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Privy Council Office, 22nd March, 1949.

UNIVERSITIES OF OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE ACT, 1923.

Statutes made by the Governing Body of Peterhouse, in the University of Cambridge, on the 15th March, 1949, have been submitted for the approval of His Majesty in Council, and notice of their having been so submitted is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1923".

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1.

22nd March, 1949.

The KING has directed that the award to Jasper IROPIALA, late Sergeant, British Solomon Islands Defence Force, of the British Empire Medal (Military Division), dated 1st January, 1946, shall be cancelled and annulled, in consequence of his having been convicted by the Judicial Commissioner of the British Solomon Islands Protectorate on a charge of a seditious nature.

Crown Office, House of Lords, S.W.1.

16th March, 1949.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present The Reverend Leslie Ronald Swinger to the Vicarage of Billingborough in the County of Lincoln and Diocese of Lincoln void by the resignation of the last Incumbent and in His Majesty's Gift in full right.

Crown Office, House of Lords; S.W.1.

16th March, 1949.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present The Reverend Leslie Ronald Swinger to the Vicarage of Sempringham with Pointon and Pointon Fen with Birthorpe in the County of Lincoln and Diocese of Lincoln void by the cession of the last Incumbent and in His Majesty's Gift in full right.

Crown Office, House of Lords, S.W.1.

16th March, 1949.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present The Reverend Crichton John Francis Huggins to the Vicarage of Membury in the County of Devon and Diocese of Exeter void by the resignation of the last Incumbent and in His Majesty's Gift for this turn only by reason of the avoidance of the See of Exeter.

Crown Office, House of Lords, S.W.1.

18th March, 1949.

MEMBER elected to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Parliamentary County of York, West Riding, Sowerby Division.

Arthur Leslie Noel Douglas Houghton, Esquire, in the place of John William Belcher, Esquire, who since his election for the said County hath accepted the Office of Steward or Bailiff of His Majesty's Manor of Northstead in the County of York.

Treasury Chambers, S.W.1.

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that They have made an Order under Section 9 of the Finance Act, 1932, and Section 1 of the Import Duties (Emergency Provisions) Act, 1939, viz.:-

The Import Duties (Drawback) (No. 4) Order, 1949, which provides for the allowance, until the 31st December, 1949, of drawback in respect of jute tissue used in the manufacture of certain sacks which are unused at the time of exportation.

The Order which comes into operation on the 24th March, 1949, has been published as Statutory Instruments 1949, No. 464, and copies may be purchased (price 1d. net) direct from His Majesty's Stationery Office, at the following addresses: York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13a Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39 King Street, Manchester 2; 2 Edmund Street, Birmingham 3; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol 1; 80 Chichester Street, Belfast, or through any bookseller.

COLONIAL STOCK ACTS 1877 TO 1948.

ADDITION TO LIST OF STOCKS UNDER SECTION 2 OF THE COLONIAL STOCK ACT 1900 (63 & 64 Vic. Cap. 62).

Pursuant to Section 2 of the Colonial Stock Act 1900 the Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury hereby give notice that the provisions of the Act have been complied with in respect of the under-mentioned Stock inscribed in the United Kingdom:-

British Guiana Government 3 per cent. Inscribed Stock 1975-1980.

The restrictions mentioned in Section 2 Subsection (1) of the Trustee Act 1925 apply to the above Stock (see Colonial Stock Act 1900 Section 2).

Whitehall, March 15, 1949.

The KING has been pleased to award the King's Police and Fire Services Medal for Gallantry to Sergeant Harold Bland and Constable John Malcolm Baxter, both of the Metropolitan Police Force.

Whitehall, March 22, 1949.

The KING has been pleased to approve the appointment of Sir Watkin Williams-Wynn, Baronet, to be Vice-Lieutenant of the County of Denbigh, in the room of Lieutenant-Colonel Roderick George Fenwick Palmer, C.B.E., resigned, to act for His Majesty's Lieutenant during his absence from the County, sickness or other inability to act.