Rate of Interest. Per cent.

(ii) Without collateral security—
Not exceeding 30 years ... 51
Not exceeding 50 years ... 52

(b) Other Loans not secured on Local Rates (except loans to Territorial Associations, which, under Section 6 of the Public Works Loans Act, 1908, bear interest at the rate prescribed for loans on the security of Local Rates):—

Not exceeding 30 years ... 5 Not exceeding 50 years ... 5

Treasury Chambers, 2nd October, 1922.

NOTICE.

In pursuance of Section 4 of the Public Works Loans Act, 1922, which provides that in the application of section sixty-seven of the Housing of the Working Classes Act, 1890, to any company established for the purpose of constructing or improving, or of facilitating or encouraging the construction or improvement of dwellings for the working classes, which does not trade for profit, or whose constitution forbids the issue of any share or loan capital with interest or dividend exceeding the rate for the time being prescribed by the Treasury, paragraph (d) of sub-section (2) of the said section sixty-seven shall have effect as if the words "seventy-five per centum" were substituted for the words "one moiety":

Provided that the Public Works Loan Commissioners shall, in any such case, require, in addition to a mortgage of any land or dwellings, a further security of such value as

they may think fit:

The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice, that for the purpose of the said section 67 of the Housing of the Working Classes Act, 1890, as amended by the said section 4 of the Public Works Loans Act, 1922, the prescribed rate shall for the time being be the rate of six per cent. per annum.

Treasury Chambers, 29th September, 1922.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W. 1, 3rd October, 1922.

The KING has directed that the appointment of James George Annand Forbes, formerly temporary Quartermaster and Lieutenant, Royal Army Medical Corps, to be a Member of the Military Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, dated the 11th November, 1919, shall be cancelled and annulled, and his name erased from the Register, in consequence of his having been convicted by the Civil Power.

The KING has directed that the appointment of Ernest Robert Powell to be a Member of the Civil Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, dated the 3rd

June, 1918; shall be cancelled and annulled, and his name erased from the Register.

TRAINING HOME FOR YOUNG SERVANTS,

4, Morland Road, Croydon.

Resignation of Certificate.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that the Managers of the Training Home for Young Servants, 4, Morland Road, Croydon, have resigned the Certificate as an Industrial School granted under the Children Act, 1908, in respect of the Home.

Whitehall, 30th September, 1922.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT,

The Secretary of State for the Home Department has appointed James Alexander Ross, Esq., M.B., Ch.B., of 83, Warwick Road, Carlisle, to be one of the Medical Referees under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, for County Court Circuit No. 3, with a view to his being employed in ophthalmic cases arising in the Circuit in which the services of a Medical Referee are required.

Whitehall, 29th September, 1922.

The Home Secretary gives notice that, in pursuance of Section 2 (1) of the Employment of Women, Young Persons and Children Act, 1920, he has made an Order authorising the employment on two day-shifts of women of 18 years of age and over in bagging, weighing, wheeling of full bags, sewing and sealing of bags, and grading at the works of the South Bank Basic Slag Co., Ltd., South Bank-on-Tees, Yorks, subject to the conditions that no worker shall be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks; that suitable protective clothing, cloakroom and messroom accommodation and washing facilities shall be provided; and that a woman shall not be allowed to lift, carry or move anything so heavy as to be likely to cause her injury.

Whitehall, 30th September, 1922.

CHANGE OF NAME.

LIST of ALIENS to whom Exemptions under Section 7 of the Aliens Restriction (Amendment) Act of 1919 have been granted during the month of September, 1922.

The Name printed in larger type is that in respect of which Exemption has been granted; then follow the former Name or Names and the Occupation or Business and Address or Addresses of the Alien or Aliens.

ALEXANDER'S DRUG STORES; Samuel Alexander; Drug Storekeeper; 89, Lever Street, London, E.C. 1.