2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5,000, £10,000, £25,000, £50,000 or £100,000. They will be dated at the option of the tenderer on any business day from Monday, the 11th April, 1949, to Saturday, the 16th April, 1949, inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date.

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. 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 request in full of the amounts of the 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 noit later than 1.30 p.m. (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.

1st April, 1949.

WILD BIRDS PROTECTION ACTS.

WILD BIRDS PROTECTION ACTS. The Secretary of State for the Home Department gives notice that on the 18th March, 1949, he made Orders under the Wild Birds Protection Acts, 1880 to 1939, in respect of the City and County Borough of Bath and the County Borough of Warrington. Copies of the Orders may be purchased direct from His Majesty's Stationery Office, at the following addresses: —York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13a, Castle Street, Edinburgh, 2; 39, King Street, Manchester, 2; 2, Edmund Street, Birmingham, 3; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol, 1; and 80, Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

Whitehall. 30th March, 1949.

Colonial Office, The Church House, S.W.1. 21st March, 1949.

The KING has been pleased to give directions for the re-appointment of Sir Tsibu Darku IX, O.B.E., to be an Unofficial Appointed Member of the Executive Council of the Gold Coast Colony and Ashanti.

> Board of Trade, Millbank, London, S.W.1. 29th March, 1949.

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they

No. 463. The Control of the Cotton Industry (Revocation) Order, 1949, dated 17th March, 1949. No. 481. The Control of Leather Order, 1949, dated the 19th March, 1949. No. 483. The Furniture (Maximum Prices and Charges) (Amendment No. 2) Order, 1949, dated the 21st March, 1949.

(No. 51)

No. 496. The Control of Timber (No. Order, 1949, dated the 22nd March, 1949, No. 497. The Imported Hardwood Order, 1949, dated the 22nd March, 1949. Prices Price 1s. 3d.

No. 498. The Plywood Prices Order, 1949, dated the 22nd March, 1949. Price 6d.
No. 499. The Silk Bolting Cloth (Revocation) Order, 1949, dated the 22nd March, 1949.
No. 515. The Export of Goods (Control) (Amendment No. 2) Order, 1949, dated the 21st March 1949. March, 1949.

These Orders can be purchased through any book-seller, agent, 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, King Street, Man-chester, 2; 2, Edmund Street, Birmingham, 3; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol, 1; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast.

ELECTRICITY ACT, 1947.

ELECTRICITY AC1, 1947. The Minister of Fuel and Power hereby gives notice that he has made an Order entitled the Electricity (South Wales) (Transfer) Order, 1949-S.I. 1949, No. 569. Copies may be purchased from H.M. Stationery Office, York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13a, Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39, King Street, Manchester 2; 2, Edmund Street, Birmingham 3; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol 1; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast, or through any bookseller. any bookseller.

Ministry of Fuel and Power, 7, Millbank, London, S.W.1. 29th March, 1949.

GAS ACT, 1948.

The Minister of Fuel and Power hereby gives notice that he has made Regulations entitled the Gas (Investment and Information) Regulations, 1949

Gas (Investment and Information) Regulations, 1949 -S.I. 1949, No. 568. Copies may be purchased from H.M. Stationery Office, York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 13a, Castle Street, Edinburgh 2; 39, King Street, Manchester 2; 2, Edmund Street, Birmingham 3; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; Tower Lane, Bristol 1; 80, Chichester Street, Belfast, or through any bookseller.

Ministry of Fuel and Power, 7, Millbank, London, S.W.1. 29th March, 1949.

Admiralty, 23rd March, 1949.

R.N.

Rear-Adml. A. C. G. MADDEN, C.B., C.B.E., to be Vice-Adml. 5th Feb. 1949. Capt. A. F. MATHESON placed on Retd. List. 2nd Mar. 1949.

Cdr. (S) T. E. NAVE placed on Retd. List. Mar. 1949. 18th

Mar. 1949. Lts. to be Lt.-Cdrs. with seny. as stated:— R. G. LYNCH-BLOSSE. 26th Feb. 1949. J. B. BUTCHARD, M. H. COLLAR, D.S.C., G. E. SAMPSON, J. L. ALDRIDGE, M.B.E., J. A. DOUGLAS, P. W. REID, R. N. HOWARD, R. F. PLUGGE, D.S.C., W. D. MOSELEY, D.S.O., H. K. SERJEANT, P. G. LACHLAN, M.B.E., J. MORISON, D.S.C., W. C. SIMPSON, D.S.C., R. M. HERBERT-SMITH. 1st Mar. 1949

1949. K. WILLIAMS. 6th Mar. 1949. t. (E) (Retd.) A. V. CASLEY to be Lt.-Cdr. (E) (Retd.). 22nd Feb. 1949.

Lts. (S) placed on Retd. List on dates stated:---J. J. NEVILLE. 18th Mar. 1949. E. R. TIPPLE. 22nd Mar. 1949.

The undermentioned Lts. (A) from Extended Service Commissions granted Permanent Commissions in Air Branch of R.N. in ranks of Lts. (A) with Air Branch of R.N. in ranks of Lis. (A) we y, as stated: — D. G. PARKER, D.S.O., D.S.C. 1st July 1943. J. ROBERTSON. 4th Apr. 1944. A. B. B. CLARK. 12th Sept. 1944. D. O. NEWBERRY. 1st Dec. 1944. J. E. BUILLEN. 31st Jan. 1945. J. H. S. PEARCE. 1st July 1945. C. B. ARMSTRONG. 2nd July 1945. I. H. F. MARTIN, D.S.C. 9th July 1945. W. A. M. FERGUSON, D.S.C. 1st Nov. 1945. J. J. PHILLIPS. 6th Feb. 1946. R. H. REYNOLDS, D.S.C. 1st Mar. 1946. H. M. A. HAYES. 3rd Mar. 1946. K. W. M. SHEPHERD. 7th July 1945. E. L. HAYWOOD. 8th Feb. 1947. N. A. TOFTS. 13th Feb. 1947. R. BELLAMY. 15th Apr. 1947. A. J. LEAFY. 17th May 1947. G. W. H. GATIS. 13th July 1947. seny. as stated:

M. W. M. BARRON. 21st May 1947. G. W. H. GATIS. 13th July 1947. D. L. G. JAMES. 14th July 1947. J. B. STOKES. 28th July 1947.

J. B. STOKES. 28th July 1947. P. R. D. CORT. 2nd Aug. 1947. S. LEONARD. 13th Sept. 1947. D. E. FAIRWEATHER. 9th Oct. 1947. S. B. OLIVER. 5th Nov. 1947. M. A. TIBBY. 6th Jan. 1948. J. W. HAYTER. 11th Feb. 1948.

J. W. HAYTER, 11th Feb. 1948. J. TREVIS. 14th Feb. 1948. P. R. HARTLEY. 3rd Apr. 1948. R. GREENSHIELDS. 12th Apr. 1948. D. T. MCKEOWN. 8th June 1948.