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TUESDAY, 12TH JULY 1960

STATE INTELLIGENCE

Buckingham Palace.

7th July 1960.

This day had Audience of The QUEEN:

His Excellency Señor Doctor Don Ramiro Recalde de Vargas, to present the Letters of Recall of his predecessor Rear-Admiral Don J. Wenceslao Benites E., and his own Letters of Credence as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from the Republic of Paraguay.

HONOURS AND AWARDS

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KINGGHTHOOD

St. James's Palace, London S.W.1.

The QUEEN has been gnaciously pleased to approve the award of the British Empire Medal (Civil Division) to the undermentioned:

Awarded the British Empire Medal for Gallantry (Civil Division)

Ronald Gordon SCHMIDT, Mechanical Foreman, Nkana, Northern Rhodesia.

Mr. Schmidt went to the rear of the house next to his own in Nkana Kriwe to investigate a dis-turbance. He was told that a man, armed with a large knife, had stabbed a police officer. He returned to his own house and armed himself with a pick handle and a short piece of wood and again went to the scene of the disturbance where he found a man struggling with two police officers. He immediately went to their assistance and took part in the subsequent efforts to arrest the armed man. He saw one of the police officers wounded, but this did not deter him and despite receiving a deep stab himself he continued his efforts. It is doubtful if an arrest would have been made at that time but for his help.

HOME OFFICE

Whitehall, London S.W.1.

12th July 1960.

The QUEEN has been pleased to award The Queen's Police Medal for Gallantry to the late Assistant Inspector Robert Vivian Winney of the Northern Rhodesia Police Force.

COLONIAL OFFICE

Church House, Great Smith Street, London S.W.1.

18th May 1960.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to approve the immediate award of the Colonial Police Medal for Gallantry to Assistant Inspector Colin Neil Barr and Constable Peter Kasalu, both of the Northern Rhodesia Police Force.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE

112th July /1960.

UNIVERSITUES OF OXFORD AIND CAMBRIDGE ACT, 1923

Two Statutes made by the Governing Body of Oriel College, in the University of Oxford, on the 30th June 1960, 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 Apt, 1923.

CROWN OFFICE

House of Lords, London S.W.1. 8th July 1960.

The QUEEN has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Gneat Seal to nominate and appoint The Reverend Keith Leslie Herbert Rex to the Perpetual Curacy and Titular Vicarage of Weston-super-Mare Saint Andrew Bournville in the County of Somerset and Diocese of Bath and Wells 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 Bath and Wells.

HOME OFFICE

Whitehall, London S.W.1.

8th July 1960.

Notice is hereby given that the Secretary of State for the Home Department has made an Order under section 12 of the Coroners (Amendment) Act, 1926, for the alteration of Coroners' Districts in the County of Devon.

The Order will come into force on 1st August 1960,

and copies are obtainable on application to the Home Office, Whitehall, London S.W.l.