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State Intelligence

BY THE QUEEN

A PROCLAMATION

*Altering certain days Appointed for Bank Holidays
in the year 1968*

ELIZABETH R.

Whereas We consider it inexpedient that in Scotland the first Monday in May, or in England and Wales and Scotland the first Monday in August, should be Bank Holidays in the year 1968:

Now, therefore, We, in exercise of the powers conferred on Us by section 5 of the Bank Holidays Act 1871, section 3 of the Holidays Extension Act 1875, section 1 of the Revenue Offices (Scotland) Holidays Act 1880, and section 3 (3) of the Customs and Excise Act 1952, do hereby, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, declare and appoint as follows:

1. In Scotland in the year 1968 the first Monday in May shall not be a Bank Holiday, and instead the first Monday in June shall be a Bank Holiday.
2. In England and Wales and in Scotland in the year 1968 the first Monday in August shall not be a Bank Holiday, and instead the first Monday in September shall be a Bank Holiday.
3. In this Proclamation the expression "Bank Holiday" shall include a public holiday in the Inland Revenue Offices and a holiday in the Customs and Excise.

Given at Our Court at Buckingham Palace, this twenty-eighth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty-seven, and in the sixteenth year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN

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

1st August 1967.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Richard Morris, Esquire, M.P., to be Vice-Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household in the room of John McCann, Esquire, M.P., resigned.

The appointment to date from the 28th July 1967.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 28th day of July 1967.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas the Minister of Housing and Local Government, after giving to the Incumbent and Churchwardens of the Parish of St. James, Benwell; Newcastle upon Tyne, ten days' previous notice of his intention in that behalf, has, under the provisions of the Burial

Act, 1853, as amended by subsequent enactments, made a Representation to Her Majesty in Council that, for the protection of the Public Health, burials should be discontinued forthwith and entirely in the Church and Churchyard of St. James, Benwell:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty in Council is pleased hereby to give Notice of such Representation and to order that the same be taken into consideration by a Committee of the Privy Council on the 15th day of October next.

And Her Majesty is further pleased to direct that this Order be forthwith published in the *London Gazette*, and that copies thereof be affixed on the doors of the Churches or Chapels of, or on some conspicuous places within, the Parish affected by such Representation one month before the said 15th day of October.

W. G. Agnew.

At the Court at Buckingham Palace, the 28th day of July 1967.

PRESENT

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council

Whereas it is expedient to make provision for the award of service gratuities to widows and children of locally entered ratings who die while serving in the Royal Navy:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, in exercise of the powers conferred upon Her by section 11 of the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions Act 1865, and of all other powers enabling Her in that behalf, is pleased, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:

1. This Order may be cited as the Naval and Marine Pay and Pensions (Locally Entered Ratings' Dependants' Service Gratuities) Order 1967.

2. The provisions contained in this Order are effective from 1st April 1965.

3. Provided the conditions regarding age and dependency are satisfied, a gratuity may be granted at Ministry of Defence discretion to one dependent relative of Locally Entered ratings of the Hong Kong, Goan, Somali and St. Helenian Divisions who die whilst serving in the Royal Navy.

4. Where death is not attributable to service.

A gratuity may be awarded on the following scale:

(a) Where the rating had five or more years' reckonable service, but less than 12 years, a gratuity of £40.

(b) Where the rating had twelve or more years' reckonable service, but less than 22 years, a gratuity equal to the amount of the gratuity the rating would have received if he had been discharged from the Service in the normal way on the day he died.

(c) Where the rating had 22 or more years' reckonable service a gratuity of £220 for 22 years'