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(To take effect as from the 13th June 1917.)

John Aird, Esq., George Burn, Esq., and George Bury, Esq., were unable to attend, and will be dubbed at a later date.

Whitehall, June 15, 1917.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Lady Wingate, wife of General Sir Francis Reginald Wingate, G.C.B., G.C.V.O., K.C.M.G., D.S.O., High Commissioner for Egypt, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Grand Cordon of the Order of El Kemal, which Decoration has been conferred upon her by His Highness the Sultan of Egypt.

Whitehall, June 19, 1917.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Arthur Torrens M'Killop, Esq., Inspector-General, Egyptian Ministry of Agriculture, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to wear the Insignia of the Second Class of the Order of the Nile, which Decoration has been conferred upon him by His Highness the Sultan of Egypt in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

Factory Department, Home Office,
June 14, 1917.

The Chief Inspector of Factories has appointed Dr. C. B. Lucas to be Certifying Surgeon, under the Factory and Workshop Acts, for the Foyers District of the county of Inverness.

ISSUE OF TREASURY BILLS.

UNDER THE TREASURY BILLS ACT, 1877, THE NATIONAL DEBT ACT, 1889, AND THE WAR LOAN ACTS, 1914 TO 1916.

1. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that, as from the 19th instant, until further notice, Treasury Bills will be issued under the above-mentioned Acts at fixed rates of discount, which will be subject to variation from time to time without previous notice.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1000, £5000, or £10,000, and will be drawn for three, six, or twelve months from the date of payment.

3. The rate or rates of discount for the time being in force will be notified daily to applicants at the Bank of England at 10 a.m.

4. Applications must be made on printed forms, and must be lodged at the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England, before 2 p.m. (Saturdays 12 noon).

5. The persons whose applications are accepted will be informed of the same, and payment in full of the amount due must be made to the Bank of England not later than 3 p.m. (Saturdays 1 p.m.) on the next succeeding business day by means of cash or Banker's Draft on the Bank of England.

6. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any application.

7. Forms of application may be obtained at the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England.

Treasury Chambers,
18th June 1917.

N.B.—This notice supersedes the notices of the 23rd March 1917, and the 23rd April 1917.