

Three years ago we presented a loyal address to Your Majesty in which we prayed that Your Majesty, with your Royal Consort the Duke of Edinburgh and your children, might long enjoy the love of all who live within the bounds of your great inheritance. We rejoice that Your Majesty's untiring devotion to the service of your people has been increasingly rewarded with the loyal affection of your subjects throughout your wide dominions. We rejoice also that in spite of many pressing duties Your Majesty and members of your Royal House have been able to visit your subjects in so many parts of the world and thereby to link them together in closer fellowship.

We recall the solemn splendour of Your Majesty's Coronation, with its note of deep religion, of dedication to the service of God and of dependence upon His guiding wisdom. Into which solemnity, thanks to the discoveries of science, the people of this country and of many other lands were able to enter, as never before, by sound and sight. We pray that the Church of God may ever be enabled to foster and deepen that spirit of dedication in the hearts of all your people.

The longing of men of good will everywhere is for peace between the nations of the world based upon freedom and justice for all. To this cause the Church is pledged in work and prayer. In the faith of Jesus Christ who died for all men we pray that by the power of His spirit the leaders of this and every nation may be guided to establish righteousness, justice and truth in all the world as the sure foundation of peace and the well-being of all men.

And we shall ever pray that the good hand of Almighty God may rest upon Your Majesty, upon your Royal Consort, upon your children as they receive their training for the duties which lie before them, and upon all your Royal House, and that He may crown your Reign with the blessings of peace and prosperity.

Cyril Ebor, President.  
A. Selwyn Bean, Prolocutor.

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

I thank Your Grace and the Bishops and Clergy of the Province of York for the Loyal Address you have presented at the commencement of your first Convocation begun in My reign. I am grateful for your assurances of loyal devotion, and I deeply appreciate the kind and generous words with which you have referred to My visits to My peoples in many parts of the world.

Most fervently I join in your prayer to Almighty God to foster that spirit of true religion and dedication to His service in which My Coronation was celebrated with such solemnity not only in this country but in many other lands. It is My constant aim, aided by the prayers of the Church, to serve Him by promoting the well-being of all My peoples.

I pray that the blessing of Almighty God will always rest upon the endeavours of the Church to establish His righteousness, the only sure foundation of universal peace.

#### TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday, the 21st October, 1955, at 1 p.m. for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877, the National Debt Act, 1889, and the National Loans Act, 1939, to the amount of £240,000,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5,000, £10,000, £25,000, £50,000 or £100,000. They will be dated at the option of the tenderer on any business day from Monday, the 24th October, 1955, to Saturday, the 29th October, 1955, inclusive, and will be due 91 days after date.

3. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

4. Each Tender must be for an amount not less than £50,000, and must specify the date on which the Bills required are to be dated, and the net amount per cent. (being an even multiple of one penny) which will be given for the amount applied for. Separate Tenders must be lodged for Bills of different dates.

5. Tenders must be made through a London Banker, Discount House, or Broker.

6. Notification will be sent by post on the same day as Tenders are received, to the persons whose

Tenders are accepted in whole or in part, and payment in full of the amounts due in respect of such accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England by means of cash or a Banker's Draft on the Bank of England not later than 1.30 p.m. (Saturday, 11.30 a.m.) on the day on which the relative Bills are to be dated.

7. Members of the House of Commons are not precluded from tendering for these Bills.

8. Tenders must be made on the printed forms which may be obtained from the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England.

9. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders. Treasury Chambers.

14th October, 1955.

Foreign Office, October 14, 1955.

#### INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS (IMMUNITIES AND PRIVILEGES) ACT, 1950.

In pursuance of subsection (1) (c) of section 2 of the International Organisations (Immunities and Privileges) Act, 1950 (14 Geo. 6, Ch. 14), Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs hereby gives notice of the following further amendment to the list published in the London Gazette of the 9th of April, 1954, of persons upon whom immunities and privileges have been conferred by the International Organisations (Immunities and Privileges of the Council of Europe) Order in Council, 1950, the said amendment taking effect from the 30th of September, 1955:—

*High Officials of the Council of Europe (Article 10 of the Order in Council).*

REMOVE:

Monsieur Arnold Struycken (Deputy Secretary-General).

Whitehall, October 14, 1955.

Under authority of a Royal Warrant the Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, at Government House, Brisbane, on the 17th August, 1955, conferred the honour of Knighthood upon Alexander Paterson Murphy, Esq., M.C., M.D., Ch.M., President of the Royal Australasian College of Physicians.

[Her Majesty's approval of this Knighthood was signified on the 10th June, 1954.]

Whitehall, October 14, 1955.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 1st instant, to appoint David Daube, Esq., Ph.D., Professor of Jurisprudence in the University of Aberdeen, to the Office and Place of Regius Professor of Civil Law in the University of Oxford, in the room of the late Herbert Felix Jolowicz, Esq., LL.D., D.C.L.

Whitehall, October 14, 1955.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 10th instant, to appoint Sir Reader William Bullard, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., C.I.E., Professor Vincent Todd Harlow, C.M.G., D.Litt., Professor Harold Walter Bailey, D.Phil., F.B.A., and Miss Gertrude Caton-Thompson, D.Litt., F.B.A., F.S.A., to be Members of the Governing Body of the School of Oriental and African Studies (University of London) until the 31st August, 1960.

Whitehall, October 14, 1955.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 10th instant, to nominate the Reverend Eric John Hart to the Living of All Souls, Harlesden, in the County of Middlesex and the Diocese of London, vacant by the cession of the Reverend Charles William James Harbridge, M.A.

Whitehall, October 14, 1955.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 10th instant, to grant unto Admiral Sir John