

Now, therefore, His Majesty is pleased, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, to order, as it is hereby ordered, that no new Burial Ground shall be opened in the said Civil Parish save with the previous approval of the Minister of Health, and that burials shall be discontinued therein as follows, viz. :—

HORWICH.—Forthwith and entirely in (1) the Parish Church of Holy Trinity, Horwich, in the said Parish, and in the Churchyard attached thereto, with the exception of the area which was added in 1903, and consecrated in June, 1921. Provided that:—

(a) In any vault or walled grave now existing in the said portion of the Churchyard, burial may be allowed subject to the condition that every coffin buried in such vault or grave be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

(b) In any earthen grave now existing in the said portion of the Churchyard, the burial may be allowed of the body of any member of the family of the person or persons heretofore buried in such grave, subject to the condition that no part of the coffin containing the body shall be at a depth less than three feet below the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave.

(c) In the said portion of the Churchyard in any grave space in which no interment has heretofore taken place, the burial may be allowed of the body of any person for whom or of any member of a family for whom such grave space has been reserved and appropriated as a burial place, with the exclusive right of burial therein, subject to the condition that no part of the coffin containing the body shall be at a depth less than three feet below the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave.

And (2) the Lee Congregational Chapel, Horwich, in the said Parish and in the burial ground attached thereto. Provided that:—

(a) In any vault or walled grave now existing in the said burial ground burial may be allowed subject to the condition that every coffin buried in such vault or grave be separately enclosed by stonework or brickwork properly cemented.

(b) In any earthen grave now existing in the said burial ground the burial may be allowed of the body of any member of the family of the person or persons heretofore buried in such grave, subject to the condition that no part of the coffin containing the body shall be at a depth less than three feet below the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave.

(c) In the said burial ground in grave spaces in which no interment has heretofore taken place, the burial may be allowed of the bodies of John Berry, Peter Holmes, Sarah Ann Davis, William Polkinghorne, James Watts and William Evans, respectively at their decease, and of the body of any member of his or her family, subject, in each case, to the condition that no part of the coffin containing the body shall be at a depth less than three feet below the level of the surface of the ground adjoining the grave.

M. P. A. Hankey.

Westminster, 7th May, 1925.

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:—

British Empire Exhibition (Guarantee) Act, 1925.

Charitable Trusts Act, 1925.

Administration of Justice Act, 1925.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS AND TREASURY BONDS.

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 15th May, 1925, at 1 o'clock, for

(a) Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877, the National Debt Act, 1889, and the War Loan Acts, 1914-1919; and

(b) £4 per cent. Treasury Bonds, repayable at par on the 15th April, 1938.

2. The maximum amount of Treasury Bills and Treasury Bonds to be issued will be £30,000,000. The amount of Treasury Bonds issued will not exceed £2,500,000, 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 18th May, 1925, to Saturday, the 23rd May, 1925, 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 PER CENT. TREASURY BONDS, 1938.

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 31st March, 1925, rank *pari passu* with those issued under the prospectus of the 23rd March, 1923. They will be dated at the