

Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday, the 8th October, 1926, at 1 o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877, the National Debt Act, 1889, and the War Loan Acts, 1914-1919, to the amount of £45,000,000.

2. 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 11th October, 1926, to Saturday, the 16th October, 1926, 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 2 o'clock (Saturday 12 o'clock) on the day on which the relative Bills are to be dated.

7. 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.

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,
1st October, 1926.

ORDER dated September 25th, 1926, made by the Treasury under sub-section (5) of Section 13 of the Finance (No. 2) Act, 1915, as applied by sub-section (4) of Section 1 of the Safeguarding of Industries (Customs Duties) Act, 1925, and sub-section (3) of Section 11 of the Finance Act, 1926.

Whereas it is provided by sub-section (3) of Section 11 of the Finance Act, 1926, that the provisions of the Safeguarding of Industries (Customs Duties) Act, 1925, shall apply to the goods chargeable with duty under this section and to the duty imposed by this section as they apply to the articles chargeable with duty under that Act and the duties imposed by that Act.

And whereas it is provided by sub-section (4) of Section 1 of the Safeguarding of Industries (Customs Duties) Act, 1925, that for the purposes of and in connection with the duties imposed by that Act, the enactments set out in the Second Schedule to that Act (which contain provisions relating to other duties of customs) shall have effect as if they were re-enacted in that Act and in terms made applicable to the duties imposed by that Act.

And whereas sub-section (5) of Section 13 of the Finance (No. 2) Act, 1915, which is set out in the Second Schedule to the Safeguarding of Industries (Customs Duties) Act, 1925, provides that the Treasury may by order exempt any articles mentioned in the order which are liable to any new import duty from that duty if they are satisfied that, having regard to the small value of the article, it is inexpedient that the duty should be charged.

And whereas, having regard to the small value of the articles specified in the Schedule to this Order, it is inexpedient that duty should be charged under the Finance Act, 1926, on those articles.

Now, therefore, we, being two of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the power conferred on Us by sub-section (5) of Section 13 of the Finance (No. 2) Act, 1915, as applied by sub-section (4) of Section 1 of the Safeguarding of Industries (Customs Duties) Act, 1925, and sub-section (3) of Section 11 of the Finance Act, 1926, hereby order as follows:—

The articles mentioned in the Schedule to this Order shall be exempt from the duty imposed on the said articles by the Finance Act, 1926.

(Sd.) Stanley,
(Sd.) F. C. Thomson,

Two of the Lords Commissioners
of His Majesty's Treasury.

SCHEDULE.

Toys and Games.
Carnival Articles

ORDER dated September 25th, 1926, made by the Treasury under Section 12 of the Finance Act, 1926.

Whereas it is provided by Sub-section (1) of Section 12 of the Finance Act, 1926, that the Treasury may by order exempt any articles mentioned in the order which are liable to duty under Section 6 of the Finance Act, 1925, as consisting of or containing lace or embroidery from that duty if they are satisfied that, having regard to the small value of that lace or embroidery, it is inexpedient that the duty should be charged.

And whereas, having regard to the small value of the lace or embroidery contained in the articles specified in the Schedule to this Order, it appears to the Treasury, after consultation with the Board of Trade, that it is inexpedient that duty should be charged under the Finance Act, 1925, on those articles.

Now, therefore, we, being two of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, in pursuance of the powers conferred on us by the said Section 12 of the Finance Act, 1926, hereby order as follows:—

The articles mentioned in the Schedule to this Order shall be exempt from the duty imposed on the lace or embroidery contained in the said articles by the Finance Act, 1925.

(Sd.) Stanley,
(Sd.) F. C. Thomson,

Two of the Lords Commissioners
of His Majesty's Treasury.