

Scottish Office,
Whitehall, S.W.1,
31st January 1936.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual bearing date the 29th instant, to direct the issue of a Commission under the Seal appointed to be kept and made use of in place of the Great Seal of Scotland, appointing Lieutenant-Colonel Francis John Carruthers to be His Majesty's Lieutenant of the County of Dumfries in the room of the late Duke of Buccleuch and Queensberry, K.T., G.C.V.O.

Treasury Chambers, S.W.1,
1st February 1936.

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that They have made an Order under Sections 1 and 19 of the Import Duties Act, 1932, and Section 10 of the Finance Act, 1934, viz. :—

The Import Duties (Exemptions) (No. 1) Order, 1936, relating to oxalic acid.

The Order has been published as Statutory Rules and Orders, 1936, No. 31, and copies may be purchased (price 1d. net) direct from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Adastral House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120 George Street, Edinburgh, 2; York Street, Manchester, 1; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80 Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Bill Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday the 7th February 1936, 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, 1914-19, to the amount of £35,000,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5000 or £10,000. They will be dated at the option of the Tenderer on any business day from Monday the 10th February 1936 to Saturday the 15th February 1936 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.

6. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same not later than the following day, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England by means of Cash or a Banker's Draft on the Bank of England not later than 2 o'clock (Saturday 12 o'clock) on the day on which the relative Bills are to be dated.

7. In virtue of the provisions of Section 1 (4) of the War Loan Act, 1919, Members of the House of Commons are not precluded from tendering for these Bills.

8. Tenders must be made on the printed forms which may be obtained from the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England.

9. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers,
31st January 1936.

Civil Service Commission,
January 31, 1936.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that, on the application of the Head of the Department and with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the following situation under the Board of Customs and Excise has been added to the Schedule appended to the Order in Council of the 22nd July 1920, viz. :—

Medical Officer.

Civil Service Commission,
January 31, 1936.

The Civil Service Commissioners hereby give notice that the following Regulations are published with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, viz. :—

REGULATIONS FOR THE COMPETITIVE SELECTION OF ASSISTANT ENGINEERS IN THE ROADS DEPARTMENT OF THE MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT.

N.B.—*Competitions under these regulations are open both to men and women. Competitions do not take place at fixed intervals, but are held as occasion arises on the occurrence of vacancies. The regulations are liable to alteration from time to time.*

1. Candidates must not have attained the age of 35 on a date to be fixed in respect of the competition in which they are to take part.

Candidates who have served, or are serving in the Navy, Army, or Air Force may deduct from their actual age, for this purpose, any time during which they have so served, but not exceeding 5 years.

Candidates already serving in the Ministry may be considered up to the age of 50.

2. Every candidate must be a natural-born British subject, the child of a person who is or was at the time of death a British subject; provided that exception may be made:—

(a) In the case of candidates serving in a civil situation to which they were admitted with the certificate of the Civil Service Commissioners.

(b) In the case of natural-born British subjects who served in His Majesty's Armed Forces in the Great War between 4th August 1914 and 11th November 1918.

(c) In the case of natural-born British subjects who have satisfactorily completed a period of not less than five years' service on full pay in His Majesty's Regular Forces.