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Consolidation of Enactments (Procedure) Act, 1949.  
Milk (Special Designations) Act, 1949.  
British Film Institute Act, 1949.  
War Damage (Public Utility Undertakings, &c.) Act, 1949.  
Agriculture (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1949.  
Agricultural Marketing Act, 1949.  
Commonwealth Telegraphs Act, 1949.  
Mid-Northamptonshire Water Board Order Confirmation (Special Procedure) Act, 1949.  
Grimsby Corporation Act, 1949.  
University of Nottingham<sup>a</sup> Act, 1949.

*Westminster, 2nd June, 1949.*

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons, by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by His Majesty, for declaring His Royal Assent to the Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to:—*

Landlord and Tenant (Rent Control) Act, 1949.  
Ireland Act, 1949.

*Clarence House, St. James's, S.W.1.*

*3rd June, 1949.*

The PRINCESS ELIZABETH, Duchess of Edinburgh, has been pleased to appoint Lady Palmer to be a Lady-in-Waiting (temporary) to Her Royal Highness. The appointment to date from the 1st June, 1949.

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

*1st June, 1949.*

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal bearing date the 1st day of June, 1949, to appoint the Right Honourable Wilfrid Arthur Baron Greene, O.B.E., M.C., Master of the Rolls, to be a Lord of Appeal in Ordinary under the provisions of the Appellate Jurisdiction Act, 1876, as amended by subsequent enactments.

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

*1st June, 1949.*

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal bearing date the 1st day of June, 1949, to appoint the Right Honourable Sir Cyril John Radcliffe, G.B.E., K.C., to be a Lord of Appeal in Ordinary under the provisions of the Appellate Jurisdiction Act, 1876, as amended by subsequent enactments, and to grant to him the dignity of a Baron for life by the style and title of Baron Radcliffe of Werneth in the County Palatine of Lancaster.

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

*1st June, 1949.*

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal bearing date the 1st day of June, 1949, to appoint the Right Honourable Sir Francis Raymond Evershed, Knight, one of the Lords Justices of Appeal, to be Keeper or Master of the Rolls and Records of the Chancery of England.

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

*1st June, 1949.*

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal bearing date the 1st day of June, 1949, to appoint the Right Honourable Sir David Llewellyn Jenkins, Knight, one of the Justices of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, to be one of the Lords Justices of Appeal.

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

*1st June, 1949.*

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal bearing date the 1st day of June, 1949, to appoint Harold Otto Danckwerts, Esquire, to be one of the Justices of His Majesty's High Court of Justice.

#### TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of His 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 10th June, 1949, 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 £170,000,000.

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 13th June, 1949, to Saturday, the 18th June, 1949, inclusive, and will be payable at three months 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. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same not later than the following day, and payment in full of the amounts of the 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 12 noon) 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 His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers.

*3rd June, 1949.*

*Whitehall, June 3, 1949.*

Under Authority of a Royal Warrant, the Governor-General of New Zealand, at Government House, Wellington, on the 15th August, 1947, conferred the honour of Knighthood upon the Honourable Harold Featherston Johnston.

[His Majesty's approval of this Knighthood was signified on the 12th June, 1947.]

*Whitehall, June 3, 1949.*

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 31st ultimo, to present the Reverend William Edward James Cringle, B.D., to the Vicarage of Saint Paul, Foxdale, in the Isle of Man, vacant by the cession of the Reverend William Henry Saunders.

*Whitehall, June 3, 1949.*

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has issued a Warrant to the following effect:—

#### CIVIL DEFENCE CORPS WARRANT, 1949.

1. The Civil Defence Corps shall be formed as a civil defence force for Great Britain.

2. The Corps shall consist of volunteers enrolled by the Secretary of State or by such authorities or persons as he may authorise to act in this respect on his behalf.

3. Members of the Corps may be discharged (whether at their own request or otherwise) or be dismissed before the termination of the period of their enrolment by the Secretary of State or by such authorities or persons as he may authorise to act in this respect on his behalf.

4. Local divisions of the Corps shall be organised by local authorities under the directions of the Secretary of State.