



BY THE KING.

A PROCLAMATION

EDWARD R. & I.

WHEREAS by virtue of a Proclamation of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, dated the *Third* day of *February* 1898, certain parts of the Coinage Act, 1870, as amended by section two and the schedule of the Coinage Act, 1891, were applied, with the modifications specified in the Proclamation, to the Colony of Lagos:

And whereas by Our Letters Patent under the Great Seal of our United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing date the *Twenty-eighth* day of *February* 1906, it was provided, amongst other things, that the Colony of Lagos should, from the date of the coming into operation of those Letters Patent, be known as the Colony of Southern Nigeria:

And whereas by virtue of the Coinage Act, 1870, it is lawful for Us, with the advice of Our Privy Council, by Proclamation to revoke any Proclamation previously made under that Act:

And whereas We are minded, in exercise of the powers reserved to Us in the said Letters Patent, to make further provision as to the coinage of Our said Colony by Order in Council, and it is expedient that, in the event of such further provision being so made, the said recited Proclamation should be revoked so far as relates to Our Colony of Southern Nigeria.

NOW, THEREFORE, We, with the advice of Our Privy Council, in pursuance of the said Act and of all other powers enabling Us in that behalf, do hereby proclaim, direct, and ordain as follows:—

The said Proclamation of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, shall, as from the date of the commencement of any Order in Council making further provision as to the coinage of Our said Colony of Southern Nigeria, be revoked so far as relates to that Colony, and accordingly the said Act shall as from that date cease to apply to and to be in force in Our said Colony.

Given at Our Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the *Twenty-eighth* day of *July*, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six, and in the Sixth Year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.