

And Our further will and pleasure is that you do, with as little delay as possible, report to Us under your hands and seals, or under the hands or seals of any five or more of you, your opinion upon the matters herein submitted for your consideration.

Given at Our Court at *Saint James's* the Fifth day of *August*, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven; In the Eighteenth Year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command.
W. Joynson-Hicks.

ROYAL COMMISSION ON
LONDON SQUARES.

CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS
OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1,
12th August, 1927.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint Sidney Herbert, Baron Elphinstone to be a Knight of the Most Ancient and Most Noble Order of the Thistle. (To be dated the 9th August, 1927.)

Crown Office,
House of Lords,
11th August, 1927.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present The Rev. Robert Jack Hitchcock, M.A. to the Vicarage of Kilmeston with Beauworth in the County of Southampton and Diocese of Winchester, void by the cession of the last Incumbent and in His Majesty's Gift in full right.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

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 19th August, 1927, 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 £40,000,000.

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 22nd August, 1927, to Saturday, the 27th August, 1927, 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,
12th August, 1927

Foreign Office,
April 27, 1927.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

Francis Hugh Stonehewer-Bird, Esq., to be His Majesty's Agent at Jeddah, and Consul for the Eastern Coast of the Red Sea, to reside at Jeddah.

Foreign Office,
July 12, 1927.

The KING has been graciously pleased to appoint:—

William Linskill Bond, Esq., to be His Majesty's Consul at Tangier.

Whitehall, August 10, 1927.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 24th ultimo, to appoint Theobald Mathew, Esq., to be Recorder of the Borough of Maidstone.

Whitehall, August 10, 1927.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 5th instant, to appoint George Malcolm Hilbery, Esq., to be Recorder of the Borough of Margate.

Whitehall, August 10, 1927.

The KING has been pleased, by Warrant under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date the 9th instant, to appoint Bernard Campion, Esq., K.C., to be Recorder of the Borough of Northampton.