annex to Article 248 of the above-mentioned Treaty in pursuance of the Note of His Majesty's Government to the Austrian Government of the 27th August, 1920, published in the "London Gazette" on the 15th October, 1920 (No. 32886), or arising out of any other available property.

E. S. GREY, Administrator, 25th January, 1924.

I approve,

SIDNEY WEBB,
President of the Board of Trade.