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FRIDAY, 2 DECEMBER, 1955

BY THE QUEEN

A PROCLAMATION

For appointing Tuesday, December, 27th, 1955, a Bank Holiday and a Public Holiday in England and Wales and in Northern Ireland.

ELIZABETH R.

WHEREAS We consider it desirable that Tuesday, the twenty-seventh day of December one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five, should be observed as a holiday in England and Wales and in Northern Ireland:

We do hereby appoint the said twenty-seventh day of December to be observed as a Public Holiday in England and Wales and in Northern Ireland and by this Our Royal Proclamation command the said day to be so observed and all Our loving subjects to order themselves accordingly:

And We do further hereby, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, in exercise of the powers conferred by the Bank Holidays Act, 1871, and the Customs and Excise Act, 1952, appoint the said twenty-seventh day of December to be observed in England and Wales and in Northern Ireland as a Bank Holiday, and as a holiday in the customs and excise, under and in accordance with the said Acts.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace this first day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five, and in the Fourth year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN

*Privy Council Office, 2nd December, 1955.*

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A Statute made by the Governing Body of Merton College, in the University of Oxford, on the 24th November, 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.

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*Lord Chamberlain's Office,  
St. James's Palace, S.W.1.*

*2nd December, 1955.*

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to appoint Albert James Galpin, Esquire, O.B.E., M.V.O., to be a Serjeant-at-Arms to Her Majesty in the room of Lieutenant (S) Kenneth Hall, M.V.O., M.B.E., R.N., resigned.

The appointment to date from the 1st December, 1955.

## 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 9th December, 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 £50,000,000 for Bills due 63 days after date and to the amount of £240,000,000 for Bills due 91 days after date.

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 12th December, 1955, to Saturday, the 17th December, 1955, inclusive.

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 currencies and 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,  
2nd December, 1955.