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FRIDAY, 25 MARCH, 1938

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

*St. James's Palace, S.W.1.
25th March, 1938.*

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the Award of the Medal of the Military Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire to the undermentioned:—

For Gallantry.

Pilot Officer Guy Rawstron Branch, Auxiliary Air Force.

On 8th January, 1938, an aircraft in which Pilot Officer Branch was a passenger crashed at Upavon, Wiltshire, and immediately burst into flames. Having extricated himself from the burning aircraft this officer found that the pilot was trapped in the cockpit by his legs. Despite the fact that there was grave danger of the petrol tank exploding, Pilot Officer Branch returned to the blazing wreckage and, whilst actually standing on burning debris, succeeded in extracting the pilot.

There is little doubt that this prompt and gallant action saved the pilot's life. The aircraft was completely destroyed by fire.

Whitehall, 15th March, 1938.

The KING has been graciously pleased to ordain and declare that Miriam Louisa Rothschild, Elizabeth Charlotte Rothschild

spinsters, and Kathleen Annie Pannonica, the wife of Jules de Koenigswarter, shall henceforth have, hold, and enjoy the same title, rank, place, pre-eminence, and precedence as the daughters of a Baron as would have been due to them had their father, Nathaniel Charles Rothschild, Esquire (commonly called the Honourable Nathaniel Charles Rothschild) survived his brother Lionel Walter Baron Rothschild and thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Baron Rothschild.

And to command that the said concession and declaration be recorded in His Majesty's College of Arms.

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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 1st April, 1938, 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 £50,000,000.

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 4th April, 1938, to Saturday, the 9th April, 1938, inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date.

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