

in the London Gazette and Edinburgh Gazette on the 14th April, 1939.

*John Anderson,*  
One of His Majesty's Principal  
Secretaries of State.

Whitehall,  
6th February, 1940.

NOTE.—Any person, who supplies the said Herbert Cecil Duckworth with any of the drugs or preparations to which the Raw Opium, etc. Regulations, 1937, or the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1937, apply, or who supplies any of the drugs or preparations to which the Dangerous Drugs Regulations, 1937, apply on a prescription given by the said Herbert Cecil Duckworth, will commit an offence against the Dangerous Drugs Acts.

WILD BIRDS PROTECTION ACTS,  
1880 TO 1939.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that on the 31st January, 1940, he made an Order under the Wild Birds Protection Acts, 1880 to 1939, in respect of the Administrative County of Essex.

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; and 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; or through any bookseller.

Whitehall,  
6th February, 1940.

*Factory Department, Home Office,*  
4th February, 1940.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. G. L. S. Plumbly to be Examining Surgeon under the Factories Act, 1937, for the Watton District of the County of Norfolk.

*Factory Department, Home Office,*  
5th February, 1940.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. C. M. McIntyre to be Examining Surgeon under the Factories Act, 1937, for the Islay District of the County of Argyll.

*Factory Department, Home Office,*  
5th February, 1940.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the death of Dr. G. H. Jones, an appointment as Examining Surgeon under the Factories Act, 1937, for the District of Deddington in the County of Oxford is vacant. Latest date for receipt of applications: 20th February, 1940.

*Downing Street,*  
11th January, 1940.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Sir Henry Isaac Close Brown, Kt., K.C., to be a Member of the Privy Council of the Island of Jamaica for a further period.

*Downing Street,*  
23rd January, 1940.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Arthur Reginald Henry Canekeratne, Esq., to be of His Majesty's Counsel for the Island of Ceylon.

PROCEEDINGS BEFORE BRITISH PRIZE  
COURTS OVERSEA.

In continuation of the notification on page 604 of the "London Gazette" of 30th January, 1940, information has been received that proceedings have been instituted in the Prize Court in Malta in respect of goods ex the ship specified in the Schedule below.

Appearances to the Writ in this action should be entered within thirty days from the date mentioned in the third column of the Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

| <i>Prize Court.</i>        | <i>Name of Ship.</i> | <i>Date of Writ.</i> |
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| Commercial Court of Malta. | Carmen Sylva         | January 20th, 1940.  |

Colonial Office,  
5th February, 1940.

The Board of Trade have appointed Mr. John Stanley Snowball, Official Receiver in Bankruptcy for the District of the Scarborough County Court, to be also Official Receiver in Bankruptcy for the District of the York and Harrogate County Courts, with effect from 26th January, 1940, in the place of Mr. W. A. Kay, LL.B., resigned.

Board of Trade,  
Great George Street,  
London, S.W.1.  
5th February, 1940.

Consequent upon the retirement of Mr. Basil S. Briggs, Official Receiver in Bankruptcy for the District of the Wakefield and Barnsley County Courts, the Board of Trade have appointed Mr. Harry Clifford Bowling, Official Receiver in Bankruptcy for the District of the Leeds County Court to be also Official Receiver in Bankruptcy for the District of the Wakefield County Court and Mr. Ernest Smith, Official Receiver in Bankruptcy for the District of the Sheffield County Court to be also Official Receiver in Bankruptcy for the District of the Barnsley County Court, in each case with effect from 1st January, 1940.

Board of Trade,  
Great George Street,  
London, S.W.1.  
5th February, 1940.