

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the ,
County of Dorset.*

William Colfox, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant.
Dated 19th January, 1899.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
County of Surrey.*

Richard William Alan Onslow, Viscount Cranley,
to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 18th Jan-
uary, 1899.

*Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the
North Riding of the County of York.*

Sir Christopher Furness, Knt., to be Deputy
Lieutenant. Dated 18th January, 1899.

Crown Office, January 23, 1899.

DAYS and Places appointed for holding the
Winter Assizes, 1899 :—

NORTH-EASTERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Lawrance.

Mr. Justice Ridley.

Monday, February 20, at Newcastle-on-Tyne.

Monday, February 27, at Durham.

Monday, March 6, at York.

Saturday, March 11, at Leeds.

OXFORD CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Wright.

Mr. Justice Phillimore.

Monday, January 30, at Reading.

Thursday, February 2, at Oxford.

Monday, February 6, at Worcester.

Saturday, February 11, at Gloucester.

Saturday, February 18, at Monmouth.

Thursday, February 23, at Hereford.

Monday, February 27, at Shrewsbury.

Monday, March 6, at Stafford.

MIDLAND CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Bucknill.

Monday, January 30, at Aylesbury.

Thursday, February 2, at Bedford.

Monday, February 6, at Northampton.

Friday, February 10, at Leicester.

Thursday, February 16, at Oakham.

Thursday, February 16, at Lincoln.

Wednesday, February 22, at Derby.

Wednesday, March 1, at Nottingham.

Mr. Justice Bruce.

Mr. Justice Phillimore.

Tuesday, March 7, at Warwick.

Monday, March 13, at Birmingham.

NORTH AND SOUTH WALES AND CHESTER CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Darling.

Mr. Justice Channell.

Wednesday, February 15, at Welshpool.

Friday, February 17, at Dolgelly.

Saturday, February 18, at Haverfordwest.

Monday, February 20, at Carnarvon.

Tuesday, February 21, at Lampeter.

Thursday, February 23, at Carmarthen.

Friday, February 24, at Beaumaris.

Monday, February 27, at Rutlin.

Tuesday, February 28, at Brecon.

Thursday, March 2, at Presteign.

Thursday, March 2, at Mold.

Saturday, March 4, at Chester.

Saturday, March 11, at Cardiff.

THE FAIRS ACT, 1873.

WORTHEN FAIR.

THE Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice, that by Memorial, dated the 28th December, 1898, a representation has been duly made to him by the Chirbury Rural District Council that Fairs have been annually held at Worthen on the last Monday of the months of March, June, September, and November, and that it would be for the convenience and advantage of the public that such Fairs should in future be held on the last Thursday of those months.

On the 20th day of February, 1899, the Secretary of State will take such representation into consideration, and any person who may desire to object to the alteration of the dates for holding the Fairs, should intimate his objections to the Secretary of State before that day.

Home Office, Whitehall, January 19, 1899.

WILD BIRD (ENGLAND).

The Wild Birds Protection (Administrative
County of Derby) Order, 1899.

Dated 21st January, 1899.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred on me by the Wild Birds Protection Acts, 1880 to 1896, and upon application by the County Council of the Administrative County of Derby, I hereby make the following Order :—

1. This Order may be cited as the Wild Birds Protection (Administrative County of Derby) Order, 1899.

2. "The Wild Birds Protection Act, 1880," shall apply within the County of Derby to the Heron and to the Kestrel in the same manner as if those birds had been included in the schedule to the Act.

3. The time during which the killing and taking of Wild Birds is prohibited by the Act of 1880, shall be extended throughout the County of Derby so as to be from the 1st day of March to the 12th day of August in each year.

4. The taking or destroying of the Eggs of the following species of Wild Birds is prohibited throughout the County of Derby :—

Owls (all species), Kestrel, Kingfisher, Goldfinch, Curlew.

5. The Order of the 5th March, 1896, is hereby repealed.

Given under my hand at Whitehall, this 21st day of January, 1899.

M. W. Ridley, one of Her Majesty's
Principal Secretaries of State.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOPS ACTS, 1878 TO 1895.

THE Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice, pursuant to section 3 (3) of "The Rules Publication Act, 1893," that on the 19th day of January, 1899, he made an order under section 39 of "The Factory and Workshop Act, 1895," allowing warehouses forming part of factories or workshops in which edge tools are made to be treated as separate factories or workshops, so far as regards the period of employment of children, young persons, and women.

The Order will come into force on the 1st day of February, 1899.

Copies of the Order may be purchased at the Sale Office for Official Publications, Messrs. Eyre and Spottiswoode, East Harding-street, Fleet-street, E.C.

Whitehall, January 21, 1899.