

Pensions proposes, after the expiration of at least 40 days from this date, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon him by section 4 of the War Pensions Act, 1921, to make, with the approval of the Treasury, Regulations providing for the making of Final Awards.

Copies of the draft Regulations can be purchased, either directly or through any bookseller, from H.M. Stationery Office, Imperial House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2.

Dated this Third day of January, 1922.

Board of Trade,

Great George Street,

London, S.W. 1.

CENSUS OF PRODUCTION.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF TRADE DATED 29TH DECEMBER, 1921, DETERMINING THAT A CENSUS OF PRODUCTION SHALL BE TAKEN IN THE YEAR 1923.

WHEREAS by section 1, sub-section (2) of the Census of Production Act, 1917, it is provided that a Census shall be taken in any year which is fixed for the purpose by an Order made by the Board of Trade and laid before Parliament: Provided that there is at least a year's interval between the date on which the Order is made by the Board of Trade and the commencement of the year in which the Census is to be taken.

Now, therefore, the Board of Trade, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon them by the said section 1, sub-section (2) of the Census of Production Act, 1917, and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Order:—

1. A Census of Production shall be taken in the year 1923 in respect of the production of the year 1922.

2. For the purposes of section 6 of the Government of Ireland Act, 1920, this Order shall be deemed to have been made before the appointed day.

3. This Order may be cited as the Census of Production (1923) Order, 1921.

Dated the 29th day of December, 1921.

H. A. Payne,

A Secretary of the Board of Trade.

NOTICE.

REGULATION OF FOREIGN EXCHANGES.

LOAN OF SECURITIES TO THE TREASURY (SCHEME B.)

The National Debt Commissioners hereby give notice that the Treasury have decided to exercise the option, under Clause 3 of Scheme B., of returning the following securities, viz.:

Argentine Government 5 per cent. Loan, 1884.

Argentine Government 4 per cent. Bonds, 1897.

Argentine Government 4 per cent. Bonds, 1900 (Law 3378).

Argentine Government 4 per cent. Bonds, 1900 (Laws 3378 & 3783).

Argentine Government 4½ per cent. Sterling Conversion Loan, 1888-9.

Argentine Government Port of Buenos Ayres 5 per cent. Debentures.

Chilian Government 4½ per cent. Loan, 1895.

Chilian Government 4½ per cent. Loan, 1906.

on the 31st March, 1922, from which date the additional allowance will cease.

T. L. Heath,

Comptroller-General.

National Debt Office,

30th December, 1921.

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REGULATION OF FOREIGN EXCHANGES.

LOAN OF SECURITIES TO THE TREASURY (SCHEME B).

The National Debt Commissioners hereby give Notice that the Treasury have decided to exercise the option, under Clause 3 of Scheme B, of returning

Eastman Kodak Company Common Shares

as on the 31st March, 1922, from which date the additional allowance will cease.

The Treasury Register will close one calendar month before the date specified, and no further transfers can then be accepted.

T. L. Heath,

Comptroller-General.

National Debt Office,

30th December, 1921.

TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office at the Bank of England on Friday, the 6th January, 1922, at 1 o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877; the National Debt Act, 1889; and the War Loan Acts, 1914 to 1919, to the amount of £60,000,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5,000 or £10,000. They will be dated at the option of the Tenderer on any date from Monday, the 9th January, to Saturday, the 14th January, inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date.

3. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

4. Each Tender must be for an amount not less than £50,000, and must specify the date on which the Bills required are to be dated, and the net amount per cent. (being an even multiple of one penny) which will be given for the amount applied for. Separate Tenders must be lodged for Bills of different dates.

5. Tenders must be made through a London Banker, Discount House or Broker.