

united Empire, and that this part of West Sussex may from time to time be honoured by Your Royal Presence and Interest.

Signed this 2nd day of August, 1913, at the West Sussex Hospital, Chichester, in the county of Sussex.

W. A. CHAUNCY, Chairman  
(Major)  
H. JELlicORSE, Vice-Chairman  
(Major)  
T. B. HARRISON, Secretary  
to the Board of Management.

To which Address His Majesty was pleased to return the following gracious Answer:—

I have great pleasure in being present to-day for the purpose of reopening this fine building, which has been renovated and reconstructed as a memorial to My beloved Father King Edward the Seventh, and I thank you heartily for your loyal and dutiful Address.

It is a source of much satisfaction to Me to know that My Father's deep interest in the welfare of hospitals for the sick and injured is held in lively and grateful recollection by His people, and to find that your memorial to Him has taken a form which will perpetuate for many generations the remembrance of His sympathy with these beneficent institutions.

The inhabitants of West Sussex have good reason to look with pride upon the long and honourable history of their hospital and on the public spirit and liberality which have rendered possible the reconstruction which we are inaugurating to-day. It is fitting that you should remind Me of the munificence of the late Mr. William James, who took so warm an interest in the welfare of the hospital. Our satisfaction at the happy completion of this work is mingled with sorrow for his untimely death.

I have much pleasure in acceding to the request which has been submitted to Me that this institution may henceforth be known as the "Royal West Sussex Hospital," and I trust that the generosity of the citizens of West Sussex will enable you to extend still further the field of your noble work in relieving pain and healing disease.

Your zealous and devoted labours to this end will always have My sincere interest and sympathy, and I pray that they may be assisted and crowned by the Divine blessing.

THE GRAND PRIORY OF THE ORDER  
OF THE HOSPITAL OF ST. JOHN OF  
JERUSALEM IN ENGLAND.

Chancery of the Order,  
St. John's Gate, Clerkenwell,  
London, E.C., 5th August, 1913.

The KING has been graciously pleased to sanction the following promotions in and appointments to the Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England:—

*As Knight of Justice (from Knight of Grace).*  
Colonel Sir Clement Molyneux Roys, C.B.

*As Lady of Justice.*

Her Highness The Duchess of Fife.

*As Knights of Grace.*

Major Henry Brydges Yates, M.D. (from Esquire).  
The Honourable Sir Louis Henry Davies, K.C.M.G., K.C.  
William James Gage, Esq.  
George Frederick Galt, Esq.  
David Falconer Pennant, Esq.  
William Gair Rathbone, Esq.  
Lieut.-Colonel Sydney Monckton Copeman, F.R.S., M.D. (from Honorary Associate).  
Sir John Fowke Lancelot Rolleston, M.P.  
His Excellency The Earl of Liverpool, G.C.I.E., K.C.M.G., M.V.O.  
The Right Honourable William Hayes Fisher, P.C., M.P.

*As Honorary Knight of Grace.*

Edson J. Chamberlin, Esq.

*As Ladies of Grace.*

Susan Clementina, Mrs. C. W. Wilson.  
Mary Reford, Mrs. A. E. Gooderham.  
Elizabeth Mary, Mrs. F. W. Pixley.  
Eliza, Lady Rolleston.  
The Honourable Christina Philippa Agnes, Mrs. A. H. Ogilvy Spence.

*As Esquires.*

Major Francis Leonard Vaux, M.D., A.M.C. (Canada).  
George Bury, Esq.  
Lieut.-Colonel John Taylor Fotheringham, M.D., A.M.C. (Canada).  
William Kerr George, Esq.

*As Honorary Esquire.*

Howard G. Kelley, Esq.

*Addition to the List of Donats.*

Rai Bahadur Lieut.-Colonel Dhanpat Rai, C.I.E. (Commandant, Jaipur Transport Corps).

*Crown Office,*

August 7, 1913.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal, bearing date the 25th day of July, 1913, to appoint—

The Right Hon. John Viscount Morley of Blackburn, Lord President of the Council,  
The Right Hon. William Earl Beauchamp, First Commissioner of Works, &c., and  
The Right Hon. Sir Herbert Hardy Cœzens-Hardy, Master of the Rolls,

to be Commissioners for the care and custody of the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, during any absence of The Right Hon. Richard Burdon Viscount Haldane, K.T., Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, from the United Kingdom.

NATIONAL INSURANCE ACT, 1911.

(1 & 2 Geo. 5, c. 55, s. 83).

Notice is hereby given, that the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury have, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon Them