

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 13th day of *December*, 1921.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day The Honourable George Foster Pearce was, by His Majesty's command, appointed a Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

Almeric FitzRoy.

BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

FOR A BANK HOLIDAY.

GEORGE R.I.

WE, considering that it is desirable that Monday, the Second day of January next, should be kept as a close holiday in all Banks throughout the United Kingdom, do hereby, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, and in pursuance of Section four of the Bank Holidays Act, 1871, appoint the said Monday, the second day of January next, to be observed as a Bank Holiday in England and Wales, and in Ireland, for the purposes of the said Act, and We do, by this Our Royal Proclamation, command the said day to be so observed, and all Our loving subjects to order themselves accordingly:

And whereas it is customary for the usual Bank Holidays to be kept as holidays by Our loving subjects generally and not only for the purposes of the said Act, but it is not Our intention that the said Second day of January should be kept as a general holiday in England and Wales, and in Ireland:

Now, therefore, We do hereby enjoin that the said Second day of January shall not be kept as or deemed by virtue of this Our Royal Proclamation to be a holiday in England and Wales, and in Ireland, for any purposes whatsoever other than the purposes of the said Act.

Given at Our Court at *Buckingham Palace*, this Thirteenth day of *December*, in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and in the Twelfth year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

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WHEREAS there was this day read at the Board a Memorial from the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, dated the 17th day of November, 1921 (G.H.), in the words following, viz.:—

"Whereas by Section 20 of the Greenwich Hospital Act, 1865, it is enacted, *inter alia*, that the Admiralty shall from time to time continue or appoint such Officers, Clerks, and Servants for the purposes of the Hospital and

Schools as seem fit, and may (subject to the approval of Your Majesty in Council) fix the salaries of such Officers and Clerks:

"And whereas by Section 8 of the Greenwich Hospital Act, 1872, it is enacted that the provisions of Section 20 of the Greenwich Hospital Act, 1865, so far as the same relate to salaries, shall extend to pensions and pecuniary benefits of any kind:

"And whereas Mr. C. H. R. Stansfield, C.B., Director of Greenwich Hospital, retired on the 14th July, 1921, from the service of Greenwich Hospital on account of age:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to authorize the grant from the funds of Greenwich Hospital to Mr. Stansfield of a pension at the rate of Seven hundred and forty-nine pounds, six shillings and fivepence (£749 6s. 5d.) a year as from the date of his retirement, and a gratuity of Two thousand, two hundred and seventy-six pounds, fourteen shillings and eightpence (£2,276 14s. 8d.):

"And whereas Mr. J. E. Evans, a former Head Master in the Royal Hospital School, Greenwich, retired from the service of Greenwich Hospital on the 18th September, 1920, on account of age:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to authorize the grant from the funds of Greenwich Hospital to Mr. Evans of a pension at the rate of Twenty-six pounds, seventeen shillings and threepence (£26 17s. 3d.) a year as from the date of his retirement, and a gratuity of Six hundred and forty-four pounds, fourteen shillings and one penny (£644 14s. 1d.):

"And whereas by Your Majesty's Order in Council bearing date the 17th May, 1920, a pension at the rate of One hundred and seventy-two pounds, eighteen shillings and fourpence (£172 18s. 4d.) a year, and a gratuity of Four hundred and sixty-one pounds, two shillings and twopence (£461 2s. 2d.) were granted from the funds of Greenwich Hospital to Mr. C. J. Isaac, a former Master in the Royal Hospital School, Greenwich, on his retirement from the service of Greenwich Hospital on the 18th September, 1919:

"And whereas these amounts require slight amendment:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to authorize the grant from the funds of Greenwich Hospital to Mr. Isaac of a further pension at the rate of Two pounds, eighteen shillings and sixpence (£2 18s. 6d.) a year as from the date of his retirement, and a further gratuity of Seven pounds and sixteen shillings (£7 16s.):

"And whereas Mr. A. P. Johnson, a former Assistant Master in the Royal Hospital School, Greenwich, died whilst in the service of Greenwich Hospital:

"We beg leave humbly to recommend that Your Majesty may be graciously pleased, by Your Order in Council, to authorize the grant to the Widow from the funds of Greenwich Hospital of a gratuity of Forty-one pounds, ten shillings and tenpence (£41 10s. 10d.):

"And whereas Mr. D. W. Rees, a former Assistant Master in the Royal Hospital School, Greenwich, retired from the service of Greenwich Hospital on account of age on the 31st December, 1920: