Whitehall, January 11, 1955.

The QUEEN has been pleased to issue a Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual in form following:

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ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and of Our other Realms and Territories QUIEEN, Head of the Commonwealth. Defender of the Faith, to

Our Most Dear and Entirely-beloved Uncle and Our Most Dear and Entirely-beloved Uncle and Most faithful Counsellor His Royal Highness Prince Henry William Frederick Albert, Duke of Gloucester, Knight of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter, Knight of Our Most Ancient and Most Noble Order of the Thistle, Knight of Our Most Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick, Great Master and Principal Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victoriam Order, Fellow of the Royal Society, and to

Our Trusty and Well-beloved:-

Sir John Tredinnick Crocker, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Knight Commander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Companion of the Distinguished Service Order, upon whom has been conferred the Decoration of the Military Cross, General in Our Forces:

Sir Arthur Charles Cosmo Parkinson, Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Commander of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Officer of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire;

Sir Irvine Gordon Glennie, Knight Commander of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Admiral in Our Royal Navy (retired);

Elisabeth Hariott Kelly, Spinster, Dame Com-mander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire:

Wilfred Harry Ourtis, Esquire, Companion of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Commander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire; and

Robert Millar, Esquire;

Whereas by an Act passed in a Session of Parliament holden in the third year of the reign of His late Majesty King Edward the Seventh, intituled "An late Majesty King Edward the Seventh, intituled "An Act to reorganise the Administration of the Patriotic Fund," the Patriotic Fund Commission constituted by Her late Majesty Queen Victoria by Warrant under the Royal Sign Manual dated the 7th day of October, 1854, was dissolved, and the property, rights, duties and liabilities thereof, and all property held in trust therefor, were transferred to and vested in the Royal Patriotic Fund Corporation established in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act:

And whereas pursuant to the provisions of the said recited Act and of Section 7 of the War Pensions (Administrative Provisions) Act, 1918, eight of the members of the said Corporation are appointed by Warrant under the Royal Sign Manual and hold office for a term of three years, being eligible for re-appointment:

And whereas in pursuance of the powers vested in Us by the said Acts We did, by various Warrants under Our Royal Sign Manual, appoint you the said Henry William Frederick Albert, Duke of Gloucester, together with the persons therein named to be mem-bers of the Royal Patriotic Fund Corporation:

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Now know ye that We do by these Presents under Our Royal Sign Manual ordain and declare that you the said Henry William Frederick Albert, Duke of Gloucester, and you the said Sir John Tredinnick Crocker, Sir Arthur Charles Cosmo Parkinson, Sir Irvine Gordon Glennie, Elisabeth Hariott Kelly, Wilfred Harry Curtis and Robert Millar, shall be Members of the Royal Patriotic Fund Corporation, to exercise for the term of three years from the 1st day of January, 1955, together with Our Trusty and Well-beloved John Henry Francis Ludgate, Esquire, Commander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, who was appointed by Us on the 29th day of February, 1952, for a period of three years and in conjunction with the six members co-opted by the General Council, and the ex-officio

members specified in the First Schedule to the Act first above recited, the powers and duties transferred to that body as aforesaid, and generally to carry into effect the provisions of the said Act:

And We do further ordain that you the said Henry William Frederick Albert, Duke of Gloucester, shall be President of the General Council of the said Corporation.

Given at Our Court at Saint James's the First day of January, 1955; In the Third Year of Our Reign: By Her Majesty's Command.

G. Lloyd-George.

WARRANT APPOINTING MEMBERS OF THE ROYAL
PATRIOTIC FUND CORPORATION.

## Admiralty, 7th January, 1955.

In pursuance of Her Majesty's pleasure the following officers have been appointed Naval Aides de Camp to The QUEEN from 7th January, 1955, in succession to the officers stated:

Succession to the officers stated:

Captain Sir St. John R. J. Tyrwhitt, Bt., D.S.O., D.S.C. and bar, in succession to Captain G. V. M. Dolphin, D.S.O., promoted to Flag Rank.

Captain D. G. F. W. Macintyre, D.S.O. and two bars, D.S.C., in succession to Captain E. Hale.

Captain R. T. White, D.S.O. and two bars, in succession to Captain J. D. Luce, D.S.O. and bar, O.B.E., promoted to Flag Rank.

Captain (Commodore Second Class) J. E. H. Mobeath, D.S.O., D.S.C., in succession to Captain P. W. Burnett, D.S.O., D.S.C. and bar, promoted to Flag Rank.

Captain U. H. R. James, C.B.E., in succession to Captain (Commodore First Class) W. J. W. Woods, D.S.O. and bar, promoted to Flag Rank.

Captain G. H. Beale, D.S.O., O.B.E.

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Captain P. H. E. Welby-Everard, D.S.C., in succession to Captain P. H. E. Welby-Everard, D.S.C., in succession to Captain (Commodore Second Class) K. McN. Campbell-Walter, promoted to Flag Rank.

Rank.

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

8th January, 1955.

The QUEEN has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 5th January, 1955, to direct the issue of a Commission under the Seal appointed to be kept and made use of in place of the Great Seal of Scotland, appointing Admiral Sir Angus Edward Malise Bontine Cunninghame Graham, K.B.E., C.B., to be Her Majesty's Lieutenant of the County of Dunbarton, in room of Major General Alexander Patrick Drummond Telfer-Smollett, of Bonhill, C.B., C.R.E., deceased. C/B/E., deceased.

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

10th January, 1955.

The QUEEN has been pleased by warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual bearing date the 21st December, 1954, to appoint Professor Derek Harold Richard Barton, D.Sc., F.R.I.C., F.R.S., to be Regius Professor of Chemistry in the University of Glasgow, in place of Professor James Wilfred Cook whose resignation took effect on 31st August, 1954.

Ministry of Labour and National Service, Factory Department, 8, St. James's Square, London, S.W.1.

16th December, 1954.

The Chief Inspector of Factories gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Dr. P. M. Kirkwood an appointment as Appointed Factory Doctor under the Factories Acts, 1937 and 1948 for the District of Penshurst in the County of Kent is vacant.