

2. The maximum amount of Treasury Bills and Treasury Bonds to be issued will be £40,000,000. The amount of Treasury Bonds issued will not exceed £5,000,000, but subject to that limit the total amount issued will be divided between Bills and Bonds in such proportions as Their Lordships may determine.

TREASURY BILLS.

3. The Bills will be in amounts of £5,000 or £10,000. They will be dated at the option of the Tenderer, on any business day from Monday, the 22nd January, 1923, to Saturday, the 27th January, 1923, inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date.

4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

5. 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.

4½% TREASURY BONDS, 1932.

6. The Bonds will be in denominations of £50, £100, £200, £500, £1,000 and £5,000. They will be exempt from Corporation Profits Tax and will, as indicated in the Notice of 6th October, 1922, rank *pari passu* with those issued under the Prospectus of the 21st of April, 1922. They will be dated at the option of the Tenderer on any business day from Monday, the 22nd January, 1923, to Saturday, the 27th January, 1923, inclusive; the first dividend, payable on the 15th April, 1923, will represent in the case of each Bond interest to that date from the date of the Bond.

7. Each Tender must be for an amount not less than £50,000, and must specify the date on which the Bonds required are to be dated, and the net amount per cent (being an even multiple of one shilling) which will be given for the amount applied for. Separate Tenders must be lodged for Bonds of different dates.

8. Tenders must be made through a London Banker, Discount House or Broker.

9. 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 or Bonds are to be dated.

10. 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 and Bonds.

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

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

Treasury Chambers,
12th January, 1923.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1901.

In pursuance of Section 118 of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, the Right Honourable William Clive Bridgeman, M.P., one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been pleased to appoint Alexander Chalmers, Esquire, to be an Inspector of Factories and Workshops.

Whitehall,
9th January, 1923.

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 and young persons of 16 years of age and over in paper reeling at the works of Messrs. James R. Crompton & Bros., Ltd., Elton Paper Mills, Bury, subject to the conditions that no worker shall be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable cloakroom and messroom accommodation and washing facilities shall be provided.

Whitehall, S.W. 1,
10th January, 1923.

Whitehall, January 10, 1923.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, to appoint the Right Honourable Sir James Rennell Rodd, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., to be a Member of the Council of the British School at Rome for a further period expiring on the 11th October, 1925.

Whitehall, January 10, 1923.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 9th instant, to appoint St. John Gore Micklethwait, Esq., B.C.L., M.A., Barrister-at-Law, to be Recorder of the Borough of Reading.

Whitehall, January 11, 1923.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrants under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, to grant permission to wear the undermentioned Decorations which have been conferred in recognition of valuable services rendered during the War:—

DECORATIONS CONFERRED BY HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF ITALY.

ORDER OF SAINT MAURICE AND SAINT LAZARUS.

Cross of Commander.

John Bingley Garland Lester, Esq., O.B.E.
John James Scott, Esq.

ORDER OF THE CROWN OF ITALY.

Cross of Commander.

Sir Frederick William Lewis, Bt.
Edward Frank Wise, Esq., C.B.

Cross of Officer.

Cyril Cameron Pyke, Esq., O.B.E.,
Herbert Langridge, Esq., M.B.E.