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FRIDAY, 10 MAY, 1912.

TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Thursday, the 16th instant, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills, to be issued under the Acts 40 Vic., cap. 2, 52 Vic., cap. 6, and 6 Edw. VII, cap. 20, to the amount of £3,000,000, in part replacement of Bills paid off temporarily on 10th February last.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1,000, £5,000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 21st May, 1912, and will be payable at three months after date, viz.:—On the 21st August, 1912.

3. *The Tenders must specify the net amount per cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for, and the Tenders of private individuals must be made through a London banker.*

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

5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Friday, the 17th instant, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than three o'clock on Tuesday, the 21st May, 1912.

6. The Lords Commissioners of H.M. Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers,
10th May, 1912.

Foreign Office,
May 9, 1912.

It is hereby notified that His Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs this day received from Señor Doctor Don Arturo Ramón Avila his Letter of Credence as Chargé d'Affaires of the Republic of Salvador.

Whitehall, May 8, 1912.

The KING has been pleased to give and grant unto Frederick Bray, Esq., of the Lycée de l'Empereur Alexandre, His Majesty's Royal licence and authority to accept and wear the Insignia of the Second Class of the Order of St. Stanislaus, which decoration has been conferred upon him by His Majesty the Emperor of Russia, on the occasion of the Centenary of the above-named institution and in recognition of valuable services rendered by him.

Downing Street,
8th May, 1912.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, bearing date the 23rd day of April, 1912, to make further provision as to the appointment of a Deputy or Deputies to the Governor of the Colony of the Gambia.