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BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

Appointing Monday, the fourth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, a Bank Holiday throughout the United Kingdom for the purposes of the Bank Holidays Act, 1871.

GEORGE R.I.

Whereas We consider it desirable, by reason of the present emergency, that Monday, the fourth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, should be kept as a close holiday in all banks within the United Kingdom, and should, as regards bills of exchange and promissory notes payable in the United Kingdom, be deemed to be a Bank Holiday for all the purposes of the Bank Holidays Act, 1871:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by section four of the said Act, We do by this Our Royal Proclamation, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, appoint the said fourth day of September to be observed as a Bank Holiday throughout the United Kingdom.

And We do declare that this Proclamation does not have the effect of making the said day a holiday under, or for the purposes of, the Holidays Extension Act, 1875, or the Revenue Offices (Scotland) Act, 1880.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this third day of September, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, and in the Third year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

MARKETING OF EGGS (DETERMINATION OF WHOLESALE DEALERS' PRICES) (No. 36) ORDER (NORTHERN IRELAND), 1939.

Notice is hereby given that an Order has been made by the Ministry of Agriculture determining that the prices payable by licensed wholesale dealers for eggs delivered during the week ended Saturday, 9th September, 1939, shall be as follows.—

(a) (i) For hen eggs purchased from a producer 1/- per lb.

Where the eggs were delivered by the vendor to premises used by a licensed wholesale dealer of Class A for the testing, grading, and packing of eggs, or to a collecting depot specified in the schedule to the above-mentioned Order, an additional halfpenny per lb. shall be paid.

(ii) For hen eggs purchased by a licensed wholesale dealer of Class A from a licensed wholesale dealer of Class B, 1/0 7-16d. per lb.

Deductions:—Seconds ½d. per egg; Rejects 1½d. per egg.

(b) For duck eggs purchased from a producer 1/3d. per dozen.

Where the eggs were delivered by the vendor to premises used by a licensed wholesale dealer of Class A for the testing, grading, and packing of eggs, or to a collecting depot specified in the schedule to the above-mentioned Order, an