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STATE INTELLIGENCE

St. James's Palace, London S.W.1. 2nd January 1959.

The Princess Royal has been pleased to appoint Major Geoffrey Hugh Eastwood, C.V.O., C.B.E., to be Comptroller to Her Royal Highness. The appointment to date from the 1st January 1959.

CROWN OFFICE

House of Lords,

Whitehall, London S.W.1. 31st December 1958.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present The Reverend Wilfred Samuel Down, M.A., to the Vicarage of Bedminster Down Saint Oswald in the County of Somerset, and Diocese of Bristol, void by the cession of the last Incumbent and in Her Majesty's Gift for this turn only by reason of the avoidance of the See of Bristol.

1st January 1959.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal bearing date the 1st day of January 1959, to appoint Victor Martin Reeves Goodman, Esquire, C.B., O.B.E., M.C., to be Clerk of the Parliaments in the place of Sir Francis William Lascelles, K.C.B., M.C., who has resigned.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Warrant under Her Royal Sign Manual dated the 1st January 1959, to appoint Captain Harold Felix Cassel to be Deputy Chairman of the Court of Quarter Sessions for the County of Hertford in accordance with the pro-visions of the Administration of Justice (Miscel-laneous Provisions) Act, 1938.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Warrant under Her Royal Sign Manual dated 1st January 1959, to appoint Major Ernest Leslie Proud, T.D., to be Registrar of the Chancery Court of the County Palatine of Durham.

TREASURY

Treasury Chambers, London S.W.1. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that they have made an Order under sections 1, 2 and 13 of Import Duties Act, 1958, and paragraph 1 of the Sixth Schedule to that Act, viz.:

The Import Duties (General) (No. 3) Order, 1958.

This Order amends the Import Duties (General) Order, 1958 (S.E. 1958 No. 973), which comes into operation on 1st January 1959, by increasing from 10 per cent. to 33¹/₃ per cent. ad valorem the duty on vitamin A (but not including natural vitamin concentrates) and on certain preparations containing that product and by decreasing from 30 per cent. to 25 per cent. ad valorem, the duty on certain glass bottles and jars.

The Order comes into operation on 1st January 1959 and has been published as Statutory Instruments 1958, No. 2223.

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The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that they have made an Order under section 3 (6) and section 13 of the Import Duties Act, 1958, viz.:

The Import Duties (Temporary Exemptions) (No. 2) Order, 1958.

This Order provides that the goods listed in the Schedule shall be temporarily exempt from protective duties which come into force on the 1st January 1959, under the Import Duties Act, 1958. The period of exemption is nine months unless a shorter period is indicated against any item in the Schedule. The goods include, under heading 29.08 the substance previously included heading 29.08, the substance previously included in error under heading 29.07 (cf. Art. 1 (3) of this Order).

The Order comes into operation on 1st January 1959 and has been published as Statutory Instruments 1958, No. 2224.

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