

*The Prince of Wales's Council Chamber,
Buckingham Gate, S.W. 1.*

17th March, 1926.

His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal of the Duchy of Cornwall appointing George Horace Johnstone, Esquire, of Trewithen, Grampound Road, in the County of Cornwall, Sheriff of the County of Cornwall

Crown Office,

House of Lords, S.W. 1.

16th March, 1926.

MEMBER elected to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

The University of Durham, the Victoria University of Manchester, the University of Liverpool, the University of Leeds, the University of Sheffield, the University of Birmingham and the University of Bristol.

Sir Alfred Hopkinson, Kt., K.C., in the place of the Right Honourable Herbert Albert Laurens Fisher who since his election for the said Universities hath accepted the office of Steward or Bailiff of His Majesty's Three Chiltern Hundreds of Stoke Desborough and Burnham in the County of Buckingham.

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 26th March, 1926, 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, 1933.

2. The maximum amount of Treasury Bills and Treasury Bonds to be issued will be £45,000,000. The amount of Treasury Bonds issued will not exceed £4,000,000, 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 29th March, 1926, to Saturday, the 3rd April, 1926, 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, 1933.

6. The Bonds will be in denominations of £50, £100, £200, £500, £1,000 and £5,000, and will, as indicated in the Notice of 2nd October, 1925, 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 29th March, 1926, to Saturday, the 3rd April, 1926, inclusive; the first dividend, payable on the 15th April, 1926, 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,

19th March, 1926.

Whitehall, March 4, 1926.

His Majesty The KING has been graciously pleased to award the Edward Medal to James Kipling, James Johnston, and Nani Khan, employed by the Mohpani Colliery of the Great Indian Peninsular Railway, in the following circumstances:—

On January 7th, 1925, in the course of operations at the Mohpani Colliery of the Great Indian Peninsular Railway a very heavy fall of roof took place killing one miner instantaneously and completely burying another named Nanoo Maora. On a report of the accident reaching Mr. Kipling, the Under-Manager of the mine, he immediately proceeded to the scene accompanied by Mr. Johnston, the senior European Overseer, and Nani Khan, a native timber drawer. They crawled through the fall of stone and earth and eventually after fifteen minutes' work succeeded in extricating the entombed man.