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TUESDAY, 9 OCTOBER, 1917.

By virtue of an Act passed in the 24th year of the Reign of His Majesty King George III, intituled, "An Act to repeal so much of two Acts made in the 10th and 15th years of the Reign of His present Majesty, as authorizes The Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out Writs for the Election of Members to serve in Parliament in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes"; and of an Act passed in the 26th year of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the time for proceeding to Election during the Recess."

DO hereby give Notice, that the death of the Honourable Francis Walter Stafford McLaren, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the County of Lincolnshire, Holland or Spalding Division, hath been certified to me in writing under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new Writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this

present Parliament for the said division of the said county at the end of six days after the insertion of this Notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this sixth day of October, 1917.

James W. Lowther, Speaker.

Crown Office, 8th October, 1917.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present the Rev. Robert Morris, B.A., to the Vicarage of All Saints, Rampton, in the county of Nottingham and Diocese of Southwell, void by the resignation of the last Incumbent and in His Majesty's Gift in full right.

Crown Office, 8th October, 1917.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present the Rev. James Frank Warden Gompertz, B.A.,