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FRIDAY, 9 JULY, 1943

Westminster, 6th July, 1943.

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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, authorised 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, do declare and notify the Royal Assent to the said Acts, was read accordingly, and the Royal Assent given to:—

Settled Land and Trustee Acts (Court's General Powers) Act, 1943. Telegraph Act, 1943.
Pensions and Determination of Needs Act, 1943. Grand Union Canal Act, 1943. Bridgwater Gas Act, 1943.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

I. 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 16th July, 1943, at 1 p.m. for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877, the National Debt Act, 1889, and the National Loans Acts, 1939 to 1943, to the amount of (10 con con

1889, and the National Loans Acts, 1939 to 1943, to the amount of £90,000,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5,000, £10,000, £50,000 or £100,000. They will be dated at the option of the tenderer on any business day from Monday, the 19th July, 1943, to Saturday, the 24th July, 1943, inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date.

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

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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. 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 1.30 p.m. Saturday 12 noon) on the day on which the relative

(Saturday 12 noon) on the day on which the relative Bills are to be dated.
7. 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. 9th July, 1943.

Foreign Office, 7th July, 1943.

The KING has been pleased to grant unrestricted permission for the wearing by the undermentioned persons of the decorations indicated against their respective names, which have been conferred upon them by the President of the Republic of Poland, in recognition of services during the war:—

Order of Polonia Restituta, Second Class.

Sir Thomas Henry Holland, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., iF.R.S., Vice-Chancellor and Principal of the University of Edinburgh.

Order of Polonia Restituta, Third Class.

Professor Sydney A. Smith, F.R.S.E., M.D., F.R.C.P. (Edin.), Dean of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Edinburgh.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Professor F. A. E. Crew, T.D., F.R.S., F.R.S.E., M.D., F.R.C.P. (Edin.)

Foreign Office, December 9, 1942.

KING has been graciously pleased to The John Mortimer Fisher, Esquire, to be His Majesty's Vice-Consul at Casbalanca.

Foreign Office, January 1, 1943.

KING has been graciously pleased to The claude Kirwood Ledger, Esquire, C.B.E., to be His Majesty's Consul-General for the Province of Sul do Save in Portuguese East Africa, to reside at Lourenco Marques.

Foreign Office, January 1, 1943.

The KING has been graciously pleased to

John Walker, Esquire, M.B.E., to be Acting Com-mercial Secretary, Second Grade, attached to His Majesty's Embassy at Bagdad.