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*Lord Chamberlain's Office,
St. James's Palace, S.W.1.
31st July, 1956.*

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to appoint John Anthony, Lord Ardee, to be a Page of Honour to Her Majesty in the room of George John Aird, Esquire, resigned.

Whitehall, 20th July, 1956.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to ordain and declare that Rosemary Verena Edith Villiers, Spinster, shall henceforth have hold and enjoy the same title, rank, place, pre-eminence and precedence as the daughter of an Earl which would have been due to her had her father George Herbert Arthur Edward Hyde Villiers, commonly called Lord Hyde, survived his father George Herbert Hyde, Earl of Clarendon, and thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Earl of Clarendon.

And to command that the said Royal Concession and Declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, 20th July, 1956.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to give and grant unto Sir John James Kenward Shaw, of Eltham, in the County of Kent, Baronet, Commander in the Royal Navy (retired), Her Royal Licence and Authority that he may take use and bear the name of Best in addition to and before that of Shaw and bear the Arms of Best quarterly with those of Shaw and that such name and Arms may in like manner be taken borne and used by his issue: the said Arms being first duly exemplified according to the Laws of Arms and recorded in Her 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 Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

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

27th July, 1956.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present the Reverend Geoffrey Sidney Moody, M.A., to the Rectory of Abberley, in the county and diocese of Worcester, void by the cession of the last Incumbent and in Her Majesty's gift for this turn only by reason of the late avoidance of the See of Worcester.

CONSOLIDATION OF ENACTMENTS.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to section one of the Consolidation of Enactments (Procedure) Act, 1949, that in order to facilitate the consolidation of certain enactments relating to bastardy, the Lord Chancellor intends on the 1st August, 1956, to

lay before Parliament a memorandum proposing corrections and minor improvements in certain of those enactments.

After the memorandum has been laid before Parliament copies may be purchased from any of the addresses shown on the last page of this Gazette or through any bookseller.

Representations in writing with respect to the memorandum may be made not later than the 1st September, 1956, and should be sent in duplicate to the Secretary of the Joint Committee on Consolidation Bills, Committee Office, House of Lords, S.W.1.

*Lord Chancellor's Office,
House of Lords, S.W.1.*

Treasury Chambers, S.W.1.

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Her Majesty has been pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to make an Order in Council under section 1 (1) of the Isle of Man (Customs) Act, 1955, entitled the Isle of Man (Customs) Order, 1956.

This Order confirms a resolution of the Court of Tynwald making provisions in respect of Isle of Man customs duties corresponding to the customs and excise duty provisions in the Finance (No. 2) Bill of the United Kingdom, and also continues the customs duties on certain goods which in the Isle of Man it is customary to impose from year to year.

The Order comes into operation on the 1st August, 1956, and has been published as Statutory Instruments, 1956, No. 1160.

Copies may be purchased (price 3d. net) direct from H.M. Stationery Office, at the addresses shown on the last page of this Gazette.

Whitehall, July 31, 1956.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 31st instant, to nominate the Venerable Edward James Keymer Roberts, M.A., Archdeacon of Portsmouth, to be Bishop Suffragan of Malmesbury in the Diocese of Bristol.

Colonial Office, London, S.W.1.

31st July, 1956.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the immediate award of the Colonial Police Medal for Gallantry to Lieutenant Frederick Arthur Wilson, and to Lance Corporal Sultan Mohamed s/o. Mashud Khan, of the Singapore Police Force.

Colonial Office, London, S.W.1.

31st July, 1956.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the immediate award of the Colonial Police Medal for Gallantry to Inspector Theophilus David Nkherepe Molefe of the Basutoland Mounted Police.