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FRIDAY, 13 OCTOBER, 1944

Westminster, 10th October, 1944.

This day, the Lords being met, a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons, by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that *The Lords, authorised by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by His Majesty, for declaring His Royal Assent to the Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read;* and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, do declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to:—

Housing (Temporary Accommodation) Act, 1944.

Whitehall, 22nd September, 1944.

The KING has been graciously pleased to give and grant unto Thomas Pilkington Norris of Speke Hall in the County Palatine of Lancaster, Gentleman, His Royal Licence and Authority that he may take and henceforth use the surname of Watt in addition to and before that of Norris, that he may bear the Arms of Watt quarterly with his own family Arms, and that such surname and Arms may in like manner be taken borne and used by his issue: the said Arms being first duly exemplified according to the Laws of Arms and recorded in His Majesty's College of Arms otherwise the said Royal Licence and Permission to be void and of none effect.

And to Command that the said Royal Concession and Declaration be recorded in His Majesty's said College of Arms.

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

11th October, 1944.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal bearing date the 11th day of October, 1944, to appoint the Honourable Sir Fergus Dunlop Morton, Knight, M.C., one of the Justices of His Majesty's High Court of Justice, to be one of the Lords Justices of Appeal.

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

10th October, 1944.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present the Rev. Roger Montague Harrison to the Vicarage of St. Peter, Southampton, in the County of Southampton and Diocese of Winchester, void by the resignation of the last Incumbent and in His Majesty's Gift for this turn only by reason of lapse.

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

10th October, 1944.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present the Rev. William

Charles Gillett to the Rectory of Uplowman, in the County of Devon and Diocese of Exeter, void by the cession of the last Incumbent and in His Majesty's Gift for this turn only by reason of lapse.

House of Lords, S.W.1.

12th October, 1944.

MEMBER elected to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Parliamentary Borough of Chelsea.

Major William Philip Sidney, V.C., in the place of the Right Honourable Sir Samuel John Gurney Hoare, Bart., G.C.S.I., G.B.E., C.M.G. (now Viscount Templewood), called up to the House of Lords.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of His 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 20th October, 1944, 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 Acts, 1939 to 1944, to the amount of £120,000,000.

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 23rd October, 1944, to Saturday, the 28th October, 1944, inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date.

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

4. Each Tender must be for an amount not less than £50,000 and must specify the date on which the Bills required are to be dated, and the net amount per cent. (being an even multiple of one penny) which will be given for the amount applied for. Separate Tenders must be lodged for Bills of different dates.

5. Tenders must be made through a London Banker, Discount House or Broker.

6. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same not later than the following day, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England by means of Cash or a Banker's Draft on the Bank of England not later than 1.30 p.m. (Saturday 12 noon) on the day on which the relative Bills are to be dated.

7. Members of the House of Commons are not precluded from tendering for these Bills.

8. Tenders must be made on the printed forms which may be obtained from the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England.

9. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers.
13th October, 1944.