

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, doth hereby approve of the said Scheme of the said Commissioner, and doth order the same to be published in the London Gazette accordingly.

M. P. A. Hankey.

*Privy Council Office,
29th December, 1933.*

CATHEDRALS MEASURE, 1931.

Notice is hereby given that the Cathedral Commissioners for England, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by the above Act have submitted for confirmation by His Majesty in Council two Schemes for effecting the transfer of the property of the Vicars Choral in Lichfield and Lincoln Cathedrals respectively.

Whitehall, December 27, 1933.

The KING has been pleased to issue a Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, to the following effect:—

GEORGE R. I.

GEORGE THE FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, to all to whom these Presents shall come:

GREETING!

Whereas His late Majesty King Edward the Seventh did by Warrant under His Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the seventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nine, institute and create a new medal to be styled the King's Police Medal:

And whereas the fifth and seventh clauses of the said Royal Warrant were amended by Warrants under Our Sign Manual bearing date respectively the third day of October, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen and the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and thirty:

And whereas We are minded to make certain further amendments to the said Royal Warrant of the seventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nine:

Now know ye that We do by these Presents for Us, Our Heirs and Successors abrogate the second, third, fifth and sixth clauses of the said Royal Warrant of the seventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and the whole of the said Royal Warrant of the third day of October, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and in lieu thereof We Ordain that the following clauses shall be substituted:

Secondly.—It is ordained that the King's Police Medal shall consist of a circular Medal of Silver with Our Effigy on the obverse, and shall bear on the reverse a design emblematic of Protection from danger and the words "For Gallantry" or "For Distinguished Service," as the case may be, and on the rim the name of the person to whom the Medal has been awarded.

Thirdly.—It is ordained that the Medal shall only be awarded to those of Our Faithful Subjects and others who, being members of a

recognised Police Force or of a properly organized Fire Brigade within Our Dominions or in Territories under Our Protection or Jurisdiction, have either performed acts of exceptional courage and skill or exhibited conspicuous devotion to duty; and that such award shall be made only on a recommendation to Us by Our Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department.

Fifthly.—It is ordained that each Medal shall be suspended from the left breast, and the riband, of an inch and three-eighths in width, shall be dark blue with a narrow silver stripe on either side and a similar silver stripe in the middle; and that in the case of awards for acts of exceptional courage each silver stripe of the riband shall contain a thin red line down the middle.

Sixthly.—It is ordained that any act of gallantry which is worthy of recognition by the award of the King's Police Medal, but is performed by one upon whom the Decoration has already been conferred, may, on a recommendation to Us by Our Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, be recorded by a Bar attached to the riband by which the Medal is suspended. For every such additional act an additional Bar may be added and for each Bar awarded a small silver rose shall be added to the riband when worn alone.

Given at Our Court at *Saint James's* the *Twelfth* day of *December*, 1933; in the Twenty-fourth Year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command,

John Gilmour.

REGULATIONS TO BE OBSERVED IN RECOMMENDING HIS MAJESTY TO GRANT THE KING'S POLICE MEDAL.

I, The Right Honourable Sir John Gilmour, Baronet, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, hereby make the following Regulations amending the Regulations made on the 7th July, 1909:—

1. The words "the Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs" shall be inserted in Regulation 2 after the words "A list of officers recommended by" at the beginning of the Regulation.

2. The whole of Regulation 4 of the said Regulations of the 7th July, 1909, is hereby revoked and the following regulation substituted therefor:—"The number of Medals awarded in any one year shall not exceed one hundred and twenty."

John Gilmour.

Whitehall,
12th December, 1933.

*Crown Office,
House of Lords, S.W.1.
27th December, 1933.*

MEMBER elected to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

*Parliamentary County of York, West Riding,
Wentworth Division.*

Wilfred Paling, Esquire, in the place of George Henry Hirst, Esquire, deceased.