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TUESDAY, 25 JUNE, 1929.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office,
Buckingham Palace, S.W.
25th June, 1929.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint Frederic Stanley Osgood, Esquire, M.V.O., O.B.E., to be a Sergeant-at-Arms to His Majesty, in the room of Major James Evan Baillie Martin, C.V.O., D.S.O., resigned.

Whitehall, June 24, 1929.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 20th instant, to confer the dignities of Viscount and Earl of the United Kingdom upon James Lyle, Viscount Inchcape, G.C.S.I., G.C.M.G., K.C.I.E., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the names, styles and titles of Viscount Glenapp, of Strathnaver in the County of Sutherland, and Earl of Inchcape.

Whitehall, June 24, 1929.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 22nd instant, to confer the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom upon the Right Honourable Sidney James

Webb, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style and title of Baron Passfield, of Passfield Corner in the County of Southampton.

Whitehall, June 24, 1929.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 17th instant, to confer the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom upon the Right Honourable Robert William Hugh O'Neill, of Cleggan in the County of Antrim, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

Whitehall, June 24, 1929.

The KING has been pleased, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the Realm, bearing date the 22nd instant, to present the Reverend Hugh Richard Lawrie Sheppard, C.H., M.A., D.D., Honorary Chaplain to His Majesty, to the Deanery of the Cathedral and Metropolitan Church of Christ in Canterbury, void by the elevation of the Very Reverend George Kennedy Allen Bell, D.D., late Dean thereof, to the Bishopric of Chichester.