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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 Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday the 17th November 1944, 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 1944, to the amount of £110,000,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5000, £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 20th November 1944 to Saturday the 25th November 1944 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 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,
10th November 1944.

REGULATIONS DATED THE 2ND DAY OF NOVEMBER 1944 MADE BY THE TREASURY UNDER ARTICLE 6 OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL DATED THE 22ND DAY OF JULY 1920 WITH RESPECT TO THE PERIOD OF PROBATION TO BE SERVED BY CIVIL SERVANTS TO WHOM THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 6 OF THE ORDER IN COUNCIL DATED THE 10TH DAY OF JANUARY 1910 HAVE HITHERTO BEEN APPLIED.

In pursuance of Article 6 of the said Order of the 22nd day of July 1920 the Treasury hereby make the following Regulations:—

1. After a certificate of qualification has been issued by His Majesty's Civil Service Commissioners in favour of a candidate, he shall enter on a period of probation of one year or such extended period not exceeding two years as may be prescribed by the Head of his Department. During this time his conduct and capacity shall be subjected to such tests as may be determined by the Head of his Department, and he shall not be finally appointed to the Public Service unless and until his probation shall have furnished to the Head of his Department satisfactory proof of his fitness.

2. If it should be considered necessary or desirable on medical grounds the period of probation may be further extended at the discretion of the Head of his Department such extension not to exceed four years.

3. These Regulations shall be applicable to Civil Servants to whom the provisions of Article 6 of the Order in Council of the 10th day of January 1910 have hitherto been applied and shall come into force forthwith.

4. Article 6 of the Order in Council of the 10th day of January 1910 is hereby repealed.

Dated this 2nd day of November 1944.

J. H. F. M'EWEN,
L. R. PYM,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of
His Majesty's Treasury.

NATURALIZATION.

LIST of ALIENS resident in Scotland to whom Certificates of Naturalization have been granted by the Secretary of State, and whose Oaths of Allegiance have been registered in the Home Office during the month of October 1944.

The date shown in each case is the date on which the Oath of Allegiance was taken.

*Landor, Sheila Margaret; Germany; Library Assistant; c/o Chapman, 35 Spottiswoode Street, Edinburgh. 11th October 1944.

*Sherwood, Mary Jane Smith; Germany; Auxiliary Territorial Service Driver; 45 Robertson Street, Chapelhall, Airdrie, Lanarkshire. 24th October 1944.

* Re-admission to British Nationality.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918, AND TRADE BOARDS AND ROAD HAULAGE WAGES (EMERGENCY PROVISIONS) ACT, 1940.

TOY MANUFACTURING TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

Proposal to vary Minimum Rates of Wages.

The Toy Manufacturing Trade Board (Great Britain) hereby give notice that they propose to vary minimum rates of wages at present in operation and set out in the Notice Y (33).

Particulars of the proposals may be obtained on application to the Secretary of the Trade Board at the address given below.

The Trade Board will consider any objections to the above-mentioned proposals which may be lodged with them within fourteen days from 14th November 1944. Any such objection should be in writing, signed by the person making the same (adding his or her address), and sent to the Secretary, Toy Manufacturing Trade Board (Great Britain), Ebury Bridge House, Ebury Bridge Road, London, S.W.1. It is desirable that persons making objections should state the precise grounds of their objections.

G. H. TREGGAR, Secretary.

13th November 1944.