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Privy Council Office, 22nd April, 1955.

UNIVERSITIES OF OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE ACT, 1923.

A Statute made by Clare College, in the University of Cambridge, on the 18th April, 1955, has been submitted for the approval of Her Majesty in Council, and notice of its having been so submitted is published in accordance with the provisions of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1923.

Privy Council Office, 22nd April, 1955.

UNIVERSITIES OF OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE ACT, 1923.

Statutes made by the Governing Body of Downing College, in the University of Cambridge, on the 19th April, 1955, have been submitted for the approval of Her Majesty in Council, and notice of their having been so submitted is published in accordance with the provisions of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge Act, 1923.

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

19th April, 1955.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present The Reverend Eric Walton Rogers to the Rectory of Suckley in the County and Diocese of Worcester void by the cession of the last Incumbent and in Her Majesty's Gift in full right.

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

21st April, 1955.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal bearing date the 19th day of April, 1955, to appoint:

- Sir David Hughes Parry of the Inner Temple,
- George Gordon Honeyman, C.B.E., of the Inner Temple,
- Edward Terrell, O.B.E., of Gray's Inn and the Middle Temple,
- Air Commodore John Banks Walmsley, C.B.E., D.F.C., of Gray's Inn,
- Herbert Royston Askew of the Middle Temple,
- Denis Hicks Robson of the Inner Temple,
- Frederick Donald Livingstone McIntyre of Gray's Inn and the Inner Temple,
- Norman Grantham Lewis Richards, O.B.E., of the Inner Temple,
- George Norman Black of the Middle Temple,
- Neil Lawson of the Inner Temple,
- Harold John Brown, M.C., of the Middle Temple,
- Joseph Thomas Molony of the Inner Temple,
- Robert James Lindsay Stirling of the Inner Temple,
- Stephen Chapman of the Inner Temple,
- Harold Lightman of Lincoln's Inn,
- The Honourable Thomas Gabriel Roche of the Inner Temple,
- William Thomas Wells of the Middle Temple.

Joseph Stanley Watson, M.B.E., of the Inner Temple,
 Derek Colclough Walker-Smith of the Middle Temple,
 Michael James Albery of Lincoln's Inn,
 Frederick Newell Bucher of the Middle Temple,
 to be of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of Her 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 29th April, 1955, 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 Act, 1939, to the amount of £220,000,000.
 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 2nd May, 1955, to Saturday, the 7th May, 1955, inclusive, and will be due 91 days 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. Notification will be sent by post on the same day as Tenders are received, to the persons whose Tenders are accepted in whole or in part, and payment in full of the amounts due in respect of such 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, 11.30 a.m.) 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 Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.
- Treasury Chambers,
 22nd April, 1955.

Treasury Chambers, S.W.1.

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that they have made an Order under section 21 (1) of the Finance Act, 1948, entitled The Purchase Tax (No. 3) Order, 1955. This Order reduces from 50 per cent. to 25 per cent. the rate of Purchase Tax on the following goods:—

- (i) domestic textile articles and articles of soft furnishing chargeable under Group 5 (a) of Part I