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TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Bill Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday, the 15th November, 1935, at 1 o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877, the National Debt Act, 1889, and the War Loan Acts, 1914-1919, to the amount of £45,000,000.

2. 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 November, 1935, to Saturday, the 23rd November, 1935, inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date.

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

4. 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.

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

6. 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 are to be dated.

7. 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.

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

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

Treasury Chambers,
8th November, 1935.

Whitehall, October 14, 1935.

His Majesty The KING has been graciously pleased to award the Edward Medal in Silver to the late Ernest Reid Powell in recognition of his gallantry in the following circumstances:—

On the 2nd August, 1935, a fire broke out in the ground floor premises of the building at 2, Amelia Street, Belfast, in which Mr. Powell was employed as managing director of a firm of handkerchief manufacturers. The ground floor was occupied by a firm of wholesale confectioners and instead of first giving an immediate alarm the staff on this floor endeavoured vainly to extinguish the flames, which had obtained a good hold before the workers on the upper floors became aware of the danger. When the danger became known, several women and girls escaped from the first and third floors by means of the main staircase and about forty women and female young persons on the second floor also proceeded to escape in the same way. A number succeeded,