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George Clark Phillips Brown, Esquire, Master of Arts;

Frederick Geoffrey Lawrence, Esquire, one of Our Counsel learned in the Law;

Darrell Mace, Esquire;

Mabel Ridealgh; and

James Walker, Esquire, one of Our Counsel learned in the Law, Master of Arts:

Greeting!

WHEREAS We have deemed it expedient that a Commission should forthwith issue to inquire into the law of England and the law of Scotland concerning divorce and other matrimonial causes and into the powers of courts of inferior jurisdiction in matters affecting relations between husband and wife, and to consider whether any changes should be made in the law or its administration, including the law relating to the property rights of husband and wife, both during marriage and after its termination (except by death), having in mind the need to promote and maintain healthy and happy married life and to safeguard the interests and well-being of children; and to consider whether any alteration should be made in the law prohibiting marriage with certain relations by kindred or affinity:

NOW KNOW YE that We, reposing great trust and confidence in your knowledge and ability, have authorized and appointed, and do by these Presents authorize and appoint you the said Fergus Dunlop, Baron Morton of Henryton; Louise Rosemary Kathleen Virginia, Viscountess Portal; James Keith; Sir Edward Holroyd Pearce; Sir Frederick John Burrows; Lady (Alice Grace Jenny) Bragg; Henry Lael Oswald Flecker; Violet Mary Craig Robertson; Kate Winifred Jones-Roberts; Thomas Young; May Tennent Baird; Robert Beloe; Ethel Maud Brace; George Clark Phillips Brown; Frederick Geoffrey Lawrence; Darrell Mace; Mabel Ridealgh and James Walker to be Our Commissioners for the purposes of the said inquiry:

AND for the better effecting the purposes of this Our Commission, We do by these Presents give and grant unto you, or any five or more of you, full power to call before you such persons as you shall judge likely to afford you any information upon the subject of this Our Commission; to call for information in writing; and also to call for, have access to and examine all such books, documents, registers and records as may afford you the fullest information on the subject and to inquire of and concerning the premises by all other lawful ways and means whatsoever:

AND We do by these Presents authorize and empower you, or any of you, to visit and personally inspect such places as you may deem it expedient so to inspect for the more effectual carrying out of the purposes aforesaid:

AND We do by these Presents will and ordain that this Our Commission shall continue in full force and virtue, and that you, Our said Commissioners, or any five or more of you may from time to time proceed in the execution thereof, and of every matter and thing therein contained, although the same be not continued from time to time by adjournment:

AND We do further ordain that you, or any five or more of you, have liberty to report your proceedings under this Our Commission from time to time if you shall judge it expedient so to do:

AND Our further will and pleasure is that you do, with as little delay as possible, report to Us your opinion upon the matters herein submitted for your consideration.

Given at Our Court at Saint James's the Eighth day of September, 1951; in the Fifteenth Year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command.

J. Chuter Ede.

Royal Commission on Marriage and Divorce.

*Colonial Office,
The Church House, Westminster, S.W.1.*

28th August, 1951.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the immediate award of the Colonial Police Medal for Gallantry to Police Lieutenant Ernest Charles Kilford and Special Constables Nayan bin Hassan, Ismail bin Mat Esa, Kassim bin Mohammed and the late Loh Swee Kim, all of the Federation of Malaya Police Force.

*Colonial Office,
The Church House, Westminster, S.W.1.*

25th August, 1951.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve the immediate award of the Colonial Police Medal for Gallantry to No. X2998 Extra Constable Wan Mat Ali bin Wan Sulaiman of the Federation of Malaya Police Force.

Colonial Office, The Church House, S.W.1.

6th September, 1951.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the appointment of Abdul Jawad Hasanali, Esq., to be an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Aden.

*Scottish Home Department,
St. Andrew's House, Edinburgh 1.*

September, 1951.

The Secretary of State for Scotland, the Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, and the Secretary of State for the Home Department in pursuance of Section 2 of the Herring Industry Act, 1938, have appointed Mr. S. W. M. Willson to be a member of the Herring Industry Advisory Council until the 31st March, 1952, in place of the late Mr. T. J. Bennett.

*Board of Trade,
Horseguards Avenue, London, S.W.1.*

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have made Orders which have been published as S.I.'s 1951:—

S.I. 1626. The Trading with the Enemy (Custodian) (No. 5) Order, 1951. Dated September 5, 1951. Price 3d.

S.I. 1632. The Patents (Extension of Time) (Federal Republic of Germany) (Amendment) Rules, 1951. Dated September 5, 1951. Price 2d.

S.I. 1631. The Registered Designs (Extension of Time) (Federal Republic of Germany) (Amendment) Rules, 1951. Dated September 5, 1951. Price 2d.

S.I. 1625. The Trading with the Enemy (Custodian) (No. 4) Order, 1951. Dated September 5, 1951. Price 2d.

These Orders can be purchased through any bookseller, agents or direct from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, W.C. 2; 39, King Street, Manchester 2; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; 13a, Castle Street, Edinburgh; 2, Edmund Street, Birmingham 2; Tower Lane, Bristol 1.

IRON AND STEEL PRICES (Nos. 1-3)
ORDERS, 1951.

STANDARD TIN ADJUSTMENT.

The Minister of Supply hereby gives notice that as from the 1st October, 1951, the Computed Averaged Increase is £310 upon the Standard Tin (99.75 per centum metal content) Reference Price of £600 per ton.

IRON AND STEEL PRICES (Nos. 1-3)
ORDERS, 1951.

STANDARD LEAD ADJUSTMENT.

The Minister of Supply hereby gives notice that as from the 1st October, 1951, the Computed Averaged Increase is £33 upon the Standard Lead Reference Price of £136 per ton.