

Privy Council Office,

9th April, 1937.

**MERCHANT SHIPPING ACTS,
1894 TO 1906.**

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that after the expiration of forty days from the date hereof, it is proposed to submit to His Majesty in Council the drafts of two Orders in Council, the one under Section 4 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, entitled "The Merchant Shipping (Registrars of British Ships in Burma) Order, 1937," and the other under Section 80 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1906, entitled "The Merchant Shipping (Registration of Burma Government Ships) Order, 1937."

And notice is hereby further given, that copies of the proposed draft Orders in Council can be obtained by any public body within forty days of the date of this notice at the Privy Council Office, Whitehall.

Whitehall, April 9, 1937.

The following Addresses were presented to His Majesty at Windsor Castle, on Friday, the 9th instant:—

**DEAN AND CANONS OF ST. GEORGE'S
CHAPEL, WINDSOR.**

May it please Your Majesty,

We, Your Majesty's loyal and devoted Servants, the Dean and Canons of Your Free Chapel of Saint George within Your Castle of Windsor, present our humble duty, offering our homage and respectful congratulations to Your Majesty on Your accession to the Throne.

It is of happy augury for us that You bear the name of England's Patron Saint whom our Chapel commemorates. Twice in its long history the fabric has needed large reparation. At the close of the eighteenth century this work was munificently supported by His Majesty King George III. Between 1920 and 1930 the whole building was restored and strengthened, an undertaking powerfully supported by the generosity and unflinching interest of Your beloved Father. We are confident that You also, with Her Majesty the Queen, will hold in high regard this House of God, wherein through centuries Your Predecessors joined with ours in worship.

We rejoice that Your Majesty has commanded a Service for the Most Honourable and Noble Order of the Garter, to be held in the Quire of St. George's Chapel, its spiritual home. In that place also our daily prayers will be made that the Almighty will bestow health and happiness upon Yourself and Her Majesty the Queen, and that Your Reign may witness, which You will chiefly desire, a renewal of true Religion in our land and the establishment of peace throughout the world.

(L.S.)

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

I am glad to receive you here to-day and I thank you warmly for your loyal address of congratulation upon my accession. You are well aware of my deep affection for St. George's Chapel and of my keen interest in all its historic associations.

The Queen and I deeply appreciate your good wishes and I join in your prayers for God's Blessing upon my reign and for the maintenance of true religion and peace among the nations.

WINDSOR CORPORATION.

To His Most Gracious Majesty, King
GEORGE VI.

May it please Your Majesty,

We, The Mayor, Aldermen and Councillors of the Royal and Ancient Borough of New Windsor, on behalf of the Inhabitants, present our humble duty.

We offer our respectful and sincere congratulations to Your Majesty upon Your accession to the Throne of our Glorious Empire, and we express to Your Majesty, and to Your gracious and beloved Queen, our deepest feelings of loyalty and devotion.

We pray that Your reign may be long and prosperous, that peace among the nations of the world may be secured, and that the high traditions of the Empire may be truly maintained.

We remember with deep gratitude the honour conferred upon our Borough when You last year accepted the position as its High Steward, and we tender to You our thanks for the interest so kindly shown during Your term of Office.

We further and with deepest respect esteem the privilege which your Majesty has now so graciously extended to us by personally accepting this our dutiful Address.

Sealed in pursuance of a resolution unanimously passed at a Meeting of the Town Council of the said Borough this seventh day of April, 1937.

ARTHUR E. CHURCHER, Mayor.
J. W. HAMBIDGE, Town Clerk.
(L.S.)

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

I am very glad to receive your loyal and dutiful address and to see among you so many old friends. The Queen and I much appreciate the good wishes you express on behalf of the people of Windsor and Her Majesty joins me in assuring you that your Royal Borough will always have a warm place in our hearts and that we shall follow with keen interest all efforts for its welfare and prosperity.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Bill Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday, the 16th April, 1937, at 1 o'clock, for Treasury Bills