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FRIDAY, 22 JANUARY, 1932.

Whitehall, January 20, 1932.

The KING has been pleased to issue a Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual to the following effect, prescribing a date up to which applications should be received by the Royal Commission on Awards to Inventors:—

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,

To Our Right Trusty and Well-beloved Counsellor Thomas James Chesshyre, Baron Tomlin;

Our Trusty and Well-beloved:—

Sir Gerald Edward Chadwyck-Healey, Baronet, Commander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire;

Sir George Lewis Barstow, Knight Commander of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath;

Sir Cecil Edwin Fitch, Knight Commander of Our Most Excellent Order of the British Empire;

Lionel Henry Hanbury, Esquire, Companion of Our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, upon whom has been conferred the Volunteer Officers' Decoration, lately Lieutenant-Colonel in Our Territorial Force Reserve;

Alfred Chaston Chapman, Esquire, Fellow of the Royal Society;

William Ernest Dalby, Esquire, Fellow of the Royal Society;

Adolph Max Langdon, Esquire, one of Our Counsel learned in the Law; and

Percy Tindal-Robertson, Esquire, Barrister-at-Law:

Greeting!

Whereas we did by Warrant under Our Royal Sign Manual bearing date the 19th day of March, 1919, appoint Commissioners to deal with claims in respect of the user of inventions designs drawing or processes on behalf of the Crown in the cases and manner therein more particularly specified:

And whereas by further Royal Warrant bearing date the 5th day of October, 1920, certain additional and extended powers were conferred upon the said Commissioners:

And whereas by Warrants under Our Royal Sign Manual issued from time to time certain persons therein respectively named have been appointed to fill up vacancies in the body of Commissioners appointed as aforesaid:

And whereas it has been represented to Us that it is expedient that claims by any member of Our Services in respect of the user or alleged user of any patented invention by or on behalf of a Government Department which may be made at any time after the date here-