

band, and driving the remainder on to the reinforcing troops.

His dogged determination to defeat the band, his complete contempt of personal danger, and the tactical skill he displayed, were an inspiration to his men, and contributed in no small measure to the success of the action. This Officer has, on many other occasions, displayed outstanding qualities of leadership and loyalty.

*Crown Office,
House of Lords, S.W.1.
29th June, 1939.*

The KING has been pleased by Warrant under His Sign Manual dated the 19th day of June, 1939, to approve the appointment of Sir Herbert Brent Grotrian, Baronet, K.C., as Chairman of the Bedfordshire Quarter Sessions, in accordance with the provisions of the Administration of Justice (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1938.

*Treasury Chambers,
29th June, 1939.*

The Chancellor of the Exchequer has appointed Major Sir Herbert Cayzer, Bart., to be Steward and Bailiff of the Manor of Northstead.

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 7th July, 1939, 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 to 1919, to the amount of £40,000,000.

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 10th July, 1939, to Saturday, the 15th July, 1939, 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,
30th June, 1939.*

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1925.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that in consequence of the resignation of Lt.-Col. P. M. Kerr, T.D., M.B., C.M., he is considering the appointment of a Medical Referee under the above Act for the Dumfries Sheriff Court District (Sheriffdom of Dumfries and Galloway).

Applications for appointment should be addressed to the Private Secretary, Scottish Office, Whitehall, London, S.W.1, and should reach him not later than 24th July, 1939.

*Whitehall,
29th June, 1939.*

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1925-1930.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice that on the 28th June, 1939, he made a Scheme under Section 47 of the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1925, as extended by the Workmen's Compensation (Silicosis and Asbestosis) Act, 1930, extending and varying the Silicosis and Asbestosis (Medical Arrangements) Scheme, 1931, as amended by the Silicosis and Asbestosis (Medical Arrangements) Amendment Scheme, 1934. The Scheme extends the requirements contained in the 1931 Scheme that workmen employed in certain specified processes shall submit to medical examination on being engaged for work in the processes and thereafter at the prescribed intervals to certain additional processes in the Pottery Industry.

Consequent on this extension the Secretary of State has also made a Scheme varying paragraph 15 of the Various Industries (Silicosis) Scheme, 1931.

Copies of the Schemes which may be cited as (1) The Silicosis and Asbestosis (Medical Arrangements) Scheme, 1939, and (2) The Various Industries (Silicosis) (No. 2) Amendment Scheme, 1939, can be purchased directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh 2; 26, York Street, Manchester 1; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; or through any bookseller.

*Whitehall,
30th June, 1939.*

FACTORIES ACT, 1937.

In pursuance of Section 1 of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, notice is hereby given that the Secretary of State for the Home Department proposes, at the expiration of forty days from the publication of this notice, to