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FRIDAY, 4 OCTOBER, 1957

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

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

4th October, 1957.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased on the advice of Her Majesty's Australian Ministers, to approve the award of the George Medal to:—

2/731721 Lance Corporal Thomas Ronald James EGGINGTON, 9 Field Park Squadron, Royal Australian Engineers.

On the 17th March, 1957, in the Mount Royal area a Sapper was operating a hydraulic angle dozer clearing trees on a road deviation, when a large branch fell from one of the trees knocking him unconscious. The dozer, out of control, knocked the tree down, rode across the large up-ended stump and continued down a precipitous hill, still with the tree trunk between its tracks. Lance Corporal EGGINGTON saw the accident and without any hesitation and with complete disregard for his own personal safety, immediately attempted to climb aboard the dozer. As the dozer mounted the up-ended tree stump EGGINGTON was thrown off and injured his leg. Disregarding his injury he again attempted to mount the dozer. Despite the hazard of the power control unit with its spinning drums of cable, he succeeded in reaching the driver's seat, threw out the master clutch and thus stopped the machine. He then lifted the unconscious driver from the dozer and both men were taken to hospital. Lance Corporal EGGINGTON's courageous action, performed at such personal risk and pursued even after receiving severe injuries himself, undoubtedly saved the Sapper from death or disablement.

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

1st October, 1957.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal bearing date the 23rd day of September, 1957, to appoint:—

Lieutenant-Colonel the Right Honourable John Hugh Hare, O.B.E., President,

Captain Harold Julian Amery, Vice President, Field Marshal Sir Gerald Walter Robert Temper, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., K.B.E., D.S.O.,

General Sir Charles Falkland Loewen, G.C.B., K.B.E., D.S.O., Aide-de-Camp General to Her Majesty,

General Sir Nevil Charles Dowell Brownjohn, G.B.E., K.C.B., C.M.G., M.C., Aide-de-Camp General to Her Majesty,

Lieutenant-General Sir William Henry Stratton, K.C.B., C.V.O., C.B.E., D.S.O.,

Lieutenant-General Sir Richard Amyatt Hull, K.C.B., D.S.O., and

Sir Edward Wilder Playfair, K.C.B.,

to be Her Majesty's Army Council.

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

1st October, 1957.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal bearing date the 1st day of October, 1957, to appoint:—

Sir James Ian Cormack Crombie, K.C.B., K.B.E., C.M.G.,

Arthur Douglas Owen, Esquire, C.B.,

Lieutenant-Colonel John Euston Bell Finlay, O.B.E., T.D.,

George Imms, Esquire,

Charles Henry Blake, Esquire, and

Lieutenant Kenneth Bruce Pepper,

to be Her Majesty's Commissioners of Customs and Excise.

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

1st October, 1957.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal bearing date the 1st day of October, 1957, to appoint Aubrey Melford Steed Stevenson, Esquire, Q.C., to be one of the Justices of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice.

Crown Office,

House of Lords, S.W.1.

3rd October, 1957.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present The Reverend John Chapman, B.A., to the Vicarage of Hedgefield, in the County and Diocese of Durham, 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 Durham.

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 11th October, 1957, 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 £260,000,000.

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 14th October, 1957, to Saturday, the 19th October, 1957, inclusive, and will be due 91 days after date.

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