TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS AND TREASURY BONDS.

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 30th January, 1925, at 1 o'clock, for :---

(a) Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877, The National Debt Act, 1889, and the War Loan Acts, 1914-1919; and

(b) £4 per cent. Treasury Bonds, repayable at par on the 15th April, 1933.

2. The maximum amount of Treasury Bills and Treasury Bonds to be issued will be £30,000,000. The amount of Treasury Bonds issued will not exceed £3,000,000, but subject to that limit the total amount issued will be divided between Bills and Bonds in such proportions as Their Lordships may determine.

TREASURY BILLS.

3. The Bills will be in amounts of £5,000 or £10,000. They will be dated at the option of the Tenderer on any business day from Monday, the 2nd February, 1925, to Saturday, the 7th February, 1925, inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date. 4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the

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5. 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.

4 PER CENT. TREASURY BONDS, 1933.

6. The Bonds will be in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$200, \$500, \$1,000 and \$5,000. They will be exempt from Corporation Profits Tax, and will, as indicated in the Notice of 30th September, 1924, rank pari passu with those issued under the Prospectus of the 23rd March, 1923. They will be dated at the option of the Tenderer on any business day from Monday, the 2nd February, 1925, to Saturday, the 7th February, 1925, inclusive; the first dividend, payable on the 15th April, 1925, will represent in the case of each Bond interest to that date from the date of the Bond.

7. Each Tender must be for an amount not less than £50,000, and must specify the date on which the Bonds required are to be dated, and the net amount per cent. (being an even multiple of one shilling) which will be given for the amount applied for. Separate Tenders must be lodged for Bonds of different dates.

9. 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 2 o'clock (Saturday 12 o'clock) on the day on which the relative Bills or Bonds are to be dated.

10. In virtue of the provisions of Section 1 (4) of the War Loan Act, 1919, Members of the House of Commons are not precluded from tendering for these Bills and Bonds.

11. Tenders must be made on the printed forms, which may be obtained from the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England.

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

Treasury Chambers,

23rd January, 1925.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1901.

The Secretary of State for the Home Department hereby gives notice, in pursuance of Section 86 (1) of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, that on the 19th January, 1925, he made Regulations under Section 79 of the said Act to apply to all factories and workshops or parts thereof in which the manufacture or repair of Electric Accumulators or parts thereof is carried on, in substitution for the Regulations made on 21st November, 1903. The new Regulations, which may be cited as the Electric Accumulator Kegulations, 1925, will come into force on 1st March, 1925.

Copies of the Regulations can be purchased directly from H.M. Stationery Office at the following addresses:—Adastral House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2; 28, Abingdon Street, London, S.W. 1; York Street, Manchester; 1. St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; or 120, George Street, Edinburgh; or through any Bookseller.

Whitehall.

20th January, 1925.

The Home Secretary gives notice that in pursuance of Section 2 (1) of the Employment of Women, Young Persons and Children Act, 1920, he has made an order authorising the employment on two day shifts of women of 18 and young persons of 16 years of age and over in screw making and screw thread rolling at the works of the Kent Construction and Engineering Company Limited, Victoria Road, Ashford, Kent, subject to the conditions that a worker shall not be employed in the afternoon shift in consecutive weeks and that suitable cloakroom and messroom accommodation, washing facilities and facilities for sitting shall be provided.

Whitehall.

22nd January, 1925.

^{8.} Tenders must be made through a London Banker, Discount House or Broker.