CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD.

St. James's Palace, S.W.1, 31st March, 1933.

The KING has been graciously pleased to approve of the posthumous Award of the Medal of the Civil Division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, for Gallantry, to the late Reginald Henry Montague Gray, Clerk to the Magistrate in N'gamiland, Bechuanaland:—

Whilst on an expedition in August last Mr. Gray attempted to save a comrade from a wounded lion. Mr. Gray, who had as his only weapon an empty shot gun, without hesitation clubbed the lion which had attacked his companion, until the gun broke. He then tried, while kicking the animal, to pull it away with his hands. The lion was eventually shot by a third person. Mr. Gray died a few days later, as a result of shock.

Crown Office, House of Lords, 29th March, 1933.

The KING has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to present The Rev. John Reay, M.C., B.Sc., to the Rectory of Bingham, in the County of Nottingham and Diocese of Southwell void by the death of the last Incumbent and in His Majesty's Gift in full right.

Crown Office, House of Lords, S.W.1. 30th March, 1933.

MEMBER elected to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Parliamentary Borough of Rhondda, East Division.

William Henry Mainwaring, Esquire, in the place of Lieutenant-Colonel David Watts Morgan, C.B.E., D.S.O., deceased.

- TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS AND £2 10s. PER CENT. CONVERSION LOAN, 1944-1949.
- 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 7th April, 1933, 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;
  - (b) £2 10s. per cent. Conversion Loan, 1944-1949.
- 2. The maximum amount of Treasury Bills and £2 10s. per cent. Conversion Loan to be allotted on that date will be £45,000,000. The amount of £2 10s. per cent. Conversion

Loan allotted will not exceed £10,000,000, but subject to that limit the total amount allotted will be divided between Bills and Conversion Loan 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 10th April, 1933, to Saturday, the 15th April, 1933, 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.

£2 10s. PER CENT. CONVERSION LOAN, 1944-1949.

6. Particulars of the Loan are given in the Notice dated 17th March, 1933, and published in the London Gazette of that date.

Copies of the Notice may be obtained at the

Bank of England.

7. Each Tender must be for an amount not less than £10,000 and must specify the net amount per cent. (being an even multiple of sixpence) which will be given for the amount applied for.

8. Scrip Certificates with Coupon attached for the half-year's interest due on the 1st October, 1933, will be issued in respect of accepted tenders. These Scrip Certificates may be inscribed or registered forthwith, or they may be exchanged in due course for Bonds to Bearer.

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

- 10. 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)
  - (a) in the case of Treasury Bills, on the a day on which the relative Bills are to be dated;
  - (b) in the case of £2 10s. per Cent. Conversion Loan, on Thursday, the 13th April, 1933
- 11. 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 Bills or Conversion Loan.

12. Tenders must be made on the printed forms which may be obtained from the Chief

Cashier's Office, Bank of England.

13. Tenders at the lowest price accepted may

be subject to a pro rata diminution.

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

Treasury Chambers, 31st March, 1933.