

We are therefore extremely glad to take part in to-day's inauguration of the important additions to your Art Gallery, the funds for which have been provided by the munificence of citizens and friends, who have thus given practical proof of their sympathy with the development of the Fine Arts in your City.

I heartily congratulate the people of Aberdeen upon the possession of this fine building. It adds to the beauty and dignity of their City and within its walls will be found the inspiring influences of culture and intellectual enjoyment. I have now much pleasure in declaring open the new Extensions of the Aberdeen Art Gallery.

Lord Chamberlain's Office,
Buckingham Palace, S.W.
9th October, 1925.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint Captain Humphrey Clifford Lloyd, M.C., to be a Gentleman Usher in Ordinary to His Majesty, in the room of Major the Honourable Arthur Hay, M.V.O., resigned.

The appointment to date from the 16th September, 1925.

Lord Chamberlain's Office,
Buckingham Palace, S.W.
9th October, 1925.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint Major the Honourable Arthur Hay, M.V.O., to be an Extra Gentleman Usher to His Majesty.

The appointment to date from the 16th September, 1925.

Crown Office,
House of Lords.
5th October, 1925.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present The Rev. William Henry Whalley, to the Rectory of All Saints, Holdenby, in the County of Northampton and Diocese of Peterborough, void by the death of the last Incumbent and in His Majesty's Gift in full right.

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 16th October, 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

£35,000,000. 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 19th October, 1925, to Saturday, the 24th October, 1925, inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date.

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

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, and will, as indicated in the Notice of 2nd October, 1925, 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 19th October, 1925, to Saturday, the 24th October, 1925, inclusive; the first dividend payable on the 15th April, 1926, 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.

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

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,
9th October, 1925.