

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 17th March, 1924, to Saturday, the 22nd March, 1924, 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.

4% TREASURY BONDS, 1923.

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 5th October, 1923, rank *pari passu* with those issued under the Prospectus of the 23rd March, 1923. They will be dated at the option of the Tenderer on any business day from Monday, the 17th March, 1924, to Saturday, the 22nd March, 1924, inclusive, the first dividend, payable on the 15th April, 1924, 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.

7th March, 1924.

Foreign Office,
February 1, 1924.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Guy Basil Gilliat-Smith, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul for the States of Maryland, Virginia, and West Virginia, to reside at Baltimore;

Hugh Alexander Ford, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul for the Republic of Panama, and for the Panama Canal Zone, to reside at Colon; and

Cyril Douglas Elphick, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul for the City of Bremen and its State Territory; the State of Oldenburg, exclusive of the Oldenburg territories of Lubeck, Eutin and Birkenfeld; the townships of Geestemünde and Lehe; the Prussian Province of Hanover, west of the Weser, and the district of Wilhelmshaven, to reside at Bremen.

(The foregoing appointments to take effect as from the 2nd January, 1924.)

Foreign Office,
February 1, 1924.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Wilfred Bertram Cunningham, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul for the Urban Prefecture of Osaka (Osaka Fu), and the Prefectures of Shiga, Nara, Wakayama, Miye, Aichi, Toyama, and Gifu, to reside at Osaka; and

Paul Dalrymple Butler, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Seoul.

(The foregoing appointments to take effect as from the 2nd September, 1923.)

Foreign Office,
February 1, 1924.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Harold Eustace Satow, Esquire, O.B.E., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Grand Lebanon and the Autonomous Territory of the Alawites, to reside at Beyrout (with effect as from the 1st January, 1924).

Foreign Office,
February 1, 1924.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Vivian Henry Courthope Bosanquet, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Prussian Province of Hesse-Nassau, the Hohenzollern Territories, and the States of Wurtemberg, Baden and Hesse, to reside at Frankfort-on-the-Main;

Francis Edward Drummond-Hay, Esquire, M.V.O., to be His Majesty's Consul for the Departments of Sarthe, Mayenne, Maine-et-Loire, Indre-et-Loire, Côtes-du-Nord, Ille-et-Vilaine, Morbihan, and Loire Inférieure, to reside at Nantes;