

Tender is subject to the express condition that no Member of the House of Commons shall be admitted to any share or part in or to any benefit to arise from the Contract thereby made for the allotment of such Bills.

The provisions in question do not apply to Contracts entered into by an incorporated

trading company in its corporate capacity and made for the general benefit of the company.

7. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers,
6th April, 1915.

CURRENCY NOTES.

(4 & 5 Geo. 5, cc. 14 and 72.)

I.—ISSUE ACCOUNT.

Total Issued up to 31st March, 1915, inclusive.				Notes cancelled up to 31st March, 1915, inclusive.							
£				£				£			
s. d.				s. d.				s. d.			
£1	...	72,805,632	0 0	£1	...	42,385,215	0 0				
10/-	...	20,993,300	0 0	10/-	...	11,611,850	10 0				
Issued during the week ended 7th April, 1915.				Cancelled during the week ended 7th April, 1915.							
£				£							
s. d.				s. d.							
£1	...	1,162,030	0 0	£1	...	439,755	0 0				
10/-	...	449,780	0 0	10/-	...	186,454	10 0				
				Total				£54,623,275 0 0			
				Outstanding.							
				£							
				s. d.							
£1	...			£1	...	31,142,692	0 0				
10/-	...			10/-	...	9,644,775	0 0				
				Total				£40,787,467 0 0			
TOTAL				£95,410,742				0 0			

II.—BALANCE SHEET.

Notes outstanding—			Advances—								
£			£			£					
s. d.			s. d.			s. d.					
		40,787,467	0	0	Scottish and Irish Banks of Issue...						
					Other Bankers	159,000	0	0			
					Post Office Savings Bank						
					Trustee Savings Banks						
					Currency Note Redemption Account—						
					Gold Coin and Bullion	27,500,000	0	0			
					Government Securities	8,623,176	7	5			
					Balance at the Bank of England ...	4,505,290	12	7			
TOTAL				£40,787,467				0 0			

Treasury Chambers,
8th April, 1915.

JOHN BRADBURY,
Secretary to the Treasury.

Foreign Office,
April 7, 1915.

The Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has been informed by His Majesty's Minister at Stockholm that, according to an official announcement published in that Capital on the 23rd ultimo, wood cargoes from Sweden will in future be granted war risk insurance whatever their destination. This affects all wood goods which were not considered contraband by Germany prior to the issue of the German order of November 23rd last.*

*See London Gazette of Tuesday, December 22nd, 191

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice, pursuant to section 3 (3) of the Rules Publication Act, 1893, that on the 3rd day of April, 1915, he made a Rule under the Prison Acts, 1877 and 1898, with respect to the constitution of the Visiting Committee of Plymouth Prison, such Rule to take effect forthwith.

Copies of the Rule may be purchased either directly or through any bookseller from Messrs. Wyman and Sons, Limited, Fetter Lane, E.C., and 54, St. Mary Street, Cardiff.

Whitehall, 8th April, 1915.