Draft copies of the said Regulations can be obtained in the interval from His Majesty's Stationery Office.

Treasury Chambers, Whitehall, 22nd March 1922.

NOTICE.

SAVINGS BANKS ACT, 1880 (43 & 44 VICT. C. 36), WAR LOAN (SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS) ACT, 1915 (5 & 6 GEO. V. C. 93), AND WAR LOAN (SUPPLEMENTAL PROVISIONS) ACT, 1918 (8 & 9 GEO. V. C. 25).

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice under the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that, after the expiration of at least 40 days from this date, They will, in conjunction with the Postmaster-General and with the consent of the National Debt Commissioners, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon Them by the Savings Banks Act, 1880, and the War Loan (Supplemental Provisions) Acts, 1915 and 1918, and of every other power enabling Them on that behalf, make the following Regulations which have been brought into operation as provisional Regulations under Section 2 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893.

Draft copies of the Regulations can be obtained in the interval from H.M. Stationery Office.

Treasury Cham bers, Whitehall, 22nd March 1922.

SAVINGS BANKS AND NATIONAL DEBT.

THE SAVINGS BANKS AND POST OFFICE REGISTER (INVESTMENT) REGULATIONS, 1922. DATED 22ND MARCH 1922.

The Treasury hereby certify under Section 2 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that on account of urgency the following Regulations should come into operation immediately, and in pursuance of the powers conferred on them by Section 4 of the Savings Banks Act, 1880, and by the War Loan (Supplemental Provisions) Acts, 1915 and 1918, and all other powers enabling them in that behalf, do hereby, with the consent of the National Debt Commissioners, so far as the Regulations relate to those Commissioners, and with the consent of and in conjunction with the Postmaster-General, so far as the Regulations relate to the Post Office Savings Bank and to the Post Office Register respectively, make the following Regulations to come into operation forthwith as Provisional Regulations:—

Short Title, Construction and Commencement.

- 1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Savings Banks and Post Office Register (Investment) Regulations, 1922, and shall, so far as they relate to Savings Banks, be construed as one with the Savings Banks (Investment) Regulations, 1906 (in these Regulations referred to as "the principal Regulations").
- (2) In these Regulations the expression "stock" includes securities.

Commission on Investments, Sales, &c.

2.—(1) The commission chargeable on investment in stock (including the receipt of dividends), or the sale of stock by or on behalf of a savings bank depositor, and on the purchase or sale of stock inscribed or registered in the Post Office Register or of bearer bonds issued through the Post Office in connection with any such lastmentioned stock, shall be as follows:—

Where the nominal amount of the stock or bonds—

	s.	d.
Does not exceed £10	1	0
Exceeds £10 but does not exceed £25	1	6
Exceeds £25 but does not exceed £50	2	6
Exceeds £50 but does not exceed £75	3	6
Exceeds £75 but does not exceed £100	4	6

With a further charge of 1s. in respect of every £50 nominal amount of stock or bonds, or part of such £50, above £100.

(2) Regulation 12 of the principal Regulations is hereby revoked.

Amendment of Regulation 19 of Principal Regulations.

3. In Regulation 19 (1) of the principal Regulations, for the words "not exceeding five-sixths of the commission" there shall be substituted the words "not exceeding three-fifths of the commission."

Dated the 22nd day of March 1922.

JAMES PARKER,
J. TOWYN JONES,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of
His Majesty's Treasury.

F. Kellaway, His Majesty's Postmaster-General.

The National Debt Commissioners hereby consent to the above Regulations.

T. L. HEATH, Comptroller-General.

Board of Trade, Great George Street, London, S.W. 1.

IMPORTATION OF PLUMAGE (No. 1) ORDER, 1922. Dated 25th March 1922, made by the Board of Trade.

The Board of Trade in pursuance of the Powers conferred upon them by Section 2, Sub-section 3, of the Importation of Plumage (Prohibition) Act, 1921 (11 & 12 Geo. V. C. 16), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, having taken into consideration a recommendation made in the matter by the advisory Committee appointed under Section 3 of the said Act, hereby make the following Order:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Importa-TION OF PLUMAGE (No. 1) ORDER, 1922.

2. There shall be added to the Schedule to the said Act the name of the bird RHEA ROTHSCHILD (Order Rheiformes).

Dated this 25th day of March 1922.

S. J. CHAPMAN,
A Secretary, Board of Trade.