

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,
8th June, 1928.

Pursuant to paragraph 5 of the Regulations for the drawing of 4 per cent. Victory Bonds, the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that the ninth drawing of these bonds will take place on the 25th June, 1928.

A list of the bonds drawn will be published as soon afterwards as possible, and in any case not later than the 1st July, as a special supplement to the London Gazette.

Treasury Chambers,
8th June, 1928.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer has appointed Rt. Hon. Sir Alfred Mond, Bt., to be Steward and Bailiff of the Three Hundreds of Chiltern.

Treasury Chambers,
8th June, 1928.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer has appointed Col. Sir James F. Remnant, Bt., to be Steward and Bailiff of the Manor of Northstead.

Foreign Office,
March 27, 1928.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:—

Señor Don Ramon Clot Fernandez, as Vice-Consul of the Argentine Republic at Melbourne, for the Commonwealth of Australia.

Foreign Office,
April 21, 1928.

The KING has been pleased to approve of:—

Mr. Tasker Keech Cook, as Consul of Norway at St. John's, for the Dominion of Newfoundland.

Foreign Office, S.W. 1.
6th June, 1928.

By notes exchanged on the 16th and 29th February, 1928, between His Britannic Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Asuncion and the Paraguayan Minister for Foreign Affairs, it has been agreed that the terms of the Treaty of Friendship, Commerce and Navigation of October 16th, 1884, between Great Britain and Paraguay, as modified by the exchange of notes of February 16th and 22nd, 1927, shall continue in force for a further period of one year as from the 25th February, 1928, or until the conclusion of a new treaty, whichever period may be the shorter.

FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACTS, 1901 to 1920.

In pursuance of Section 118 of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, the Right Honourable Sir William Joynson-Hicks, Bart., one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been pleased to appoint Bernard William Alfred Crutchlow, Esq., to be an Inspector of Factories and Workshops.

Whitehall,
7th June, 1928.

Board of Trade,
Great George Street,
Westminster, S.W. 1.
6th June, 1928.

MERCHANDISE MARKS ACT, 1926.

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE.

CABINET FURNITURE OF METAL.

With reference to the notice which was published in the issue of the London, Edinburgh and Belfast Gazettes of the 23rd March, 1928, regarding the reference by the Board of Trade to the Standing Committee under the Merchandise Marks Act, 1926, of the Merchandise Marks (Imported Goods) Exemption Direction (No. 1) 1928, in respect of certain descriptions of Cabinet Furniture of Metal, the Board of Trade hereby give notice that a Report has been made by the Committee in respect of the aforesaid Direction.

The Report is being published and will be obtainable at an early date from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—
Adastral House, Kingsway, London, W.C. 2; 120, George Street, Edinburgh; York Street, Manchester; 1, St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 15, Donegall Square West, Belfast; or through any bookseller.