part, together with the boundaries thereof, is delineated and set forth on the map or plan hereunto annexed, should be assigned as a District Chapelry to the said Church of Saint Mary, Milton Regis, situate as aforesaid, and that the same should be named ' The District Chapelry of Saint Mary, Milton Regis.'

"And with the like consent of the said Randall Thomas, Archbishop of Canterbury (testified as aforesaid), we, the said Ecclesisatical Commissioners, further represent, that it appears to us to be expedient that banns of matrimony should be published, and that marriages, baptisms, churchings, and burials should be solemnized or performed at the said Church of Saint Mary, Milton Regis, situate as aforesaid, and that the fees or dues to be received in respect of the publication of banns and of the solemnization or performance of marriages, churchings and burials should be paid and belong to the minister of the same church for the time being.

"We, therefore, humbly pray that Your Majesty will be graciously pleased to take the premises into Your Royal consideration and to make such Order with respect thereto as to Your Majesty, in Your Royal Wisdom, shall seem meet.

"THE SOMEDULE to which the foregoing Representation has reference.

"The District Chapelry of Saint Mary, Milton Regis, being: _____

"All that part of the Parish of Milton, in the County of Kent and in the Diocese of Canterbury, which is bounded upon the east partly by the New Parish of the Holy Trinity, Sittingbourne, and partly by the Parish of Sittingbourne, upon the south by the Parish of Tunstall, upon the south-west partly by the Parish of Borden, all in the said County and Diocese, and partly by a detached portion of the said New Parish of the Holy Trinity, Sittingbourne, upon the west by the said Parish of Borden, upon the north-west by the Parish of Bobbing, in the said County and Diocese, and upon the remaining side, that is to say, upon the north-east, by an imaginary line commencing at the point where the boundary which divides the said Parish of Bobbing from the said Parish of Milton crosses the middle of the Chatham Line of the Southern Railway, and extending thence south-eastward along the middle of the said line of railway for a distance of 50 chains or thereabouts to the boundary which divides the said Parish of Milton from the said New Parish of the Holy Trinity, Sittingbourne."

And whereas the said Representation has been approved by His Majesty in Council:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His said Council, is pleased hereby to ratify the said Representation, and to order and direct that the same and every part thereof shall be effectual in law immediately from and after the time when this Order shall have been duly published in the London Gazette pursuant to the said Acts.

And His Majesty, by and with the like advice, is pleased hereby to direct that this Order be forthwith registered by the Registrar of the said Diocese of Canterbury.

M. P. A. Hankey.

Privy Council Office, 28th July, 1952.

NAVAL AND MARINE PAY AND PENSIONS ACT, 1865.

MINISTRY OF PENSIONS ACT, 1916. WAR PENSIONS ACT, 1920.

Notice is hereby given, that His Majesty in Council was pleased, on the 24th July, 1925, to approve two Orders in Council amending the Orders in Council of the 9th March, 1921, as to Pensions, Allowances and Gratuities to:

(a) Officers and Nurses disabled and to the families of such Officers and Nurses deceased.

(b) Commissioned Officers from Warrant Rank and Warrant Officers disabled and to the families of such Officers deceased.

Copies of the said Orders, when published, may be purchased through any bookseller or directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Adastral House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2; 28, Abingdon Street, London, S.W. 1; York Street, Manchester; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 120, George Street, Edinburgh.

Whitehall, July 23, 1925.

The following Address was presented to The KING on the occasion of the opening by His Majesty on the 18th instant of Ken Wood.

LONDON COUNTY COUNCIL.

TO THE KING'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY.

The Loyal and Dutiful Address of the Council of the Administrative County of London.

May it Please Your Majesty :---

We, the Chairman, Aldermen and Councillors of the London County Council. representing the people of the capital of Your Majesty's Empire, humbly desire to express our warmest thanks for Your Majesty's presence on this occasion and to ask that Your Majesty will be pleased to dedicate the park known as Ken Wood, in which we are now assembled, to the use of the public.

assembled, to the use of the public. The private ownership of Ken Wood dates back many centuries. The earliest owner who can be identified with certainty was William de Blemund, the younger, who flourished in the early part of the reign of King Henry III; and it is probable that at least some of the land formed part of the Manor of Tottenhall which William Blemund acquired from John Bocointe in the third year of the reign of King John (1201-2). Bocointe was a member of a well-known London family of Italian origin, and the Blemunds were in the front rank of London civic life.

About the year 1226, the property passed into ecclesiastical ownership, in which it remained, more or less, for over 300 years. From 1540 onwards, the estate continued to change hands at frequent intervals, and in 1754, it was acquired by "the Hon. William Murray, Esq., H.M. Attorney-General," who afterwards became the Earl of Mansfield.