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*Chancery of the Order of
Saint Michael and Saint George.*

Downing Street, June 2, 1908.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give directions for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:

To be an Ordinary Member of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the said Most Distinguished Order:—

The Right Honourable the Earl of Dudley, P.C., G.C.V.O., on appointment to be Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief of the Commonwealth of Australia.

Whitehall, June 1, 1908.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 30th ultimo, to appoint the Reverend Richard Jones, Curate of Christ Church, Pont Bleiddyn, Mold, to the living of Erryrys, in the county of Denbigh and diocese of St. Asaph, void by the death of the Reverend Richard Owen.

Whitehall, June 1, 1908.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date the 1st instant, to present the Reverend Arnold Henry Page, M.A., Rector of Tendring, Essex, to the Deanery of the Cathedral Church of Peterborough, void by the death of the Very Reverend William Hagger Barlow, D.D., late Dean thereof

Whitehall, May 18, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to grant unto John Edward Compton-Bracebridge, of the Hall, in the parish of Atherstone, in the county of Warwick, Gentleman, His Royal licence and authority that he may continue to use the surnames of Compton and Bracebridge, and that he may bear the Arms of Bracebridge quarterly with those of Willis, and that the said surnames and arms may in like manner be used and borne by his issue: the said Arms being first duly exemplified according to the Laws of Arms, and recorded in His Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in the said College of Arms.

Foreign Office,

May 25, 1908.

The KING has been pleased to approve of—
Mr. J. W. Hall as Consul of Mexico at Auckland, New Zealand;
Mr. Frank Edward Hardcastle as Consul of Norway at Bombay; and
Mr. T. H. A. de Soysa as Vice-Consul of Chile at Colombo.

Treasury Chambers,

June 1, 1908.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer has appointed the Right Honourable George Whiteley to be Steward and Bailiff of the Manor of Northstead.