Whitehall, September 22, 1910.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto the undermentioned Officers His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear Decorations (as stated against their respective names), which have been conferred upon them by His Highness the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by His Imperial Majesty the Sultan of Turkey, in recognition of valuable services rendered by them:—

Imperial Ottoman Order of the Osmanieh, Fourth Class.

Captain Reginald Sutcliffe Wilson, Lancashire Fusiliers.

Captain Herbert Cecil Potter, The Liverpool Regiment.

Captain Ronald Macclesfield Heath, D.S.O., The Middlesex Regiment.

Imperial Ottoman Order of the Medjidieh, Fourth Class.

Captain Thomas Campbell MacKenzie, D.S.O., Royal Army Medical Corps.

Captain Charles Edward Hills, Army Service Corps.

Captain Philip James Vandeleur Kelly, 3rd Hussars.

Captain Charles Carus Maud, D.S.O., The Somersetshire Light Infantry.

Captain Robert James Rees-Mogg, The Royal Irish Regiment.

Captain Cecil Edward George Woollcombe-Adams, Royal Artillery.

Captain Alan Ian, Earl Percy, The Grenadier Guards.

Whitehall, September 22, 1910.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Hugo Engerer, Esq., recently acting Consular-Agent of Spain at Alcazar-Kebir, Morocco, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear the Cross of Knight of the Order of Isabel the Catholic, conferred upon him by His Majesty the King of Spain, in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

HERTS REFORMATORY SCHOOL, WARE.

Extension of Certificate.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that he has certified that the Herts Reformatory School at Ware is fit for the reception of 100 boys, being an increase of 12 in the number authorised on the 2nd November, 1909.

This increase is sauctioned as from the 15th September, 1910, inclusive.

Whitehall, September 21, 1910.

AUXILIARY HOME at Mount Vernon Green, Liverpool, known as "The Willows," in connection with the Liverpool Reformatory for Girls, at 6, Mount Vernon Green, and the Parkhill Road (Toxteth Park) Reformatory for Girls, Liverpool.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that he has certified as an Auxiliary Home in connection with the Liverpool Reformatory for Girls, at 6, Mount Vernon Green, and the Parkhill Road (Toxteth Park) Reformatory for Girls, Liverpool, the premises at Mount Vernon Green, Liverpool, known as "The Willows."

The certificate which bears date the 26th August, 1910, allows of the reception of ten girls.

Whitehall, September 22, 1910.

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 Thursday, the 29th instant, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vic., cap. 2, 52 Vic., cap. 6, and 10 Ed. VII, and 1 Geo. V, c. 14, to the amount of £3,000,000, of which £1,500,000 will be in replacement of Bills temporarily paid off on 17th August, and £1,500,000 will be an issue under 10 Ed. VII, and 1 Geo. V, c. 14.
- 2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000, and will be dated the 4th October, 1910. Bills for £1,500,000 will be payable at six months after date, viz.:—on the 4th April, 1911, and Bills for the remaining £1,500,000 will be payable at four months after date, viz.:—on the 4th February, 1911.
- 3. The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for, and the Tenders of private individuals must be made through a London Banker.
- 4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.
- 5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Friday, the 30th September, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than three o'clock on Tuesday, the 4th October, 1910.
- 6. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, 23rd September, 1910.

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), London, September 22, 1910.

H. 12274.

The Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch, dated September 17th, from His Majesty's Minister at The Hague, forwarding