

Privy Council Office,

10th May, 1916.

The following Statute made by the University of Oxford, on the 14th day of March, 1916, (and sealed on the 4th day of May, 1916), has been submitted for the approval of His Majesty in Council, and notice of its having been so submitted is published in accordance with the provisions of "The Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1877."

Whereas it is expedient to amend Subsection 16 of Section II. E of Title IV. of the Statutes of the University of Oxford, so as to bring it into accordance with Statute XVII. of the Statutes of Christ Church, in that University, as amended by the Governing Body of Christ Church on the 16th day of June, 1915:

Now the said University, in exercise of the powers in that behalf conferred upon it by the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1877, and of all other powers enabling it, enacts, subject to the approval of His Majesty in Council, as follows:—

In Statt. Tit. IV. Sect. II. E. § 16, "Concerning Dr. Lee's Professors," in Part I., Clause 1, Part II., Clause 1, and Part III., Clause 1, in each case, the words "*in agreement with*" shall be struck out, and the words "*after consultation with*" shall be substituted therefor.

The Seal of the Chancellor, Masters, and Scholars of the University of Oxford was hereunto affixed this 4th day of May, 1916, in the presence of

J. M. THOMPSON,
Senior Proctor.

H. H. E. CRASTER,
Junior Proctor.

Privy Council Office,

10th May, 1916.

Notice is hereby given, that a Petition of Eleanor Mildred Sidgwick, Widow, the President and Chairman of the Council and Treasurer of Newnham College, Cambridge, and others, praying for the grant of a CHARTER OF INCORPORATION to the said College, has been presented to His Majesty in Council; and, His Majesty having referred the said Petition to a Committee of the Lords of the Council, notice is further given, that all petitions for or against such grant should be sent to the Privy Council Office, Whitehall, on or before the 10th day of June next.

India Office,

4th May, 1916.

The KING has been graciously pleased to make the following appointment to the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India in recognition of the meritorious service of the under-mentioned Officer in connection with the war:—

To be an Additional Companion of the said Most Exalted Order:—

Rear-Admiral Arthur Hayes-Sadler.

House of Lords,

9th May, 1916.

A writ dated the ninth day of May, 1916, directed to Lieutenant-Colonel Ferdinando Dudley William Lea Smith, of Halesowen Grange, in the county of Worcester, summoning him to the Upper House of Parliament by the name, style, and title of Ferdinando Dudley William Lea Smith de Dudley, Chevalier, has been passed under the Great Seal, pursuant to Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual.

House of Lords,

9th May, 1916.

A writ dated the ninth day of May, 1916, directed to Cuthbert Matthias Kenworthy, of Leinster Gardens, in the parish of Paddington and county of London, Esquire, summoning him to the Upper House of Parliament by the name, style and title of Cuthbert Matthias Kenworthy de Strabolgi, Chevalier, has been passed under the Great Seal, pursuant to Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual.

Crown Office,

10th May, 1916.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Queen's County, Ossory Division.

John Lalor Fitzpatrick, Esquire, in the place of William Delany, Esquire, deceased.

Crown Office,

11th May, 1916.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present the Rev. Richard Ireland, M.A., to the Rectory of South Kelsey, in the county and diocese of Lincoln, void by the death of the last Incumbent and in His Majesty's gift for this turn.

TREATMENT OF GOODS DISCHARGED FROM GERMAN VESSELS REQUISITIONED BY THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT.

His Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received, through H.M. Ambassador at Rome, the following Memorandum from the Italian Government on the subject of goods discharged from German steamers which have been requisitioned by them:—

TRANSLATION.

In order to regulate in a definite and uniform manner the treatment to be accorded to goods discharged from German steamers requisitioned in the ports of the Kingdom and Colonies, the following rules have been laid down:—

a. The State Departments concerned will within as short a delay as possible proceed to requisition all such goods as can be utilised.

b. Goods originally belonging to subjects of neutral States may, subject to the observance of the rules laid down under heading (e), be