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TUESDAY, 24 JULY, 1923.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

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

24th July, 1923.

The KING has directed that the appointment of Richard Williamson to be a Commander of the Civil Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, dated the 3rd June, 1918, shall be cancelled and annulled, and his name erased from the Register, in consequence of his having been convicted by the Civil Power.

Crown Office,

23rd July, 1923.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal bearing date the 18th day of July, 1923, to appoint:—

The Right Hon. Stanley Baldwin, M.P.,

The Right Hon. Sir William Joynson-Hicks, Bart., M.P.,

Henry Douglas King, Esquire, C.B.E., D.S.O., M.P.,

George Hennessy, Esquire, O.B.E., M.P.,

Major William Cope, M.P., and

Patrick Johnston Ford, Esquire, M.P.,

to be Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

Whitehall, July 24, 1923.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, to confer the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom upon the Honourable Charles Napier Lawrence, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of Baron Lawrence of Kingsgate, of Holland House, Kingsgate, in the County of Kent.

Whitehall, July 24, 1923.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, to confer the dignity of a Baron of the said United Kingdom upon the Honourable Herbert Cokayne Gibbs, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of Baron Hunsdon of Hunsdon, of Briggens, in the County of Hertford.

Whitehall, July 24, 1923.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto John Seth Williams, Esq., His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Cross of Officer of the Order of the Crown of Italy, which Decoration has been conferred