

(2) For that purpose the Consul General shall, on the receipt by him of a certified printed copy of the Order, cause the same to be affixed and exhibited conspicuously in that office. He shall also keep the same so affixed and exhibited during one month from that first exhibition.

(3) Proof shall not in any proceeding or matter be required that the provisions of this article have been complied with, nor shall any act or proceeding be invalidated by any failure to comply with any such provisions.

*Almeric FitzRoy.*

*Westminster, 2nd March, 1922.*

This day the Lords being met a message was sent to the Honourable House of Commons by the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, acquainting them that *The Lords authorized by virtue of a Commission under the Great Seal, signed by His Majesty, for declaring His Royal Assent to the Acts agreed upon by both Houses, do desire the immediate attendance of the Honourable House in the House of Peers to hear the Commission read; and the Commons being come thither, the said Commission, empowering the Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, and several other Lords therein named, to declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to*

Consolidated Fund (No. 1) Act, 1922.

Coroners (Emergency Provisions Continuance) Act, 1922.

#### CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W. 1,  
27th February, 1922.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint Henry George Charles, Viscount Lascelles, D.S.O., to be a Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter.

*Crown Office,  
28th February, 1922.*

MEMBER elected to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

*County of Cornwall, Bodmin Division.*

Isaac Foot, Esquire, in the place of Sir Charles Augustin Hanson, Baronet, deceased.

#### NOTICE.

5½ PER CENT. EXCHEQUER BONDS, 1925.

The Treasury announce that notices requiring repayment on 1st February, 1923, have been received in respect of Bonds of the Bank of England issue to the amount of £255,033 18s. 4d. and Bonds of the Post Office issue to the amount of £31,026.

#### 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 10th March, 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 Loans Acts, 1914 to 1919, to the amount of £35,000,000.

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 13th March, to Saturday, the 18th March, 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 two o'clock (Saturday twelve o'clock) on the day on which the relative Bills are dated.

7. In virtue of the provisions of Section 26 of the Finance Act, 1915, Members of the House of Commons are not precluded from tendering for these Bills.

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

Treasury Chambers,  
3rd March, 1922.

*Foreign Office,  
December 21, 1921.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint—

Robert Hyde Greg, Esq., to be His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the King of Siam.

Notice of the denunciation by His Majesty's Government of the Agreement between the United Kingdom and Portugal for the regulation of the opium monopolies in the Colonies of Hong Kong and Macao, signed at London on June 14th, 1913, was given to the Portuguese Government by His Majesty's Minister at Lisbon on 4th ultimo.

This action has been taken in order that, upon the expiration of the Agreement, the annual amount of opium allowed by the Government of India to Macao may be reduced.

In accordance with the terms of the notice, the Agreement will cease to have effect on February 4th, 1923.

Foreign Office, S.W. 1.  
March 1st, 1922.