day, the 9th December, 1944, inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date.

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

of England.

or 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 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 Bills are to be dated. 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.

 The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders. Treasury Chambers. 24th November, 1944.

Foreign Office, 23rd November, 1944. KING has been graciously pleased to The appoint:

K.C.M.G., to be His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Brussels and His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at Luxembourg (with effect from 19th September, 1944).

Foreign Office, 23rd November, 1944.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:

Frank Trelawny Arthur Ashton-Gwatkin, Esquire, C.B., C.M.G., to be Senior Inspector of His Majesty's Missions abroad, with the rank of Minister Plenipotentiary in His Majesty's Foreign Service (with effect from 26th July, 1944).

Foreign Office, 23rd November, 1944. KING has been graciously pleased to The appoint:

Henry Ashley Clarke, Esquire, to be a Counsellor in His Majesty's Foreign Service (with effect from 19th June, 1944).

Foreign Office, 23rd November, 1944.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:

Edgar James Joint, Esquire, O.B.E., to be First Secretary (Commercial) in His Majesty's Embassy at Brussels ((with effect from 23rd September, 1944).

Foreign Office, 23rd November, 1944.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint (with effect from the dates respectively

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Walter Fletcher, to be His Majesty's Consul-General at Ahwaz (12th May, 1944); and Patrick Devereux Coates, Esquire, to be one of His Majesty's Vice-Consuls in China (6th June, 1944).

Foreign Office, 20th October, 1944.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:-

Mr. Richard S. S. Bright, as Consul-General of Liberia at Liverpool, for Great Britain and Northern Ireland:

Monsieur Fuat Aktan, as Consul-General of Turkey at Jerusalem, with jurisdiction in Palestine and

Senhor Francisco Eulalio do Nascimento e Silva, as

Consul of Brazil in London; r. Henry Morrill, Junior,

Mr. Henry Morrill, Junior, as Vice-Consul of Panama at Hull; and Mr. William Langdon Sands, as Vice-Consul of the United States of America at Aden.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT, 1925. "

The Secretary of State for the Home Department The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that he is considering the appointment of a *Physician* Medical Referee under the above Act for the County Court Districts of Doncaster, East Retford, Mansfield and Worksop (Circuit No. 18). Applications for appointment should be addressed to the Under-Secretary of State, Home Office, Whitehall, and should reach him not later than 18th December, 1944.

Whitehall.

22nd November, 1944.

Downing Street, 21st November, 1944.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the Realm dated the 7th November, 1944, to amend the Letters Patent of the 11th September, 1913, constituting the Office of Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Mauritius.

Scottish Home Department, St. Andrew's House, Edinburgh.

17th November, 1944

The KING has been pleased by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual bearing date the 16th November, 1944, to make the following appointments with effect from the 20th November,

r. John Macgregor, K.C., presently Sheriff Substitute of Roxburgh, Berwick and Selkirk, to be Sheriff Substitute of Stirling, Dumbarton and

Clackmannan at Falkirk.

Mr. William Clarke Reid, Advocate, to be Sheriff
Substitute of Roxburgh, Berwick and Selkirk at Jedburgh.

Scottish Home Department, St. Andrew's House, Edinburgh 1.

20th November, 1944.

The KING has been pleased to appoint James Gordon McIntyre Esquire, K.C., to be one of the Senators of the College of Justice in Scotland, to fill the vacancy due to the death of the Honourable Lord Roberton. Lord Robertson.

Board of Trade, Millbank, London, S.W.1. 21st November, 1944.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have made Orders which have been published as S.R. & O. 1944, price 1d.

No. 1262—The Export of Goods (Control) (No. 2) Order, 1944, dated 13th November, 1944.

No. 1267—General Licence, dated November 13, 1944, in respect of the Supply of Industrial Clogs and Wooden Soled Footwear.

These Orders can be purchased through any book-

and Wooden Soled Footwear.

These Orders can be purchased through any bookseller, agents or direct from His Majesty's Stationery Office, at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13a, Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39-41, King Street, Manchester 2; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast.

CATERING WAGES ACT, 1943.

NOTICE BY THE CATERING WAGES COMMISSION OF A PROPOSED WAGES BOARD RECOMMENDATION.

The Catering Wages Commission in accordance with the powers conferred on them by Section 4 of the Catering Wages Act, 1943, hereby give notice that they propose to make to the Minister of Labour

that they propose to make to the Minister of Labour and National Service a wages board recommendation in the terms set out in the Appendix hereto.

The Commission will consider representations in writing with regard to the proposed recommendation which are received by them on or before Saturday, the 23rd day of December, 1944, at the offices of